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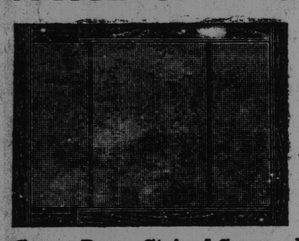

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St. John, N. B., June 13, 1904.

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Boy Oxford in Norfolk style, $2.75.

These Suits

Tailoring & Clothing
199 & 201 Union St.

WOMEN'S CONGRESS.

Canadian Women Contribute to the Interest of the International Assembly at Berlin.

BERLIN, June 14. — The chief interest of the delegates to the International Women's Congress today attached to an audience given to twenty-one members of the international by the empress. The deputation comprised the retiring and newly-elected officers of the council, the president of each national council and several leaders of the movement. Her majesty engaged all the delegates in conversation, evincing great interest in the progress of the woman movement. She expressed much pleasure at hearing from the foreign delegates of the success of the Berlin meeting of the council. The reception lasted an hour and a half.

The sessions of the congress today were again well attended. Mrs. Commings, of Toronto, Canada, made an interesting address.

SCHOONER ASHORE.

Schooner Packit, for Bridgetown on the Rocks Near Patridge Island Whistle—Little Damage

The schooner Packet, Captain Longmire, sailed from South Wharf this morning with a general cargo for Bridgetown and with splendid weather conditions a good run was anticipated, but, as usual, the unexpected happened and the schooner is now ashore on Partridge Island and will remain there till next high tide, when it is thought she will float off.

The schooner is ashore at a point near the whistle house and is not supposed to be injured to any extent.

The tug W. H. Murray made an attempt to pull the Packet off shortly after she went ashore, but was unsuccessful.

JAP SUCCESS MEANS BRITISH LOSS

If Russia Loses Port Arthur, Treaty Compels England to Abandon Wei Hai Wei.

LONDON, June 14.—It appears from a question and answer in the House of Commons today that the fall of Port Arthur will mark the end of British tenancy of Wei Hai Wei, on the Shan Tung promontory. Earl Percy, the under foreign secretary, informed the house today that under the Anglo-Chinese convention of 1898 Great Britain's lease of this Chinese port was only valid so long as Port Arthur remained in the occupation of Russia.

DEATH OF CHARLES AVARD.

(Special to the Star).

MONCTON, N. B., June 14.—Charles Avard died about 1 o'clock this morning at the home of his son, Ivey F. Avard, of the I. C. R. Mr. Avard had not been well for some time, but his condition was not considered dangerous until within the past few months. About five months ago he and Mrs. Avard came to Moncton to visit their son and while here Mr. Avard was taken seriously ill and has not been able to leave his bed since.

The deceased was born in the eastern end of Westmorland and lived the greatest part of his life in Shemogue. He was well known in the eastern part of the county and very highly respected. He was a brother of William Avard, formerly of Shemogue, now residing at Point De Bute, also brother of the late Mrs. Angus McQueen. He was 64 years of age and is survived by Mrs. Avard, two sons and one daughter. The sons are Ivey T., assistant weighing inspector I. C. R., and Norman, in the employ of Fraser & Torrie, Sydney. Mrs. Dr. Burgess, of this city, is the daughter.

TERCENTENARY ATTRACTION LOST.

A Drain One Hundred Years Old Ordered to Be Stopped.

Two Carleton gentlemen who were reported some days ago for allowing water to flow across the sidewalk in front of their residence on the West Side, were in court this morning and said that there was no sewer or other convenience in this block, that the water had been running as it was for twenty years, and probably one hundred years for all they knew. His honor remarked that matters were now figured up by the three hundred, and that it might be pointed out to visitors next week as a stream that was there when Champlain came sailing up the harbor.

His honor, however, decided that it could not be part of the show as the board of health objected so the parties in question were given till Friday to remedy matters.

They were not informed how they are to do it.

RAISULI CAPTIVES STILL HELD.

