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ONE CENT

THE LOCAL HOUSE HAS PROROGUED

Governor Tweedie Closed Session of Provincial Legislature This Morning --- May be Another Session Before the Elections Are Called On.

FREDERICTON, N. B. April 13.—(Special)—The legislature was formally prorogued by Lieut. Gov. Tweedie, at nine o'clock this morning...

from your labors, I sincerely trust that the blessings of Providence may rest bountifully upon you in the discharge of your ordinary avocations...

DAMAGED BY HEAVY SEAS SOLDIERS TO STAY IN CUBA

Donaldson L'ner Salacia Had a Rough Passage to This Port

The Donaldson line steamship Salacia, Captain Fraser, arrived off Partridge land last night and came up to her berth at the new city wharf this morning.

American Programme Will Keep Them There Until 1909

HAVANA, April 13.—America's programme for Cuba will consist of taking a census which will involve a delay of five or six months, then having the municipal elections, probably next November...

CHIEF WILL INVESTIGATE

Chief Kerr Will Inspect Wreck-er and in View of Last Night's Fire.

In consequence of an accident that might have resulted in a serious fire, Chief Kerr of the fire department will this afternoon inspect the wreckage known as "Wonderland," at 13 Charlotte street...

CUT TO PIECES

American Soldier of Fortune Massacred by Nicaraguan Troops.

MOBILE, Ala., April 13.—Octavus Gallardo, collector of customs and postmaster at the captured town of Trujillo, Honduras has arrived here on the steamer Belice from Belize, British Honduras.

CELEBRATED MURDER TRIALS TOLD IN FACTS AND FIGURES

Famous murder trials in recent years have varied greatly as to duration and the time which it took the juries to arrive at a verdict. Here are the statistics.

DR. SAM'L J. KENNEDY. First Trial—16 court days. Jury out—3 hours, 15 minutes. Verdict—Guilty, first degree.

DELMAS MAY BE DROPPED FROM THE THAW COUNSEL WHEN NEXT TRIAL COMES

Reported That Daniel O'Reilly Will be the Only One Retained --- Thaw Takes Disappointment Philosophically---Some Stories of the Jury.



Harry K. Thaw and Delphin M. Delmas.

NEW YORK, April 13.—Although bitterly disappointed over the mid-trial, especially since he had believed up to the last minute that he would be acquitted, Harry K. Thaw is bearing up bravely.

Delphin M. Delmas, Thaw's counsel, is reported to be in a state of despair. He is said to be in a state of despair. He is said to be in a state of despair.

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DALHOUSIE HAS AN \$80,000 FIRE

The Restigouche Woodworking Company's Factory and Warehouses Burned Last Night---Loss \$80,000; Insurance \$49,000.

DALHOUSIE, N. S., Apr. 13.—(Special)—The Restigouche Woodworking Company's factory caught fire at 10 o'clock last evening and burned to the ground in about three hours.

The mills were situated near the railway depot and have been in operation only about two years, and worked all the year round, employing about 150 men.

ASSAULT CASE IN THE POLICE COURT

Mrs. Amos Charged Jack Watts With Striking Her---The Case Stood Over.

The Amos-Watts assault case aroused considerable interest in the police court yesterday afternoon and lasted on both sides and after a rather brisk session the case was temporarily set aside.

THE TIMES SCOOPED

Verdict in Thaw Trial an Important Beat for the Evening Times

That journalistic enterprise is appreciated in St. John was well evidenced last night in the large demand for the special edition of the Evening Times, which gave to the public the result of the Thaw trial.

THE ANGEL GABRIEL SEEN ON BRUSSELS ST.

To be suddenly confronted by the Angel Gabriel is an experience which comes but seldom to any man, and a test of his nerve and courage.

FREE TO MOVE NOW

FREDERICTON, April 13.—(Special)—Now that the legislature has been prorogued the ice is expected to move within a few days.

THE TIMES NEW REPORTER

MR. BINKS'S DISCOVERY. Mr. Binks says, he never saw the steady and solid business men of the town so worried over civic politics.

Mr. Peter Binks said to the Times newspaper this morning that he was much scandalized by the conduct of the leading citizens of St. John.

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WE SELL PROGRESS BRAND CLOTHING. Union Clothing Co.

The Viper of Milan.

A ROMANCE OF LOMBARDY. BY MARJORIE BOWEN.

(Continued.) Conrad drew himself up. "God helping me, go to Milan," he said. "I will further your cause in Milan itself—even though I leave with you my sword." Still Mastino stood motionless, and slowly Conrad passed through the doors, and down the stairs, through the gallery that turned their backs—cast out. As the door closed behind the Count, Mastino turned passionately and strode into the inner room, not knowing what he did, or great the agony of his helpless fury and despair. A gloomy window gave a view upon the open country. Della Scala strode to it; little he heeded the gloomy couch and the stained floor. He saw only the green plain of Lombardy, and his own dimmed tears, loosened by the better half. He struck his hand against the window-frame violently—Visconti had triumphed! This evening had meant to seize Milan—the evening of this very day; and, behold, now it was all to be done again, the weary, weary waiting, the watching, the planning, the soothing his allies, the making good Carrara's treachery, and mean while—lethal! Della Scala dropped his head into his hands with a cry wrung from his heart. "Isolati! Isolati!" The sunlight fell too on the crumpled parchment on the floor, and Mastino, raising his head, saw it lying there and around it beneath his feet. "Am I to be forever laughed at and betrayed?" he cried. "Over served by traitors and Jesuit with food? Shall I never learn I trust too much?" He looked around the chamber, and thought, with a bitterness beyond expression, that only a few hours before Visconti had passed through it. Della Scala leaned against the wall; the very sunlight seemed black, the very sky hopeless. Yet his spirit rose against his fate. He drew out and kissed the little locket he wore around his neck, the pearl locket that always hung there. Then suddenly rousing himself and walking blindly forward, opening one door in mistake for another, found himself at the top of two steps, looking down into a chapel. For a moment, his brain reeling and sick, he stepped back, bewildered, doubting what he saw. The place was high and dome-shaped,

cont's altars, and his saints smile—for the painter limned them so. He turned from the dismantled chapel and rushed up the three steps, half distraught.

