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The Daily Herald.

THE WEATHER.
Winds shifting to east and northeast, increasing to gales by Friday, cloudy today, Friday sleet and rain.

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SURPRISED FRIENDS.

Moncton Man Turned Up After Having Been Reported Drowned.

Moncton, Nov. 15.—(Special)—After being thought dead, George Wheaton, a former Moncton young man, has turned up here to the surprise of friends.
A year or more ago, the Moncton police received a telegram inquiring for Wheaton's friends, stating that he had been drowned off a steamer between Newfoundland and Sydney. Wheaton had previously worked at Fox River, N. S.
Nothing had been heard of him by friends here after his reported drowning until a day or two ago, when he arrived here much to the surprise of his former acquaintances.

HALIFAX WINS.

Allans and C. P. R. Boats Will Land All Trans Atlantic Mails at the Nova Scotia Capital.

Ottawa, Nov. 15.—(Special)—The C. P. R. this morning made a final request to have the mail contract so modified, that they could handle the mails direct to and from St. John, and cut out the Halifax call.

Mr. Drinkwater, representing the C. P. R., had a conference with the Postmaster General, and at the conclusion it was learned that the Postmaster General could not see his way clear to grant the C. P. R.'s request, and the contract will be enforced.

This means that all the mails will be handled at Halifax, both the C. P. R. and Allan boats calling there and discharging the mails.

ROBBED THE SUFFERERS

Alleged that \$1,000,000 of San Francisco

Relief Fund Has Been Stolen by Civic Officials.

New York, Nov. 15.—If rumors that have been current for a long time and which have now come to a head, if definite published charges be true, San Francisco can present the example of the meanest official malfeasance on record. When San Francisco was destroyed by fire and earthquake last spring the whole civilized world rushed to the aid of the sufferers of the ruined city. Now it is definitely charged that more than \$1,000,000 donated in charity had been deliberately stolen by the city officials.

Mayor Schmitz has been in Europe for some weeks. He is expected to return next week and his arrival is awaited with interest. It is said there will be government officials at the dock to welcome him. Schmitz is the "labor" mayor. He was a fighter when he was swept into office on a tide of radicalism fostered by W. R. Hearst.

It has been known for some time that there were grave irregularities in regard to the disposition of the money contributed by the charitable to the ruined city. A committee of citizens started on investigation a month ago. President Roosevelt became interested, and a force of more than 100 of the federal government's best secret service men has been engaged in running down these meanest of official grafters. The San Francisco Chronicle yesterday made definite charges against definite men.

OVER \$1,000,000 STOLEN.

The Chronicle alleges that when the attention of President Roosevelt was called to the existing state of affairs and he began to realize that thousands of dollars contributed by sympathetic citizens from all parts of the world had been diverted from the sufferers into the pockets of the grafters, he decided to take a hand in the affair, especially as much of the grafting was done through the instrumentality of the post office and the express companies amenable to the rules of the interstate Commerce Commission.

President Roosevelt put a hundred secret service men on the job and they have now been at work several weeks tracing money orders, express

orders and packages of money, and it is said that they have made the startling discovery that a total of \$1,000,000 in cash intended for the sufferers, never reached them.
Money was sent from 10,000 post offices and express offices in the United States for the San Francisco sufferers, either direct to some of the city authorities, or else addressed to the Relief Committee of the Red Cross. The investigation of the secret service men thus far shows that the money which was sent direct to the relief committee or to the Red Cross was received and properly acknowledged.

But in hundreds of cases it is said money orders addressed to the sufferers in care of certain city officers, and receipted for by some one, have not been accounted for to the relief committee. To get the money thus intended for the sufferers, it was necessary for somebody to commit forgery and the secret service men believe they will in time be able to lay their hands upon some of the guilty persons.

THOUSANDS NEVER GOT MONEY SENT THEM.

For several days following San Francisco's disastrous fire, money orders for the relief of her distressed citizens poured into the city in small amounts ranging from fifty cents to hundreds of dollars. Many of the donors received acknowledgment of their money, but others never received receipts. Since the investigation started thousands of persons have sent to the federal authorities the numbers of their postal orders or express orders and asked them to look into the matter and see whether or not the money was ever received.

Sometimes the money sent by a whole town either by express money order or by postal order, or by gold in a package, has never been received by the relief committee, for which it was intended.
Although it is conservatively estimated that \$1,000,000 in subscriptions were diverted from the sufferers into the pockets of the grafters, that is only a small part of the graft in general which will undoubtedly be unearthed before the present investigation is over.

