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ST. JOHN, N. B. WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 1908.

ONLY BY MIRACLES NO ONE WAS HURT IN C. R. WRECK

practically the Whole of the Maritime Express Left the Rails This Morning Near Campbellton

Canadian West in Moving Pictures

Interior Department Will Use This Means of Interesting French and Belgian Settlers in Canadian Progress.

Vanderbilt Still Stands for Spooks

"Bright Eyes," "Thunderbolt," "Fidels" and "Trixie" Are the Spirits With Which He is Most Familiar.

Alberta Will Have an Up-to-Date Railway Policy

Dean Farthing Accepts

CHARLES McDONALD AND B. R. MACAULAY ENLIGHTENED IN MARINE ENQUIRY TODAY

Mr. MacAulay Also Exchanged Cheques With the Department Agent—Ottawa Despatch Announces That Minister of Marine Has Suspended Mr. Harding and Engineer Morris as the Result of the Enquiry.

Ottawa, Nov. 25.—(Special)—The Minister of Marine today suspended Fred J. Harding, agent of the department at St. John, N. B., and Engineer Morris of the government cruiser Curlew as a result of the revelations at the Casella enquiry at St. John.

The inquiry into the affairs of the marine department was resumed this morning in the court house when Charles McDonald, manager of the St. John Iron Works and B. R. Macaulay of Macaulay Bros. & Co., were examined.

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Premier Rutherford Will Establish a Railway Department and Extend Railway Facilities in His Province

Montreal Stocks

Dean Farthing Accepts

Howard D. Creighton was sworn in by the mayor this morning as a city matron at 5 o'clock in the Times office.

STEAMER BURIED AT SEA AN HUNDREDS LOST THEIR LIVES

Steamer Sardinia Took Fire Shortly After Sailing From Malta for Egypt—Passengers Drowned or Roasted Alive—Gale at Time Prevented Assistance to Doomed Steamer.

Valletta, Island of Malta, Nov. 25.—Nearly 200 persons, passengers and crew of the Ellerman Line steamer Sardinia are believed to have perished today when the steamer was destroyed by fire just after she had sailed for Alexandria, Egypt.

STONE CHURCH SALE AND TEA

The sale of useful and fancy articles in the school room of St. John's (Stone) church tomorrow and Friday promises to be one of the most successful yet held by the ladies of that congregation.

ITALIANS RESENT STUDENT RIOTS

Rome, Nov. 24.—Italians are showing intense resentment against Austria and Austrians, because of the anti-Italian riots which have taken place at Vienna.

THE ARKANSAS TORNADO

Little Rock, Ark., Nov. 24.—Latest reports from western Arkansas tonight show that although first reports of the storm indicated that the property damage was not as great as expected.

THE GUNNERS MURDER CASE

Laporte, Ind., Nov. 24.—Evidence today was finished and tomorrow attorneys will make their arguments in the trial of Ray Lamphere for the murder of Mrs. Bella Guinness and her three children.



THE WEATHER

Easterly winds fair and cooler, Thursday, easterly winds and showery.

MOST EXPENSIVE RAILWAY IN THE U. S.

The new Spokane, Portland and Seattle Railway is regarded by engineers as a marvel of construction.

AMHERST WILL MISS REV. MR. CUMMINGS

Amherst, Nov. 24.—Rev. S. W. Cummings has been tendered his resignation to accept a call to the First Baptist church, Amherst, Mass.

CIVIC MEETINGS

A meeting of the harbor facilities committee will be held tomorrow afternoon when the communications from Hon. Macaulay, minister of public works, and Pugsley, minister of the G. T. P., will be considered.

POLICE COURT

In the police court this morning William Dunaway and John McGrath paid fines of \$4 for intoxication.

Walter Winslow, arrested by Sgt. Caples on a warrant for positive language to Thomas Driroll, issued some weeks ago, was liberated on signing the pledge.

James Harmon, aged 48 years, who was charged with begging, admitted the offense and was sentenced to two months in jail.

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ROYAL BAKING POWDER

ROYAL is the only baking powder made from Royal Grape Cream of Tartar. Makes the food more healthful and delicious.

NO ALUM. NO PHOSPHATE OF LIME

Alum and phosphate powders are made from caustic mineral acids, which are injurious.

THE WHEEL 'O' FORTUNE

By LOUIS TRACY

Author of "The Wings of the Morning," "The Pillar of Light," "The Captain of the Kansas," etc.

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(Continued.)

He would not bid Royson farewell. Dick heard him tugging the camel forward.

"Forget not my words to the Effendeh," he said quietly.

"I shall not forget," came a voice from the darkness, and he was alone.

Though he knew he was face to face with death, he felt no tremor of fear. He surveyed his position coolly, and took his stand in the shadow of a mass of granite close to whose base the track wound up the hillside. In case the unexpected happened, he fastened his camel to a loose stone behind the rock, and the poor animal knelt instantly, thinking that a night's rest was vouchsafed at last. Dick threw off the Arab robes he had worn since Abdur Kad's and he climbed the hill overlooking Suleiman's Well. He opened and closed the breech of his heavy double-barreled Express rifle to make sure that the sand clogs had not clogged its mechanism, and fingered the cartridges in his cross-belt.

Then he waited. It would take the Hadendowas fully five minutes to come up with him, and he experienced a feeling of relief to find that he could hold his time so patiently, without any pang of anxiety, or hope, or agonizing misgiving. He thought of home, but only of his welfare. If he were not brought down by a chance bullet early in the fray, he felt quite certain of being able to stave off the final rush long enough to give Abdur Kad's a breathing spell. He had sufficient confidence in the wily old Arab's resources to believe that he would outwit his pursuers, provided they lost a good deal of time in passing this barrier.