In the outer chamber the sunlight dropped strong and golden, and Mastino shut the door of the dark and gloomy chapel behind him with a shudder.

"Lord!" cried an eager voice. "Lord!" It was Tomaso and his father.

"Did you fear for me, Ligozzi?" said Della Scala kindly. "I have been praying for a patient heart." And the two who loved him looked at him awhile and could say nothing.

"My lord," began Tomaso again with a timid eagerness, "there is news—'thy news can wait.'"

Mastino picked up his gauntlet from the deep window seat where he had laid it, and, fastening it on, looked at Ligozzi.

"What hast thou to say, Ligozzi? Have any of the men returned?"

Ligozzi stood fidgeting with his cap, looking uneasily at the ground.

"Come," and Mastino smiled sadly. "An ungodly man had indeed returned from Giacomo's army, my lord, some four hours ago."

"Some four hours!" repeated Della Scala. "Are there so many as four hours that will not serve?"

"They have strange tales, my lord," said Carrara himself in dead.

"Carrara dead!" cried Mastino with a sudden fierceness, savage as a bite. "Now I had promised myself to kill Carrara. Who has forestalled me?"

"It is said—Visconti himself—they do not know."

"And the traitor dead," broke in Della Scala. "Was there no man to lead the men back to me again? Visconti's single-handed and unarmed, was allowed to take an army into Milan?"

"Also, my lord, not only Carrara, his captains too, as it appears, have all been brought."

"I am alone to blame," cried Mastino. "I am alone to blame. I cannot learn to deal with traitors."

"As for Count Conrad, the wretched German," continued Ligozzi, "he has left the camp. As he spoke, Ligozzi glanced through the window at the tents. 'He looks no one with him, but, ordering his Germans to fight as one man to the death for you, he rode along the road to Milan.'"

"Oh!" cried Mastino, with a great cry wrung from his soul. He rested his hand a moment on Ligozzi's shoulder. "I am well-nigh sick, Ligozzi," he said. "I—and mine—go to the wall."

Tomaso stole forward. Della Scala noticed him and turned kindly.

"Something to tell me, sayest thou?" he asked.

Tomaso's eyes were full of tears. For some moments he could not find his voice.

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Daily Fashion Hint for Times Readers.



The weekend trip is looked forward to with much pleasure by the city motorists during the spring and summer. The tours at these times are, of course, but short, and the clothes are not necessarily of too severe a character. The coat of rubberized silk or satin, in a variety of shades from the lightest tan to the deepest brown, navy blue and even red, is both smart and serviceable. One fetching model is of a tan colored waterproof satin, with vest of brown satin trimmed with red and brown passementerie, and buttons of the satin set in brown bone rims at the end of simulated buttonholes of soutache. The central figure of the picture wears a gray rubberized coat, long and enveloping, buttoning closely around the neck, with a wide turnover collar lined with red leather, the fronts fastening with buttons of the satin set in red rims. The third of this happy looking trio wears a similar model in brown, with trimmings in a deeper shade. The hats exemplify what is most modish in automobile headwear for this season.

A SPRING TONIC

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Make Rich, Red Health-giving Blood

Cold winter months, enforcing close confinement in overheated, badly ventilated rooms—in the home, in the shop, and in the school—sap the vitality of even the strongest. The blood becomes clogged with impurities, the liver sluggish, the kidneys weakened, sleep is not restful—you awake just as tired as when you went to bed; you are low spirited, perhaps have headache and blotchy skin—that is the condition of thousands of people every spring. Comes to all unless the blood is enriched by a good tonic—by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. These pills not only banish this feeling, but they guard against the more serious ailments that usually follow—rheumatism, nervous debility, anaemia, indigestion and kidney trouble. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are a ideal spring medicine. Every drop of new blood helps to strengthen the overworked nerves, overcome weakness and drives the germs of disease from the body. A thorough treatment gives you vim and energy to resist the torrid heat of the coming summer. Mrs. Jas. McDonald, Sugar Camp, Ont., says: "I was badly run down, felt very weak and had no appetite. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills did me good and I was as strong as ever. My appetite returned and I am now able to do my household work without feeling worn-out. I think Dr. Williams' Pink Pills the best tonic there is."

GOULDS MUST PAY FOR ONE CUSS WORD

NEW YORK, April 11—For just one little "damn" the Howard Goulds must pay \$30,000. Even for millionaires this is expensive "cussin'." According to court records the Goulds are paying the \$30,000 to Abner J. Haydel, the architect, who designed their Long Island home Castle Gould. "For services rendered." But those who know the inside of the case all agree that, even though Mrs. Gould took out of his hands the task of duplicating Kilkenny Castle, he probably would not have sued had she not been so vehement at the memorable interview in the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel, when she referred to him as the "damned architect."