TANGIER, June 14.—A courier from Raisuli, the banditt who kidnapped Messrs. Perdicaris and Varley, arrived here during the night. U. S. Consul General Gummere and the British minister subsequently visited Mohammed el Torres, the representative of the Sultan of Morroco to discuss the contents of Raisuli's message. The distance of Raisuli's headquarters makes the negotiations drag. It is now thought that the captives will not be released this week.

ANARCHISTS IN SOUTH AFRICA.

Transvaal, June 14.—Three foreigners supposed to be anarchists were arrested here during the night. One of the men had been heard to boast he would attempt to assassinate the British High Commissioner, Lord Milner, if it was worth his while.

JAPS LOSE SEVERELY BY MINE EXPLOSION.

Several Men Killed Laying Mines in Port Arthur Harbor—Russian Reserves Called Out

MINE EXPLOSION KILLS JAPS.

TOKIO, June 14. 4 p. m.—While the Taihoku was engaged in laying mines at the entrance of Port Arthur last night, a mine exploded, killing one officer and eighteen men and wounding two officers and several men. The Taihoku, which is a naval transport, was not seriously damaged.

RUSSIAN COMMENT.

ST. PETERSBURG, June 14. — The Novoe Vremya's military expert authoritatively denies the report that General Stakelberg is to march south. He declares that the only Russian forces on the Liao Tung peninsula above Port Arthur consist of cavalry and railroad guards, and adds that it is scarcely possible to interfere with the siege operations before Port Arthur. The chief mission of the Russian cavalry is to hamper the movements of the Japanese columns from the south to the north. The Novoe Vremya devotes a long editorial to argue that wireless communication with neutral territory does not constitute a breach of neutrality, the enemy having practically the same remedy as in one case of cutting the cable, and in the other of stationing a vessel rigged with wireless apparatus between the sending and receiving stations, thus interfering wth communication.

MORE MEN FOR KUROPATKIN.

The calling out of the army reserves in Kasan, Kieff and Moscow military districts was announced today. This step is for the purpose of filling up the skeleton reserve corps and to replace the regular troops already gone or going to the front. It also foreshadows the dispatch of four Volga corps, which was predicted in these despatches a month ago. The latter would give General Kuropatkin two hundred thousand men.

RESERVES CALLED OUT.

BOBROFF, Russia, June 14. — The partial mobolization of the reserves in this district has been proclaimed. Two thousand reserve men are wanted from here.

VORONEZH, Russia, June 14. — An imperial order calling out the reserves of this district has been published.

PETROPAVLOVSK, Russia, June 14.—The last two classes of the reserves of this district have been called out.

YANKEE SUBMARINES FOR JAPS.

NEW YORK, June 14. — The American says: Captain Simon Lake, the inventor of the Lake submarine boat Protector, sails today on the North German Lloyd steamer Kaiser Wilhelm for Europe. He goes to meet the Protector, which the Lake Company have sold to the Japanese government. A stockholder of the company said last night that he understood the mikado's government paid the Lake Company $250,000 for the Protector and the patents from which she was constructed. The Protector is on her way to Suez. Engineer Wilson and Electrician Evans, of the Lake force, are with her. These two men, with Captain Lake, had charge of the Protector in the trials off Newport last winter, when a United States army board approved of the Protector. Captain Lake himself will be given a complimentary commission in the Japanese navy. He says he is not violating any neutrality laws. Others of the Lake working force have left Bridgeport, Conn., and it is believed they are on their way to the Orient, via San Francisco.

Five submarines of the Lake type are now being constructed at Newport News, which will be shipped to Japan in parts and there assimilated by Captain Lake and his workmen. Captain Lake said he might be away for months and it was possible he would never return.

POLICE COURT.

Sailor Fined $2 for Taking the Harbor as a Chaser — The Police Admonished.

