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## SENSATIONAL NEW YORK FIRE

### Rescues from Lofly Windows Made by Firemen

### At Least Four Lives Lost—Frantic People in Night Clothes on High Ledges with Flames About Them

(Canadian Press.)  
New York, March 26.—At least four persons are believed to have lost their lives in a fire that swept through a seven-story theatrical boarding house in West 57th street this morning. Several were injured.

The blaze started on the top floor of the building which adjoins the West Side Y. M. C. A. and firemen were called out by three alarms. Many spectacular rescues were made.

Anna Fries, thirty-five years of age, received fatal burns while clinging to a top floor window ledge waiting for firemen to rescue her. She died while firemen were carrying her down a ladder.

Margaret Lee, nineteen years of age, an actress, was badly burned while standing in a seventh-story window waiting for the firemen.

A. E. Jones, a theatrical manager, and his wife were overcome by smoke, and carried to the street.

While carrying a woman to the street from the second floor, Patrolman Thomas McHighland stumbled and fell down a flight of stairs. Both were badly injured.

The police believed that several occupants on the top floor were trapped by the flames and the West 4th street precinct reported at eight a. m. that four persons at least had lost their lives.

One hour after the fire had been brought under control, the bodies of two women were found on the seventh floor.

They were those of Margaret Lee, 65 years of age, and Emily Lee, 35, relatives of the actress, Margaret Lee, who was severely burned.

The fire originated in the apartment of Joseph M. Callahan, Miss Fries, who lost her life, was a companion to Captain Callahan's wife, who is seriously ill with pneumonia and was carried down a fire escape.

The fire, which wrecked the three upper floors, swept down the stairs and elevator shaft, and killed the occupants. There were 150 persons living in the building. Most of the apartments were occupied by theatrical people and business men.

The firemen used 65 foot aerial ladders to rescue some of the frightened occupants, who stood on window ledges in their night clothes. David Miller, 22 years of age, slid down a pipe from a two-story window and broke both legs when he landed in the court yard.

In Chicago, March 26.—Two women and a child, caught in a fire in a fifteen-room residence, early today were taken to a hospital severely burned. Others were reported injured.

## Interest in This St. John Bill

### Question of Hours For Second-Hand Shops — Fredericton Legislation.

(Special to The Times.)  
Fredericton, N. B., March 26.—A large delegation from St. John is expected to appear before the municipalities committee on Tuesday morning in regard to a bill to amend the St. John Police Act. This bill was recommended by the committee, although it was said that there had been objections by telephone from St. John. When the bill came before the committee of the whole house it was referred back to the municipalities committee for further consideration. The bill is to extend the legal hours during which second-hand shops may be open for business by one hour daily except on Saturday. Those engaged in business in competition have objected to any extension of the hours of business of the second-hand shops.

The committee will also consider Fredericton bills which are now ready. A bill to legalize an extension of the rural cemetery in the city is expected to cause considerable opposition on the part of those owning property in the vicinity of the cemetery. It will be some time, however, before that measure will get before the municipalities committee. Another bill which is very likely to be opposed is one to authorize the school board to issue bonds not to exceed the amount of \$200,000 for the purpose of erecting a new high school. The City Council gave conditional approval of the application of the School Board for such legislation, the condition being that any extension of vocational education must be made only on the approval of the City Council. There is strong opposition on the part of many ratepayers to any heavy expenditure for additional school accommodation at the present time. This bill will come up later.

### U. S. SENATOR DEAD.

Denver, Colo., March 26.—United States Senator Samuel D. Nicholson died here Saturday night of cancer. He was born in Springfield, P. E. I., February 22, 1859.

### NOVELTY SHOWER

About fifty friends of Miss Kathleen Chipman, 195 Hawthorne Avenue, tendered her a novelty shower in honor of her approaching marriage on Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Shilling, 82 Cranston Avenue. A great many useful presents were received and a happy evening was enjoyed by all those present.

## Chief Scout And Head of Guides Tell of Growth of Movements

### SIR ROBERT AND LADY BADEN POWELL GREETED AS THEY LAND FROM STEAMER AT WEST ST. JOHN

### Chief Speaks of Plans for Big Imperial Jamboree in London Next Year—The Girl Guides' Phenomenal Progress Since Inception in 1917—Camp Instructions for Scout Leaders Part of Programme for Coming Season in Canada.



SIR ROBERT BADEN-POWELL, CHIEF OF BOY SCOUTS

**Scouts of St. John:**  
I am mighty glad to be back among you once more. I am glad, too, to hear such good accounts of your scout work and progress. Stick to it and go ahead. I wish you all good camping in the coming season.  
ROBERT BADEN POWELL.

During the last year the Boy Scout, the world was being fostered through the movement.

The Gilwell School. Through the Scout training school at Gilwell Park, the Boy Scout movement has been extended to many foreign countries. Last year representatives of twenty of these countries had passed through the school and at least thirty-six more were expected this season. Rodney Wood, who had come to Canada in the interests of the Gilwell school, had been appointed camp chief for Canada. Mr. Wood was now in England, he added, relieving the hands of Mr. Wood, they in turn were to remain and had been appointed camp chief for Canada. Mr. Wood was now in England, he added, relieving the hands of Mr. Wood, they in turn were to remain and had been appointed camp chief for Canada.

Imperial Jamboree. In connection with the British Empire Exhibition, a big scout jamboree was planned for next year. The big new stadium at Wembley Park, capable of holding 130,000 people, had been offered to the Scouts for this purpose and a camp for 10,000 Scouts along with there to New Zealand. Rodney Wood was now being planned. The different overseas dominions were being asked to send representatives and it was hoped through this medium that the comradeship which was engendered through the British contingents during the Great War would be continued in the next generation.

The 1920 jamboree, while it was intended as a purely British gathering, was attended by Scout delegations from twenty-six foreign countries and was a great success. The United States had offered to stage the 1924 jamboree, but on account of the unfavorable rate of exchange with European countries, it was felt that the costs would be excessive, but the U. S. offered to endeavor to obtain free passage on its steamers for the attending Scouts. The Scandinavian Scouts also had offered to conduct the 1924 jamboree.

### The Sea Scouts.

Although the chief Sea Scout has been for the last two years on duty in the Danubian, the work of the branch of the movement has been going well, Sir Robert said. He expected that this year would see an even greater improvement. The work of the little fellow if he intended going to school and when he received an answer in the affirmative he dismissed them and said "Hurry along to school now." As a parting tribute he said he hoped that other boys would be like them.

### At Rotary Luncheon.

Today at noon Sir Robert was a guest at luncheon of the St. John Rotary Club. This evening at 8 o'clock he and Lady Baden Powell will attend a meeting of the scout masters and leaders of the Boy Scouts and Girl Guides in the rooms of the Natural History Society. Sir Robert and Lady Baden Powell will leave tomorrow afternoon for Ottawa.

### At the Steamer.

Many of the boy scouts of the city were at the steamer this morning when Sir Robert and Lady Baden Powell landed and greeted the Chief Scout, standing at the alert as he came down the gang plank. The boys were accompanied by A. C. Skelton, chairman of the local Scout executive, Guy Short, district commissioner, V. C. Timberley, district secretary. Also in attendance were Miss Dorothy Purdy and Miss Catherine McAvity, Girl Guide commissioners.

"Boys, I am glad to see you," were the words of Sir Robert as he walked down the gang plank of the steamer. He stepped down and then had them assembled around him. He thanked them for turning out to see him and expressed a hope that he would see all of the Boy Scouts in Canada. With a merry twinkle in his eye he asked one little fellow if he intended going to school and when he received an answer in the affirmative he dismissed them and said "Hurry along to school now." As a parting tribute he said he hoped that other boys would be like them.

Lady Baden Powell said that a training class, similar to that established

## TORONTO POLICE BREAK UP CARD GAMES AND ARREST 28

Toronto, March 26.—Raids made on Saturday and Sunday night on alleged gambling houses resulted in twenty-eight arrests. Twenty-five are charged with being frequenters of gaming houses in which, it is charged, a "rake-off" was taken, while the three others are held on charges of keeping gambling houses. Card games are alleged to have been in progress in all three places entered by the police.

## LOCAL NEWS

### DIED TODAY.

Many friends of Mrs. Annie G. Shaw, wife of William L. Shaw, 165 Rockland Road, will regret to learn of the death, which occurred at the Infirmary this morning, following an operation. She was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Long of Albert County. She leaves two sisters, Mrs. George Morrisey of Albert County and Mrs. J. George Johnston of Main street, and two brothers, John E. Long of Houlton, Me., and Thomas Long of St. John. Much sympathy will be extended to the family.

### COMMISSIONER IS INVITED.

Commissioner Bullock has received from the Board of Commissioners of the Port of New Orleans an invitation to be present at the formal opening of the Intra-Harbor Navigation Canal at the Canal Lock on Saturday, May 5. The canal connects the Mississippi River with Lake Pontchartrain, and is 640 feet in length, 75 feet inside width, and has 31-1/2 feet of water at low tide. It was constructed by the Board of Commissioners of the Port of New Orleans, agency of the State of Louisiana at a cost of \$20,000,000.

### EASTER TREAT FOR SOLDIERS.

Plans for the annual Easter treat for the soldiers in the Lancaster and St. John county hospitals, were made at the monthly meeting of the Red Cross hospital committee held this morning. Mrs. G. E. Barbour and Mrs. Frank Fairweather were appointed to take charge of the arrangements for the Easter treat. A gift of books was conducted by Mrs. E. R. Taylor and Mrs. W. H. Shaw for the Lancaster hospital. Mrs. E. R. Taylor was in the chair. It was reported that there are now twenty-four soldiers at East St. John and eighty in the Lancaster hospital. The amount expended for comforts for them during the month of March was \$28.49. A gift of books for the Lancaster hospital from Mrs. H. N. Stetson was acknowledged.

### BURIED TODAY.

The funeral of Charles H. Ramsey this morning was attended by many friends and an unusual number of spiritualists. The funeral was held at 9:15 o'clock at Holy Trinity church where the Rev. Frank Cronin. The pallbearers were four sons, a grandson and a son-in-law. Interment was in the new Catholic cemetery.

### DISORDERLY HOUSE CHARGE.

Catherine Peters, charged with keeping a disorderly house at 82 Coburg street, was fined \$25.00. Guy Northrup and Frank McDonald, charged with being inmates, appeared before the Magistrate this morning. The Magistrate found them not guilty while the others said they were present but were not sure what to plead. Detective Bidcombe testified that two women on other charge had gone to the house. He was met by the landlady who took him to a basement apartment with an entrance from Faldock street. She knocked at the door and they were admitted after a short wait. He had found the four women in the room. The entire amount in Government certified his evidence and Dr. Warwick testified as to the charge for the first time. The women were remanded for further evidence.

### TO DISPOSE OF UNCLAIMED ASHES OF 250 DEAD

New York, March 26.—The four winds, the earth and the waters will receive the remains of 250 persons whose ashes, in bronze urns, have awaited final disposal in funeral parlors here for some years. Airplanes will carry a score or more of the urns to the upper reaches of the air that the winds may get their burden. Lean, swift craft of the sea will take another score to restless waters, that the ashes may be disposed of in accordance with the dying wishes of the men and women they once formed. Fast motor hearses will convey the urns to New Jersey burial grounds. The urns are unclaimed by friends or relatives. Some of them have been in the vaults eighteen years. None has been claimed for three years. The Fredericton High School Hockey team arrived home this morning from Antigonish, N. S.

### FREDERICTON NOTES

Fredericton, N. B., March 26.—Chief Warden L. A. Gagnon has received information that two men were fined at Burnville, Gloucester County, on Saturday for killing deer out of season. The Fredericton High School Hockey team arrived home this morning from Antigonish, N. S.

The change in the weather over the week end produced ice here so hard that arrangements have been made for the Chatham team of the northern section of the N. B. and P. E. I. league to play Fredericton here on Tuesday night. This will be the first appearance of the Chatham team in Fredericton.

## As Hiram Sees It

"Well," said Mr. Hiram Hornbeam, the Times reporter, "I guess we all got to change our ideas about what we used to call dirty money. Any dollar's good enough as long as we get it." "Why, Hiram," said the reporter, "you amaze me. Where do you get that stuff?" "Haint we all gone into the rum business?" asked Hiram. "Aint we all partners in it? Aint we grabbin' up all we kin get in the department 'n' things like that? I'm fer givin' the bootlegger a front seat in the sanctified 'n' public ledger. Look what he saves us in taxes. Didn't you read them figures they give out last week up to Fredericton? They got a chaplain up there—haint they? Well, sir, they orto change his prayer. After he has prayed for the King 'n' the Prince 'n' Wales, an' all the royal family 'n' all their authority over us, includin' the members of the legislature, he orto say: 'Oh Lord let Thy blessing fall on our bootleggers—may they live a good year—an' oh Lord, bless us all fer tryin' in our humble way to git more revenue from booze fer the advancement of Thy kingdom—saintly them that thirst, Oh Lord—an' save us all from direct taxation—Amen, and Amen!'"

## BERNHARDT'S GIVEN LAST RITES

### Famous Actress Near to Death Today

### Priest Called Early This Afternoon—Patient's Condition Hopeless at 3.15, and Death Expected at Any Moment.

(Canadian Press.)  
Paris, March 26.—Sarah Bernhardt's condition has grown worse during the last few hours and the household considers that the end is near.

The week end was one of tense anxiety. Bernhardt's determination to live, which so often has found expression in her positive assertion that she intends to "die in the harness" again came to her aid, and daybreak brought from the sick room word of a slight improvement. Later, however, she again sank very low and her watchers gave up hope. Up to this time she had retained her mental alertness, astonishing those about her with her comments. Sometimes, however, she caused them much pain by speaking of the agony she was undergoing. At times also she insisted on talking of her own funeral. She was anxious to know yesterday whether the vase of her coffin she bought thirty years ago was still preserved, saying that she wished to be buried in it.

A little after noon a report sent out by the Central News said Madame Bernhardt had lapsed into unconsciousness. Around this hour a priest arrived to administer extreme unction.

The priest, Father Reiser, came from the nearby church, St. Francois de Sales, and his entrance into the Bernhardt home was taken by the watchers outside as visible evidence of the abandonment of hope.

Hundreds of the actress' friends were calling at the house in a steady stream and the street was sometimes crowded with the carriages and automobiles of those coming to pay their respects.

Dr. Prevost said at 3.15 p. m. that the actress' condition was hopeless and that she might die at any moment. She was then sleeping under an opiate.

## FREE STATES HAVE BUFFET PRISONER

### One of Chief Irregular Leaders Taken in Sligo After Escaping from Mountains.

(Canadian Press.)  
Dublin, March 26.—General Bohn, one of the chief irregular leaders, has been captured by Free State troops operating from Sligo, according to an official army report received here.

Bohn was recently at the head of a large number of irregulars whose stronghold was in the Arigna Mountains, County Galway. Free State troops were sent against these irregulars in late February but after a considerable amount of manœuvring among the mountain fastnesses, several escaped from the Free State net.

Wexford, Ireland, March 26.—A military party proceeded to Enniskerry on Friday afternoon to ambush at Kyle. The fight lasted for an hour. Four members of the Irregular forces were killed and three of the Free States wounded.

Lieut. Hines, Sergeant O'Gorman and Pte. Horan were taken from a house in the township of Pale East, County Wexford, and brought to Adamsstown, where they were shot and killed.

Dublin, March 26.—In well-informed quarters it has been asserted that the Government has not modified its attitude toward Archbishop Hardys' peace proposals.