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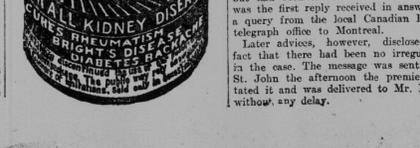
The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known for Catarrh of the bladder, and is a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

HE RECEIVED THE TELEGRAM

C. P. R. Telegraph Co. Received Message That Sir Wilfrid's Message Was Delivered.

It was thought yesterday morning that the mystery concerning the telegram sent from here by Sir Wilfrid Laurier to Hon. Sydney Fisher at Ottawa was cleared up. The evening papers were informed that the telegram never reached the minister, but had been lost in transmission. This was the first reply received in answer to a query from the local Canadian Pacific telegraph office to Montreal.

Later advice, however, disclosed the fact that there had been no irregularity in the case. The message was sent from St. John the afternoon the premier dictated it and was delivered to Mr. Fisher without any delay.



Undigested Food

When any portion of food remains in the stomach and refuses to digest, it causes the torments of indigestion. This undigested food rapidly ferments, irritating the sensitive coating of the stomach, while other parts of the body, particularly the head, suffer in consequence. So long as this undigested food remains in the stomach, the discomfort continues. A few doses of

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stop all fermentation, sweeten the contents of the stomach and give natural assistance that relieves the stomach of its burden. The use of Beecham's Pills gradually strengthens the stomach nerves and soon restores them to a normal, healthy condition. Beecham's Pills positively cure all stomach troubles, while their beneficial effects on the liver and kidneys greatly improve the general health. Beecham's Pills have been used and recommended by the general public for over fifty years. Prepared only by the Proprietor, Thomas Beecham, St. Helens, Lancashire, Eng. Sold everywhere in Canada and U. S. America. In boxes 25 cents.

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Hewson "Bannockburn" Tweeds are an especially strong weave—just the thing for work about the farm—hunting, mining and other rough, outdoor use. Made by special machinery that turns out invincible cloth for hard wear and tear. With these Tweeds a man exposed to changing climatic conditions, to rain, frost, snow, dampness, finds a ready health-guard.

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The Daily Telegraph Building.

The C. P. R. yesterday received this message from the company's Ottawa superintendent on the missing message: "Ottawa, April 12. 'We have located Fisher message of 5th. He got it O. K. same day.' The mayor who had previously formed the opinion from the tenor of Mr. Fisher's letter, that he had not received the telegram, has now wired him explaining the circumstances which led to its being given to the press. It is believed that in any case the information as to the purchase of a new dredge and the appropriation for dredging for the new wharf site will be made public within a few days."

Came Near Dying

abscess on the Hip - Dreadful Suffering - Hospital Treatment Failed.

Another Great Cure by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Charles L. Hutchins is well known and popular in S. Royaltown, Vt., being driver of the stage and from Chelsea. He says of his boy Arthur, now 15, whose portrait appears below:

"He fell on the mill dam and injured his hip. An abscess developed and dreadful sickness followed. The doctors lanced the abscess and later performed an operation in the Mary Fletcher Hospital in Burlington. Arthur came near dying after the operation, but we got him home and neighbors said he would certainly die. In the spring I began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, as usual, and gave Arthur a little each day. After a week or two he surprised us by exclaiming, 'How good my food tastes!' We could soon see the color coming into his face, as day by day he got better, seemed more lively and took more interest in things."

"The sore is now entirely healed, there is no pain in hip or limb. Arthur goes to school every day and his health could not be better. To our friends his cure by Hood's Sarsaparilla seems miraculous."

Hood's Sarsaparilla purifies the blood, eliminates scrofulous tendencies, cures dyspepsia and kidney troubles, gives Sound Health, Restful Sleep. It creates good appetite, relieves all symptoms of dyspepsia, makes one feel better, look better, eat and sleep better.

"My brother became completely run-down, his blood was poor, in fact, his whole system was out of order. He took Hood's Sarsaparilla which produced wonderful results, in a surprisingly short time."

LESA BARNER, 126 Bleeker St., Toronto.

BRIGGS AND COTE DRAW

NEW HAVEN, Conn., April 12—Arthur Cote, of Maine, and "Jimmy" Briggs, of Boston, fought fifteen rounds to a draw last night before the Greenleaf Athletic Club. Briggs was the aggressor in the opening rounds, but later Cote evened matters.

Rev. Frank Baird, of Sussex, has been invited to deliver the annual address at the U. N. B. at the closing of the college in May. His subject will be Literature as a National Asset.

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A FRUITFUL SESSION

The session of the provincial legislature which closed today has been fruitful in important legislation. Hon. Dr. Pugsley as premier has proved himself both able and progressive. The opposition have had no ground for complaint that important legislation was held back and rubbered through in the dying hours of the session.

people deserve credit for public spirit, and the county board of trade may be expected to prove of great benefit in more than one direction. United effort on the part of neighboring communities must produce good results, when it is inspired by a determination to bring about greater industrial and commercial development.

A London cable says: "Sir Charles Dillke has introduced in the house of commons the Women's Enfranchisement bill, which was read for the first time without any discussion. The bill is similar to the one he introduced last year and which was defeated. It provides for enfranchising every registered man and woman of full age residing in the area where an election, either parliamentary or local, is being held, and that nobody shall be disqualified by sex or marriage from being elected to either house of parliament, or to local bodies, or from exercising any public functions whatever."

To those not familiar with the timber resources of the new provinces in the west, the following despatch from Prince Albert, Saskatchewan, is of interest: "Logging operations are now complete in this district, an unusually long and favorable season having enabled the different companies to make a record cut. Upward of sixty million feet of timber is now on the ice and the arrival of this at the city mills will ensure the operation of every piece of machinery in its full capacity for the next twelve months."