Plan he had none, save to hail the enemy in Arabic and English, and then put up a strenuous fight for the benefit of those who approached nearest.

Round the shoulder of the rock he could look eastward, and a glimmering mist in that direction reminded him of the sea, and of the Aphrodite. What a difference a hundred miles made! The luxuriously appointed yacht, sailing on there in the midst of the ghostly cloud not so long ago. And here he was, clutching a rifle and preparing to sell his life in order to save most of his passengers and crew from a sudden attack by a gang of bloodthirsty ruffians led by a frenzied Italian. As a study in contrasts that was rather striking, he fancied.

At last he heard the shuffling of camel's feet and the muttering of men. The Hadendowas were crossing the river bed.

"Stop!" he shouted, in Arabic. "You die otherwise!"

There was an instant silence. They were evidently not prepared for this bold challenge.

"I am an Englishman," he added, still in Arabic, and in the belief that some of them might at least recognize the sound of English, he went on:

"You have no right to molest me and my servants. I call on you to return to your master, and set at liberty the Arab Hussain."

He was answered by a perfect blizzard of rifles. Every man fired at random. At least a dozen bullets crashed against the rock. A violent tug at his left sleeve and some spatters of hot lead on his cheek showed that one missile had come too near to be pleasant. After passing through his coat it had splashed on the granite just behind him.

He did not speak again, nor would he fire until sure of a mark. Another volley lit the darkness. This time he made out the forms of his attackers. They were standing some twenty yards away, and he marvelled that they seemed not to see him; though he reflected at once, with the utmost nonchalance, that the

Fashion Hint for Times Readers



A SILK COAT FOR CALLING

Many women are having made up a house an extra coat of satin or heavy rep silk, which may be worn over the frock of cloth, voile or other material. The gay little coat may be as dressy as one pleases and passementeries, buttons, cord fringes and bits of Japanese embroidery all may be used, in its ornamentation. Lace trills at neck and wrists add a very smart touch.

awakened to the knowledge that the hearts of men and women are apt to be swayed by other impulses than his dry, dispassionate interest in dead cities and half-forgotten races. Most certainly he was shocked by the agony in the girl's face when she heard that the sheikh had returned alone, and, if he wondered at the low wail of despair which broke from her lips, he said nothing of it at the moment, but mercifully suppressed Abdur Kad's story of the Effendeh's resolve to make a stand against his pursuers, and thus enable his companions to reach and warn the camp.

The version Irene heard was that Royson's camel had fallen lame, and it was deemed safer he should hide until help came, than mount behind Abdur Kad's and risk the slower journey. Fenshawe reasoned that Royson might be captured, not killed. His long experience of Arab generalship, of the sort dear to the heart of his great ancestor, the first tremendous sweep of his weapon he broke off its stock against an Arab's body. That did not matter. The heavy barbs were staunch, and iron deals harder blows than wood. He was active as a cat, and had the strength of any feline of his adversary. With lightning-like whirrs he smote them so resolutely that the heavy double-barreled Express rifle to make sure that the sand clogs had not clogged its mechanism, and fingered the cartridges in his cross-belt.

And that ended the fight. He heard men scrambling over the rocks in panic, and he knew by the grunting and growling of distant camels that all the ladies had stamped. Searching the fallen men and rifle, he found a full cartridge-belt should be further need, but did not relinquish the trusty weapon which had more than equipped an unequal combat. Then he went to his camel. The terrified brute had risen, and was tugging madly at its rope, as if to escape. He sized him, and he was grateful to recognize, if ever a camel can display gratitude, the gratefulness of a dog.

When dawn appeared, a dawn that was glorious to him beyond measure, he glared at a star in the sky, and he remembered a precipitous hill which he had climbed in the night, and he remembered looking back at the first favorable point, he could see nothing that betokened the presence of Hadendowas, or any other human beings, in all that far-flung solitude. Were it not for the presence of the Italian rifle and cartridge-belt, and the blood-stained gun-barrel resting across his knees, the fierce struggle in that forbidding valley might have been the delirium of a fever-dream.

Catarrh Invites Consumption

It weakens the delicate lung tissues, deranges the digestive organs, and breaks down the general health of the system. It often causes headache and dizziness, impairs the taste, smell and hearing, and affects the voice.

Being a constitutional disease it requires a constitutional remedy.

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- Men's Suits** \$4.23 and \$5.89 for regular \$7.00 to \$10 values.
 - Men's Overcoats** \$5.10 and \$6.15 for regular \$8.00 to \$10 values.
 - Men's Pants** Extra values at 98c., \$1.29 and \$1.49
 - Boys' Suits** Special values, \$1.89, \$2.49 and \$2.89
 - Boys' Pants** Great values at 39c., 49c., 69c. and 89c.
 - Boys' Overcoats** \$2.98 and \$3.89 for regular \$4.00 to \$6.00 values
 - Boys' Reefers** Special values at 98c., \$1.89 and \$2.75
 - Underwear** Unshrinkable, 68c and 89c. Fleece-lined (Penman's,) 39c.
 - Suspenders** 9c. and 19c.
 - Handkerchiefs** 6 for 25c.
 - Ties, 9c. and 13c.**
 - Coat Sweaters** \$1.49 for regular \$2.50

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A POLITICAL RUMOR

John Richards May Retire From P. E. Island House to Make Way for Minister of Agriculture.