It was added that the peace proposals were being endorsed by influential citizens throughout Munster. They are said to be in the hands of the Irregular leaders, who have not yet made reply.

### Truro B. R. T. Honor Brown and Thank Thornton

Truro, N. S., March 26.—Peninsula Lodge No. 23 of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen held a reception here on Saturday night in honor of L. S. Brown, general manager of the Atlantic railway, who expressed his confidence in Sir Henry Thornton and in Mr. Brown. The resolution pledged the lodge's solid co-operation in making successful the operation of the system in general and the Atlantic region in particular. The resolution further expressed gratitude to Sir Henry Thornton for creating the Atlantic region with headquarters at Moncton, and for the appointment of Mr. Brown as its general manager. Mr. Brown received a bouquet of flowers.

### More Peaceful in Near East

Constantinople, March 26.—Official news from London, says the newspaper Akhbar, augurs peace in the Near East. The paper attaches much importance to the presence at the Near East preliminary conferences in London of Lieut.-Gen. Sir Charles Harington, commander-in-chief of the Allied forces in the Constantinople area.

In a speech at Adana, yesterday, Mustafa Kemal Pasha, the Nationalist leader, declared: "If I take the national opinion into consideration, I have a clear conscience. If the life of the present Turkey is not endangered, war would not be available at present time."

### ENGLISH BOYS FOR FARMS IN THE MARITIME PROVINCES

Ottawa, March 26.—Thirty young boys, fourteen and eighteen years old, are to leave Liverpool on April 5, and will be due in Halifax about a week later. These boys, who will be soon followed by 170 others, are going to work on farms in Nova Scotia, under arrangements made by the Salvation Army. The 170 will go to farms in the Maritime Provinces and other parts in Canada.

## WEATHER REPORT

Issued by authority of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, R. P. Stupart, director of meteorological service.

Synopsis—Pressure is higher over the greater part of the United States and the entire amount in Government certified his evidence and Dr. Warwick testified as to the charge for the first time. The women were remanded for further evidence.

Maritime—Moderate to fresh northerly winds, cold, light snow along coast of Nova Scotia, fair in New Brunswick. Tuesday fair with stationary or a little higher temperature.

Gulf and North Shore—Fair and cold today and on Tuesday.

New England—Cloudy and colder tonight. Tuesday fair and warmer, fresh to strong northerly winds, diminishing and becoming southerly Tuesday.

Toronto, March 26.—Temperatures: Highest during Stations 8 m. Yesterday night Prince Rupert ..... 42 — Victoria ..... 46 28 Kamloops ..... 30 56 28 Calgary ..... 34 50 28 Edmonton ..... 28 46 28 Prince Albert ..... 32 24 18 Winnipeg ..... 14 6 12 Bault St. Marie ..... 4 14 10 Toronto ..... 8 25 4 Kingston ..... 8 22 6 Ottawa ..... 8 20 4 Montreal ..... 10 22 6 Quebec ..... 4 16 0 St. John, N.B. .... 14 28 12 Halifax ..... 18 34 18 St. John's, Nfld. .... 28 10 14 Detroit ..... 16 56 14 New York ..... 38 46 38

### ACCIDENT

Joseph Powers, 38 Brook street, is now in the General Public Hospital with a crushed foot as the result of an accident which occurred this morning while he was driving a team for the Eastern Iron and Steel Company. An X-ray examination was made but the result was not available at press time.

### LATE SPORT NEWS

Winnipeg, March 26.—Boxers and wrestlers from eastern and western Canada will participate in the finals of the National A. B. and W. championships to be staged here tonight under the auspices of the Winnipeg Police A. A.

Toronto, March 26.—The Granite hockey team, amateur champions of Canada, on their arrival here last night confirmed a report that they would not play against Boston in the International series for the Willis Cup. The officers said that the players have had enough hockey and now that they are reasonably sure to represent Canada in the world's series at the Olympiad they say they will likely meet Boston there.

It is perhaps fitting that the Granite, who were organized by returned soldiers such as Hugh Alder, Peck Wright, Harry Watson, Alex Romer, Hughie Fox and others, should go back to France as the representatives of Canada at the Olympiad. These men saw service in France under more trying conditions.

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TRIO DIE FROM GAS IN FAMILY SUICIDE PACT

Boston Mother and Daughter Take Life of Latter's Child Also

Both Told Relative of Their Intention—A Heater and Every Jet Found Wide Open—Motive Unknown.

Boston, March 26.—Two women clasped in each others arms in a bed and a 9-year-old girl in a cot, all atired in their night clothes, were found dead at 8:30 Wednesday night in a past-filled room in a "kitchenette" suite in Aston Hall, an apartment house, at 24 St. Mary's street, Back Bay. They had been dead for hours.

The deaths of the women were a result of their compact to end their own lives, and in fulfilling their agreement they took the life of the innocent child. Special delivery letters to a relative of both women told of their contemplated acts, but the letters were not delivered until all three were dead.

Motive Not Determined. The victims of the suicide pact and the murder were Mrs. Isadora Victoria Galligan, a widow, aged 78; her daughter, Mrs. Isadora Galligan, 32, who was a divorcee and by the permission of the court had resumed her maiden name, and the latter's daughter, Jessie Isadora Galligan, aged 9.

The motive for the suicide pact was not fully determined. When the police forced an entrance they found gas flowing from every jet of the ceiling fixtures and from a gas heater which reported on the wall. A piece of cloth had been stuffed into the keyhole of the bedroom door. Edna's brother, James H. Galligan of

649 Beech street, Revere received special delivery letters from her and her mother, and in the letters they informed him that by the time he received the missives they would be dead. With the letters were sent keys for a safety deposit vault at the Old Colony Trust Company, where he could find a deed to a lot in a cemetery.

Little Known to Neighbors. The two women and the little girl had been living at 24 St. Mary's street, a 20-suite brick apartment house, for the past eight years, yet little was known of them by the manager of the building, Samuel Kasonowitz, or other dwellers in the house.

The 78-year-old woman apparently was in good physical health. Her daughter was employed in a leather goods store downtown, and apparently received a good salary, for she met all the bills, the manager of the apartment house said. The little girl, Jessie, recently had been attending school nearby.

None of the Galligans was seen around the apartment house Wednesday, and it may have been that they died sometime Tuesday night. Persons occupying suites near the Galligan apartment smelled gas about 8 p. m., but nothing important developed until 8 p. m.

When Eda's brother, James Galligan of Revere, received the special delivery he hastened to the St. Mary street house. He received no reply to his rings and knocks and went in search of the manager, Kasonowitz, who resides nearby, at 40 Ivy street.

The two went to the Galligan suite and rang and thumped on the door. Both noticed that there was a strong smell of gas. Galligan requested Kasonowitz to break down the door, but he refused. Kasonowitz then telephoned to the police of the Back Bay station.

Sergeant Waugh and Patrolman Sullivan, Williston and Holden were sent from the station house. They forced the door to the suite, entered and found the three dead in the bedroom of the two-room apartment.

Kasonowitz said he had not seen any of the Galligans since Monday. He went to their apartment that day and received the month's rent, \$28, from the 78-year-old woman.

A gas company collector called at the various suites in the house to collect the 25-cent pieces which had been deposited in the metres in each of the apartments. The Galligan suite was locked, and he left, after ringing at the suite bell and rapping and kicking at the door.

Believes Money Gone. One of the occupants of a neighboring suite to that of the Galligans expressed the opinion that they had reached the limit of their financial resources, and this, coupled with the fact that Eda may have been brooding over her divorce, may have been the reason for the act of Eda, he thought.

The Galligans originally came from Lynn. Mrs. Isadora Galligan's husband died about eight years ago, and she, her daughter and her grandchild, moved to Boston. It was at the time of their quitting Lynn that her son, James H. Galligan, lost track of their whereabouts, and she saw them alive since they left Lynn.

Marjorie Galligan, eighteen-year-old daughter of James A. Galligan, said she had never seen her grandmother, Mrs. Isadora, since she was seven, but knew that there had been family trouble. She said her father received a special delivery letter, probably from his mother, and that he left for Boston about seven p. m. with his wife. Some time later he called up and said that he would not be home until morning.

The Galligans had lived in Revere since December, having gone there from Swanpoint. Galligan is a heel finisher in a shoe factory, and has another daughter, Florence, aged sixteen.

contemporary of the extinct animals found in the pit, he apparently belonged to the middle or old Pleistocene period, according to Dr. W. D. Mathews, curator of paleontology of the American Museum of Natural History. This would make the man several hundred thousand years, or possibly a million years, old.

Hesperopithecus is represented only by a single worn tooth, but the evidence which Dr. Henry Fairfield Osborn, Professor W. K. Gregory and others have collected regarding the tooth, has been generally accepted as proving that a higher anthropoid, which may have closely resembled man, lived in Nebraska about a million years ago. Dr. Elliott Smith, the English scientist, recently wrote to Professor Gregory that British scientists who had studied the subject were practically a unit in accepting the interpretation placed by the authorities of the American Museum of Natural History, on the tooth.

LOCAL NEWS

Good ice Arena tonight.

Ask for Chesterfield Chocolates. 8-13-23.

Dance tonight, 105 Paradise Row.

Good ice Arena tonight.

Several members of the Provincial SEAMEN'S INSTITUTE Farewell concert, Metagama Party Wednesday night. Good programme. Prices as usual. 127153-3-23.

Victoria Rink—band tonight.

Good ice Arena tonight.

PLAY REPEATED On account of the demand for tickets, Plate's Daughter, which played to capacity houses all last week, will be repeated in St. Peter's Auditorium tonight and tomorrow night. Exchange tickets now on sale at Durick's Drug Store, Main street. 127153-4-23.

"RITZ" TONIGHT—DANCERS' DELIGHT Best music, floor, dancers, and everything.

Dance tonight, 105 Paradise Row.

GALA BARGAIN EVENT McArthur Fire Sale continues to attract the wise shoppers. The best bargains in wall papers, books, toys, fancy goods, ever offered. All this week, store evenings. D. McArthur, 19 King Square.

McARTHUR'S BUSINESS FOR SALE For immediate sale, the whole stock of books, stationery, wall paper, etc., together with fixtures and goodwill, as a going concern.

An excellent opportunity for a younger man to take hold of this established business. A snap for cash. Apply at once, D. McArthur, 19 King Square.

Another "sure" sign of spring has been reported. Residents of Renforth say they saw two bears near that community yesterday and this morning. Tracks have been seen along the roads and on the river low, and the animals were sighted from one of the houses this morning at a distance of only about twenty-five feet.

Since 1904 the national death rate from tuberculosis has decreased fifty per cent.

DR. TALBOT is at his office, 50 King Square, St. John, every Monday, Friday and Saturday. Phone M. 3821. SPINAL ADJUSTMENTS FOR ALL DISEASES

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Some of the bones of extinct animals found in this pit are now at the American Museum of Natural History. Dr. George Grant MacCurdy, professor of anthropology at Yale, has studied several of the bones and pronounced them to belong to a man, probably of the modern type. The bones are fossilized.

If the human being was actually a



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Stock Exchange Says The Shorts Must Deliver

New York, March 26.—The New York Stock Exchange, in a formal statement, today replying to charges made against it by Clarence Saunders, president of Piggly Wiggly Stores, said no member would be permitted to disavow contracts made before trading in Piggly Wiggly was suspended.

Under the rules, the statement set forth, delivery of stock traded in last Tuesday must be made by 2:15 p.m. today.

FREDERICTON MARKETS. In Fredericton market on Saturday the prevailing prices were as follows:

- Eggs, per dozen, 45 to 50 cents. Butter, per pound, 50 to 55 cents. Veal, per pound, 18 to 16 cents. Pork, per pound, 15 to 18 cents. Beef, per pound, 10 to 12 cents. Chickens, per pound, 85 cents. Potatoes, per barrel, \$1.50. Carrots, per barrel, \$1.75. Apples, per barrel, \$3.50. Hay, per ton, \$12 to \$15.

Heart Stopped; But Man Lives

Budapest Doctor Writes in Lancet of Sase of Interest.

London, March 26.—How a man was brought back to life by an injection after "the action of the heart had definitely stopped," is told by Dr. Karl Boden of Budapest. The patient was seventy years of age, and had heart attacks, for which the doctor first administered morphia, which had no good effect. Reporting the case in The Lancet, he says:

"I resolved to try an intra-cardiac injection. I hurried to my rooms to provide myself with long needle and returning within a few minutes, found away in the meantime. He lay relaxed and apparently lifeless in a chair, with his head fallen backward. While I was preparing the injection, respiration ceased completely and the action of the heart definitely stopped.

"I was without medical assistance and considerably agitated," said the doctor, who described his feeling when he plunged the needle containing a solution of adrenalin into the man's heart.

"A few seconds later I observed a steady improvement of the heart beat, which proved regular and effective in less than half a minute."

He reports that the man is now well in every respect.

FOUR OF JURY HAD BEEN IN JAIL

The story of how a panel of twelve jurors, four of whom are reported to have criminal records, were watched by plain clothes police officers, was made known in Boston last week, when the jury returned a verdict of guilty against John E. Jacobs and his son, Albert Jacobs, in the Suffolk Superior Criminal Court, on a charge of larceny of \$3,000 from Pardon Russell, seventy-one-year-old retired business man of New Bedford, through the sale of worthless stocks.

Joseph Jacobs, a second son, was found not guilty, by order of Judge Brown, when Special Assistant-District-Attorney Joseph Joyce Donahue announced that the Government had no case against him. The men were originally charged with the larceny of \$25,000 and conspiracy. All charges except the larceny from Russell, however, were dropped.

The jurors, according to the report after the verdict was returned, were constantly watched by plain clothes men from the time they left the jury box in the afternoon until they reported in court the next morning.

Four of the men, it was reported, had records. One received two years for breaking and entering, and at another time had been on probation for a similar offence. Another juror was caught carrying a revolver at some time. A third juror had sold liquor, while a fourth had been involved in violation of the traffic laws and had been in contempt of court.

FARM LABORERS' STRIKE THREATENS

Norwich, England, March 26.—At a meeting of 4,000 farm laborers of the East of Kent, the veteran leader of the laborers, George Edwards, announced that 15,000 Norfolk farm-workers would start a strike today in consequence of the failure of efforts to settle the wage dispute between the farmers and their men.

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BIRTHS

WRIGHT—On March 26, 1923, to Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Wright, Mt. Pleasant Court, a daughter.

BUCKLEY—On March 15, 1923, to Mr. and Mrs. James T. Buckley, Model Farm, a daughter.

WILSON—At the Evangeline Maternity Home on March 25, 1923, to Mr. and Mrs. Leonard M. Wilson, a daughter, Betty Mae.

DEATHS

SHAW—At the St. John Infirmary on March 26, 1923, Annie G., wife of Wm. L. Shaw. She leaves to mourn, besides her husband, two sisters and two brothers.

Funeral notice later.

McLEAN—In this city on March 26, 1923, Duncan Fraser McLean, formerly of Brandon, Manitoba, aged 38 years, leaving his wife to mourn.

Funeral Tuesday from St. David's church, Service at 2:30. Interment at Fernhill Cemetery.

STEEN—At Lingley, Westfield, on March 24, 1923, Elizabeth Steen, in the ninety-third year of her age, leaving one brother, Charles Magee, of Detroit, Michigan.

Service at the house at ten o'clock Tuesday morning. Funeral on arrival of Boston train. Interment at Fernhill.

LONDON—At Pleasant Point, West St. John, on March 24, 1923, Mary, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. London.

GILLEN—In this city on March 24, 1923, John Gillen in the 79th year of his age, leaving two sons and two daughters to mourn.