Alfred Case is a sailor, and likes the water so well, after whiskey, that he tumbled into the harbor last night instead of going on board his vessel. Officers McCallum and Rankine, who ehard his cries for help when he realized that he had got too much for once, hurried to the wharf and yanked him out. They took him to the Water street lockup and in court this morning he was fined four dollars or ten days. The captain of the vessel said he was not worth four dollars, but was willing to pay two and the deal was made. The other occupant of the bench was a common drunk, who got $8 or thirty days.

The boy Neeve, who was arrested for walking about in girl's clothes was further remanded till this afternoon. Carr, for fighting on Main street, was also remanded and the man Small, charged with being a habitual frequenter of a disreputable house asked for an opportunity to communicate with his friends. His case will be taken up tomorrow.

The case against Charles McCarthy, charged by Officer Marshall with interfering with him while arresting a sailor on Brittain street, and postponed from yesterday, was concluded and McCarthy was allowed to go. The sailor was let go yesterday. Two witnesses were heard this morning.

His honor delivered a lengthy address, in which he again defined what drunkenness was, and pointed out that the officers who made the most arrests were not always the best officers. He called attention to the fact that Officer Merrick, who was in court, was seldom known to make an arrest, and yet no one could say he was not a first class officer. Sergt. Baxter he (the magistrate) had watched with pleasure handling a big crowd. He seldom made an arrest. There should be no distinction between the man with the silk hat and the one with the dinner can.

The Littlejohn fighting case was again before the court this morning. The prosecution having all their evidence in and it is expected that a decision will be reached on Saturday.

FUNERALS TODAY.

The funeral of Ernest L. Hammond was held at 3.30 o'clock this afternoon from his father's residence, 5 Dorchester street. Rev. R. Mathers, principal of Wiggins' Orphan Asylum conducted the services at the house and grave. Interment was made in Fernhill cemetery. The pall-bearers were: J. F. Johnston, Harry Armstrong, William Nelson, Thomas Short, James Pullen and James Christie.

Jeremiah Mahoney who died at Rothesay on the 12th inst, was buried this afternoon, interment taking place in the Rothesay Catholic cemetery.

The funeral of Mrs. James W. Smith was held this afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from the residence of her father, John Rubins, 43 Harrison street, North End. Rev. R. P. McKim officiated and interment was made in Cedar Hill cemetery.

Subscribers for the Daily Sun get the latest news from all parts of the globe.

A WOMAN OF FORESIGHT.

William Waldorf Astor spoke recently before the London Cabmen's Benevolent Society, an organization in which he takes a deep interest. Mr. Astor's subject was kindness, and at one point he said:

"Kindness is a virtue that stands out brightest by contrast with some signal piece of cruelty. I'll tell you of a piece of cruelty that was practiced, my gardener informed me, on a certain costermonger.

"This costermonger lay dying. As he neared his end, his wife said to him: "'Don't you think you could eat a bit of something, John?'

"'I might,' the man answered.

"'Good,' said she. 'Now what can I get for you?'

"'Well,' said the costermonger, 'I seem to smell a ham a-cookin' somewheres. I think I could eat a bit o' that.'

"'Oh, no, John, dear,' said his wife. 'You can't have that. That's for the funeral.'"

P. E. I. MAN DROWNED.

VANCOUVER, B. C., June 13.—William B. Ross, a prominent young lawyer and a member of the Maritime Province Association, was found drowned here this morning.

Deceased was a native of Charlottetown and was to have been married to Miss James, of that place, in August.

POLICE REPORTS.

The police report a flow of water from Henry Dalton's house in the North End.

A pair of ice grips found on Mill street can be had by the owner calling at the central station.

The police report that there is a dangerous hole in the sidewalk on Jeffries Hill, opposite Coleman's store.

RAILWAY MAGNATE COMING HERE.

MONTREAL, June 13.—The steam yacht Waconta, owned by J. J. Hill, the railway magnate, is here awaiting her owner, who has planned a trip to the maritime provinces. The St. John river will be included in the itinerary.

PRUDENT BOSS.

The contractor frowned up at the bricklayer sitting dangerously near the edge of the scaffold.