HUNTING NOTES.

Mr. W. T. Chestnut shot a Moose on the Keswick—No Moose for Guides.

At the last meeting of the local government an order in council was passed prohibiting guides from shooting moose. Previous to the passing of this order a licensed guide was not permitted to shoot a moose while acting as guide to hunting parties, but there was nothing to prevent him from taking out a hunting license, and making a trip to the woods after game on his own account.

Mr. W. T. Chestnut returned last night from a successful hunting trip on the head waters of the Keswick, made in company with Mr. Louis Good of Millville. He shot a nice moose on Monday, and brought the carcass out of the woods whole. Mr. Chestnut reports eighteen inches of snow in the Keswick woods.

The close season of two years placed on small fur bearing animals by the legislature expired this fall, and it is now legal to trap mink, sable, fisher, etc. These animals are reported to be quite plentiful. In many sections, and guides and trappers stand to make a good thing during the coming winter.

BAGGAGEMAN DEAD.

St. John, Nov. 15.—(Special)—Florence Driscoll, an old employee of the I. C. R. baggage department here died suddenly this morning. He was 70 years of age, and was at work yesterday, but was taken suddenly ill and had to leave and go home. He died early this morning from heart failure.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

When you lay an egg don't cackle too long. Get busy and lay another.

There never was an air castle that was built with any consideration of salary.

Those who never do wrong take a wonderful satisfaction in the saying, "Murder will out."

Looking for business is like looking for four leaf clovers, which somebody else always finds easily enough.

Men in the penitentiary have just enough to eat and think they do not have enough. Free men have too much to eat.

When a man is locked out of his own house how he disturbs the neighbors trying to get in, but how quietly a burglar gets in!

When the bald spot at the back of a man's head shows beneath the rim of his hat somehow it looks as bad as when a woman's skirt slips away from her belt.

Trees Worth Growing.

As ornamental trees the beeches attract attention primarily on account of their dignity of form and peculiarly "clean" appearance; they give ample and spreading shade; the leaves are remarkably free from the insect pests, and they can generally be readily transplanted. They thrive best in a rich, deep, sandy loam, but will grow well in any ordinary soil. The trees attain a height of 80 to 100 feet. In the different seasons the beech presents totally different pictures. In summer it is a broad dome of grateful shade; in winter a glory of dazzling light gray; in spring it floats out its soft velvety gold green leaves, and in autumn it is a rich and mellow mingling of subdued yellow browns and grays.—Garden Magazine.

Letter Carriers' Scars.

"Show me a letter carrier," said a postal official, "and I'll show you somewhere or other on the man the scar of a dog's teeth. Letter carriers hate dogs, and with good reason, for they are continually getting nipped. It is at houses with front gardens that they are troubled most. Dogs run loose in these gardens, and it is their delight to bite letter carriers. I myself have two scars on my hand and two on my leg. Take a census of every trade, and I'll guarantee that the letter carriers will lead all in their percentage of dog scars."

An Artist's Handicap.

"What is the reason the public doesn't take a greater interest in Shakespeare?"
"The public takes too much interest in Shakespeare," answered Mr. Stormington Barnes. "The difficulty is that every man in the audience is thinking of how much better he could do it if he tried."

A Big Mosquito.

Mosquitoes grow to great size in Burma. A young Scotchwoman who was making her first visit to that country had heard travelers' tales of the insect pest and was prepared for the worst. When she saw an elephant for the first time she said, "Will you be what's called a musketeer?"

WITH HIS CONSTITUENTS.

Hon. Dr. Pugsley Discussed Some Issues of the Local Political Arena at a Rothesay Meeting of Government Supporters.

General Election Will Take Place Next Summer or Autumn.

Rothesay, N. B., Nov. 15.—More than one hundred and fifty Rothesay Liberal voters responded to the call to organize and gathered last evening in the Hotel Bellevue, where they listened to speeches by the attorney general, Senator Donville and the councillors for the parish and enjoyed a lunch served in the dining room of the house.

Secretary E. S. Carter called the meeting to order and Councillor Gilbert taking the chair, called on Dr. Pugsley.

The attorney general was in splendid voice and dealt with the issues of the day, the policy of administration in regard to agriculture, mining and railways in an interesting manner, and made several important announcements respecting highways, railways, railway subsidies and his own intentions.

There will be no election this fall. There would in all probability be an election next fall or summer. He hoped they were satisfied with his action as their representative and he stood ready to fight the battle with them again and win as they had before, when the contest came.