Funeral from the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Catherine Campbell, 24 Harding street on Tuesday morning at 8:30 to St. Ann's Baptist church for high mass of requiem. Friends invited.

GELDART—At the General Public Hospital, on March 25, 1923, Stephen H. Geldart, aged thirty-eight, of Upham, N. B., leaving his wife and two daughters to mourn.

Funeral Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 from Hanford Brook.

IN MEMORIAM

NICE—In loving remembrance of my dear husband, Frank Nice, who departed this life March 26th, 1920. WIFE.

CARD OF THANKS

J. E. Moore and family, and Mr. and Mrs. George Stevenson wish to thank their many friends and relatives and the General Hospital staff for kindness and sympathy shown them in their recent sad bereavement, also for the beautiful and many floral offerings.

Mrs. Stephen Geldart wishes to thank the nurses and doctors of the General Public Hospital for kindness shown her during her recent bereavement.

FUNERAL NOTICE

The members of Albion Lodge, No. 1, F. and A. M., are requested to assemble at the Masonic Hall, German St., on Tuesday at 2 p. m., with regalia, to attend the funeral of their late Brother,

DUNCAN FRASER McLEAN—Service of which will take place at St. David's Church at 2:30 p. m.

Members of sister lodges invited to attend.

G. E. JONES, W. M.

FIND SKELETON OF PLEISTOCENE MAN

Discovery, if Authenticated, Makes Human Race Million Years Old.

New York, March 26.—Anthropologists here are deeply interested in the study of a human skeleton, found in a sandpit near Dallas, Texas, in association with the bones of camels, sabretooth tigers, four-toed elephants, horses and mammoths.

Some of the bones of extinct animals found in this pit are now at the American Museum of Natural History.

Dr. George Grant MacCurdy, professor of anthropology at Yale, has studied several of the bones and pronounced them to belong to a man, probably of the modern type. The bones are fossilized.

If the human being was actually a

contemporary of the extinct animals found in the pit, he apparently belonged to the middle or old Pleistocene period, according to Dr. W. D. Mathews, curator of paleontology of the American Museum of Natural History. This would make the man several hundred thousand years, or possibly a million years, old.

Hesperopithecus is represented only by a single worn tooth, but the evidence which Dr. Henry Fairfield Osborn, Professor W. K. Gregory and others have collected regarding the tooth, has been generally accepted as proving that a higher anthropoid, which may have closely resembled man, lived in Nebraska about a million years ago. Dr. Elliott Smith, the English scientist, recently wrote to Professor Gregory that British scientists who had studied the subject were practically a unit in accepting the interpretation placed by the authorities of the American Museum of Natural History, on the tooth.

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THROWING MONEY AWAY. The people of New Brunswick should pay particular attention to the following paragraph from the Budget Speech delivered last week by Hon. Dr. Hetherington, Provincial Secretary:

"I am of the opinion the time has arrived when this Legislature should give consideration to the enactment of laws to protect the people against financial wildcat schemes. I am informed that much loss has been incurred by the people and by persons who could ill afford to lose by the sale to them of worthless stock. In recent years we have had such concerns as the York County Loan and Savings Company, the Canadian Home Investment Company, the British Columbia Loan Company, and quite recently the L. R. Steel Company, forced into liquidation after operating for a time in this province. The province of Ontario is now considering the passage of a Sales of Securities Act, in order to protect its people from questionable financial adventures. To those persons who have saved a few hundred dollars I would urge them to invest in provinces of New Brunswick bonds, or in bonds of any of the cities, towns or municipalities of the province. The operations of the L. R. Steel Company first came to my attention by reason of my learning that certain residents of the county which I have the honor of representing were exchanging their Victory bonds for stock in this company, but beyond having my deputy inquire into the matter there was no machinery by which the case could be legally dealt with."

Five years ago, L. R. Steel, then forty years of age, was in the employ of a chain store corporation. A few days ago, while on a tour to raise a million dollars which he believed would save the L. R. Steel Corporation, representing \$20,000,000, from collapse, he died of a ruptured blood vessel in an overtaxed brain. His corporations had gone into the hands of receivers on March 8. The whole story is told in the following paragraph:

"Starting with a small capital in 1910, Steel, personally directing advertising and stock selling campaigns, dispensed more than \$20,000,000 in L. R. Steel, Inc., and its various subsidiaries. As the money poured in new corporations were founded, chief among them being the L. R. Steel Corporation, which had to do with stock sales; the L. R. Steel Realty Development, handling all leases and real estate owned by the various branches, and other interlocking corporations, both in the United States and Canada. Chain stores were purchased at what were alleged to be exorbitant prices, restaurants and cafeterias were opened and run at a loss, and a large sum was invested in a coal mine. A financial audit, in progress since the receivership, is reported to have disclosed a scarcity of quick assets in volume approximating a small fraction of the \$20,000,000 invested by stockholders."

How was it possible for this man to separate people in the United States and Canada from \$20,000,000 in less than four years? Obviously the explanation is found in the gullibility of great numbers of persons and the desire to acquire wealth quickly. If a man set out to sell shares in a gold mine in the moon he would probably find some purchasers.

The meteoric career of L. R. Steel is ended, but the money which he has raised is not being returned to those who invested in his ambitious scheme. The Toronto Globe says the Canadian L. R. Steel Corporation owes \$224,000 instead of the \$200,000 at first reported, and the Canadian shareholders must look to the parent companies in the United States for any return; and that as the days pass the value of their stock certificates appear to be growing less. There is also the question of what will be done with the chain-stores in Canada. In a report to the Ontario Bar Association the Law Reform Committee last week said:

"The people of this Province have been in the last few years deluged with schemes of this kind, culminating in the recent exposures in connection with the L. R. Steel Company's stock."

The Committee urges control of stock salesmen in Ontario. We quote: "Throughout the Province, the report said, people were giving up good securities for worthless stock, sold as a general rule, by salesmen from the United States, who drew from 14 to 18 per cent. commission. The sale of securities, it was urged, should be limited to salesmen resident in Ontario, and to such securities with Dominion or Provincial endorsement."

The mere enactment of a law will not suffice. The people must be educated. There is plenty of law in the United States to protect people from fraudulent bankers, but only the other day we read of an Italian who fled from New York taking with him an enormous sum of money deposited with him instead of in the chartered banks by his fellow countrymen. The only security they had was an honesty he did not possess, and they lost. There is need,

therefore, of education as well as law. The lesson of the L. R. Steel collapse should be given the very widest publicity.

VERY SIMPLE SOLUTION.

Premier Veniot need have no more misgivings in regard to the enforcement of prohibition. The Woodstock Sentinel has told him what to do and what not to do. Here it is, in two pregnant sentences:

"The government must enforce the law but it must use common sense in doing so. It has been demonstrated that the people are not yet accustomed to docile submission, as were the German people."

What could be simpler than that? The Inspector approaches a citizen and enquires if he desires to obey the law. If the citizen replies in the negative, the Inspector, realising that the citizen is not a German, moves on. And there you are. What has been regarded as a serious problem is solved in a twinkling. Of course the same rule should be applied to the user of drugs, the wife-beater, the thief, the murderer, and all persons to whom a law may seem to apply. They are not Germans. The theory that any individual should obey a law he does not wish to obey must be abandoned, and the millennium will be just around the corner. The Sentinel still further enlightens the Premier, and the rest of us—when it says—

"It has always been held that legislation that did not reflect the will of the people could not be enforced—that legislation should follow instead of lead public opinion."

Obviously, in deciding what was public opinion and the will of the people, Premier Veniot—and the rest of us—have applied a false test. We assumed that a majority vote, especially a very large majority vote, was satisfactory evidence and should settle the matter. This, in the light of the new gospel, is all wrong. We have no right to enact a law, whether it relates to a line fence or prohibition, unless every body votes for it. Clearly, also, the members of the Legislature have no business there, except those who were elected by acclamation. The other fellows had only a majority, and some of them a rather slim one. We are not Germans—they rest again.

LOOKING TO FREDERICTON? It is natural that the friends of the New Brunswick Power Company should look to Fredericton. It has been the habit of the Company to have at Fredericton the most formidable lobby seen there at session time. There is now a hint that it is up to its old tricks. We are told that members of the House are deeply interested in the situation in St. John. They should be, for if the New Brunswick Power Company or its successor should get its clutches on Musquash there is not a municipality in New Brunswick which could hope to get the benefits of the Government's power policy as at present being carried out with so much success. This city was really fighting the battles of other municipalities as well as its own, when it fought against stock-watering and the imposition of heavy burdens upon consumers by a grinding corporation. It failed at Fredericton because the representatives from other parts of the province did not grasp the far-reaching significance of the issue; but when Musquash was developed its opportunity came to get freedom from monopoly and to get power at cost. It cannot be believed that any member of the Legislature would consent to any interference by that body in a matter which concerns St. John alone, and which St. John people have settled for themselves. As has just been pointed out, the whole success of the Government's hydro policy rests upon the success of the Musquash development and the delivery of power at cost to the communities reached by its transmission lines. The friends of the Power Company did all it was possible for them to do to 'damn the enterprise, and now they want to snatch from the people the benefits to be derived therefrom. If they want to do business they are knocking at the wrong door.

PADEREWSKI SADDENED AT KREHBIEL'S PASSING Des Moines, Iowa, March 26—I am deeply afflicted by the sad news just received. For more than thirty years I have known H. E. Krehbiel and have admired him as an eminent writer on musical matters. His lofty ideals, vast knowledge, sound principles, unprejudiced, broadminded opinions always expressed in a language of supreme beauty, made him one of the leading figures among the music critics of both continents. Dean of the profession, in the conscientious fulfillment of his arduous, so often wearisome, duties, he invariably displayed earnestness, uprightness and dignity of an almost sacerdotal character. The death of H. E. Krehbiel will be profoundly felt and universally regretted. Personally I mourn the loss of a man for whom I had most sincere affection and whom I was happy to count among my friends.

IGNACE JAN PADEREWSKI

The Marriage Game

The Snappiest of Pastimes As Played to a Decision Every Day

By Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Hatton

HER PLACE IN THE SUN. His Play—You women folk are forever gabbling about leading your own lives and desiring to compete in the world of large affairs with men. But I've observed that if you are given the opportunity you immediately take advantage of all the moxie and traditions which grant you consideration because you are women—and then you

think you are playing the game. Did you ever notice how a woman lawyer or a woman doctor or a woman scientist wishes only engages in professional activities which are not disagreeable? Ever notice that women lawyers fight shy of unpleasant cases in a police court? Ever occur to you that the woman who is engaging in the stern competitive battle with men usually works in an office where potted lilies of the valley, scented curtains and a subdued atmosphere like the inside of a cathedral is apparent, in place of business-like contraptions like steel filing cabinets and substantial desks and where calendars given away by the insurance company are unashamedly tacked up on the office wall?

I only crave for worldly gain. Here Counter Play—I must say your manners are not very nice today. The Referee—Well, the lady is unfair. He wins.

"WHAT, NEVER?" (From Forbes Magazine.) I like my job and I like my work. The chore that falls my lot to do; However hard my task or mean, If it is honest it is clean. I only crave for worldly gain. Which I have toiled to earn myself; I'd scorn to beg or cheat or rob. To make my way—I like my job.

To whatsoever task assigned, Some source of joy I always find. Some hidden beauty lies in wait. Which unto him is granted. Some treasured thing of wood or stone. Which I may build and call my own; A joy that bids my mind thrill free. Because of it—I like my job.

Though it shall be my lot to plow, Or delve in mine, or hunch-bill do, Or to rear huge structures in the air, Or yet race forth on steed of steel, Or at a forge to heat the metal; Whatever task be mine, no sob Nor plaint I make—I like my job.

I like my job and I'll thrill with joy That I each day may well employ; Pursuing right, eschewing wrong, I walk with duty each day long. Content to do what I am bid, And faithfully my course pursue; Just one among the toiling mob, I also serve—and I like my job. —Sidney Warren Mase.

LIGHTER VEIN. Full Declaration. Customs Inspector—What have you to declare? Returning Passenger—I declare that I am glad to get back—Judge.

Curious Reflex. "The human anatomy is a wonderful bit of mechanism." "Yes, but one kind of man on the back and you'll make his head swell." —Cincinnati Enquirer.

A New Signature. An elderly colored woman entered a store of an estate to receive her regular monthly wages. Not being able to write, she had always made her mark on the receipt—usually "X," but this time she made a circle instead. "What's the matter, Linda?" asked the clerk. "Why didn't you make the cross, as usual?" "Well," said Linda, "All one got married yesterday an' changed mah name." —Charleston News.

The Great Question. "What do you consider the greatest question before the people today?" "From the demand for small state people in all kinds of sums," replied Senator Sorghum, "I should say that the greatest question today and every day is the currency question." —Washington Star.

WILL AID EX-SERVICE MEN. Dakota Organizes System of Poultry Farms. Brookings, S. D., March 26—An eighty-acre tract of land adjoining the South Dakota Agricultural College here upon which buildings, poultry houses and barns will be erected to train former service men in poultry raising, in co-operation with the programme of the U. S. Veterans Bureau of the Tenth district.

When the farms are completed it is planned to sell them to former soldiers who are taking vocational training in agriculture. Intensive farming is expected to follow poultry, bee and produce raising. A requisit is that each man who buys a farm be married, taking a poultry course in an agricultural college and have a satisfactory scholastic standing. Similar to the plan worked out at Veteransville, Minn., the tenants will be given extended time to pay for their farms in a manner that will permit them to use their Government allowance to finance the farms until they are income producers.

The Fundy Chapter, I. O. O. F., held a successful rummage sale in the lobby of the Queen's Square theatre on Saturday morning. The proceeds will be used for the charitable branch of the chapter. Miss Alicia Heales was general convener, and had the following assistants: Miss Alward, Miss Ross, Miss Colston, Miss McKay, Miss Frink, Miss Braley, Miss Patchell, Miss Murdoch, Miss Sheldon, Miss Upham, and Miss Melick.

CARY SISTERS' HOME SOLD FOR USE AS A TEA SHOP

Portrait Painted When He Was Head of Southern Educational Institution.

The Cary homestead has been sold, says an Associated Press dispatch from Cincinnati. The home, famous as the birthplace of the Cary sisters, Alice and Phoebe, who attained recognition for their verse and prose, will be renovated and opened as a tea shop.

The old home was but one and half stories high and without the slightest pretensions of architectural beauty. It was on a twenty-four acre tract of land—just part of the original holdings of the Cary family, whose lineage dates back to members of the Pilgrim expedition. The homestead has for years been the gathering place of those who admired the works of the two sisters.

Alice, in the early part of her career wrote the "verse homestead," the first stanza of which follows: Our old brown homestead reared its walls From the wayside dust aloof. Where the apple boughs could almost cast

The fruits upon its roof. And the cherry tree so near it grew That when awake I've lain In the lonesome nights I've heard the creak of its boughs. As those orchard trees, O, those orchard trees— I've seen my little brothers rocked In their tops by summer breeze.

The sisters were constant companions and never parted. They died in 1871, Alice at fifty-one and Phoebe at forty-seven.

A VILLAINOUS BUSINESS. (Toronto Globe.) Run-runners operating on the lines of the Grand Trunk between Montreal and Toronto are charged with sending and receiving illicit supplies of liquor in railroad lots and with the corruption of railway employees in connection with their villainous business. It is stated by the Police Inspector in Montreal that the operation of this whiskey ring that railway employees have not only been bribed with money, but also with liquor. One of the men implicated was found to be drunk when questioned. A Grand Trunk officer is reported to have stated that an engineer had been drinking whiskey supplied by bootleggers.

