

TO ADVERTISERS

Why don't you advertise? Nobody knows that you are doing business, and it won't be long before you'll not know it yourself.

# The Daily Mail

THE WEATHER.

Maritime — Gales northwest to west, decreasing tonight, colder with light snow falls and flurries. Sunday, west to south west winds, fair, cold at first, then rising temperature.

VOL. XV NO. 275

FREDERICTON, N. B., SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 25 1911

TWO CENTS PER COPY

## TOUR CONTEST CLOSES ONE WEEK FROM TODAY

### CHINESE PIRATES WERE PUNISHED AT WU CHOW

Five Steamers Flying Rebel Flag Entered Harbor--Crews Landed and Demanded Tribute from Authorities--Conflict with Loyal Chinese Troops Resulted in Complete Defeat of the Landing Party--Piracy Reported to be Rampant

(Canadian Press.)

Hong Kong, Nov. 25.—A gang of Chinese pirates yesterday attempted to raid Wu Chow, a treaty port in the Province of Kwang Si, but were badly whipped and many of them killed. The remainder had to flee for their lives. Five small steamers, one of which was a torpedo boat, entered the harbor, flying the rebel flag. The men professed to be revolutionists, and after landing demanded that the officials hand over the money in the treasury and the arms and ammunition. They called on the troops to surrender.

While the officials and a number of leading citizens were holding a hasty consultation on the subject, the pirates apparently lost patience and fired a volley at the soldiers, who were under arms. The latter quickly replied and a fierce combat at close quarters followed. The pirates were completely routed, more than a hundred of their number being killed. Seventy-five others who were captured, were immediately beheaded.

The soldiers also suffered severely, many of them being killed and the hospitals are full of wounded.

Piracy is rampant and numbers of craft of all types have been looted, while robbers are murdering and pillaging ashore.

(Continued on page four)

### HUDSON BAY COUNTRY IS RICH IN MINERALS

Prospector Returns with Report of Great Deposits of Gold near James Bay--Will go to Ungava this Winter on Two Years' Tour

Toronto, Ont., Nov. 25.—"The Cobalt boom will be nothing when the real mineral deposits of Northern Ontario and Quebec come to light." This statement was made yesterday by Kenneth E. Kennedy of Sherbrooke, a well-known prospector, who is in the city after a six months' absence in the north country. Mr. Kennedy stated that he had found a great quantity of gold just below James Bay, and the sandy soil there made the showing all the more significant.

Mr. Kennedy will this winter, make an extended tour of Ungava, going around from coast to coast by a steam yacht, and penetrating the interior from the Labrador coast. He said this trip would occupy two years. Expeditions he said, were now being prepared in New York and Boston to investigate the mineral areas of Baffin Land.

Mrs. McKee of St. John, is visiting her cousin, Mrs. W. W. Hubbard, of this city.

### WANT I. C. R. RATES CHANGED

Montreal Board of Trade Alleges Discrimination in Favor of East

Asks that Railway Commission Control Government Railway Lines as it Does Private Lines

Montreal, Nov. 25.—A petition to the minister of railways and canals, that the Intercolonial Railway be placed under the jurisdiction of the board of railway commissioners, at least in so far as the regulation of rates is concerned, was adopted and forwarded by the council of the board of trade, the latter taking up the cause of Montreal shippers, who allege numerous instances of discrimination against them in favor of Maritime Provinces shippers. It is also declared that the I. C. R. has a great number of private special rates to which the public have no access, and that were the Intercolonial governed by the railway act, their rates would have to be filed with the railway commission and posted at each I. C. R. office for the information of the public and thus shippers would know exactly just what rates were in force.

Another reason advanced is that the I. C. R. is in competition with the Canadian Pacific Railway at points as St. John and it seems to be an anomaly that the Canadian Pacific Railway should be governed by the railway commissioners and the Intercolonial Railway be free from such control.

Mr. John Kinghorn of Montreal, is the guest of Mrs. Wm. Kinghorn, Synthe Street.

Mr. J. C. Coull of Montreal, is in the city, a guest at the Queen.

### ROOSEVELT SAYS HE DOESN'T WANT NOMINATION

Cannot Understand why People Misinterpret his Article in Outlook--Has Received many Letters Promising Support in Case he Accepts

New York, Nov. 25.—According to a special to The World from Oyster Bay Theodore Roosevelt was asked regarding the report that he may again be a candidate for president, and told a world correspondent that a statement might be made as follows:

Colonel Roosevelt finds it difficult to understand the comment, the statement reads, that has followed his article in the Outlook regarding national laws and business interests. He has said exactly the same thing many times before. He cannot see why it should be assumed that this article indicates that he is ready to take any personal part in the coming campaign.