He spoke of how strong the party was and had been in the parish and expressed pleasure at being able to explain some things no doubt prominent in their thoughts.

The great principle of the Highway Act was no statute labor and one control of all roads and careful and honest expenditure. The working out of the law showed that the members had been mistaken in dividing Kings into only 5 districts with 1 man for each district, instead of appointing one man for each parish. Rothesay had its man this year and next year there would be a superintendent for each parish, and where needed in larger districts two or three.

Dealing with the Interprovincial conference and the favorable result to New Brunswick, Dr. Pugsley paid a high compliment to the generosity of the provinces of Ontario and Quebec, which only obtained two hundred and forty thousand, as against New Brunswick's hundred and thirty thousand. This amount capitalized would pay off the debt of the province and would be a great assistance towards bettering educational, road, hospital and other public services.

This money comes from Canada's surplus revenue, which was increasing enormously, and it was only just that more of the money paid in customs dues should come back to the people in increased subsidies. They expected to press a settlement of the Halifax fishery award and either a reference to the highest court or a settlement would be made. They should receive from this fifty or sixty thousand dollars a year, or the total amount would be a million and a half.

The general policy of the administration was explained and defended against the opposition. The Central railway's success had shown the wisdom of the government keeping hold of a valuable asset instead of leasing it. The international railway across the north of the province would be a great benefit to fishermen and lumbermen and open up a country unsettled equal to the present settled New Brunswick. The completion of this road would mark the close of provincial subsidies to railways. This was a policy that had been decided upon.

Concluding, Dr. Pugsley spoke enthusiastically of the meeting and the future, and said his own health was improving, and in spite of prophecies of political opponents he was and would be in politics until the people said they did not want him. His physician had said that he must give up work, but it would be a legal and not a political effort that he would relax.

Senator Donville made a characteristic speech loyal to the Empire and eulogistic of the attorney general.

The councillors of the parish also spoke in praise of the attorney general. After a committee was appointed to organize the parish Dr. Pugsley made a brief speech of congratulation, in the course of which he spoke of some advantages New Brunswick possessed over the west for young men. He had made money in the West and proposed to spend the same in developing parts of New Brunswick.

Hon. A. S. White regretted that he could not be present, in a letter to Dr. Pugsley. There were cheers for the King and the attorney general at the close of the meeting.

THE STOCK MARKET.

Domirion Iron and Steel Issues Still Suffering from Dispute Between the Two Big Companies.

Montreal, Nov. 15.—(Special)—Dealers in stocks were generally more cautious in the local market today, but the delay in the settlement of the Dominion steel-coal dispute has not yet tended to maintain the strength shown in that issue yielded to 25½.

After opening at 25½ the price yielded to 25½.
In the early trading there were no dealings in pfd. stock or bonds. Coal was also inactive.

History on a Watch Face.

Almost the last work of the Belgian astronomer Howzeau was an article in which, while arguing in favor of a decimal division of time, he pointed out the origin of the double set of twelve hours represented on our watch and clock faces. The ancient inhabitants of Mesopotamia chose the number 12 as an arithmetical base because it has four divisors—viz. 2, 3, 4 and 6, while 10 has only two divisors—viz. 2 and 5. They counted twelve hours in the day and twelve in the night, measuring the day by the progress of the sun and the night by the progress of the stars across the sky. This system, prevailing over all others, has come down to us, and so our watches bear on their faces a souvenir of those ancient days when the sun served for a clock hand half of the time and the stars the other half.

The fraction list was prominent in trading with the exception of Montreal Street was generally strong Street was only steady at 238½.

Toronto Ry. sold at 133½.
Detroit, 86½.
Toledo 29.
Illinois, 93 and industrials such as Montreal Power at 95 to 1 and Nova Scotia at 86½ were firm.
Canadian Pacific sold at 173½ and McKay pfd at 69½, while good-sized block of Rio bonds changed hands at 75½.

Taking Him Down.

"Crittick was pleased to say that my play had few equals as a bit of realism," remarked young De Ritter.
"He said even more than that," said Pepprey.
"Indeed?"
"Yes," he added, "and positively no inferiors."—Exchange.

Careless Somewhere.

Glady's-Mamma can't see anybody today. She's upstairs with the new baby. You see, they sent her a girl when she'd ordered a boy, and she's so disappointed she's sick.

The men who go through life with chips on their shoulders always avoid meeting the right man. — New York News.