The danger to the travelling public disclosed by these statements should spur the higher officials of the National Railway to clean up this dangerous mess in the most thorough way. Publicity will help even if convictions cannot be secured. Who were the shippers in Montreal of this contraband liquor, which was billed as "brass fittings" and "farm produce"? To whom were the cars consigned in Toronto and Montreal? Let the men charged be prepared to impel the lives of persons travelling between Toronto and Montreal in order that they might not be fined and some storey dollars be lined up in Police Court, so that the citizens at large may at least discover their identity. They may prove to be "highly respectable" people whose reputation has been used to cloak transactions of a more sordid nature. Wholesale manufacturer. It is time to put an end to the use of the people's railways by gangs of whiskey-runners.

CAVE MEN NO GIANTS. Discovery Indicates They May Have Been Dwarfed. Prescott, Ariz., March 26—Scientists who will visit Prescott next summer to attempt to solve the mystery of the ancient cliff dwellings in the Verde river will be asked to give their attention to a skeleton found recently by a student at Howland Payne, near Prescott, living a few miles north of this city. "Although the skeleton is apparently no larger than that of a child four or five years of age, it contains a fully developed set of mature teeth. The Payne brothers unearthed the skeleton while excavating for a road in Granite Creek, near Prescott. Digging carefully they were able to extricate practically all the bones without breaking them. The skeleton was a very lively intercast on account of the size and the maturity of the teeth and skull bones, which one physician said was "not at all the evidence of immaturity of an infant's cranium."

Prints of the hands of the builders of the well preserved prehistoric dwellings in the Verde valley are still seen in the mud-like mortar holding the stones together and these prints indicate that the dwellers were persons with heavy small hands.

The tiny doorways and low ceilings seem to bear out the theory that the people who lived there were small statures. The dwarf-like skeleton is so much smaller than that of the man of today that it has created another of those archeological problems which are the purpose of the National Geographic Society to solve if possible in a series of expeditions next summer.

MEN AND MONEY NEEDED. Premier of Victoria Australia, Seeks Both in England. London, March 10.—(By mail.)—The Australian province of Victoria wants money, men and materials, and the Premier of the province, H. S. W. Lawson, has come to London to get all three of them. It isn't an easy task, so Mr. Lawson is devoting plenty of time to it. He intends to remain in London until May. He expects to obtain a loan of about \$15,000,000, and to interest the British public in Victoria's need of a greater population and more markets for her products.

"We seek to co-operate with the British Government," he said, "in transferring some of the surplus population from this crowded land to the empty spaces of Australia. Victoria is absorbing 2,000 heads of families a year, providing 1,000 irrigated farms and 1,000 dry farms for them, but the open spaces are still vast."

Mr. Lawson points out that he cannot encourage immigration without money, for there must be a great industrial outfit for roads, railways, water storage and electrical schemes. At Marvell, in the centre of a valley where heavy deposits of brown coal cover 1,200 square miles, the Government have initiated a scheme for the generation of electricity and its distribution over one-half of the state. Mr. Lawson said:

"Before many years have passed," he added, "every town and farm will have its own supply of electricity."

FAMOUS HOTEL DOOMED

New Nicollet at Minneapolis Will Cost \$3,500,000.

Minneapolis, Minn., March 26.—Pioneers of the '60s from the east and northwest who remember the first hotel that was built across the river from the town of St. Anthony, which is now Minneapolis, in all probability have seen the last of the historic structure. The Nicollet hotel, this city's first lastelry, is to be razed to make way for the new Nicollet, a \$3,500,000 building.

Woven into the industrial growth, social welfare and general expansion of Minneapolis, the Nicollet hotel in the early days was the stopping place of leaders in the northwest and the nation. In its now antiquated rooms there have slept Presidents Cleveland, McKinley and Roosevelt, General William T. Sherman and General John A. Logan, as well as a number of other nationally famous figures who have since passed away, were listed on the hotel's register.

Built in 1858, the Nicollet prospered after very heats and a summer bridge made St. Anthony accessible to the other side of the Mississippi, and the new town (Minneapolis) was built on the other side of the square next to the river. It was built at an original cost of \$800,000 by two Boston men. As the town grew, additions were built until the hotel reached its present size.

JAPAN'S CONSERVATISM. Government Will Not Change Present Land Laws. Tokyo, March 1.—(By Mail.)—There is no immediate prospect of the Government liberalizing the Japanese land laws, and the suggested purchase of the perpetual leases held by foreigners in Yokohama does not figure in the Government programme.

"The matter of further liberalizing the land laws of Japan frequently comes up for discussion among foreign officials," said Mr. Nagai, head of the commercial department of the Foreign Office, "and there is a desire in the Foreign Office to see the existing act further enlarged and promulgated, but many other departments of the Government are interested and the complexities of the question continue to delay it."

"As for the purchase of the perpetual leaseholds, the same policy as is now in force will be continued, namely, the buying in of these leaseholds as they come upon the market."

"It may be that the business depression will create good chances to secure more of these leaseholds, and perhaps that is the reason some people appear to believe the Government is going to make some special effort in the matter. There is, of course, no idea of attempting the condemnation of the leaseholds."

BISHOP BLAMES PARENTS. Dr. Shipman Deprecates Religious Influence of Youth. New York, March 26.—The indifference of young people of today to their church and religion was put on their parents by Suffragan Bishop Herbert Shipman, who spoke at noon-day Lenten services at the Palace Theatre recently under the auspices of the Federation of Churches.

Bishop Shipman compared the accomplishments of Charlie Chaplin with those of Marshall Foch. "Charlie Chaplin," he said, "receives more in one month than Marshall Foch ever saw in his whole life, and yet how can you compare the value of the work of the entertainer, great as it may be, and that of the man who saved the world's civilization?"

Bishop Shipman asserted there were too many "old" men between the ages of twenty and thirty and too many "old" women in their late "teens and twenties, whose experiences, pleasures and knowledge of the world would ashamed their mothers and grandmothers if they met them. What is needed, said Bishop Shipman, is young enthusiasm and an objective goal.

HOLD-UP FAILS TO STIR DOG. Gaily Watched Pair Rob Owner and Customer in Restaurant. New York, March 26.—A ferocious-looking watch dog, three feet in height, stood by placidly looking on while two armed hold-up men robbed a Frank Torregross, owner of a gold-filled watch, and Bruno Sabina of 83 Cumberland street, Brooklyn, of \$85.

The dog even sniffed at the robbers and one of the robbers in appreciation wanted to get him a bone before leaving, but the other, more cautious, told him to "forget it."

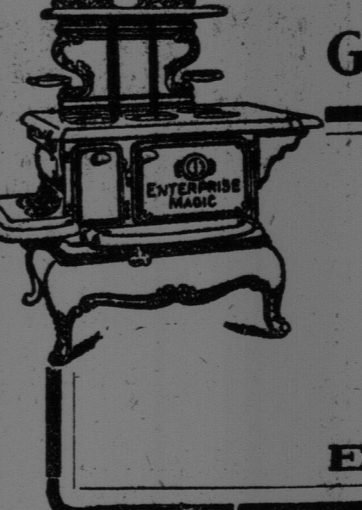
The thieves were apparently looking for the receipts realized in the celebration of St. Joseph by Italians in the neighborhood, which lasted from Saturday to Monday night. It was said that Torregross was custodian of the funds.

On the other hand, said one of the bandits, pointing a revolver at Torregross on entering the restaurant:

"I haven't got any money," answered the proprietor. All the hold-up men could find on Torregross was the watch, and they took Sabina's money and with a grateful bow to the dog the thieves hurried from the place.

RESPECT FOR AUTHORITY. (Ottawa Journal.) Robert Forke, leader of the Progressive Party in the House of Commons, came to Canada as an immigrant and an immigrant ship and received his education in the world's university—experience. He was the speaker at the monthly supper of the Men's Association of Dominion Methodist church last night and during the course of his remarks mentioned that his journey to Canada had been in the steerage. His topic was Dominion Citizenship and he endeavored to show that there was a place in Canada for every young man who wanted to work.

He deplored the lack of facilities for impressing upon young people respect for constitutional authority. There should be a system of education that would result in teaching respect for institutions and for those in charge of them. The leader of the Progressives referred to his visit to the Royal Military College at Kingston, Ont., last week. He had been opposed in some respects to military training. What he had seen at the R. M. C. convinced him it was a good idea to develop discipline in the young men of Canada. He had seen Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen's son at the Royal Military College and the boy promised to be one of the most clever in the institution.



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FORMER BROADWAY CHORUS GIRL DIES

Frances Beckwith Said to Have Consumed 15 Bottles of Synthetic Gin in Week.

New York, March 26—After an autopsy performed upon the body of Frances Hillman Beckwith, 21 years old, formerly a member of the chorus of "The Poor Little Rich Girl," by Dr. Benjamin Schwartz, deputy medical examiner, an investigation was begun by detectives.

Like Dorothy King, Miss Beckwith had her own apartment and lived her own life in New York following her divorce two years ago from Clifford Beckwith, a naval officer said to be stationed in Chicago. Detectives who investigated the case today found that she had been addicted to strong drink and all-night parties, some of which were staged in her own apartment.

Learning that Miss Beckwith had been taken to Roosevelt Hospital where she died from peritonitis on Tuesday afternoon, from the apartment of Edward Campbell, a real estate broker, detectives questioned Campbell at length and, according to Detective Tierney, got this story:

Campbell had an appointment to meet Miss Beckwith early on Sunday morning. The two were to go to Long Beach to spend the day. When Miss Beckwith did not telephone him at the appointed hour, he got in a taxicab and went to her apartment, 144 East Sixty-first street, a two-room suite she had sub-let from Miss Janet Hunt of that address a month ago, prior to Miss Hunt's departure for Europe.

As Campbell reached the front door of the apartment house, Miss Beckwith got out of a taxicab and said she was ill.

The two conversed a moment or two, then Campbell decided to take Miss Beckwith to his home. Arriving there, he summoned a physician, Dr.

LOST 30 POUNDS THEN GAINED 35

Veteran Real Estate Broker of Toronto Tells of Remarkable Restoration by Tanlac.

James Burns, 20 St. Albans street, retired real estate broker, is still another man of prominence in the business and civil affairs of Toronto to speak out in behalf of Tanlac. Mr. Burns, or "Dad," as he is known throughout Toronto, is now seventy-three years of age, but says:

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Davenport West, of 19 East Sixty-fifth street. Dr. West found her malady a trifle mysterious because of her condition, due to liquor, but gave her, immediately diagnosed her case as one of peritonitis and ordered her removal to Roosevelt Hospital.

Campbell said that he had known Miss Beckwith for about two years, having met her through mutual friends.

Detectives found that Miss Beckwith had consumed the contents of as many as fifteen bottles of synthetic gin in a week.

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RECENT DEATHS

Capt. John Ritchey, Sydney, N. S., March 26—Captain John Ritchey, formerly of the Dominion Coal Company's steamer Watika, and well known in Maritime Provinces marine circles, died here today.

John Gillen, After a lengthy illness, the death of John Gillen occurred on Saturday at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Catherine Campbell, 24 Harding street, in the seventy-ninth year of his age. Mr. Gillen was born in St. John but lived at Bear's Head, in St. John county, where he followed his trade of cooper.

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and Mrs. Catherine Campbell, and the two sons, James and John, all of St. John. The brother is James Gillen, of Moncton. The funeral will take place on Tuesday morning from the residence of his daughter, 24 Harding street, to St. John the Baptist church.

Mrs. F. J. Michaud. News has been received from Riviere du Loup of the death there on March 17 of Mrs. Michaud wife of F. J. Michaud. She leaves to mourn her husband and one daughter, Mrs. Harry Page, who lived with her. Mr. Michaud was formerly in St. John and is a nephew of the late Rev. J. P. X. Michaud, V. G., formerly of this city, and afterwards parish priest at Boutouche.

Mrs. Elizabeth McNeil. Mrs. Elizabeth McNeil passed away on Friday at the home of her son in Shediac after a short illness. She was in the hundredth year of her age and was probably the oldest resident of Westmoreland County. She leaves four sons and one daughter.

FUNERALS The funeral of Miss Mary Rolston took place yesterday afternoon from her late residence, 109 Pitt street. Service was conducted by Rev. H. E. Thomas and interment was in Fernhill cemetery.

The funeral of Mrs. Jane Alcorn, who died on March 21 in West Somerville, Mass., took place yesterday afternoon from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. E. McDonald, 49 St. David street. Rev. E. E. Styles conducted the service and interment was in Cedar Hill cemetery.

The funeral of William McKee took place yesterday afternoon from his late residence, Missie. Rev. L. J. Watson conducted the funeral services. Interment was in Fernhill cemetery.

brain. Local officials of Albion Lodge, F. and A. M. were notified and hurried to the ship. The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon from St. David's church. Arrangements have been made by the C. F. B. for Mrs. McLean to remain on the ship until she sails and then return to her people in Scotland. There are no children.

Rev. John Chisholm of Montreal, connected with the Strangers' Department of the Presbyterian church and secretary of the British Immigration Aid Society, accompanied by his wife, returned from Scotland. He said three lads came to settle in New Brunswick with these with a family for Moncton, were the only passengers for New Brunswick.

Captain G. Hamilton is in command of the ship, succeeding Captain G. C. Evans, O. B. E., who has been superannuated.

Long Railroad To Be Abandoned

Chicago, Peoria and St. Louis May Be Sold For Junk Unless Buyers Operate It.

Washington, March 26.—Receivers of the Chicago, Peoria and St. Louis Railroad received permission from the Interstate Commerce Commission to abandon two sections of the entire line, which, with branches, includes 284 miles of track, extending from Peoria to East St. Louis in southern Illinois.

Although the receivers are authorized to operate the line for a period of 90 days to enable them to dispose of the property, the decision said that average annual losses of \$608,000 had been sustained in attempting to keep the system in operation, and that the consideration given to possible readjustment of rates indicated that no alterations could improve its financial situation.

Equipment and roadbed had fallen into such a state of disrepair, it was said, that \$1,750,000 would be needed immediately to equip the road for continued operation. This amount cannot be raised by the receivers, the commission found, and their petition to cease operations was consequently granted.

The decision pointed out that the road traverses the richest agricultural section of Illinois and that it was possible that parts of its lines might be operated with the support of the populations and shippers concerned. Consequently the receivers were authorized to arrange with the court having charge of the receivership of the line to offer the line for sale as a whole to any persons willing to continue it in operation. If bids were not forthcoming sale by sections was suggested.

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The Chicago, Peoria and St. Louis is the largest railroad for which the commission has ever granted abandonment authority. The Missouri and North Arkansas, which receivers sought to abandon two years ago, has been rehabilitated since with the aid of funds advanced by the Government.

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FOUND GUILTY OF TAKING TICKETS FROM THE C. P. R. Max Portigal Sentenced to Three Years Imprisonment by Justice Galt — Other Charges May be Made.

Winnipeg, March 26.—Found guilty by a jury on two counts of receiving tickets belonging to the Canadian Pacific Railway, one count of conspiring with conductors on the line to rob the railway, and one count of attempting to bribe conductors, Max Portigal, a local store-keeper, was on Saturday

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Supper was served at 6.30. Dr. William McIntosh gave an interesting talk on canoes in New Brunswick. Arthur Horwood. Federal appointments have been made as follows: J. G. Troy, collector of customs at Newcastle; Laurits Frederic Danielsen, electrician-engineer, St. John quarantine station; Frederick W. Walsh, district sheep promoter, N. B. and N. S.