"It can be stated that Col. Roosevelt has received many letters indicating the willingness of the writers to give him political support if such is desired. It can be stated that Col. Roosevelt today received a letter from a certain United States senator offering

(Continued on page four)

### MISS DILLON WRITES OF BERMUDA TRIP

Being the Continuation of an Article on the Tour to Boston, New York, Washington and Bermuda Enjoyed by a Party of Young Ladies from New Glasgow, N. S.

Guysboro, N.S., Nov. 17, 1911.

A. B. Codrington, Fredericton, N.B.,

Dear Sir:—I am writing you a copy of the M.S.S. for the Bermuda trip.

I am sorry I have not been able to find a paper containing the account of our doings in New York, but I did not save my notes. If I had even the notes I would endeavor to write another article for you.

I trust you will have a most successful contest, and that your young ladies will have as pleasant a trip as we did. Bermuda is worth every effort required to win.

Yours very truly,

EVA M. DILLON.

OFF FOR BERMUDA.

Leaving New York at ten o'clock in the forenoon of Wednesday, October 18th, we embarked for Bermuda in the Royal Mail steamer "Tagus." Comfortable steamer chairs were provided and we decided to stay on deck as long as the cold would let us. However, we were soon driven in, not to emerge until the next day, when the Gulf Stream was passed and the air became balmy. A voyage on a big ship like this is very pleasant indeed. There is a music room, a good orchestra, a well filled library, games and a spacious upper deck where dances are held.

About the middle of Friday afternoon we hear the glad tidings "land ahead." All crowd to the upper deck and there away on the horizon, lying isolated in the Atlantic, is the haven of our desires—Bermuda.

Thomas Moore, the Bard of Erin, who spent some time in Bermuda in the employ of the British government describes the approach thus:

"Oh, what a sea of storms we've passed,

High mountain waves and foaming showers,

But bless the little fairy isle,

How sweetly after all our ills,

We saw the sunny evening smile

Serenely o'er its fragrant hills."

Soon the ship glides along in summer seas, everyone dons summer clothing, before us lies the Bermuda smiling under a summer sun, a sea of emerald hue, with darker patches showing the shoals, a summer sky overhead, truly it is summer all around.

The two hundred and fifty passengers have by this time arrived on the decks, all eager for a sight of this "ocean paradise." On account of the coral reefs and shoals, the big steamer cannot approach close to the islands, so a tender comes out to meet us. A short passage brings us to the pier, where, as well as in the doorways, are people waving a welcome. Now we leap gladly out to the firm good earth again. Our baggage goes through the form of an examination by courteous custom officials. Soon after we are driving in a victoria to our hotel, The Hamilton. The cleanliness of the broad white streets, the white houses peeping from among the trees and surrounded by beautiful flowering shrubs all give the stranger a first impression of brightness and cleanliness.

Bermuda may be described as a fairland of outdoor flowers, gorgeous in coloring and sweet in perfume, with sunny blue skies overhead—or, to use the words of the poet Chittendew, from his "Bermuda Verses,"

"Leagues of emerald splendor

Here woo a lovely land,

Of gleaming beauty

And purest crystal sand."

(Continued on page five)

### A GREAT GATHERING OF PRELATES WILL BE AT ROME DURING NEXT WEEK

Preparations also Being Made for Coronation of King of Siam--Their Royal Highnesses the Duke and Duchess of Connaught will pay Toronto Vice-regal Visit--Opium Conference at the Hague--Other Interesting Events of the Coming Week

(Special to The Mail)

Washington, Nov. 25.—From many lands the high officers of the Roman Catholic church will gather in Rome at the beginning of the week to participate in, or witness the great ceremonial of consistory, when the largest number of prelates to be named as cardinals at one time for more than 400 years will receive their insignia of office and honor. The sacred College will then be raised from forty-six to sixty-six members. Among the new Cardinals are the three American prelates, Archbishop Farley, of New York, Archbishop O'Connell of Boston and Mgr. Falconio the papal delegate at Washington. According to the latest advices from Rome the private consistory will be held on Monday and the public one two days later.

GOVERNORS' TOUR

The governors of ten Western States—California, Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Colorado, Montana, Wyoming, South Dakota and North Dakota—will start from St. Paul Monday night on a 5000 mile tour of the East and Middle West carrying exhibits of the States they represent. The governors will attend conferences and get acquainted with the business men of the many cities they visit in an effort to attract further public attention to the Western country as a desirable field for the home-seeker and the investment of capital.

VICE REGAL VISIT

Pursuant to the call of Governor Johnson, the California legislature will begin a special session Monday for the investigation of matters of State concern, including woman suffrage, the initiative and referendum, weights and measures and the issuance of irrigation bonds.

Their Royal Highnesses the Governor General and Duchess of Connaught will be the guests of Toronto, the first four days of the week and will be elaborately entertained. From Toronto they will go to Hamilton for a visit of two days.