"Git off av thor, Thomas Murphy!" he finally bellowed. "First thing Oi know ye will fall tin stories, break yez poipe awn want an hour to go out awn buy a new one."

WILLING TO REPAIR.

"Young man," said the stern father, "you have been calling on my daughter until you have worn out the sofa. You know what that means, don't you?"

"Certainly, sir," responded the young man, "I'll send up an upholsterer tomorrow."

FUTURE ASSURED.

"Yes, we found the baby playing with a volume of verse."

"Indeed? He will probably turn out to be a poet."

"But he tore the verses up and tossed them out of the window."

"Did, eh? Well, that shows he's going to be an editor."

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION

LOST—On Duke street, by way of Princess and Charlotte streets, a lady's ribbon belt with a maple leaf enamel buckle. Finder will please leave at the STAR OFFICE.

CHURCH WOMAN A FORGER.

Aged 61, Prominent in Social and Religious Circles, She Stole Thousands of Dollars.

ELGIN, Ills., June 14.—Miss Martha E. Lunn, 61 years old, and for many years prominent in Elgin church social and women's clubs' circles, has been arrested here on the charge of forgery and is now in jail. Elgin attorneys, it is stated, hold notes for collection against Miss Lunn for more than $12,000. Most of these notes were signed with the names of B. B. Lunn and W. W. Teal. Mr. Teal declares his name has been forged in every instance. It is alleged that Miss Lunn borrowed money on these notes from many persons in Elgin and nearby places. It is asserted that many of her alleged victims were widows who had collected life insurance upon the death of their husbands.

GOOD RACING AT SUSSEX.

Fine List of Events for July 12—Sussex Holds First Town Elections July 25th.

(Special to the Star).

SUSSEX, N. B., June 14. — The midsummer meet of the Race Track Association, of Sussex, wil be held July 12th next, with the following classes named:

2.40 class, trot or pace, purse $200.
2.23 class, trot or pace, purse $300.
2.19 class, trot or pace, purse $300.

All entries are to be made with J. T. Prescott, secretary. Entries to close June 23. The track is in fine condition, and as a large number of horses are already here in training, a good day's racing may be expected.

Sheriff Hatfield received today the order for the town elections and is posting notices for holding the same on the 25th inst.

PRINTERS WANT 8 HOUR DAY.

Chicago Printers Start Agitation for Shorter Hours—Will Raise $500,000 Campaign Fund.

CHICAGO, June 14.—Union printers in the district surrounding Chicago, have started a movement for the establishment of the eight hour day for their craft throughout the United States. Recommendations will be made to the coming convention of the International Typographical Union that no new agreements be entered into except on the eight hour basis, that a fund of $500,000 be collected by an assessment of $10 on each member of the union to be used exclusively for agitation for the shorter day and that of competitive districts be created in which all locals shall act together. The conference took one step towards the realization of the last proposition by forming the central district, embracing Illinois, Ohio, Indiana, Michigan, Wisconsin, Ohio, Nebraska and Missouri. E. R. Wright, president of Union No. 16, of Chicago, was chosen president and Frank Kochman, of Cincinnati, secretary. The printers now work on the eight hour basis in newspaper offices while the book and job shops adhere to the nine hour day.

YOUNG WIFE KILLS HER HUSBAND AND HERSELF.

CLEVELAND, June 14. — L. D. Allen and his wife were found dead in their room in an apartment house today, the woman having shot her husband and then herself. Allen was 23 and his wife 20 years old. The young woman evidently fired four bullets at her husband, two of which took effect, after which she wrote a farewell note to relatives and then killed herself.

The cause of the tragedy has not been learned.

Pure Lard, 10c. a lb.

Good Cheese 10c. per lb.

Good table Butter, in 1 lb. rolls from 16c. up.

Flour Less than Wholesale Prices

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THE WEATHER.

Forecasts—Light, variable winds, fine. Wednesday, moderate southwesterly wind, fair and warm.