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THE RIDDLE OF THE SPINNING WHEEL

Being An Exploit in the Career of Hamilton Cleek, Detective By MARY E. AND THOMAS W. HANSHEW

(Continued from Saturday) CHAPTER XVII A Pair-Of Boots Who, indeed? That King's Evidence was beginning to prove itself against still another member of this unhappy household— or, to be more literal, a would-be member— was clearly to be seen. What if the Captain's story of abducting someone else were a mere "blind," as he had thought once before? What if he was in league with Lady Paula herself, and using a pretended affection for Maud Duggan as a wedge to get into the graces of the household? Who knew? Stranger things had happened. But if he was sounder enough to steal the heart of a good woman, such as Miss Duggan, unaccountably was, a good, honest, straight woman, then he was a black-guard indeed! Cleek had come across just such things in his varied experience in Yard matters, and found his faith in human nature apt to be shaken by the least wind that blew upon it. And for the will to disappear— after Sir Andrew had declared that he would disinherit Ross and substitute the name of his sister instead— and not that name which Lady Paula had hoped he would substitute, the name of Cyril Duggan, as all her imaginings had led her to believe— what if, on the strength of this fact, the murder had been committed

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same. Gad! it gave one to think, as the Law gave a widow a third share of everything— and in the case of no will her son had an equal share with the other children of the first family. And Maud Duggan had told him that Sir Andrew had left enough to live upon for herself and Cyril. . . . But all these estates in Scotland, that were not part of the entail, well, a third would certainly bring them more than that. He didn't trust Lady Paula. He'd met her kind too often before to take her upon her word. But the Duggans themselves came of far different stock. It was that might be it. And the air-pistol stunt simply used to throw the blame upon Ross. Gad! it was more credible as one went on thinking about it. But there were loop-holes to be filled up before one could be even sure. The condition of Captain Macdonald's affairs would assist considerably. Maud Duggan had

said he was poor. Another link. He might even be in debt. Possibly was. Well, that must be looked into, too. But if the thing had actually gone so far as murder, why had there been two of 'em— when one would have done? And Lady Paula had stood upon her liege-lord's right hand, and not upon her left. And it was through the heart that that little poison had pierced. And Catherine Dowd stood there. And it was she who had trooped him the poison in the first place! It was the devil's own doing, any way you looked at it. And not only Catherine Dowd, but Miss Debenham and Johanna McCall as well. He reached the house at last, and stepping in through the French window that led to the great drawing-room by the back way, rang a bell there and waited for the maid who answered to come and speak to him. "I want Miss Duggan, please." "The maid withdrew with a discreet, "Yesir," and it was not many seconds later when Maud Duggan herself appeared, looking pale and distraught and exceedingly unhappy. "You wanted me, Mr. Deland?" "I did. Just for a moment," replied Cleek gently, noting her dark-ringed eyes, and in the present state of his mental peregrinations feeling more than a little sorry for her. "I've something to show you. And I want you to tell me exactly to whom they belong and how you think they got where my boy discovered them."

her breath, and then a sudden look of determination came over her face. "Because," she said steadily, "he was coming to meet me in the grounds last night, as he had come often enough before. We could never see each other in daylight, as Father had forbidden him the house, and so we stole our meetings at night, under the old oak tree at the bottom of the first lawn. You can't see it from the house, as that hedge of yew hedges it entirely." "And you saw him last night? You'll swear upon that?" "I— that is— yes, I saw him last night," she replied, with flaming cheeks and upthrown chin. "First Ross, and now Angus! You're cruel, Mr. Deland, cruel as detectives can so often be! I thought you were going to help me— truly— and, instead, you cast suspicions upon the two people I love most dearly in the world! How can I possibly put you upon other clues? Anything to lead you away from such a false and utterly unworthy secret?" Cleek laid a hand upon her arm, still bending his head, looked down at her, a great sadness upon his face. "Justice is so often cruel, Miss Duggan," he said quietly, "and to men in my profession we have so often to be cruel to be kind. I wouldn't hurt you for the world, believe me. But I must do my duty to the Law that employs me at all costs. I am not indicting your fiancé— truly— and there may be still another way out. Men have borrowed each other's boots before now. And if you can tell me the size of the feet of the men in this household, it will be a considerable help."

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HOW quickly work is done up in the home when Linoleum Rugs are used on the floors! Their adoption does away with the drudgery of sweeping and scrubbing; their smooth surface is easily kept spic and span. You can renew their brightness with a damp mop; it is all the attention they require.

Dominion Linoleum Rugs make rooms cosy and homelike. There is no better floor for children to play on, for these Rugs are clean and danger-proof. Dominion Linoleum Rugs are economical. A strong canvas back makes them last for years and years; always look for it before you buy.

Your dealer will be glad to show you the new designs in Dominion Linoleum and Dominion Linoleum Rugs. They are very moderately priced.



Advertisement for McCormick's Jersey Cream Sodas and Biscuits. Includes text: "A real delight to the appetite. Satisfy the hunger." and "McCormick's Jersey Cream Sodas Biscuits".

Large advertisement for Ford cars. Features the slogan "The sixth member of the family" and "THE average Canadian Family consists of five persons." Lists car models and prices: Runabout \$405, Touring \$445, Coupe \$695, Sedan \$785, Chassis \$345, Truck Chassis \$495. Mentions Royden Foley, St. John, N. B.

She shook her head. (To be continued) "I thought so. The name, you see, is inside. May you find them hidden in the shrubbery, just near the gates, and brought them along to me at once. Do you know anything about how they got there, Miss Duggan?" "No. Not a single idea of it, Mr. Deland. That I swear," she returned with emphasis. "Those boots are undoubtedly Captain Macdonald's, of that I am sure. And see, as you say, there is the name inside. But they have not been used by him for a long, long time. It was nearly six months ago, I think, that he left them here, after a meet in our grounds, and before Father had found out anything about our— our— caring for each other. He stayed the night, Mr. Deland, and Ross lent him some sleeping things, and then one of the men-servants carried his hunting togs over to his place the next day." "And these boots?" "Were left behind by mistake. He called for them, but I ask him not to take them away. You see, I— liked to have them here, for silly, sentimental reasons, no doubt. But I told him I loved to see them with the other men's boots— Ross's and Father's and Cyril's and Mr. Tavish's— in our harness-room, where the groom, Jarvis, always takes care of them and keeps them in use, to prevent them cracking. And so Angus laughed at me, and said they might stay, as he'd another pair at home— and teased me terribly over my baby-lishness. It may sound silly to you, Mr. Deland, but it meant a lot to me to see those boots there— belonging where I belonged. It was like a peep into the future. . . . And when the trouble with Father came, I wanted them there more than ever, to keep my heart up. By my knowledge they have never been moved." "And yet my man Dollops found them under the shrubbery and in this condition this morning— after his night's terrible affair, Miss Duggan," put in Cleek quietly, keen eyes upon her face. "It certainly looks black for Angus, Mr. Deland," she replied in a frightened voice. "But I'll swear he never used them. I'll swear it in court, if need be." "How do you know?" "She stopped a moment and sucked in

Advertisement for Painless Extraction. Includes text: "Painless Extraction", "SET MADE . . . . \$8 up", "GOLD CROWNS . . \$5 up", "Maritime Dental Parlors", "38 Charlotte Street, St. John, N. B.", "DR. McKNIGHT, Prop."

Large advertisement for C.C.M. Bicycles. Features the slogan "The Choice of the Champions" and lists several champions: Frank Brown, W. Coles, Norman Webster, Elson McKay, Alf Goulet, Willie Spencer. Includes text: "The Choice of the Champions", "C.C.M. Bicycles", "COLUMBIA—CLEVELAND—RED BIRD MASSEY—PERFECT", "The Bicycles with the C.C.M. Triplex Hanger".

SAYS HYDRO POWER TO REPLACE COAL

Niagara Falls Engineer Predicts Cheaper Power When Coal Veins are Exhausted.

New York, March 26.—Water power will have to replace coal as the source of electrical supply for large cities within a few years because of the progressive exhaustion of the rich coal veins, according to Lorin E. Inlay, consulting engineer of the Niagara Falls Power Company, who with other noted electrical engineers discussed recently at the Engineering Societies Building the problem of bringing electricity generated by water power into New York.

"It may be well," said Mr. Inlay, "to remind those who are doubtful about the sufficiency of power transmitted over long-distance lines to meet the demands of our cities to remember that in the not very distant future it will be the only source of supply we will have. The end of the coal supply will not come suddenly, but the cost is destined to increase, as the most available veins are exhausted and as the distance it has to be hauled becomes greater."

George A. Crook, consulting engineer of the New York Edison Company, said that hydro-electric power would not serve any useful purpose until it could be delivered at New York City at a price low enough to compensate for the loss which would be incurred in efficiency of operation through reducing the output of the steam power houses.

F. W. Scheldenhelm, a consulting engineer, agreed that the utilization of hydro power would bring economic advantages. LIQUOR VALUED AT \$15,000 SEIZED IN BAR HARBOR RAID

Bangor, Me., March 26.—Liquor valued at \$15,000 was seized at Bar Harbor last week by Deputy Collector of Customs Higgins and federal prohibition agents, who took from the cottage premises of George E. McKay fifty-two cases of whiskey and a ten-gallon keg of Santa Cruz rum, and from the premises of J. H. Stafford about 220 cases of whiskey. The liquor is supposed to have been landed from a steamer from the West Indies. All of the goods are high grade.

wash the dishes with Snowflake Ammonia One to two tablespoonsful in dish water makes the dishes spotlessly clean.

Shirriff's MARMALADE PURE & DELICIOUS Other household favorites: Shirriff's Vanilla Essence, Shirriff's Jelly Powders.

A.P.C. can be worn by a woman of full figure with as much grace as a debutante. The P.C. is firm enough to keep the figure from spreading, yet flexible enough for comfort and movement. They lend grace and poise to the well developed figure. The best value for the money. Front lace, Back lace—white and flesh. Parisian Corset Manufacturing Co. Limited Montreal QUEBEC

"P.C. Corsets" RUST PROOF GUARANTEED for BURNS, BRUISES, cuts, scalds and nervous headaches. Nearly Everybody Uses MENTHOLATUM

Head on tight Stick made right Safe, sure light. MAPLE LEAF MATCHES Well worth 15¢ a box

MOUNTAIN DEW They're Making It in Donegal—Colleens Scouts to Warn of Raiders.

Belfast, March 26.—The manufacture of illicit whiskey is being carried on vigorously in the desolate Donegal Mountains, according to reports here. Pretty collens in attractive Irish costumes assist their countrymen by acting as scouts. They sit and knit near the stills and have arranged such a perfect system of signals that the police cannot approach within five miles of any particular still without the dispatch of a warning of their presence.

Farmers are said to carry on this business in ravines and valleys of the mountains and thousands of stills are reported to be in operation. MONTREAL TO SETTLE DAYLIGHT TIME QUESTION ON APRIL 3

Montreal, March 26.—Daylight saving, which hangs in suspense at the City Hall, will not be decided until April 3, when the council will meet to dispose of the question.

British Mines Back to Normal. London, March 10.—(By mail.)—During the last three months of 1922 English mines produced 67,690,000 tons of coal, an amount which has not been equalled since 1918.

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Matters Before The Hydro Commission

Acceptance of Tender For Wire and Transformers Recommended—Building For Headquarters—More Canvasers.

The Civic Power Commission at its meeting on Saturday afternoon recommended the acceptance of the tenders from the Canada Wire and Cable Company, Limited, represented by H. M. Hopper, and the Canadian General Electric Company, Limited, for copper wire. The total expenditure involved is \$21,178.80. The tender from the Canadian General Electric Company, Limited, for thirty-nine small transformers, at a lump sum of \$7,171 being the lowest tender was ordered recommended for acceptance.

A most encouraging report on the first week's work of the canvassers for the distribution of the commission's current when it is ready was presented by Roy Willet, the secretary. He reported that more than fifty per cent of those called on had signed up definitely while minor objections alone prevented others. Few refusals were met with, he said. He recommended, however, that six new canvassers be engaged to hasten this work in view of the immediate success that has attended the efforts of the canvassers employed last week.

The recommendation immediately was acted upon by the commission and six new men will commence their duties at once. Among other matters, the engineer's report recommended that tenders be invited for material for the construction of the distribution system, such as crossarms, rods, brackets, etc. It was decided that specifications would be issued at once and that tenders would close on Thursday, April 5.

Permanent Office. A. M. Rowan presented a tentative report on the purchase of the Canada Permanent Mortgage building in Prince William street by the commission as permanent quarters for handling the commission's business. The building, he said, was in the market for \$24,000 and that the company would be willing to take city bonds in payment for the building. A yearly rental of nearly \$2,000 could be obtained from the building and the commission could be housed rent free. The offer was considered quite attractive to the commission members and it was finally decided to have Messrs. Rowan and Harding appointed as a committee to bring in a report at the next meeting on this matter.

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Spring Opening Display

At Dykeman's Everything Ready for Easter and Afterwards

THE CHOICEST OFFERINGS from the country's foremost designers and manufacturers are to be seen in a wealth of models and fabrics impossible to describe. They must be seen to be properly appreciated.

How well this store is prepared to help you get outfitted for Easter at a price well within your means can be best learned by a visit here within the next few days.

We welcome you to this display and assure you every assistance to help in the selection of the proper wardrobe for Easter.

The Coats

Very appealing are the models for spring in separate coats. Made in rayon and set-in sleeves, belted, loose back and and wrappy styles. The materials are fancy tweeds, polo cloth, polier, tricotine, English velours and Bolivia cloths.

New Silks

Just unpacked, all represent the very latest in fabrics and colorings.

The Blouses

Before deciding upon the blouses you need for your Spring wardrobe you should inspect our present offerings. Fashion's best creations for the new season are to be seen in ample array to permit selecting blouses to meet your own ideas of dress.

The Suits

The Suit Department disclosed a bewildering array of garments in the new 3-piece suit with top of canton crepe and Russian blouse effects and the popular plain tailored-lines. Materials of poiret twills, tricootines and fine serges in navy, black, sand, fawn, camel brown and other leading shades. For the sports woman, business like and very trim suits of all wool tweeds. Prices to suit all pocket books.

Dress Accessories

In visiting our store tomorrow and on succeeding days you will find countless dainty accessories which are inseparable from the modish costume.

Gloves, hosiery, neckwear, novelty ribbons, jewellery and other accessories were never lovelier than they are this Spring.

The Blouses

The jacquette is one of the most popular variations and vastly becoming to all women. Other blouses in paisley designs, hand made wools, tuxedo styles and frilled fronts in a pleasing variety of approved fashions for Spring.

The prices are very moderate.

The Blouses

Caravan Crêpe in paisley designs and new color effects. Matalassee Silks in new shades. The very latest for jacquette and overblouses.

Wundersilk Crêpe for the dresses of two tone effects with paisley waist. Paisley silks to match.

Many other novelty silks including Shot taffetas.

F. A. Dykeman & Co. CHARLOTTE STREET

MORNING NEWS OVER THE WIRES

Homer King, twenty-four years of age, a son of W. H. King, superintendent of the New Brunswick Gas and Oil Fields Company at Hillsboro was killed by a boiler explosion recently while at work for a week in Arkansas. He was unmarried.

Miko Bagolonia, a Russian, was found dead on the C. N. E. tracks near Pacific Junction on Saturday morning. An inquest is being held at Moncton. The chief of police has communicated with relatives at Boardman, Pa.

Ruby Wilson, aged twelve, of Spanish Bay, Guysboro county, was burned to death on Saturday morning when her clothes caught fire from the stove in her home. Her mother, Mrs. Kenneth Wilson is in a critical condition.