THE THAW CASE

To their everlasting credit the jury in the Thaw case were not influenced by the lawless appeal to the "unwritten law." They judged the case on the evidence, and their disagreement was solely on the question of the sanity of the murderer. That there should have been any such disagreement is not easy to understand by people who do not live in the United States. A British or Canadian jury would have made short work of the insanity plea in this case. It is unfortunate that a verdict of guilty was not rendered, not because there is any feeling of vindictiveness toward Thaw, but because such a verdict would have produced the effect of a much needed corrective upon public sentiment in New York and throughout the country, in regard to the sacredness of human life, and respect for the laws relating to homicide. Such a verdict would also have consigned to oblivion the grossly sensational aspects of an affair that has shocked the world with its flaming pictures of depravity in circles of high education, culture and wealth should lead to noble aspirations and to lives of usefulness. But since the jury has disagreed the whole wretched case must again be reviewed, and the actors parade themselves before a wearied and protesting public.

TEMPERANCE LEGISLATION

The Temperance Federation has reason to be well pleased with the result of its efforts, despite the fact that it did not get from the provincial government all that it sought. It has drawn from the premier a statement of personal sympathy with its aims.

"I am as strongly in favor," he said in the house yesterday, "of reducing the evils of intemperance as any one, and if a certain liquor from this province I would hold up both hands to do it."

It is said there will be a civic election next Tuesday. Would you believe it?

MARINE NOTES

The steamer John Brown, recently purchased by the Port Hood, Richmond Railway Co., left Liverpool for Halifax last Wednesday.

South Africa steamship Melville from here for Cape Town, Port Elizabeth, Durban and Algoa Bay, took away a cargo valued at \$25,000.

Donalson line steamship Salacia, Captain Fraser, arrived in port last night from Glasgow. The steamer made the voyage in twelve days. She has a large general cargo for this port and the west.

The British ship Main, Captain Smith, at Bermuda from New York for Charlottetown, will be towed back to New York for repairs.

J. W. Dagnow, late of the steamer Oruro has accepted the position of purser on the steamer Orient in place of John Sandall, resigned.—Halifax Herald.

The steamer Beaver, which has been trading in the bay trade for a number of years, was sold to the Gloucester Navigation Company of Shipigan, N. B., to be delivered there about May 1. The Beaver was owned by the St. John Shipping Company and is 12 tons net register.

A PROGRESSIVE STEP

The formation of a board of trade for Charlotte county, to look after the business interests of the county, especially with reference to its shipping ports, is a good move, and a timely one. Even though some years may pass before western produce goes forward through Charlotte county ports, it has been asserted by C. P. R. officials that the time is coming when there will be plenty of freight for all the available ports between St. John and the Maine border. Mayor Teed of St. Stephen, president of the new board, declares that St. John should be reimbursed for the large expenditure made to develop western trade through this port, and the resolutions adopted merely ask that Charlotte county port be equipped to take care of the overflow from St. John. This is a reasonable proposition. The Charlotte county

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THE FATHERLAND

Where is the true man's fatherland? Is it where he by chance is born? Doth he not claim a broader span For the soul's love of home than this? Oh! yes, his fatherland is mine As the blue heaven, wide and free!

IN LIGHTER VEIN

There's one thing men can't understand At all—and that's that's Why—when they make feet look so big— Girls take to wearing spats.

WHEN WHY DIVORCE HER? "An Ohio woman divorced her husband because he did not admire her poetry."

WHEN HE DRANK WATER. We air just gittin' over a light touch o' typhoid; when we asted the doc what caused it he said it was from some water we had drank; this proves to us that microbes kin exist far upward o' thirty years.—Alkali Eye.

A HARD SCHOOLING. "Poppley's quite an entertainer. I heard him last night at an evening party. Yes, he developed that talent in the nursery."

AIMING FOR THE OTHER PLACE. "Henpek is getting absolutely wicked since his wife died."

ALL RIGHT. "Your chauffeur has eloped with your wife."

A QUAIN AND QUIRIOUS PROPOSITION. If prehistoric Polynesians, Profic, pallid pests—soud off 'tides paided pure toward mon'.

TEACHERS ASSOCIATION. The Teachers' Association met last night in the Foresters' Hall, Charlottetown, and a social evening was spent.

On St. George's Day, April 23rd the members of St. George's Society will at a dinner at the Union Club. On the preceding Sunday the society will attend divine service in Trinity church, when Coadjutor Bishop Richardson will preach.

Miss Helen Wetmore of Moncton, is now leading soprano in the best choir in the city of Elms (N. Y.) Last summer she was leading soloist in the Manhattan Stock Co., under the professional name of Helene Lurie and won much distinction.

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ARNOLD'S DEPARTMENT STORE. 25-26 Charlotte street, Telephone 1765. Probate Court, City and County of Saint John.

To the Sheriff of the City and County of Saint John, or any Constable of the said City and County—Greeting: WHEREAS, the surviving Executors and Administrators of the estate of John Horn, deceased, have filed in this Court a further account of their administration of the said deceased's estate and have prayed that the same may be passed and allowed in due form of law.

You are therefore required to cite the heirs and next of kin of the deceased and all of the creditors and other persons interested in the said estate to appear before me at a Court of Probate to be held in and for the City and County of Saint John, at the Probate Court Room in the Pugsley Building, in the City of Saint John, on Monday, the twenty-sixth day of April next at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to attend the passing and allowing of the said accounts as prayed for and as by Law directed.

(L.S.) Given under my hand and the Seal of the said Probate Court, this twenty-fifth day of March A. D. 1907. CHARLES J. MILLIGAN, Registrar of Probate. (Sgd) CHARLES N. SKINNER, Judge of Probate. (Sgd) J. R. ARMSTRONG, Proctor.