Charlottetown, P. E. I., Nov. 24.—(Special.)—The political rumors in Prince County is that John Richards may retire in favor of Hon. Mr. Reid, commissioner of agriculture, recently defeated in Prince County in the second district and thus save for his constituency the post of agriculture. Color is given to the report from the fact that Mr. Richards has always taken a great interest in agriculture and is desirous that Prince county shall not lose the department.

OBITUARY

Mrs. Judson Manzer.

Andover, N. B., Nov. 23.—The death of Mrs. Judson Manzer took place at her home here last evening at 11 p. m. A few days ago she had a relapse from typhoid and for several days she was in a critical condition but hopes were still entertained of her recovery, and her death comes as a great shock to the community. She was a most amiable woman, very popular in the community, and had a large circle of friends, in social and church circles she will be very much missed. She was a Miss Barton, and for years was connected with the teaching staff of St. John. A sister, teacher at Moncton, and another residing in St. John, were with her at the time of her death. Much sympathy is felt in the community for Mr. Manzer in his great bereavement.

LESS IMMIGRATION HERE THIS WINTER

It is Not Expected to be More Than Half as Large as Last Winter's Record.

Immigration through St. John this winter from Great Britain and the continent will not be more than half what it was last winter, says E. Blake Robertson, of Ottawa, assistant superintendent of immigration for the dominion, who is at the Royal.

Mr. Robertson said his visit here at this time was simply for inspection purposes. Speaking of immigration generally he said there had been a decrease of 48 per cent in the past seven months of the fiscal year, as regards British and continental immigration. The number of Americans coming in was, however, about the same as last year.

WHITE IS HEAVILY FINED

Old Fine Enforced Against "Gunner" White as Well as Two New Ones.

Yesterday afternoon Judge Ritchie gave judgment in the case of William White, charged with drunkenness and resisting the police. After going over the evidence he found the arrest justifiable and that there was some resistance. He fined White \$8—two months for drunkenness; with \$16 or two months for resistance; with \$20 or two months for disturbing over him for fighting with his brother was also put into force.

About Female Ailments

Not Hard to Cure if Properly and Promptly Treated.

Ask any intelligent physician what causes nine-tenths of all female disease, even including anaemia, nervousness and insomnia. How much clearer the complexion, how much fresher one feels when the system is pure and clean.

Think it over yourself.

How much better off the system is without the poisonous accumulations caused by constipation. How much clearer the complexion, how much fresher one feels when the system is pure and clean.

Think it over yourself.

Isn't it apparent that a bowel regulator and liver stimulant like Dr. Hamilton's Pills will assist you in a thousand ways.

As delay is always dangerous, your plain duty is to follow the example of Mrs. F. Howe, who sends the following letter from Gravesend, Port au Port, Newfoundland:

"Four years ago I got kidney and bladder trouble. I thought it was 'female trouble' and treated it accordingly. Even my doctor in St. John said it was so.

In reading about Dr. Hamilton's Pills I noticed symptoms like mine and I bought six boxes. These pills went right to work on my sick condition and helped me from the first. My supposed female trouble, which was bladder disease, was cured. My weight increased eight pounds never before was I as well as today. Dr. Hamilton's Pills did it all."

All dealers sell Dr. Hamilton's Pills, 25c. per box or five boxes for \$1.00. By Mail from N. C. Tolson & Co., Hartford, Conn., U. S. A., or Kingston, Ont.

HE KILLED A BURGLAR

Clerk Who Defended His Master's Property Arraigned on Murder Charge in Saskatchewan Courts

Duck Lake, Sask., Nov. 24.—(Special.)—Edward Tadie, a clerk who shot and killed a burglar, W. F. Ames, was formally arraigned with murder before Justices Keeson and Lunnas.

E. Ruttie, merchant, told of the burglar alarm ringing and how he and Tadie ran to the store. He heard two shots so close together he was sure they could not both be from Tadie's rifle, though it was a repeater. He ran round and Tadie said he had shot one of the burglars. They found Ames breathing but he died shortly after.

WELL KNOWN SOLDIER DEAD

Kenora, Ont., Nov. 24.—(Special.)—Yesterday afternoon Lieut. Col. Scheney Wilkinson, K. C. B., died at the age of 71. The deceased had been ailing for the past week but improved Saturday and left Kenora.

General Wilkinson was 28 years in active service including the mutiny, in Afghanistan, the North West frontier and in Egypt. He held several important commands in India and Britain. He spent the summer here looking after mining interests and was managing director of the Black Eagle mine.

STARTLING RESULTS

"Did I hate to say it, but you're drunk."

"G'wan, I've been to a new thought tonight. I'm thinking of a new—"

—Louisville Courier-Journal.

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS

GENERAL KIDNEY DISEASES

BRIGGS' DIABETIC PILLS

How Three Roads Led In One Direction.

The news that her lover was safe restored the sparkle to Irene's eyes and the color to her wan cheeks. Fenshawe, indeed, had not given her the full measure of Abdur Kad's breathless recital. Recent events had led the old curio-hunter to view life in less ultra-scientific spirit than was his habit. Perhaps he had re-

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"The People who will not support their own City must one day want a City of their own to support."

THE NOMINATIONS Nomination proceedings in Carleton and Northumberland counties were eminently satisfactory to the opponents of the Hazen government.

Mr. Owens, appears to have made the astonishing statement that the Hazen government had carried out all its pledges. Has Mr. Owens forgotten about the road law, the school books, the efficiency of the public service as determined by the character of the officials appointed, and certain other matters concerning which pledges were made?

Mr. Upland disposed of this statement when he pointed out that Mr. Hazen made a medical man the head of the agricultural department and then sent him over the province at public expense to learn his business from the farmers.