Following a terrific explosion at Hamilton Gas Company, Hamilton, Ont., five occurred early yesterday which completely destroyed the building and contents with loss put at \$125,000. The general manager declares burglars caused the wreck by means of a time bomb.

Four men were killed on the French trawler Jules Vandeville by an explosion of boiler tubes on March 17 while the steamer was fishing on the Grand Banks. Wireless calls brought the Jules Ely, 150 miles away, who towed her for seven days into Halifax.

Luigi Rocca, Italian banker, died in Montreal on Saturday of an overdose of morphine. The offices of the firm closed following the death and investigation of its affairs is being made. It is alleged heavy losses were experienced in dealings in exchange.

FOR MANITOBA MOTHERS.

Estimates Totalling \$450,000 Passed Legislature.

Winnipeg, March 26.—Despite strong criticism of the Government by Labor members, who claimed the amount should be \$400,000, the estimates under the Mothers' Allowance Act, totalling \$450,000, were passed in the Legislature, an amendment by John Queen expressing regret that the Government had not seen fit to continue the work on the former basis, being voted down by a large majority in committee today.

The Laborites took the ground that the Government was pursuing a "penny wise pound foolish" policy, in view of the fact that it cost more to look after children in institutions than to provide for their care in the home. Hon. Robert Jacob and Mrs. Edith Rogers, Liberals, Winnipeg, joined in the plea for an additional allowance.

The stand of the Government was expressed by Hon. F. M. Black Provincial Treasurer, who claimed that, having due regard to revenue, the Government was trying to be fair to the widows and the tax-payers. He pointed out that Manitoba was paying more for Mothers' Allowances than any other province in the Dominion, and that there was only one state in the Union that equals the Manitoba legislation.

ARCHBISHOP OF PUEBLA VICTIM OF PNEUMONIA

Mexico City, March 26.—Monsignor Enrique Sanchez Paredes, Archbishop of Puebla, died suddenly yesterday from pneumonia at Tepozotlan, while making a tour of his diocese. He was one of the youngest Mexican Archbishops, and was graduated from Pio Latino College, in Rome.

NO TURNING BACK.

(William Jennings Bryan.) "After a long drawn out contest, Prohibition came as the triumph of the conscience of a nation. The reform progressed slowly but surely, and there is no turning back. It is the greatest moral victory ever won at the polls."

"Alcohol as a beverage has been indicted as criminal, brought to the bar of judgment, condemned and executed. Our nation will be saloonless ever more and will lead the world in the great crusade which will drive intoxicating liquor from the globe."

EDISON PRAISES PROHIBITION.

Thomas A. Edison, great American inventor, when asked the other day what he thought of Prohibition said: "Sober America! I am for it by all means. I know Prohibition is a failure in the cities but when wood alcohol kills off all the old soaks Prohibition will have its day. The boys and girls of the next generation won't have any taste for the stuff."

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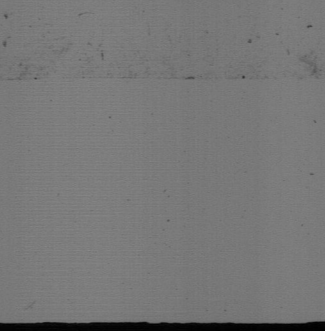
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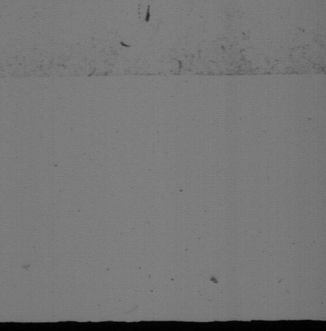
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WHAT'S DOING IN THE MONEY AND STOCK MARKETS TODAY

REACTIONARY IN WALL STREET

Margin Calls Not Met in Further Liquidation at the Opening This Morning.

New York, March 26.—Inability or unwillingness to meet margin calls resulted in further liquidation at the opening of today's stock market.

Montreal Exchange. Montreal, March 26.—Extreme dullness marked the opening of trading on the local stock market this morning.

NEWS NOTES OF STOCK INTEREST (McDougall & Cowans private wire).

Willys Overland and subsidiaries for 1922 net profits \$2,770,861 after interest depreciation and other operating \$2,097,781 has been set aside to cover price allowed on cars reserved against March inventory, etc., against deficit \$1,240,101 in 1921.

MORNING STOCK LETTER. (McDougall & Cowans private wire).

EXPECT HIGHER WAGES. The major steel companies of the United States and this past week have refused to accept orders for new business because of the expectations of higher costs of production in the near future.

JOBBERS RAISE WOOLLENS. New York, March 26.—Woolen jobbers are cashing in on the upward trend of fabrics.

STETSON HOLDS OLD PRICES. Philadelphia, March 26.—There will be no increase in the price of Stetson hats for the fall season, according to the John B. Stetson Company.

FINANCIAL

NEW YORK MARKET. (By direct private wire to McDougall & Cowans, 28 King street, city.)

Table with columns: Stock Name, Open, High, Low, Close. Includes Atchafalca, Allied Chem X.D., Am Car & Fdry, etc.

STOCKS TO TWELVE NOON. New York, March 26.

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STOCKS TO TWELVE NOON. Montreal, March 26.

Table with columns: Stock Name, Open, High, Low, Close. Includes Abitibi Com, Asbestos Corp, Asbestos Pfd, etc.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET. Chicago, March 26.

Table with columns: Grain Name, Price. Includes May wheat, July wheat, etc.

WINNIPEG GRAIN MARKET. Winnipeg, March 26.

Table with columns: Grain Name, Price. Includes May wheat, July wheat, etc.

SAUNDERS TO TAKE DELIVERY UNDER TERMS

Memphis, March 26.—Clarence Saunders, president of the Piggly Wiggly Stores today will accept delivery from "shorts" caught in last week's jam in "Class A" Piggly Wiggly, but no acceptance is to be made with certain reservations.

OPINIONS ON THE STOCK MARKET. (McDougall & Cowans.)

New York, March 26.—Houseman: "It is our opinion that the present phase will be more of a bond than a break."

FINANCIAL NOTES. Montreal, March 26.—Bar silver 82.3-4d on ounce.

CUBAN TRADE BOOMING. New York, March 26.—W. V. Harlow, freight traffic manager of the United Fruit Company, who returned Thursday from a trip to Cuba, said that as a result of the increase in the price of sugar, trade there is improving rapidly and the outlook is optimistic.

PULP AND PAPER WORKERS ASKING INCREASE IN PAY. Ottawa, March 26.—Nearly 80,000 pulp, paper and sulphite workers are demanding increases in wages because the cost of living has increased and because the paper industry is more prosperous and manufacturers are getting higher prices for their products.

TENDER. Power Commission of St. John, N. B. SEALED TENDERS will be received by the Power Commission of St. John, N. B., on or before the 27th inst., for the City of Saint John, after that date.

APRIL 5TH, 1923. Tenders shall be marked: "Tenders for Lize Materials."

AUCTIONS. CLOSING OUT SALE BY AUCTION. Cash Register, Silent Salesman, Player, etc.

BY STEAMSHIP AND RAIL. Intercontinental Transports Limited. From West St. John, N. B.

ESTATE SALE RARE OLD MAHOAGANY SILVERWARE LUSTRE PITCHERS, CHINAWARE, PRAXIS, INLAID FRENCH CHAIR, HAND-MADE QUILTS, ENGRAVINGS, PAINTINGS, ETC. REMOVED TO OUR SALESROOM FOR CONVENIENCE.

ON SALE BY AUCTION. I am instructed to sell by Public Auction at salesroom, 36 Germain street, on TUESDAY AFTERNOON, the 27th inst., commencing at 3 o'clock—

MRS. MITCHELL ON THE WAY TO JOIN HER HUSBAND

Society Women Believe Him Innocent of Artist Model's Murder

Identity of Mysterious "Mr. Marshall" and "Mr. Wilson" Revealed in Sensational New York Slaying—Blackmail, Says District Attorney.

(Canadian Press) Palm Beach, Fla., March 26.—Mrs. J. K. Mitchell, wife of the wealthy John Kearsley Mitchell, president of the Philadelphia Rubber Works, identified as the mysterious "Mr. Marshall" in the Dorothy Keenan murder case, in New York, left here early today on a private car for Philadelphia to join her husband.

Mr. Stetsberg declared his faith in his son-in-law was not shaken by his alleged relation to the Keenan girl case. Mrs. Marshall asserted that she and her husband "are the best of chums" and said she knew that he "could not have been unfaithful" to her.

These circumstances surrounding the unsolved murder of Dorothy Keenan in her apartment at 144 West Fifty-seventh street.

Mr. Mitchell and Mr. Jackson will be taken to determine if he sustained internal injuries.

Frederick B. Tapley, engineer of maintenance, C. N. E. eastern lines, has been transferred to Winnipeg, where it is understood he will occupy a position on the C. N. E. similar to the one he has filled at Moncton.

Additional signs of the millennial relation to the model and the extent of their intimacy was revealed in a report Mr. Le Brun made to the coroner, and oblique comments during Mr. Marshall's tete-a-tete with the blonde model.

Here it is disclosed for the first time that in addition to a pair of yellow silk pajamas which he mailed, Bill Bradford, said belonged to Mr. Marshall, there was a black-handled umbrella in a white stone stand in the vestibule without the knowledge of Dr. Norris, and other documents.

It is expected that the Immigration Department estimates will be taken up again on Tuesday, when Hon. Charles Stewart has promised a statement regarding expenditures under the vote for public associations.

PRIZES FOR ACCOUNTS. The Bloomingdale Brothers' store in New York City, has started a contest among its employees to encourage getting new accounts for the store.

TRAFFIC SETS RECORD. Freight traffic on American railroads in January, 1923, established a new record for that month, according to the American Railway Association.

THOUGHT. Thought fertilizes the financial field and brings forth crops worth while.

THOUGHTFUL man of affairs conducts his business with the greatest care. He knows that the manner in which all loans are made by this institution makes it desirable as a depository for his funds.

CANADA PERMANENT MORTGAGE CORPORATION. ST. JOHN, N.B.

Is THIS ALL YOU HAVE LAID BY FOR A RAINY DAY? An IMPERIAL LIFE POLICY will help you save. M. L. McPhail, Branch Manager, St. John.

LOCAL NEWS

Word has been received that the embargo on lumber shipments to Boston and points west and south of that city has been lifted.

Ronald Chase, an employee of the Atlantic Sugar Refineries, fell from a boiler while at work early yesterday morning and sustained injuries to his chest.

At a conference on Saturday between the Mayor and commissioners and the chairman of the board of assessors it was decided that there should be no contest in Fredericton when the bill relating to exemption from city assessment of certain county residents employed in the city came before the committee there.

Next Matter to be Requested by Hon. W. S. Fielding for Interim Supply. (Canadian Press) Ottawa, March 26.—With the approach of the Easter recess, members of all parties in the Commons are looking forward to the resumption of their parliamentary duties.

Conditions in the linen industry of northern Ireland are improving slowly, according to Harry F. Turle, head of the Turle Brothers, linen importers, who has just returned from a business trip to Ireland.

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TRAFFIC SETS RECORD. Freight traffic on American railroads in January, 1923, established a new record for that month, according to the American Railway Association.

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PORT OF ST. JOHN. Arrived Yesterday. St. Metagama, 7665, Turnbull, from Glasgow and Belfast.

BRITISH PORTS. London, March 23—Ard, str Canadian Conqueror, St. John.

FOREIGN PORTS. Rotterdam, March 25—Sld, str Calisto, Louisburg, N. S.

MARINE NOTES. S. S. Lexington sailed from London on March 22 for St. John direct.

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ONTARIO APPLES HIGH IN MONTREAL

Variety Which Brings Farmers in Ontario \$2 per Barrel, Sells in Montreal for \$9.

Ottawa, March 26.—Ontario apples of varieties which met the producer two dollars a barrel on the tree are peddled in small measure lots from door to door in Montreal at a price equivalent to nine dollars a barrel.

After Pleasant Trip. M. J. Burns of 101 Prince Edward street, returned home on Saturday after a very pleasant ten days trip to Schenectady, New York, where he met his mother, sisters and brother, returning home by way of Montreal, where he was the guest of his mother-in-law, and also sister-in-law, Mrs. F. J. Smith.

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INDIAN RELEASED AFTER SERVING TWENTY-FIVE YRS.

Set Free from Atlanta Penitentiary—Was Convicted for Murder He Did Not Commit—Is Heir to Oil Millions.

Washington, March 26.—What the Department of Justice declares is "one of the most remarkable, and perhaps the most tragic, cases" ever brought to its attention was revealed recently when the department announced that Charnes Tidwell, a half-breed Cherokee Indian, had been released from the Atlanta Penitentiary after serving nearly twenty-five years for a murder of which he was innocent.

Probably the most dramatic feature of the strange case is that the Indian now finds himself the master of millions of dollars in oil lands he inherited during his quarter century behind steel bars.

Tidwell's story, which is filed with romance and which the department likens to that of the Count of Monte Cristo, began in 1899, when he was accused of the murder of one Jim Brown, who was shot while plowing in his fields near Tallahassee.

At this period, however, Attorney-General Daugherty was advised by Miss Alice Robertson, Congresswoman from Oklahoma, that additional evidence had been obtained in Tidwell's case.

Shortly after Tidwell reached his native Oklahoma, the widow of Jim Brown was found to have made a death bed confession in which she exonerated the Indian boy from any complicity whatever in the murder of her husband.

The Lord has been wanting me to tell it for all these years and I am afraid He won't forgive me for not telling it, the affidavit made by the woman.

The confession of the mother was followed by another from the son whose testimony was a great factor in the conviction. The son is now in prison and the department has on file an affidavit saying he was coerced to perjure himself.

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TAKE DR. SYRUP PEPSIN CALDWELL'S LAXATIVE The family remedy

"HOUSE OF DAVID" PROBE EXTENDED

Women May Be Permitted to Testify as to Alleged Immoral Practices.

Grand Rapids Mich., March 26.—Instead of an early conclusion of the hearing in Federal Court here of the suit filed by John Hansell for an accounting with the Israelite House of David, extended testimony is in prospect as a result of a ruling by the court that the evidence might deal with alleged immoral conditions within the Bentons Harbor colony.

Walter H. Nelson of Detroit, attorney for the plaintiff, said in opening up the question of moral conditions at the colony that misrepresentation of conditions to prospective members is a part of the fraud alleged by the plaintiff, who seeks to recover \$80,000 as the value of his labor and property that turned over to the cult.

The witness declared Purnell maintained a muck racket, at which the girls were trained for possible appearance in legal action against the cult or for an investigation such as was once threatened by Berrien county officials.

A defence motion for a continuance until some further date was denied by Judge Sater.

Mrs. Emma Rosetta of Newark, N. J., a former preacher of the cult, asserted that the basement of Shilo, Purnell's residence, was "filled with beer."

Benjamin called it 'foam' and said it purged his soul, he declared. "He drank it continually." The witness also asserted there was drunkenness among the girls at Shilo.

TO TEST GOLD POSSIBILITIES OF LABRADOR

Former Govt. Steamer Petrel, Now Taking Supplies at Halifax, will Sail with a Party of Twenty to Seek Precious Metal.

(Halifax Chronicle.) Swinging easily with the tide at her berth at Pier One, Dockyard, the low lying, speedy little steamer, Petrel, is taking on supplies for a journey which may prove momentous in the gold mining annals of Canada.