AMLAND BROS., Ltd., CARPET TALK

This year you have stronger reason than ever for making quick response to our carpet news. Since we bought these carpets we have received advices of big price advances which we'll have to pay when purchasing later. That news is of no value to us, as we'll sell all our carpets at our old prices, but it should cause you to anticipate your future needs and BUY, BUY, BUY.



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VICTIMS PINNED IN TRAIN WRECK AND ROASTED ALIVE

Eye Witnesses Tell of Heart Rending Scenes in Recent C. P. R. Train Disaster--Women and Children Cremated in Burning Debris.

Fort William, April 12.—The train bearing the passengers from the wreck near Chapleau came in here at noon yesterday, and stories, as told by those on board, disclose scenes such as are seldom witnessed.

The flames, however, gained and in a short time the brave band of rescuers were beaten back and the big crowd stood on top of the embankment watching the terrible flames consuming their way amidst the most awful cries from the poor unfortunates who were still imprisoned in the cars.

THE BIG FAIR IN WEST END

Carleton Cornet Band Fair Opens in City Hall West End on Monday Night

Preparations for the big fair to be held by the Carleton Cornet Band are practically complete. The band boys assisted by the ladies' auxiliary, have converted a large room in Carleton city hall into a veritable fairy land.

As far as I have observed of likes in humans, it seems the reincarnation of our late deceased and sorely lamented friend, and by selecting the present premier as our champion for New Brunswick's fair position among the federated provinces.

CHARGED WITH ASSAULT

Mrs. Wm. Amos and her husband have laid information against John Walsh, whom they charge with unprovoked assault on Mrs. Amos.

BETTER THAN SPANKING

Spanking does not cure children of bed-wetting. There is a constitutional cause for this trouble. Mrs. M. Summers, Box W. 71, Windsor, Ont., will send free to any mother her successful home treatment, with full instructions.

MAKE A FARMER OF HARRY THAW

Specialist Suggests a Life in the Country for Him.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., April 12.—"A life in the open country, with rustic surroundings," was suggested as the proper place for Harry K. Thaw, instead of a prison cell, by Dr. Arnold Lorand, of Carlsburg, Germany, in a lecture delivered here tonight before the medical jurisprudence society.

BABY'S FRIEND.

"Before I get Baby's Own Tablets my baby was troubled with colic and vomiting and cried night and day, and I was almost worn out. But after giving him the Tablets for a few days the trouble disappeared and you would not know it was the same child. He is so healthy and good-natured now."

The body of George Hughson was brought to the city yesterday from Boston, and was taken to Chipman this morning for interment.

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China Cabinets, at \$10.50, 13.00, and 16.00
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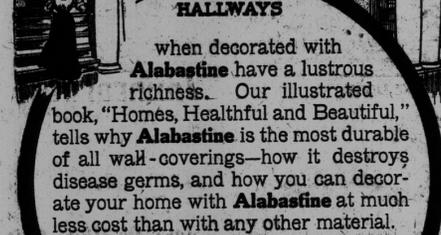
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SEVEN FOR CONVICTION TO FIVE FOR ACQUITTAL

This is How the Thaw Jury Stood When They Reported a Disagreement Last Evening---Thaw May Not be Tried Again Until Next September.

New York, April 12.—Hopelessly divided—seven for a verdict of guilty of murder in the first degree and five for acquittal on the grounds of insanity—the jury, which since the 23rd of last January has been trying Harry K. Thaw, reached today, after forty seven hours and eight minutes of deliberation, a decision that it could not possibly agree upon a verdict.

The twelve men were promptly discharged by Justice Fitzgerald and leave the further disposition of the case to his judgment. Wilbur F. Steele, juror No. 9, said: "There was plenty of disagreement between the opinions expressed by the jurors. We considered 'insanity' in many phases; but did not give the subject of the Thaw family received the news in silence but Harry Thaw sunk limp by his wife's side when the disagreement was announced. He hoped for and expected an acquittal. Thaw's counsel also expressed their deep disappointment."

THE STORY OF THE PROCEEDINGS of the jury room as they were learned tonight after outgained in interest the brief court proceedings which brought the famous trial to a close. It developed that the jury had agreed to everything connected with the case except the unwritten law.

The first vote was taken on the 23rd of last January. The jury tried to reach a common ground upon a verdict of manslaughter in the first degree, but the men in favor of acquittal—largely on the ground of insanity—insisted that they would not change their ballots and in the end voted to their side one of the eight who favored conviction. During the next 48 hours deliberation continued and the jury was cast. The jury spent the two night sessions dozing in their chairs.

The entire story of what transpired in the jury room from the time the twelve men retired at 8:15 o'clock on Wednesday afternoon until they finally decided this afternoon that the prospect of a verdict was too remote to warrant longer discussion of the facts, was told by one of the jurors, Henry C. Harney, 36, 5-1/2th Avenue, New York, who voted for acquittal. The final ballot taken just before the jury reported its disagreement in court, was as follows:

For conviction of manslaughter in the first degree: Denning B. Smith, foreman; Geo. Pfaff, No. 2; Charles H. Feeke, No. 3; Harry C. Harney, No. 4; Charles J. Bolton, No. 5; Joseph B. Bolton, No. 11; and Bernard Gerstman, No. 12.

For acquittal on the ground of insanity: Oscar A. Pink, No. 1; Henry C. Harney, No. 6; William F. Steele, No. 7; John S. Dennee, No. 8; John S. Dennee, No. 9; and John S. Dennee, No. 10.

Mr. Dennee, the juror whose wife died during the trial while the jury was being kept under lock and key.