Mr. Upland's clever attack exposed very effectively the weak places in the government's armor, and at the same time revealed Mr. Upland as a keen debater who will do his county and the province good service in the legislature.

Mr. Upland at Woodstock, "will be a fine thing for the province." Well, after next Tuesday there will be two more units of opposition, while the situation in Albert and Kings may soon be such as to admit of a further addition from that quarter.

ALEXANDER GIBSON The announcement that Mr. Alexander Gibson has resigned from the presidency of the company and the active management of the business of which he was the founder, and which has attained such great proportions, recalls the most active and effective career in the industrial history of New Brunswick.

MICHIGAN CATTLE UNDER BAN Detroit, Mich., Nov. 24—After a conference of Secretary of Agriculture Wilson and Chief Meloy, of the Bureau of Animal Industry, with state officials tonight, a quarantine was ordered against Michigan cattle similar to the one enforced in Pennsylvania and New York.

BRITISH JOURNALIST DEAD London, Nov. 24—Sir Algeon Berthwick, the first Baron Gleueck, the proprietor of the Morning Post, died here tonight. He was born in 1820.

CIVIC BUSINESS MANAGER

The Montreal Star refers to an interesting experiment made in a southern town to conduct civic affairs on business principles, such as prevail in the conduct of private affairs. Apparently this new departure has worked out well.

The Scamen's Institute has new quarters, admirably suited for its work. Following the opening of the new Y. M. C. A. building the formal opening night of the new Institute marks another forward step in the equipment of beneficent organizations for their valuable work.

The blood-lust of the south is insatiable. That three negro murderers should be summarily hanged, even if there was no doubt of their guilt, is not in accordance with our idea of right and justice; but that a mob, "with a whoop and a yell," should swarm into the court room, seize the condemned men and drag them to a tree with all the manifestations of a devilish joy, is simply a disgrace to civilization.

There is a humorist in the inland revenue department. In a report dealing with the examination of 76 samples of canned meats, he states that all but one, potted pheasant, were found in a perfect condition of preservation. Of this one he observes:—"The exceptional sample, being 'game,' may be in such condition as consumers of the article prefer."

Popular sympathy is sometimes misplaced. A little of it should sometimes be extended to the policeman, who in the discharge of his duty is violently resisted by a man in whom the instincts of the man have been superseded by those of the brute.

VANDALS RAVAGE A CHURCH IN QUEBEC

Anglican Church at Nicolet Broken Into and the Bible Burned—Authorities Asked for Protection.

Nicolet, Que., Nov. 24—Hon. Lomer Gouin, premier and attorney general, has been requested to extend the protection of the government of the province to the little Anglican church at Nicolet.

On October 27, 1907, the church was broken into, dirt and ashes were strewn all over the floor, the Bible from the lectern was burned in the stove and over thirty pines of glass broken.

Last Sunday the church was found in a similar condition, and the local authorities seem unable to do anything in the matter. The authorities of the church therefore appealed to the attorney general to take such measures as may be necessary to prevent further outrages of the same nature.

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Black English Melton is the newest thing for Men's Overcoats this year, easily 10 out of every 20 Overcoats sold this year is black, and there is certainly nothing more dressy. The Best Meltons are made up with raised raw edge seams, and are certainly very neat in appearance.

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When on my day of life that night is falling, And in the winds from unnamed spaces blown, I hear the voices out of darkness calling 'My feet to paths unknown. Thou who hast made my home of life so pleasant, Leave not its tenant when its walls decay: O Love, Divine, O Helper ever present, Be Thou my strength and stay. Suffice it if my good and ill unrequered, And both forgiven through Thy abounding grace. I find myself by hands familiar beckoned 'To my fitting place. Some humble deer among Thy many mansions, Some sheltering shade where sin and striving cease, Where flows for ever through heaven's green expansions The river of Thy peace. Here, from the music round about me stealing, Pain would I learn the new and holy song, And in the last month of my years of healing, The life for which I long. —Whittier.

IN LIGHTER VEIN

HAD THE SYMPTOMS Snicker—I dreamed last night that I was a millionaire. Kicker—Well, I might as well have been one for all the sleep I got last night.—Bohemian

NATURAL DEDUCTION

Her Mother—How long has Mr. Stobby been courted? The Daughter—Nearly two years. Her Mother—Why, then, has he not got tired of making love to you? The Daughter—He says that he has. He proposed last night.—Chicago News.

STILL RUNNING

Edwin, aged four, owned a picture-book in which a horse-looking cow was running after a small boy. He looked at it a long time, then carefully closing the book he laid it away. A few days later he got the book again, and turned to the picture. Bringing his chubby fist to his eyes he exclaimed in a tone of triumph: "She ain't caught him yet!"—The Delimitator.

COULD HAVE DONE WITHOUT IT

Like most minister's families, they were not extensively blessed with this world's goods. She, however, was the youngest of ten children until her father explained to her of the baby sister who had come in the night. "Well," she said, after due thought, "I suppose it's all right, guess, but there's many a thing we needed worse."

IN THE FAMILY

An instance of exclusiveness maintained with delicate intention was the subject of a letter. All were sick except one lady and a cat, which wandered unobtrusively about the sick room. The lady remarked, "Poor pussy. The cat was included in response, and elevated his tail in token of good will, when from a neighboring berth came in chinking tones the words: "Excuse me, that is a private cat!"—San Francisco Argonaut.

ONE THING SURE

A young lady whose beauty is equal to her business in conversation, was visiting a house where other guests were assembled among them the eldest son of a rich manufacturer. The talk turned to matrimonial squabbles. Said the eligible party: "I hold the correct thing for the husband is to begin as he intends to end. Say that the question was one of smoking. Almost immediately would show my intentions by lighting a cigar and setting the question forth."