The party is under the direction of Mr. C. W. Berry, of Montreal, and with him will go a party of twenty engineers, assayers, workers with a doctor to keep the party fit.

The Petrel is being provided for a six months trip but Mr. Berry expects to be absent only a matter of six weeks. The run to the coast of Labrador will be made in a few days and the party will immediately go ashore where they will make their survey and determine whether the sands along the rivers and streams are sufficiently laden with the gold dust to make their efforts worth while at Stag Bay.

The Petrel will make port in Stag Bay and from there the party will make their landing in motor boats. The trip up the rivers will be negotiated by ski and snow shoes and the party desires to get to work before the snow and ice are melting into the rivers.

The recent experiments made with the sand along the rivers and lakes of the cold northland are, Mr. Berry says, like the dream of some old prospector, and if the actual conditions come up to the reports of the gold bearing sands there will be a greater rush this summer at Labrador than Klondike saw in '98.

The gold sought will be entirely placer gold and an apparatus for extracting it from the sands will go aboard the Petrel. Samples will be brought back.

The party expect to cover a great deal of the country in the journey on snow shoes. Mr. Berry states that while the weather at the present time is cold and work will be difficult, it will not be so at a later date, when the mosquitoes are usually plentiful.

It is an easy country to walk but under ordinary conditions is not so pleasant. The shallow rivers and bays and streams in the vicinity of Stag Bay will be investigated before the party returns. Mr. Berry's exact destination is, of course, not announced.

Rumors of immense gold riches in the Labrador District have constantly filtered into the Upper Canadian provinces. Mr. Berry said that many years ago a half breed arrived in Montreal bearing some remarkably rich gold quartz. He refused to stich where he had discovered them, and an attempt to follow the breed failed, for he easily lost his trail in the North lands and his cache of gold was never discovered.

The Brotherhood of Dominion Express Employees, Local No. 24, held a successful smoker and banquet on Saturday evening. The first part of the programme was held in the Market Building. Addresses were delivered by J. R. Haycock, superintendent of the company; C. H. O'Brien, H. C. Marley, provincial grand president; L. C. Goode, R. W. Woods, J. Hennessey and Mr. Holbrook.

At the conclusion of the addresses the party adjourned to the LaFour where a turkey supper was served. Bayard Curgenue's orchestra rendered a musical programme and solos were sung by J. W. Fott, H. C. Marley, C. H. O'Brien and Mr. Thompson. The accompanists were Messrs. Woodhouse and Currie.

Carters Fountain Pen Ink advertisement with image of a fountain pen and text: 'For Perfect Fountain Pen Diet Call for CARTER'S Fountain Pen Ink'

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LOCAL NEWS The Government has set the date for the hearing of the petitions for the removal of the oil shale, "blanket" legislation, of the municipalities and of the farmers of Alberta and West-norland counties for Thursday next at 11 a. m.

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Cartoon strip showing characters talking about a derrick and a box. 'MUTT, WE'RE LEAVING EGYPT TODAY AND I'VE GOT LUMBA SO BAD I CAN'T HANDLE MY BAGGAGE! HELP IS SO SCARCER THAT I'LL GIVE YOU TWO BUCKS IF YOU GET IT OVER TO THE BOAT FOR ME.'

KEEP IT UNDER YOUR HAT BUT IT'S A BLOCK OF STONE OUT OF THE PYRAMID NEXT TO KING TUT'S TOMB.

Cartoon strip showing characters talking about a block of stone and a pyramid. 'SAY, WHAT'S IN IT, ANYWAY?' 'KEEP IT UNDER YOUR HAT BUT IT'S A BLOCK OF STONE OUT OF THE PYRAMID NEXT TO KING TUT'S TOMB.'

By "BUD" FISHER

THE EVENING TIMES AND STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B., MONDAY, MARCH 26, 1923

### CAMBRIDGE BEFORE CONTEST WITH OXFORD



The Cambridge crew in the annual contest with Oxford, on Saturday, was defeated.

## Sport News of A Day; Home and Abroad

### BOWLING.

**Modern League.**  
The mixed team of the New Brunswick Telephone Company took four points from the Workmen's Compensation Board team on Saturday night on the Imperial alleys.

**Meeting Tomorrow Night.**  
A meeting of the team captains of the Commercial Bowling League will be held tomorrow night at 83 Simonds street for the purpose of arranging for the final banquet and the presentation of prizes for the season.

### BASKETBALL.

**Trojans Return.**  
The Trojans Basketball team returned on Saturday from Woodstock where they were beaten on Friday night by a score of 46 to 43. Although the local team lost this game they hold the vicinal title easily. They ended the season with a score of 103 to 100 against the Woodstock team.

### BASKETBALL.

**St. David's Boys Win.**  
St. David's Tuxis Boys basketball team defeated the Exmouth street team in a Tuxis League match played on St. David's floor Saturday night, 26-16. The lineup:

**St. David's.** Exmouth Street.  
Forwards: Thomas, Armstrong, Shaw, Centre.  
Smith, Guards.  
Sage, Cosman.  
Fraser, Withers.  
Referee—A. R. Crookshank.

**Win International Title.**  
Youngstown, O., March 26.—Cincinnati won the International Y. M. C. A. basketball championship, defeating the Toronto team in the finals of the tournament here 44 to 25.

### ATHLETIC.

**Oxford Wins Annual.**  
The fifty-fifth annual track meet between Oxford and Cambridge, held at the Queen's Club, London, Saturday resulted in a win for the former by seven events to four. Dr. Mitchell of Red Deer, Alta., won the pole vault for Oxford. F. K. Brown, Oxford, broke the shot-put record with a throw of 42 feet, 8 inches; and H. M. Abraham of Cambridge smashed the broad jump mark by doing 28 feet, 7 1/2 inches.

### WRESTLING.

**Bout Cancelled.**  
New York, March 26.—The wrestling bout scheduled for tonight was cancelled yesterday by request of the State A. C., which held that Ernest Siegfried, the "German Oak" was a more suitable opponent for the heavy weight champion.

### RING.

**Postet Defeated.**  
Paris, March 26.—Fred Bretton Saturday night won the French light-weight boxing championship on points from Leon Postet, title-holder.

### VILLA WINS.

Waterbury, Conn., March 26.—Pancho Villa defeated Willie Darcy of New York in twelve rounds here, Saturday.

### BOUTS FOR McTIGUE.

Rochester, N. Y., March 26.—Negotiations for three bouts for Mike McTigue are under way and will be with Georges Carpentier, Johnny Wilson and Gene Tunney.

### CETQUI ARRIVES.

New York, March 26.—Eugene Criqui, French boxer, arrived here Saturday.

### TURF.

**Peter the Great Dead.**  
Indianapolis, March 26.—Peter the Great, famous racing sire of the stable of S. A. Fletcher, died here yesterday. He was twenty-eight years of age and had sired 549 standard track performers.

### HOCKEY.

**Boston A. A. Champions.**  
Boston, March 26.—The Boston A. A. won the U. S. amateur hockey championship Saturday night by defeating St. Paul Hockey Club 2 to 1. In the finals for the championship B. A. A. won three games and St. Paul one.

### TENNIS.

**Cannes Tournament.**  
Cannes, March 26.—Mrs. Satterthwaite of Great Britain defeated Mrs. Beamish of Great Britain, Saturday, in the finals of the women's singles of the lawn tennis tournament here. Miss Suzanne Lenglen won the events in which she was entered in the tournament finals.

### BASEBALL.

**Exhibition Games.**  
At San Antonio—R. H. E. New York Giants..... 9 15 0 Chicago White Sox..... 9 16 8 Called in 9th, darkness.  
Batteries—McQuillan, Blume, V. and Gaston; Mack, Faber, Duff and Graham, Schalk.  
At New Orleans—R. H. E. New York Americans..... 9 14 1 New Orleans..... 3 3 1 Batteries—Shawkey, Penneck and Schang, Hoffman; Matteson, Polson, Statham and Dowie.

### At Selma, Ala.—R. H. E.

Rochester Internationals..... 4 11 2 Philadelphia Americans..... 2 6 1 Batteries—Tirney, Winner and Lake; Taylor, Lloyd, McMillan, O'Neill and Perkins.

At Lakeland, Fla.—R. H. E. Cleveland Americans..... 7 11 2 Cincinnati Nationals..... 4 11 1 Batteries—Uhl, Morton and Myatt; Donohue, Benton and Wingo.

At Mobile—R. H. E. Philadelphia Nationals..... 9 11 0 Mobile..... 5 5 4 Batteries—Ogden, Harris, Hasty and Bruzy; Sigmun, McCabe and Long.

At Tampa—R. H. E. St. Louis Nationals..... 0 3 3 Washington Americans..... 6 10 1 Batteries—Barfoot, Bailey, Perica and Clemons; Alsmith, McCurdy; Morrige, Brillhart, Zachery and Gharthy, Lapan.

At St. Petersburg—R. H. E. Boston Nationals..... 8 14 1 Brooklyn Nationals..... 5 12 1 Batteries—Marquard, Cooney and Gowdy; Harper, G. Smith and Taylor.

At Hot Springs—R. H. E. Pittsburg..... 10 15 0 Boston Americans..... 7 13 5 Batteries—Pearson, Boehler, Babe Adams and Jonnard; Mattox, Ehmske, Ferguson and Murray.

At Los Angeles—R. H. E. Chicago Nationals..... 0 3 0 Augustus..... 1 5 1 Batteries—Alexander, Keen and Hartnet; May, Doyle and Hannah.

At Augusta—R. H. E. Detroit Americans..... 6 10 3 Augustus..... 1 5 1 Batteries—Collins, Johnson and Bassler, Woodall; Smythe, Moore and Powell, Gill.

At Dallas—R. H. E. St. Louis Americans..... 6 10 2 Dallas..... 1 10 2 Batteries—Wright, Boyne, Draft and Roland; Fulton, Long and Heavring.

At San Antonio—R. H. E. Chicago Americans..... 6 9 1 New York Nationals..... 3 11 0 Batteries—Levetzke, Connolly, Davernport and Schalk; Graham, Nehf, Jogard and Snyder.

At Memphis—R. H. E. Louisville American Association..... 5 7 8 Memphis..... 7 11 4 Called in 9th, darkness.

At Hot Springs—R. H. E. Boston Americans..... 11 11 4 Pittsburgh..... 12 14 1 Batteries—Quinn, Murray, Fullerton and Percy; Chapman, Morrison, Kuna and Glasner.

At Los Angeles—R. H. E. Chicago Nationals..... 6 13 0 Los Angeles..... 2 8 1 Batteries—Aldridge, Osborne and Hartnet; Lyons, Wallace, Thomas and Baldwin.

At Montgomery—R. H. E. Philadelphia Americans..... 4 6 2 Rochester Internationals..... 4 8 1 (Called, ninth, darkness.)  
Batteries—Helmach, Rommel and Perkins; Beal, Mijus and Lake.

### FOOTBALL.

**A British Defeat.**  
London, March 26.—The British army suffered a crushing defeat at Twickenham yesterday afternoon at the hands of the "Poles" when the French army registered a victory against them of fifteen points to six in an inter-Army rugby game.

**British Games.**  
London, March 24.—Results of old country soccer this afternoon were as follows:

**English League.**  
First Division.  
Oldham 0, Arsenal 0.  
Aston Villa 3, Birmingham 0.  
Notts Forest 1, Blackburn Rovers 0.  
Burnley 0, Huddersfield 2.  
Middlesbrough 0, Cardiff City 1.  
Chelsea vs. West Bromwich (unplayed).

Liverpool 2, Manchester City 0.  
Preston North End 2, Sunderland 0.  
Tottenham Hotspur 3, Stoke 1.

**Second Division.**  
Bury 0, Southampton 0.  
Clapton Orient 2, Notts County 1.  
Coventry City 1, Leicester City 1.  
Leeds United 4, Crystal Palace 1.  
Manchester United vs. Bradford City (unplayed).

Portvale vs. Blackpool (unplayed).  
South Shields 1, The Wednesday 1.  
Stockport City 0, Fulham 2.  
Wolverhampton 3, Barnsley 3.  
Rotherham vs. Derby City (unplayed).  
Westham vs. Hull City (unplayed).

**Scottish League.**  
First Division.  
Aberdeen 1, Third Lanark 1.  
Airdrieonians 2, Hibernians 1.

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## "Babe" Ruth Harrassed By Boils And Illness Faces \$50,000 Suit



New York, March 26.—What with boils, weak ankles and a siege of the "flu," Babe Ruth, star performer and prima donna extraordinaire of the New York Yankees, has more than his usual quota of trouble just as the spring baseball season opened.

But "Babe's" troubles have only begun, for last week a \$50,000 suit was filed against him by Miss Delores Dixon of New York, through her attorney, George Feinberg, charging him with assault.

Ruth claimed he could have settled the suit out of court, but that he refused, and insisted upon its being fought out in open court. He declared he did not know the young woman in question, and said he "would like to see what she looked like."

Shrinking from publicity, Miss Dixon led newspaper photographers a merry chase for days before her picture was finally snapped after she had been convinced that the best way to let Mr. Ruth see "what she looked like" was to publish her picture in the newspapers.

With Babe Ruth in the South are Bradford 3, Rochdale 0. Creve Alexandra 1, Nelson 0. Durham City 0, Darlington 0. Grimsby 3, Stalybridge 0. Barrow 0, Halifax 1. Tranmere Rovers 4, Wrexham 0. Wallasey 2, Ashington 1. Wigan Boro 2, Hartlepool 0.

**Southern Section.**  
Aberdeen 3, Charlton Athletic 1. Bristol City 4, Norwich City 0.

**Irish Cup.**  
Belfast, March 24.—The semi-final of the Irish Football Association cup this afternoon resulted as follows:  
Linfield 1, Distillery 0.  
Result of the gold cup was:  
Clifton 3, Glenavon 6.  
Scottish League.

**Second Division.**  
Queenspark 1, Clyde Bank 1. Bathgate 2, Arbroath 1. Boness 0, East Fife 0. Broxburn 2, Johnstone 1. Cowdenbeath 2, St. Bernard 1. Dumbarton 0, St. Johnstone 0. East Stirling 1, Dunfermline 1. Forfar 4, Leuchly 1. Kingspark 1, Vale of Leven 1.

**Rugby Results.**  
London, March 25.—Rugby football games played under the Rugby Union yesterday afternoon resulted as follows:  
Blackheath 3, Bristol 7. London, Welsh, 4, Harquins, 20. Richmond, 6, Portsmouth Services, 1. Rosslyn Park, 0, London Scottish, 8. Swansea, 35, Guy's Hospital, 15. Devonport Services, 6, Cardiff, 9. Wakefield, 3, Northampton 3. Newport, 6, Plymouth Albion, 4. Cheltenham, 8, Gloucester, 21. Pontypool, 13, Llanina, 21. Maccles, 6, Heath, 0. Coventry, 0, Nuneaton, 0. Crosskeys, 10, Bath, 3. Aberavon, 10, Llanelly, 6.

**Scottish Rugby.**  
Heriotians, 14, Stewartonians, 10. Glasgow Academicals, 37, Melrose, 6. County Championships.  
Semi-final, played at Leicester: Leicestershire, 17, Cumberland, 6.

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**Professional Rugby.**  
London, March 26.—Professional rugby games played under Northern Union auspices yesterday afternoon produced the following decisions:  
Barrow, 22, St. Helen's, 10.  
Bartley, 24, Keighley, 3.  
Bradford, 3, Wakefield, 18.  
Bramley, 12, Dewsbury, 0.  
Halifax, 6, Hull, 20.  
Hull Kingston Rovers, 13, Broughton, 3.  
Hunslet, 41, Salford, 2.  
Rochdale, 6, Oldham, 18.  
Warrington, 3, St. Helen's Recs, 7.  
Widnes, 14, Wigan, Highfield, 8.  
Wigan, 0, Swinton, 13.  
York, 0, Huddersfield, 5.