Judge Harney said: "About ten minutes after we reached the jury room we voted the first ballot and it resulted in a vote of eight for conviction of murder in the first degree and four for acquittal on the ground of insanity. The final ballot taken just before the jury reported its disagreement in court, was as follows:

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the ranks of the profession are decimated and no wonder that this country is facing a teacher-lamiae of no inconsiderable proportions.



A SILLY KICK. Mr. Grouty—Another \$50 that this Easter? Why you got one last year and only wore it once.

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The Mishaps of "Indian Pawaw"

BY WILLIAM WALLACE, JR.

Billy Betts was a only child. That is quite enough to let the doctor know home Billy Betts was a boy to be pitted. First on account of his dotting parents, who petted and spoiled him, and, secondly, on account of his having no sisters nor brothers with whom to play and share the spoiling of his mother and father. So Billy Betts was often obliged to pass long hours playing alone, for his foolishly fond mother had an idea that her son was just a trifle better than the sons of her neighbors and refused to permit him to go to play with them.

"At school you have quite enough of those rough boys," declared Mamma Betts, "asking to Billy one Saturday when he begged permission to join some of his schoolmates in play. 'You have your dogs, your toys, your swing in the yard and a big yard all to yourself. What more can you ask for?'"

So, Billy, pouting, turned away without making any reply to his mother, who knew very little—it must be seen—about raising a child. Perhaps had she been the mother of several children she might have known more of their needs—or less of them, perhaps, for she was so continually looking after Billy and his wants that she made him peevish and cross at times with her overattention. There was nothing in the house too good or sacred for Billy to have to play with. He was master of the home and ruled at times with a high hand. But all the time neither Billy nor his mother understood each other. While she petted and spoiled him in some respects, she was severe and unrelenting with him in others.

It was the last week of school and Billy was deeply regretting the fact that he was a very studious boy, but he had the pleasure of companionship and comradeship there that he was denied at home. During the summer his parents went to their pretty country place, where Billy was more alone than when in town. So he looked forward with the summer vacation with a sort of dread.

The week before school was out for the summer Billy confided his troubles to his dearest school friend, Paul Grey. That young fellow, as full of wisdom as his namesake, began to make plans for the summer, in which Billy and himself were the principal participants. Like Billy, Paul was an only child, and they were drawn together through common sympathy.

"I'll tell you what, we'll go to the summer camp," said Paul, confidentially. "We'll run away."

at such a daring proposition. Run away from his mamma and papa! He shuddered to think what they would do with him should he dare to do such a terrible thing. He shook his head emphatically, saying: "Oh, we couldn't do that, Paul! We couldn't run away."

"And why not?" asked he of glorious name. "Neither you nor I are allowed out of our mamma's sight all summer. Now, I want to go fishing, hunting, swimming and a lot of other things that all the other boys do. But the only way I get to fish is in company with papa. When I go to a picnic I go with mamma and have to stay dressed up all day. I don't like it. I want to be like an Indian."

"Oh, that would be great!" cried Billy, the name of Indian making a deep impression on him. "I'm half in the notion to go with you and be an Indian all summer. Where would we run away to?"

"Oh, we'll find plenty of places to run away to," explained Paul. "The main thing is to get the nerve to do it. And if you can get that I can, for I'm born BRAVE, I am." Paul felt his own courage in this confession, and stood up tall as he could and looked defiant. Not that anything threatened him; but he liked to feel that he was a hero. Although Billy had never played at being a hero, he did not relish the idea of Paul having more courage of purpose than he himself possessed. So, summoning up all his courage, he said: "Well, I wasn't born no coward, neither. I can run away as fast as anyone when it comes to nerve. I'm willing to be an Indian for the summer, if you are."

It must be confessed that Paul felt slight misgivings when Billy so readily acquiesced to his wild scheme. But now that he had done the planning, it would never do to go back on it, although he had hoped—really felt sure—that Billy would turn pale at the first suggestion of running away, and that he then would have an excuse to plan something more in keeping with their usual mode of living.

"I'll take a butcher-knife and my arrows," said Billy, becoming quite enthusiastic. "What weapons will you have?" "Oh, I'll have two knives—long and sharp—and my bow and arrows," said Paul. "But we'll have to dress in something besides these clothes." And Paul looked down at his natty Norfolk suit of gray tweed.

The following week was a busy one with Paul and Billy. Billy's mother was surprised that her little son kept so close to his room in the evenings and on Saturday days. She did not bother herself to find out what he was about. She felt that he was going to be a real "home boy" and take the place of a daughter for her. But could she have seen the strange apparatus looked down at his natty Norfolk suit of gray tweed.

Little Maggie's Party

Dear little Mag a party gave To a very strange company— An animal that was wild enough To fill a menagerie—

A roaring lion with lavvy mane Had his eyes on a berry pie. A cunning fox with gleaming eyes Sat beside a big black bear.

A tiger slim and a kangaroo Occupied one end of the table. An elephant, with his ivory tusks, Set on his trunk nearby.

'Twas a goodly company to see— And they stayed till after dark— Then some they went so merry, For they belonged to Noah's Ark. HELENA DAVIE

Paul was to bring fishing tackle and worms would serve for bait. Billy reached the place appointed for meeting about half an hour after sun-up. He expected to find Paul there waiting for him, but in this he was disappointed. The woods were dark and lonely, the water of the river deep and threatening. But Billy must not be a coward, so he quickly disrobed himself and donned the Indian garb he had brought in the trunk. Then he set to digging in the trunk for every moment. Work was better than thinking.