SIAMESE CORONATION

In far-off Bangkok the capital of Siam, representatives of the leading nations of the world will assemble for another interesting ceremony—the coronation of King Maha Vajiravudh, who succeeded to the Siamese throne upon the death of his father a year ago. The coronation festivities will last an entire week.

OPIMUM CONFERENCE

Another assembly of the nation will be the international conference for the suppression of the opium traffic, which is scheduled to begin its session

### TURKS CONFIDENT THEY CAN HOLD THE DARDANELLES

### NE TEMERE WON ONTARIO

Tory Member from Peterboro Tells How Game was Worked

Mondou of Yamaska says Quebec Went against Laurier Because of Manitoba School Question

Ottawa, Nov. 24.—Two interesting speeches were made by the government supporters today.

A Quebec Nationalist told parliament that the province had voted against Laurier because he had failed to give justice to the French Catholic minority of the west in 1896. This reason was given by Mr. Mondou of Yamaska.

A different reason was given by Mr. Burnham, of Peterboro, a Conservative stalwart. He was the last speaker, as Mr. Mondou was the first. He said the ne temere decree did the trick in Ontario, which had voted anti-Catholic. Mr. Mondou said he knew Premier Borden had agreed to Henri Bourassa's proposal that there should be a plebiscite on the navy.

Mr. A. Verville, the Labor-Liberal, declared the victory was won over reciprocity by the trusts, but it could not last long. The people were moving and would finally have their way in spite of the seven millionaires in the Borden government.

NEW NAVAL PLAN.

A new naval plan was produced by a new man, Stevens of Vancouver, a Conservative. He was for an imperial navy board to receive contributions for an empire navy. Canada should be represented upon this board and should contribute to the fund.

(Continued on page four)

### BOSTON POLICE HAVE FOUND NEW RICHESON WITNESS

Man who Saw Avis Linnell with Clergyman on Day of Murder Located at Last--The Immanuel Baptist Church Accepts Richeson's Resignation

(Special to The Mail)

Boston, Nov. 24.—The police state today that they have found a man who declares he saw Rev. Clarence V. T. Richeson accused of the murder of Avis Linnell, in the company of the girl on the afternoon of October 14, a few hours before her death.

This witness was formerly a resident of Hyannis where Miss Linnell lived most of her life, and where she met Richeson. According to the story of the man, whose name the police withheld, he met Richeson and Miss Linnell at the gate of the Fenway in the Back Bay. He declares he spoke to them and that Richeson ignored him. Miss Linnell, he says recognized him and nodded her head and smiled.

"The man" said the police official "has supplied the missing link in our chain of evidence. He is positive and we feel satisfied he is not mistaken, because he had known Richeson and Miss Linnell intimately for years."

Cambridge, Nov. 25.—The Immanuel

(Continued on page five)

Preparations made to Block the Fairway with Sunken Ships ---Forts on the Dardanelles are Being Placed in Readiness--Russia Notifies the Powers that Neutrality of Dardanelles will be Insisted upon by Czar under Existing Agreement

(Canadian Press.)

Constantinople, Nov. 25.—Should Italy attempt to force the Dardanelles the Porte has arranged to sink a number of Turkish ships with the purpose of obstructing the fairway. Turkish military officials are awaiting developments with composure. They declare that an Italian fleet will suffer such losses in forcing the straits that even the numerically weak Turkish squadron would be able further to reduce the enemy's effectiveness to such an extent, that if it reached Constantinople it would be at the mercy of the Turkish forts. The Ottoman ministers of war and marine, are now in the Dardanelles seeing that the forts are being placed in readiness.

NEUTRALITY INSISTED UPON

Paris, Nov. 25.—Russia today informed France and the other powers that she insists upon the neutrality of the Dardanelles as provided in the Treaty of London 1871. This notification follows the report that Italy in furthering the war against Turkey intended to block the Dardanelles.

The Treaty of London in 1871 reiterated the Treaty of Paris in 1856 and the Treaty of London of 1841 in

(Continued on page four.)

### CHILDREN WERE SMOTHERED IN MAGAZINE

Disappeared Mysteriously from West Australian Railway Station--Dead Bodies Discovered some Days Afterwards--Had Been Locked in

Melbourne, Nov. 24.—Two children each six years of age, disappeared after leaving school at Perth, West Australia, and in spite of a widespread search their whereabouts could not be ascertained.

The day following the disappearance, a railway guard in a casual way opened a portable powder magazine at the station, and to his horror discovered the lifeless bodies of the missing children.

The little ones had, apparently been playing in the magazine when the lid fell and the clasp caught automatically. The magazine being air tight, the victims were suffocated.

McKAY--MITCHELL

Moncton, Nov. 25.—The marriage of Miss Ellen Florence Mitchell of Moncton and Mr. James Walter McKay of Fredericton took place on Wednesday in Dorchester, Mass., at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. W. H. McGowan. The bride was formerly a teacher in the schools of this city.