**AQUATIC.**  
Claims Swimming Record.  
Mudgeburg, Germany, March 26.—Herr Skamper of the Ithenus Swimming Club of Cologne, Saturday established what is claimed to be a world's record by swimming 200 metres, breast stroke, in two minutes and fifty and four-tenths seconds.

**MAY TAX GAMBLERS.**  
London, March 12.—(By mail)—The British Government, always seeking fresh ways and means to replenish its coffers, is said to be casting covetous eyes on the huge sums of money known to be changing hands constantly in England through betting transactions. The Chancellor of the Exchequer a short time ago requested the quiet islands of Jersey and Guernsey, and the Isle of Man, to contribute much more generously to the expenses of the empire than has been their habit, and it is not believed these sources will refuse. But something like \$500,000,000 a year is lost and won by British bettors, according to the estimates, and a good round tax on this sum would produce a tidy revenue.



## TODAY

AMONG THE MUCH TALKED OF FEATURES of Mae Murray's recent photoplays, "Peach Alley" and "Fascination" was the dazzling array of gowns that the blonde star wore in those productions. In her latest picture—

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she is said to wear costumes that will make even the most fortunate woman gasp with envy. And the secret has leaked out that practically all of these gowns were made from Miss Murray's own designs.  
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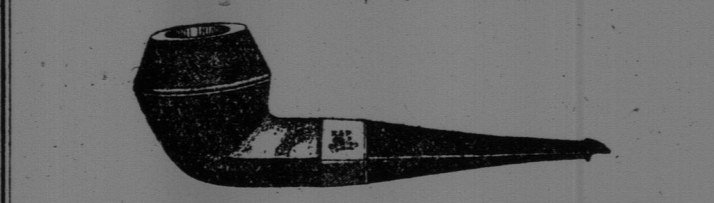
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All would be relatively easy for the don, but practically every factory in England. It is even said that in some factories intimidation is resorted to in order to get girls to bet, and their refusal so to do sometimes makes their lives unbearable. It is argued that the licensing of bookmakers, the abolition of touts, and the adoption of the totalizer would greatly curtail gambling and abolish many of the present abuses, and that a bill in the Commons along these lines would be well supported.

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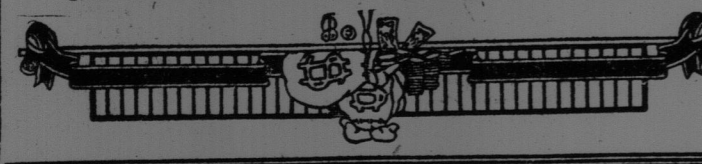
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ON WAY WEST TO GET HORSES FOR PRINCE OF WALES

Former Noted Jockey Here Today on S. S. Marloch

Party of Domestic Servants Under Care of Salvation Army—A Reunion After Much Delay—Pair of Little Travelers on Way to Quebec.

The Canadian Pacific steamship Marloch reached port early this morning and docked at No. 3 berth, Sand Point. She came from Liverpool and had eighty-nine cabin and 447 third-class passengers.

Prominent among the passengers were: Sir Robert and Lady Baden-Powell of London; Sir M. E. Sadler, C. B. K., C. S. L., and Lady Sadler of Leeds; Lady Newbolt of London; Major F. H. Scoville of Brighton, Staff Captain C. Claxton of Liverpool, W. E. Rhodes of Montreal, F. Slater of Guiseley, A. B. Hawkins of Birmingham, and Mr. and Mrs. Holland of Montreal.

Among the passengers was W. Goodhall of Newmarket, Eng., who is en route to the Prince of Wales' ranch, situated near Calgary, to take charge of some yearlings which are to be sent to Doncaster. They are all of the very best racing stock, and some of the number are out of Lady Beatrice, by Gallop, by Go As You Please. They will, in all probability, be shipped from Halifax in the near future.

Speaking about the yearlings, Mr. Goodhall, who was formerly a noted jockey on the English turf, said that it is impossible to tell much about them until they have been tried out. He says that they are all exceptionally well bred and some of them at least should make good.

There was a party of thirty-seven on the steamer en route from Glasgow and other parts of Scotland to Toronto and London for domestic service. They are in charge of the Salvation Army and are under the supervision of Miss MacGregor.

Troubles Ended. After being detained at Antwerp for four months while endeavoring to come to Canada, Mrs. Belle Leonoff and her daughters Ella and Sarah arrived on the Marloch. Mr. Leonoff, who came to Canada some time ago, decided to bring his wife and child and his mother and sisters out to join him. They got as far as Antwerp and were held there by the authorities.

Among the third-class passengers were a little boy and girl, brother and sister named Rose and Margaret.

They were well looked after by C. P. R. officials.

To The West. Convinced that Canada will be THE colony in the British Empire, G. F. Burnside is en route to the Prairie Provinces with an intention of securing a farm and starting in at mixed farming, dairy business and poultry raising.

He arrived here this morning on the Marloch after spending eleven years in Australia and six months in the Old Country. While in Australia he was engaged on cattle ranches and in mining. He decided that there were better opportunities in Canada and for some time has been negotiating for a farm near Strathcona. He has secured an option on a good site and will start in business for himself on his arrival at his destination. He said that after his travels he is convinced that Canada is the most prosperous colony in the British Empire and feels that excellent opportunities await the right sort of immigrants. Prior to going to Australia he was engaged in the Canadian west.

BODIES FOUND IN QUEBEC RUINS

Quebec, March 25.—(Canadian Press)—The bodies of Dr. Gaboury and L. Jobin, who lost their lives in St. Roch's Hotel fire here on last Monday were discovered in the debris this morning. It had been impossible to search the ruins earlier due to the fact that the burned hotel was a mass of ice.

REV. MR. SWETNAM AND WHOLE FAMILY ILL

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Swetnam will be sorry to learn that the whole family is confined to their beds with influenza. Mr. Swetnam had a very bad heart attack last evening about 10.30 o'clock. Deacon Gibbs and Deacon Mott were at his bedside and assisted him until Dr. G. B. Peat arrived and gave medical aid. A report this morning was that he was progressing favorably but was very weak.

CENTENARY OF BIRTH.

A Woodstock letter in the Fredericton Gleaner says:—"The centenary of the birth of Mr. Connolly was March 4, 1923. Very Rev. Thomas Connolly, V. G., D. P., who died at St. John in 1902, was the pastor at Woodstock in 1850. In the summer of that year he accompanied Bishop Dollard on a tour of confirmation at Madawaska and preached in French in the different parishes. On their return the Bishop confirmed a class in the new church, St. Gertrude's, at Woodstock. That was the first occasion the edifice was used for divine service. The old Bishop was so well pleased with the progress made that his parting words were a promise to return and devote the church at the proper time. His Lordship did not live to redeem his promise, having died in the summer of 1851. Mr. Connolly was the first native of St. John to be raised to the priesthood."

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LOCAL NEWS

DEATH OF CHILD.

The sympathy of friends will be extended to Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. London in the death of their infant daughter, Mary, which occurred on Saturday at their home, Pleasant Point.

MR. BAXTER IN TORONTO

At a meeting of the American Bar Association in Toronto last Thursday evening, J. E. M. Baxter, K. C., M. P., outlined his impressions of the recent meeting of the Bar Association of America, held in San Francisco.

DIED IN BROCKTON

Miss Ellen Donnelly, 811 Main St., has received word of the death of her sister, Mrs. Katherine Monahan, in Brockton, Mass., on March 23. Mrs. Monahan was the widow of Charles Monahan. She leaves one daughter, Mrs. E. Burke of Brockton, and two sons, Joseph of Woburn and Frank at home.

COUNTY COURT.

In the County Court this morning before Judge Armstrong the case of Com. v. Travers was called on for the jury and will be heard in chambers before His Honor at a later date. The defence announced that it had a witness who could not be produced at present and it did not know when he could be on hand. It was decided that it would be more convenient to hear the case in chambers. The court adjourned sine die.

MUNICIPAL CHAPTER

The annual meeting of the Municipal Chapter, I. O. D. E., opened this afternoon in the Board of Trade rooms with the retiring regent, Mrs. J. Boyle Travers, presiding. As a token of their appreciation of Mrs. Travers' work the chapter elected her honorary regent. Mrs. Travers read her annual report and Miss E. P. Alward, the secretary, read her report. The report of the workers for the Garrison Ball in Armistice week was read and officers were elected.

Rotarians Heartily Greet Chief Scout

Sir Robert Baden Powell was greeted with three cheers and a tiger when he entered the Up Town Tea Room at noon today, accompanied by District Commissioner Short and District Secretary Timberley, and again when he was formally introduced to the Rotary Club as the Chief Scout of the world.

Later when introduced by Chairman Wilson, Sir Robert was given another ovation, and spoke briefly on the Boy Scout movement. He reminded his hearers that this movement, like Rotary, was a brotherhood for service and he made a very strong appeal to the club to have a Boy Scout troop of its own and give the scouts generally its whole-hearted support.

Dr. Barton, E. J. Perry and R. D. Paterson reported on the Halifax conference and various votes of thanks were passed. Dr. H. L. Spangler, the new district governor, was very heartily congratulated.

Officers for the next year were nominated as follows—President, Canon Armstrong; vice-presidents, Mont Jones and J. K. Haley; secretary, Otty Fraser; treasurer, A. L. Foster. There were no other nominations these will be the new officers.

Agree On Terms Of Reply To The Turkish Note

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Unanimity Among Allies Is Reported—Conference Likely About April 12.

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London, March 25.—Complete unanimity has been reached among the Allied delegates to the preliminary conference here on Near Eastern affairs regarding the nature of the reply they will make to the Turkish counter proposals to the Lausanne peace treaty draft. A plenary meeting of all the Allied delegates is expected tomorrow.

It is said that the conversations have been characterized by the utmost cordiality. M. Bonnard of France explained that the delegates made a pact to reveal nothing until their work had been finished.

Searchlight to Show The Depth Under Vessel

London, March 25.—The latest nautical invention now in use on a Newcastle pilot boat is a machine which throws a beam of light to the sea bottom allowing the depth of the water below the ship to be gauged. Soundings may thus be done away with. The invention is of unusual importance, since it may be usefully employed by the big liners in entering shallow waters.

The searchlight is worked through a hole in the lower part of the ship, while an observation window is placed nearby through which the beam of light may be seen. A mirror is set at the end of a long observation tube running vertically through the ship to the bridge. By working a handle an officer can take any angle on the projected beam and by a simple calculation measure the depth of the water below.

MAN KILLED, IS HURT IN TRAIN COLLISION

Utica, N. Y., March 26.—One man was instantly killed and fifteen injured when a New York, Ontario and Western train crashed head-on into a fast freight at Maywood, near Sidney, on Saturday night.

AT ODDS OVER THE MATTER OF TAXATION

City and County Men Fail to Reach Agreement

To Try Again This Afternoon on Question of Taxation of County Men Who are Employed in City—Big Loss to City Reported.

After two hours of fruitless argument a meeting of the city commissioners with Lancaster county councillors this morning was adjourned at the o'clock until 10 a.m. The bone of contention was a bill relating to exemption from city assessment of certain county residents employed in the city. The Mayor was absent this morning and the chair was occupied by Commissioner Frink. Others present were Commissioners Bulech, Thornton and Wigmore. Councillors O'Brien and Gidding, E. M. Olive, chairman of the city board of assessors; W. O. Dunham, chairman of the board of assessors of Lancaster; and J. King Kelley, county secretary.

The county secretary explained various points of law arising out of the assessment act and their application to the present case. The meeting seemed to be unable to come to an agreement as to what constituted permanent employees and what temporary employees. Special attention was paid to residents of the county employed on the steam railways in the city. Commissioner Thornton said that clerical men employed in the city should not be included. Commissioner Wigmore expressed the opinion that any arrangement arrived at should be mutual and that there should be an agreement on the matter before it was taken up at Fredericton.

Mention was made of people residing in Lorneville in the summer time who came to the city and worked about the winterport. They paid taxes in Lorneville and it was said they should not be asked to pay in the city as they were employed there for only a short time.

Commissioner Frink said these people expected police and fire protection, hospital service and other things provided by the city and were not willing to pay for it.

Mr. Olive said if those taxed by the city could show that they paid in Lorneville they would get fifty per cent. of their taxes.

Commissioner Thornton asked Mr. Dunham if a man getting a salary of \$5,000 would be assessed on about \$800 and Mr. Dunham replied that there was an exemption of \$200 and a man was supposed to be assessed on all above that amount.

Mr. Thornton contended that there was no system as he knew of a case in which a man earning \$3,000 was assessed on \$400. He said that the Lancaster assessors were not carrying out the law.

Mr. Bullock said sworn statements were supposed to be filed and this was not done.

Mr. O'Brien said it was not done because it would work injustice in some cases and some matters had to be straightened out before it could be made to apply all round. He said that a man assessed on \$1,000 in Lancaster was paying as much as a man assessed on \$2,000 in the city. He said he was speaking only for himself and Lancaster. The Simonds councillors had not taken the time to be present.

Commissioner Frink here interposed the remark that the climax was coming; there was going to be a crack in the finances of the city.

Commissioner Thornton said that as no agreement could be reached it was better to go to Fredericton and fight things out. It was clear that the county assessors are not assessing according to law. However, it looked badly for the county councillors to be going to Fredericton in support of a measure and the city commissioners opposing it.

Commissioner Frink—"Let the fight go on and things come to a head and finally the city will divorce the county."

Mr. Olive said that under the workings of the present act the city lost \$225,000 income money. This was through Lancaster, Simonds, Musquoddy and St. Martins. There was a loss to the city by permanent employees of the railways amounted to \$1,215,84 through Lancaster and \$2,008 through Simonds.

The county secretary advanced the suggestion that a permanent employee should be a person who worked or was employed for eight months in the city or the parish and that a temporary employee be one who was employed less than eight months; also that permanent employees should pay taxes where employed and that temporary employees pay taxes where residing; that the city refund to the county school taxes pro rata as assessed against permanent employees and that the county refund to the city in a like manner.

Objection was taken to the time set at eight months and the contention was made that "persons earning a certain amount or over, the amount to be set" should be substituted for permanent.

Councillor O'Brien said that many complications would arise in the county in the matter of refunding school taxes. He took objection to a remark which he alleged had been made charging the county councillors with being antagonistic to the city and said the county wanted to do what was right and help the city wherever possible.

The bill will come before the Legislature tomorrow.

BUSINESS MAN IS DROWNED AT MOOSE JAW

Moose Jaw, Sask., March 26.—Stanley M. Siverson, credit manager of the Western Oil Co., Moose Jaw, fell through the ice and was drowned in Moose Jaw Creek at an early hour Sunday morning. His body was recovered.

HOLD BAKERS FOR TRIAL.

Paris, March 26.—Fourteen master bakers were held for trial yesterday on a charge of organizing in last December to force up the price of bread.

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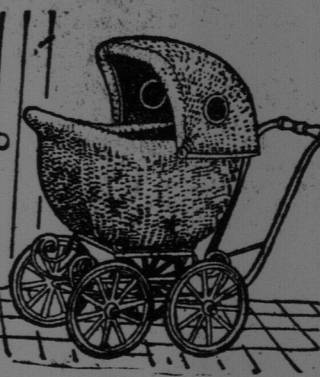
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