THE GOVERNMENT ENQUIRY

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Mr. Moore—"I would have loaned him the money in any case." Mr. Watson—"Without security? How did you know he would pay you?" Mr. Moore—"I swear positively I would have loaned him the money in any case."

Mr. Watson—"Had you the business of the department in mind at the time?" Mr. Moore—"No it did not enter into the matter at all."

Mr. Watson—"I can understand a man lending his friend \$2,000 if there is a reason. There was no reason as far as you and Mr. Harding were concerned." Mr. Moore—"He asked me to let him have some money, and I did."

Mr. Watson—"Did you know how easily it can be connected with the iron works' transactions?" Mr. Moore—"I can't see it that way."

Replying to further questions Mr. Moore said he knew Mr. Kelly. He had never lent him any money and had never been asked for any. No other officials had ever asked him.

Mr. Watson—"Mr. Harding was the only man who asked a favor. It was a favor want it?" Mr. Moore—"I presume it must have been."

Mr. Watson—"A personal favor?" Mr. Moore—"It was a loan."

Mr. Watson—"Why not call it a personal favor?" Mr. Moore—"It was an accommodation."

This concluded Mr. Moore's evidence.

Mr. Vroom Re-called.

Mr. Vroom was recalled and produced the books of his firm. Replying to Mr. Watson he said the first entry was Mr. Harding was May 8, 1904, for \$382. It was entered as sundries because the book-keeper chose to enter it that way. It consisted of \$85 cash and a cheque for \$297. Mr. Harding had asked for a loan. He took no receipt but probably held Mr. Harding's check. The last entry was Dec. 18, 1907, and a balance of \$380 was carried forward to 1908. The balance was paid, he believed, in January.

Mr. Watson—"How did you make out your cheques?" Mr. Vroom—"To Cash."

Mr. Watson—"What? The same old 'Cash'?" Mr. Vroom—"What did you do with the cheques Mr. Harding gave you?" Mr. Vroom—"Put them in the cash box. We exchanged cheques until he was in funds to take his up."

Mr. Watson—"Did he pay interest?" Mr. Vroom—"He did on one or two occasions, and then I refused to take it. I might want a favor from him."

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SERIOUS SPLIT IN THE CONSERVATIVE PARTY AS A RESULT OF BOSS RULE

Mr. Swim's Platform Aides Attack Premier Hazen and Hon. John Morrissey at Chatham Meeting.

Chatham, Nov. 24—The feature of the nomination day meetings here today was the attack upon Hon. John Morrissey and Premier Hazen, made by the speakers who talked in support of Mr. Swim's candidacy. There is a big split in the conservative party here, and if Mr. Swim saves his deposit he will do better than many of his friends expect.

W. C. Winstlaw addressed the electors at the court house at 2 o'clock, explaining that Hon. John P. Burchill would be absent during the campaign but that his friends would do all they could to elect him. Mr. Burchill was standing as a straight Liberal while Swim was a Conservative.

The Conservatives held a mass meeting in the Opera House, John Betts presided. F. D. Swim scored the local government for selecting Hutchison as a candidate without consulting their supporters. The association representing the local government had called the convention that nominated him. He had pledged himself to stand by the convention's decision.

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NEW SEAMEN'S INSTITUTE WAS OPENED LAST NIGHT

Very Large Number Attended Interesting Exercises in the New Building.

The formal opening of the new Seamen's Institute last night was attended with great success. Standing room was hard to be had in the large hall.

Unightly Warts Removed

Rev. Mr. Matthews then presented to the ladies \$100 from the ladies' guild for the purchase of the building.

PERMISSION FOR A NEW CEMETERY IN NEWCASTLE

A special meeting of the Provincial Board of Health was held yesterday afternoon at the residence of the president, Hon. James Holly, Douglas avenue.

Mayor Accepts Plaque

Mayor Bullock, in a brief speech, accepted the gift of the plaque for the Seamen's Institute.

LOOKS VERY MUCH LIKE A CLEAN LIBERAL SWEEP IN CARLETON CO. FIGHT

Woodstock, N. B., Nov. 24.—The nomination proceedings at the court house today attracted a fairly large gathering.

W. J. OWENS

The sheriff then introduced the government candidate, Mr. Owens was received with but a few applause.

THE ROAD NOT FAROE

"Then look at the shameful manner the road money was laid out in this county. During the spring there was very little work done.

OVATION FOR UPHAM

A cheer that fairly raised the roof greeted the arrival of Mr. Upham.

TUBERCULAR CATTLE A MENACE TO HEALTH

Manchester, N. H., Nov. 24.—The health of 421 inmates of the County Farm at Grafton is endangered by the condition of the thirty head of cattle at the institution.

THANKSGIVING TURKEYS

Boston, Nov. 4.—Thirty-seven thousand turkeys, in one solid freight train of 28 cars, from Cincinnati to Boston in 20 hours.

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UNITED STATES TO REVISE THE TARIFF Speaker Cannon Says the Revision Will be Honest and There is "No Need to Worry About the Speaker."

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SHRUBB SAYS TERMS FOR LONGBOAT RACE ARE UNFAIR

He is Going to England for the Winter But Will Return in the Spring—Only Thing to Keep Him Here Would be Assurance of Match.

Boston, Mass., Nov. 24.—Mr. Shrubbs, noted English professional distance runner, is planning to return to England during the holidays and will not return to this country until late in the spring...