Synopsis—Weather is fine throughout the Dominion with no indication of disturbance. Winds are light and variable along the Atlantic coast.

The hightest temperature in the city was 64 above.

New Caps.

We have just received some new styles in Men's and Boys' Caps in

Golf and Yachting Shapes.

Colors, black, blue and tweeds.

ANDERSON'S
17 Charlotte Street.

Umbrellas Re-covered
AT
Duval's Umbrella Shop.

Chairs re-seated, cane, splint and perforated, at Duval's Chair Seating Shop.
Perforated Seats, shaped square, light and dark.
17 WATERLOO STREET.

NEW GOODS!
We have just received a nice stock of fine
GOLD BROOCHES, GUARDS, NECKLETS, PENDANTS, LOCKETS.
RINGS in great variety, STUDS, LINKS, COLLAR BUTTONS, Etc.
We have a great stock and invite inspection.

FERGUSON & PAGE
At 41 King St.

NOW BOYS'!
THE STRAW HATS.

Season is here; if you want something new and swell in the line of straw hats they are here.

JACK BARDSLEY,
Hat Specialist,
55 Germain Street
3 doors from Royal Hotel entrance.

Having the largest salesrooms in the lower provinces, we feel ourselves in a position to give the public a place where they can dispose of all kinds of goods in quantities from car load lots down, with best results. We will put on special fall sales at salesrooms for those wishing us to do so. Books now open for dates. We also make a specialty of house sales at residences, and as Manager W. J. Nagle has had twenty-five years' experience before the public of St. John at house sales, etc., we feel ourselves in a position to give the best of satisfaction.

All kinds of outside sales promptly attended. Mining stocks, bonds, real estate, etc., etc.

W. J. NAGLE, Manager.
F. L. POTTS, Auctioneer.
Salesroom 86 Germain street.
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Ladies' Skirts!

Undoubtedly a remarkable offer in Ladies' Dress Skirts. We are showing a most complete assortment and offering very special values in Black and Grey Skirts.

SKIRTS OF BLACK AND FLAKE MATERIALS. Pleated flounce and straps. Each $4.00
BLACK MELTON SKIRTS—Tucked piped with satin and trimmed with buttons. Each $4.25.
BLACK MELTON SKIRTS—With tabs, flounce with white stitching.....Each $4.50.
BLACK GOLF CLOTH SKIRTS—Three rippled flounces piped with satin and trimmed with buttons.....Each $4.50
BLACK MELTON SKIRTS—Trimmed with satin piping and buttons.....Each $4.75
GREY MELTON SKIRTS—with Satin folds. Each $3.00
GREY MELTON SKIRTS—Tucked flounce and tabs with satin piping.....Each $4.50
GREY FRIEZE SKIRTS—Trimmed with rows of piping .....Each $3.75
GREY FRIEZE SKIRTS—Tucked flounce. Each $3.00
GREY FRIEZE SKIRTS—Tucked flounce, trimmed with tabs.....Each $3.25
GREY FRIEZE SKIRT—Folds and stitching on bottom .....Each $3.25
GREY FRIEZE SKIRTS—Folds and stitching on bottom .....Each $3.50
GREY FRIEZE SKIRTS—Box pleats, trimmed with narrow black cloth straps and buttons .....Each $4.25
MISSES' SKIRTS—A nice range..Each $2.75
BLACK MELTON SKIRTS—Four rows stitching round bottom .....Each $1.50
BLACK MELTON SKIRTS—Four rows stitching and satin folds.....Each $2.00
BLACK SERGE SKIRTS—Trimmed with rows of piping .....Each $2.75
BLACK SERGE SKIRTS—Tucked ripple flounce .....Each $3.25
BLACK MELTON SKIRTS—Tucked gores and ripple flounce .....Each $3.25
BLACK MELTON SKIRTS—Ripple flounce and tabs piped with satin and trimmed with buttons.....Each $3.50
BLACK MELTON SKIRTS—Pleated front gores and flounce.....Each, $3.75

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