Twenty minutes later Paul appeared, peeping through the bushes. "Ges," he exclaimed, "you do look like a warrior!" Then he donned his own Indian attire and got from his pocket some colored chalk, with which they painted their hands and faces.

"Now we are Indians for sure," Paul declared. "No more civilization for me. A life wild and free. Hip-pee!" "Yip-pee, tip-pee!" hooted Billy, feeling for the moment a real Indian. "I'll be Mohawk," said Paul. "I'll be Pawaw," said Billy. Then they began to ramble about the woods in search of birds.

Billy had an air-gun and Paul a bow and arrows, so they were well equipped for forest slapping. They each took many shots that forenoon at birds and squirrels; but not one did they hit. Then, tired out, they went to rest. Billy's foot slipped on the river's wet bank and before he knew what was happening he was taking a very cold bath in water much over his head. Mohawk, trying a sturdy brave, stood on the bank crying, "Help! Murder! Fire!" Luckily for Pawaw there was a fallen tree swinging over the water at the very place where he had fallen in, and on rising to the surface he was a strange and strange presence of mind to catch hold of one of the limbs that swept into the water.

Soon Pawaw was on shore again, dripping wet and shivering. He was a sorry-looking brute, and a cold one. "Now we're in a fix," he thought. "A blanket along you could wrap up till your clothes dried," said Mohawk. "But you'll have to go into your white clothes again for a fire," shivered the wet Pawaw, getting out of his Indian garb. "Ges," said Billy. "Ges whizz!" said Mohawk. "We didn't bring any matches, did we? Well, how on earth can we cook our fish and birds? Ges, we're big fools for Indians."

Then, Pawaw in the garb he was born in, carrying his dripping red shirt and fringed leggings (the fancy leggings were lost in the river) they proceeded to the calling for help by giving utterance to the alarm cry understood by all the birds in the woods.

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Both Indians were now much excited, and Pawaw was shivering with the cold. Mohawk shared his clothing as best he could, giving Pawaw the shirt, while he kept the trousers and leggings. But the day's pleasure had vanished. Both boys were hungry and, honestly, just as they were on the point of holding a pow-wow to settle on some plan of procedure there came the sound of dogs barking in the woods. "Up a tree, quick!" said Mohawk to Pawaw. "We'll be discovered if we don't hide."

Like a cat Mohawk was up a big tree whose branches, low and close, made the climb easy. Pawaw also went up a tree, but not so easily, for the one he chose was smaller and fewer of limbs. But he gained a seat on a spreading limb just as a dog came bounding through the shrubbery below him. Then followed several men and half-grown boys.

"Here's where I found their clothes," said one of the youngsters, pointing to a tree limb. "I reckon they must a got into the water an' drowned, for I looked every place for 'em."

Pawaw and Mohawk knew the party of men and boys were searching for them, and as they did not want to be seen in this plight they kept very quiet. But Pawaw's feet were hanging over a limb, and in an endeavor to draw them up he lost his balance and fell headlong and screaming right in the midst of the group of men and boys below.

Well, can you imagine anything funnier or more surprising than was that half-nude figure of poor, shivering Pawaw—Billy as he was recognized to be—as he came down among the very persons who were searching for him and his companion? At first they could not believe their eyes. Then Billy's plight brought them to their senses. They picked him up from

Of all the things that Billy hates It is the big bath-tub. Each evening filled with water warm, And his mother there to rub. And rub his skin with soap and rag, And suds his curly head; And put upon him nice clean clothes And plump him into bed.

Of all the things that Billy loves It is to stay out late And play around with other kids Till long time after eight; Then to his room, just as he is, And tumble into his bed. With dust of street upon his feet And a tussled, unwashed head. Oh, why will mothers so insist On washing boys each day? For on the next they'll dirty get— So let them dirty play. MAUD WALKER

Queens of England

Anne of Denmark, queen consort of James I. of the British Isles, was born at Scanderburg, Denmark, December 12, 1575. Her father, Frederick II., king of Denmark, was the richest prince of the North of Europe. Her mother, Sophia of Mecklenburg, is said to have been a woman possessing a rare character and pronounced domestic virtues. But whatever may have been her charming qualities, she certainly was deficient in the knowledge of rearing children, for Princess Anne—the subject of this sketch—was in her ninth year before she was allowed to learn to walk, being carried about in the arms of her parents.

And that night two foolish, selfish mothers and two over-fond fathers held a council, arriving at the conclusion that their sons should have the same freedom of conduct and choice of playmates that the children belonging to large families had.

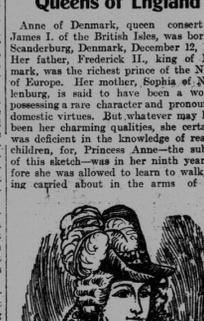
Thus, while Pawaw—otherwise Billy—had met with two dangerous mishaps that day, he had been the means of opening the eyes of his parents to the needs of a healthy boy.

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Papa Sparrow's Lesson

BY ANNIE JAMES

All during the spring Mr. and Mrs. Little Sparrow had been busy. First, there was the building of their nest, and second, there was the quiet sitting on the little eggs by Mrs. Little Sparrow, while Mr. Little Sparrow went every morning, and several times during the day, in quest of food for her, as well as for himself. And occasionally Mrs. Little Sparrow would leave her nest to drink from the creek some hundred feet distant from the tree in which she lived. At these times Mr. Little Sparrow sat on the three tiny eggs and kept them warm while the little wife was absent.