PUGILIST BADLY INJURED IN RING

Fred Bradley Hurt During a Savage Bout in Philadelphia on Monday Night May Not Recover.

Philadelphia, Nov. 24.—Fred Bradley, the Boston heavyweight pugilist who was seriously injured in a savage bout at the West End Athletic Club last night with Al Kubiak...

ZAM-BUK SA "CUT OFF"

"The only thing I can do now is to take the finger completely off. It cannot otherwise be cured." So said one of the leading doctors of Toronto to Mr. W. C. Edwards, P.D.C.R.A.O.F., F.R.M.I.O.O.F., the well-known Friendly Society leader, of Peter Street, Toronto.



ZAM-BUK SAVED HIS FINGER

STREET CAR RUNS AMUCK AMHERST IS SCORCHED BY ANOTHER BAD FIRE

Spectacular Street Car Accident on the Main Street Line Last Evening.

A spectacular street car accident occurred on Main street, near the corner of Acadia street, last evening.

Passenger Car Shop of the Rhodes-Curry Works Badly Damaged Last Night—Loss Is From \$125,000 to \$150,000 and Insurance Over \$75,000—Many Cars Burned.

Amherst, N. S., Nov. 24.—The passenger car shop of the Rhodes-Curry Company Works at Amherst, was tonight destroyed by fire.

Dean Farthing Is New Bishop

Montreal, Nov. 24.—As the result of an electoral ballot by the Montreal Diocese Synod...

A MEETING BETWEEN TWO MODERN GIANTS

Spokane, Wash., Nov. 23.—Fred S. Radcliff, sheriff of Whitman county, who is five feet six and two inches in his bare feet...

NEWMAN BROOK CLUB ELECTS OFFICERS

The Newman Brook Quilt Club last night elected the following officers: Mr. Akley, president; C. Richardson, vice-president; J. Hurley, captain of the club.

OXYGEN TANKS IN PRIZE RING

London, Nov. 24.—Further experiments show the value of oxygen inhalations after violent exercise have been made at the London Hospital under the direction of Dr. Leonard Hill and Dr. Martin Flack.

PROGRAMME FOR SCOT TISH NIGHT

Rev. W. W. Rainnie Will be the Orator and There Will be a Concert and Dancing.

A TENNESSEE JUDGE HELD COURT WITH MOB FOR JURY

Union City, Tenn., Nov. 24.—Tipton begged his hearers to let the law take its course, promising that full justice would be done the three black men.

BURKE BESTS JOE THOMAS

Boston, Mass., Nov. 24.—"Sailor" Burke, of New York, had much the better of Joe Thomas, of San Francisco, in a 12-round bout at the Army A. C. tonight.

BATTILING NELSON ARRESTED

Chicago, Ill., Nov. 23.—Battling Nelson, the prize fighter, was arrested by Constable Southwick of the Burnham today, on warrants charging disorderly conduct and resisting an officer.

JAPS BEATEN AT BASEBALL

Tokio, Nov. 24.—The American and Kioo University baseball teams exchanged batteries in their game today.

AMUSEMENTS AT THE NICKEL

For some time past the Nickel has been treating its patrons with superb line of pictures by the American Utomscope and Biograph Company.

NEXT YEAR'S FAIR

Exhibition Association Fixes September 11 as Date of Opening

AT THE OPERA HOUSE

The most modern innovation in the entertainment world and one which received its first presentation in New York only on Monday, will be shown in the Opera House next week, afternoon and evening.

SAILORS OF VESSEL BOUND TO ST. JOHN SAVED AT SEA BY A SPEEDY GASOLINE BOAT

New York, Nov. 24.—Captain John A. Stevens, of the American schooner John M. Brown, which was lost at sea on Oct. 30, while on her way from Brunswick (Ga.) to St. John (N. B.), was rescued by the gasoline launch, the "Brookline," which was sent out by the Brookline Gasoline Boat Co.

MR. DOWNIE SAYS HE KNOWS NOTHING OF IT

A dispatch from Sydney (C. B.) states that C. H. Fergie, late superintendent of the Dominion Coal Company, has arrived here from Montreal to make a report upon coal properties near Morien for the C. P. R., with the view of the C. P. R. acquiring the area there.

THE FREE KINDERGARTEN

The annual business meeting of the Free Kindergarten was held yesterday afternoon.

THE DOOM OF THE SILK HAT

The decline of the silk hat in England which is causing concern among the makers of it, proceeds with ever accelerating rapidity.

STRANGE VICISSITUDES OF TEN BANK NOTES

Ten 1,000 franc banknotes, representing the savings of a woman who lived in Nanterre, near Paris, were hidden by her in an old envelope, which was placed in a drawer.

Baby Laugh

It belongs to health for a baby to eat and sleep, to laugh and grow fat. But fat comes first, don't ask a scrawny baby to laugh why, even his smile is pitiful. Fat comes first.

TEMPERANCE FEDERATION

The St. John county branch of the New Brunswick Temperance Federation held a meeting last night in the W. C. T. U. rooms, Germain street.

Had Heart Trouble and Shortness of Breath For Six Years.

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THIS EVENING

Evangelistic service in Tabernacle Church. Dramatized moving pictures and songs at the Nickelodeon, 100, of P. meet in Castle Hall, German street.

LATE LOCALS

A letter received by one of the Messers here in this city from Charters & Stubbs, New York lawyers, states that the case is progressing favorably.

The Ladies' Aid Society of Zion Methodist Church will hold their annual sale of useful and fancy articles, on Thursday and Friday of next week. The things would be very suitable for Xmas presents. Home made candy and refreshments will be for sale. A good programme for both evenings. Open at 2.30, close at 10.