Then had come a day—the proudest one of his life—when Mr. Little Sparrow was papa to three of the dearest baby birds ever hatched. Of course, Mrs. Little Sparrow was proud, too, but she was—mother-like—less demonstrative than was her excitable little husband, who chattered about like a very young bird himself, hopping from limb to limb in his rejoicing and at last flying away to tell all the neighbors of the increase in his family. But the neighbors had joys enough of their own, for in almost every Sparrow household there were little fledglings just hatched out or in the act of hatching. So Mr. Little Sparrow was not the only proud parent in that woods in the merry spring-time.

Many were the parties held in the early morning. Many of the mamma birdies came to call on Mr. and Mrs. Little Sparrow and to take a peep into the nest at the babies there. Then all would join in chatter and laughter and sing in their own funny little way, for sparrows do not warble and trill like so many other kinds of birds. But sing in a sort of chirp, chirp, chirp. But it's music, all the same, though a great many people who hear it do not understand it to be so.

for their meals, but these he always gave into the bill of the mother, who, in turn, fed them in bits to her little ones. Mr. Little Sparrow, instead of remaining to take lessons from his wife in the matter of feeding their young, would, after depositing the worms in her mouth, again fly away to search for more fat worms or to sit on a topostom bough and sun his feathers while the meal was being partitioned in the nest. Thus Mr. Little Sparrow knew nothing as yet of the habits of his own little birdies three.

So he sat perched on the high limb, chattering and pecking about, first an eye on the tender nestlings and then on some neighbor sparrow. After a little while a jolly sparrow came to pass the time of day with him and to inquire after his family. "Ah, my dear friend," said Mr. Little Sparrow, "have you seen my babies three yet?"

"No, but I've heard they are about the finest birds in the woods roundabout for many miles," replied the visitor. "May I have a peep at them? You know I'm something of a judge, as I'm the father of four little chaps that hatched from the eggs only yesterday. Truth is, I should now be hunting food for them. So I'll just stay long enough to peep at your fledglings; then I must hasten to perform my duty as parent and provider."

"Accept my congratulations," said Mr. Little Sparrow. "It is a proud thing to be a parent. Now, just fly behind me and you shall see a nest of six fine birdies as ever your eyes fell upon." So saying Mr. Little Sparrow flew down through the leafy branches to where his nest was safely sheltered and quite hidden away. As he hovered over his darlings, his friend beside him, each little nestling opened wide its mouth, shutting its eyes in a most peculiar fashion. Now, had the mother of the hungry little ones been present she would have paid no attention to the begging for food by her children. But Mr. Little Sparrow, not understanding the cause of the open mouths, became much frightened. He thought his babies three were choking to death, and he began to shriek and hop about in the wildest manner possible. His friend, also strange to the ways of nestlings, was much disturbed by Mr. Little Sparrow's anxiety. He, too, thought the three little birdies were on the point of expiring. Joining his wild chirping to that of Mr. Little Sparrow's, he declared the sparrow who had been calling

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"Now, tell me, my husband, what all this alarm and excitement is about," said Mrs. Little Sparrow, becoming calm, since no harm had befallen her little ones. "Why this summoning all our neighbors?" "My dear," said Mr. Little Sparrow, feeling a bit crestfallen at having to confess his ignorance. "I saw our babies with their mouths so wide open that I feared they were strangling to death. I did not understand that they were just asking for food. I'm a very ignorant parent, I must own."

"But I was just as much at fault," declared the sparrow who had been calling

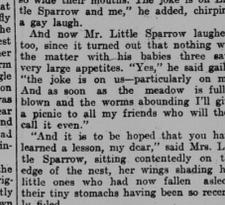
at the Little Sparrows' nest. "Although I am a parent—since yesterday—I did not know what made these little things open wide their mouths. The joke is on Little Sparrow and me," he added, chirping a gay laugh.

And now Mr. Little Sparrow laughed, too, since it turned out that nothing was the matter with his babies three save very large appetites. "Yes," he said gaily, "the joke is on us—particularly on me. And as soon as the meadow is fully blown and the worms abounding I'll give a picnic to all my friends who will then call it even."

"And it is to be hoped that you have learned a lesson, my dear," said Mrs. Little Sparrow, sitting contentedly on the edge of the nest, her wings shading her little ones who had now fallen asleep, their tiny stomachs having been so recently filled.

"Never too old to learn," drily affirmed Mr. Little Sparrow, with the air of a sage.

Then the assembled sparrows, with jests and laughter, bade farewell to the Little Sparrows and departed to their several nests to tell to the members of their families that had remained at home the good joke on Mr. Little Sparrow, who did not understand the language of his own fledglings.



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THE WEATHER Forecasts—Strong winds and gales from eastward, with sleet or rain. Sunday, cold and showery. Storm signals are displayed.

LATE LOCALS The registrar reports 2 marriages and 7 births this week, 5 of the latter being females.

A HANDSOME WINDOW Rev. A. G. H. Dicker Presents New Window to St. Paul's (Valley) Church.

THE EMPRESS OF IRELAND The C. P. R. steamer Empress of Ireland docked shortly after one o'clock this morning after having had a fairly rough passage.

THE KNOCKER BAND CONCERTS Is St. John to have any band concerts next summer? It is claimed that if such concerts were held on Kings or Queen Square the mob would over-run the grass and flower beds and destroy them.

THE EXPRESS SERVICE The Times Knockers in continuing the crowd to the walks and sides of the square? The fact that so many people congregate proves that they appreciate the band music.

CANDIDATES ARE ANXIOUS

Tuesday's Civic Elections May Prove Unusually Exciting--

The anxious time for the aldermanic candidates is drawing to a close, and by next Tuesday night the would-be city fathers will know their fate.

LOCAL WEATHER REPORT AT NOON. Saturday, April 13, 1906. Highest temperature during last 24 hours 44.

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