BACK FROM PORT ELGIN

Tugs Lord Kitchener and Lord Wolesley Arrived Here This Morning.

Tugs Lord Kitchener, Captain Livingston, and Lord Wolesley, Captain Wiley, arrived in port this morning at five o'clock from Port Elgin, via Picton, Port Hastings, Port Mulgrave, Canoe and Halifax, with the dredge Ironquois and crews in tow. The tugs have been away from this port for some time, and after a long and tedious tow, arrived here safely. The first part of the voyage was very rough, and the tug Lord Wolesley was nearly lost near Summerside, P. E. I., during a storm. The tug was in a very bad way, and it was feared that it would be lost. The tug Lord Kitchener, however, was able to tow the Lord Wolesley to safety. The tugs were away from this port for some time, and after a long and tedious tow, arrived here safely.

OBITUARY

BLISS CHAPMAN. Amherst, N. S., Nov. 25 (Special)—The sudden death of Bliss Chapman occurred at his home, Victoria street, this morning. He was a son of Rufus Chapman, and was unmarried. He is survived by his mother, Smith Chapman and two sisters. He was 49 years old.

ALDEN S. LAMPSON. Fredericton, N. B., Nov. 25 (Special)—Alden S. Lampson, a well-known meat dealer, died quite suddenly last evening at his home, York street. He had been ill since Thursday last from jaundice and heart trouble, but his condition was not considered serious. He took a turn for the worse yesterday afternoon and passed away in a short time. He was 42 years old, and leaves a widow, one son, Guy, and one daughter, Miss Gertrude.

MRS. JOUGHS. Moncton, Nov. 25 (Special)—Word was received here today of the death of Mrs. Joughs, mother of G. R. Joughs, superintendent of motive power of the I. C. R.

MRS. JOHN DAVIDSON. The death of Mrs. John Davidson occurred at her late home, 48 Elm street, yesterday. Mrs. Davidson, who was formerly of Willow Grove, was 36 years of age, and is survived by her husband and by seven children. Three of the sons are Ernest Fred and John, the others being all small children. The funeral will take place on Friday at Upper Doch Lomond.

FUNERALS

The funeral of John Kain was held from his late home, St. James street, this afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. Service was conducted by Rev. C. W. Spence and Rev. Dr. C. R. Planders and interment was in Fernhill.

The funeral of Peter Carey took place from his late home, Lancaster, at nine o'clock this morning to the Church of the Assumption where High Mass was celebrated. Interment was in the Catholic cemetery at Sand Cove.

The funeral of Mrs. Rankine Bell was held from her late home corner Duke and Ludlow streets, west end, this afternoon at two o'clock to St. George's church where service was conducted by Rev. W. H. Sampson. Interment was at Cedar Hill.

The funeral of Captain George Clark was held from his son-in-law's residence, Charles K. Clark, Guilford street, this afternoon at 3.30 o'clock. Service was conducted at three o'clock by Rev. W. H. Sampson and interment was at Cedar Hill.

The burial of the late Leo R. Fitzpatrick took place at half past eight this morning from the residence of his father, Waterloo street, to the Cathedral where Requiem High Mass was celebrated by Rev. D. S. O'Keefe with Rev. William Duke, deacon and Rev. Father Porier, sub-deacon. Burial was in the cemetery. The pallbearers were: C. Conway, J. O'Neill, Frank Cronin, Harold Carleton, Walter Ward, and Remondie Barry. Interment took place in the new Catholic cemetery.

PROBATE COURT

Estate of Israel Thomas Richardson, school teacher. Last will and codicil proved whereby deceased's nephew, Arthur St. George Richardson, his interest in the one-half house owned by him on Pearl Alley, in the town of St. George, Bermuda, and also his library, excepting such books as his wife may desire to keep—the rest of his property to his wife, Caroline Elizabeth, for life, and after that a part to his adopted daughter, Edna Louise Brackett, daughter of Charles P. Brackett, but in case of her death before the death of the widow the property to go to his grand-nephew John Jones, son of Emma Jones, of Cincinnati, Ohio, and the other portion to his said nephew, Arthur St. George Richardson. Caroline Elizabeth Richardson, the widow is sworn in as executrix. Real estate in Bermuda, \$1,500. Personalty \$800. H. H. Pickett, proctor.

Estate of Martha Boone, widow. Last will proved which gives the monies to her credit in the Savings Bank, one-fifth to her daughter, Sarah Smith, and two-fifths to her son, Charles Boone. No realty. Personal estate \$800. Frank Pales sworn in as sole executor. H. H. Pickett, proctor.

WINNIPEG WHEAT REPORT.

St. John, N. B., Nov. 24. The Outlook Flour Mills Co., Ltd., supply the following quotations of the Winnipeg wheat market: November wheat101 1/2 December wheat97 3/8 May wheat102 1/2 A. W. Adams was a passenger to the city on today's Boston train. Rev. I. N. Parker came in on the Boston train at noon.

THE DOBSON CASE WILL COME UP TOMORROW

Circuit Court Today Was Occupied With the Hearing of the Case of Whittaker vs. Goggin

In accordance with an agreement between the interested parties the Whittaker vs. Goggin case was given precedence over the Whobson vs. Stevens suit, which was scheduled to open the present session of the circuit court. It is understood that the much discussed damage action will commence tomorrow, as the Whittaker-Goggin case will receive the exclusive attention of judge and jury today. The absence of several petit jurors retarded the progress of the sitting somewhat, and Judge McLeod criticized the absence, stating that all those offending in this regard tomorrow will be fined.

The Whittaker-Goggin suit has been the subject of much litigation. Action is taken by the plaintiff for the amount of \$1,000 claimed to be due for false disbursements of goods, while the plaintiff is tenant of the defendant occupying a store on the ground floor of the latter's hotel on Charlotte street, a restaurant.

The following talisman were empanelled—Charles E. Vail, W. H. B. Sadler, Andrew McNeil, W. J. Alexander, W. A. Sinclair, John F. Morrison and Geo. C. Beaman. George A. Whittaker, the defendant, was the initial witness. He stated that in September, 1906, he negotiated with the defendant with a view to purchase a lease of the premises, but was referred to F. E. Williams, who had taken over an old lease given to B. H. Walker, and the latter's stock by distress for debt. When Walker assigned the lease to the assignment to Miss Bertha Portmore, a stenographer employed by Walter H. Trueman, barrister and legal representative of F. E. Williams. This lease was transferred finally to the plaintiff, but prior to the consummation of arrangement the defendant was requested to renovate the premises and the rent to be paid quarterly. The defendant when first asked on these points said: "Oh, that's all right," but when pressed for a decisive answer agreed to abide by both provisions. He took possession of the store on September 17, 1906, and the cellars a few days later, with the rent to begin on November 1. On December 17th the defendant demanded payment of rent alleged to be due, and the witness refused to accede. The matter lay in abeyance until December 24, when the witness arrived at the restaurant to find that Constable McBearty had seized the stock and fixtures. The total sum realized at the plaintiff's sale was \$108.85, and a second sale was conducted on Jan. 29, 1907. The plaintiff was ordered from the premises by Goggin, who retained the keys, but after January 10th he was unable to secure admittance as the door was barred.

In a short time the store was again leased to a Chinaman for a restaurant. The consent executed by Goggin on September 17, 1906, agreeing to the assignment of the lease by Walker to Miss Portmore and by the latter to Whittaker was offered in evidence by the plaintiff's counsel. Court adjourned at noon until 2.30 p. m.

MISS OLIVIA MURRAY

An Account of the First Public Appearance of Last Evening's Star Violinist.

Reference is made in another part of this paper to last night's concert in the opera house. Seldom, if ever, have St. John people been delighted by so fine a performance by what may fairly be called local talent. One member of this company of artists made her first appearance last evening before a large audience in this city, indeed it was practically the first important public appearance since she was six years of age. Miss Olivia Murray, whose violin playing won for her so much deserved approval, has just graduated from the Toronto Conservatory. It was with some degree of nervousness that she faced last night's great and critical audience, but from the first it was clear that she would win a notable success. It is probable that Miss Murray will continue her studies in Germany.

It is interesting today to read the following from a Fredericton paper, of October, fourteen years ago, describing a concert in city hall: "Miss Olivia Murray, the six-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ran. Murray, of Springhill, was the star of the evening. It was her first appearance before a public audience, and although they had been led to expect much, all were completely surprised at her execution and the wonder of her natural gifts. Olivia Murray is a wonder. It is not an exaggeration to say that she is, in many respects, not to be found anywhere in the world. She is at once master of the king of instruments, and it spared to develop her talents will do the musical world a great service. The wonders of this little girl will be appreciated by those who did not hear her last evening when they know that although not yet quite six years of age, she can read music fluently in seven different keys."

Another account says:—"She played first violin with the Y. M. C. A. orchestra of St. John, her fine technique and beautiful expression literally holding the audience spell-bound. The like of it was never heard from a child in these parts. She rendered during the evening two or three different pieces by note, and also a long medley by ear, embracing most of the popular airs of the day. Mr. J. Fraser Gregory, who first discovered little Olivia's talent, and whose pupil evening, in sweetness and range, and in unmistakable manifestation of wonder and astonishment which her first appearance in public produced."

Mr. Gregory was in the audience last evening, and was among those who rejoiced in the brilliant work of his former pupil.

MRS. MILLER'S SINGING

Seldom has a singer won her way into the affections of a St. John audience more securely than Mrs. Miller, who was heard with such intense pleasure last evening. In sweetness and range, and in perfect ease of expression, the voice of this St. John singer grows upon her audience as the programme proceeds, and the most exquisite pleasure is experienced.

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BEFORE IT GETS TOO COLD

KITCHEN HALLWAY STAIRS UNDER STOVES

THE FAST APPROACH OF WINTER gives warning to householders to have their floors prettily and comfortably covered, before the freezing and zero weather becomes permanent. Many a kitchen needs a new oilcloth or linoleum; many a hallway or vestibule, and we are now showing several special lines of goods for these very purposes. The following may be a help to you in your figuring out spaces:

OILCLOTHS

In a large variety of conventional and special designs, tastefully colored and of durable qualities. Following are the widths: 3 feet, 3 feet 9 inches, 4 feet 6 inches, 6 feet, 7 feet 6 inches and 9 feet.

STAIR OR TRACK OILCLOTH

In new and standard patterns. Pretty color combinations. At 15 inches wide, 18 inches, 22 1/2 inches and 27 inches wide.

LINOLEUMS

both plain and patterned. Vast range of designs, such as floral, imitation hardwood flooring, parquetry, conventional, etc. Printed and inlaid qualities. In following widths, 3 feet, 6 feet, 9 feet and 12 feet.

CORK CARPETS

In all art shades to correspond with furnishing color-schemes. Soft to the tread and very durable. In three qualities, coming in 6 ft. widths.

OILCLOTH AND LINOLEUM MATS

For Stoves and in Front of Open Fireplaces. BRASS BINDING FOR OILCLOTHS, ETC.

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