

HUGH F. LINDEN IS "NOT GUILTY"

It Took the Jury an Hour and a Half This Morning to Free Man Charged With Uttering Worthless Cheques---He Did Not Intend to Defraud.

Hugh F. Linden was discharged from custody this morning in the county court by Judge Forbes. The jury retired at 10:30 o'clock and returned at 11:05, the foreman, Henry Dolan, announcing their verdict, "not guilty."

MRS. BETTE TELLS THE STORY OF THE ASSAULT AT PASSEKEAG STATION

At 10:30, the annual meeting of the Alumnae Society was held in the parlors of the Ladies' College. There was a good attendance and the meeting was eminently a satisfactory one.

TODAY AT MOUNT ALLISON

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U. P. System's Motor Car to be Tested on Eastern Road

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NEWS FROM FREDERICTON

FREDERICTON, May 29.—(Special)—While John T. Clarke and L. A. Morrell were drawing on York street last evening the horse ran away. Both men were thrown out but escaped serious injury.

FIRE RATES UP 25 PER CENT.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., May 29.—Local insurance managers have received notice that fire insurance rates on business blocks and on stocks of merchandise have been increased 25 per cent all over the coast by the board of fire underwriters of the Pacific.

THE TIMES NEW REPORTER

Probabilities—Wet feet. The remnants of yesterday's weather which have been deposited by the department today will clear the way for a new supply of spring rain, which is hourly expected.

H. B. WHITE'S TRIAL WAS OPENED TODAY

Solicitor General Jones Outlined the Crown Case. County Court this Morning---White Pleaded Not Guilty, and the Further Hearing was Adjourned Until this Afternoon.

Harry B. White was shortly before twelve o'clock this morning arraigned for trial in the county court. The indictment was read by the clerk and the following is the jury which was selected to try the case.

IS ALMOST A NEW VESSEL

Bark Low Wood Overhauled and Ready for River Plate Trip. (Boston Post.) The repairs to the bark Low Wood, now owned by Joseph McPhee's shipyard, on Border street, in East Boston, are about completed.

BRITAIN DECREASING, GERMANY INCREASING

LONDON, May 29.—According to a parliamentary paper issued tonight there was a decrease last year of 476,988 tons of British shipping passing through the Suez Canal as compared with 1904, while for the same period the tonnage of German vessels passing through the canal increased 143,923 tons.

NORTH ATLANTIC TRADING CASE

OTTAWA, Ont., May 29.—(Special)—When the public accounts committee met today the chairman, Mr. Belmont, read a cable from Lord Strathcona stating that he forwarded to Sir Wilfrid Laurier the three-page letter written by him in reference to the Ellis trusts, as was requested by the committee.

INTERCOLONIAL LOSING SOME OF ITS BEST CLERKS

MONCTON, May 28.—The matter of junior clerks leaving the I. C. R. and going with other railways, principally in the west, is a question that is assuming something of a serious aspect. If the present rate of resignations continues, the management may have to face the problem of bringing in experienced clerks to take the places of those deserting the government road for more lucrative positions on company roads.

THIS DRUMMER WAS GAY BLADE

Commercial Man Fined in Moncton for Being Drunk and Chasing a Woman. MONCTON, N. B., May 29.—(Special).—A well known commercial traveller was arrested yesterday afternoon on a charge of being drunk and chasing a woman.

THE WINDSOR MURDER TRIAL

George Stanley Arraigned Before Supreme Court This Morning. WINDSOR, N. S., May 29.—(Special).—The May term of the supreme court opened here at 10 o'clock this morning, Judge Townsend presiding, when the trial of George Stanley for the murder of Freeman Hill began.

FROM ST. JOHN TO BOSTON BY A TURBINE STEAMSHIP

The summer timetable of the Eastern Steamship Company will be the same as last season. There will be five trips a week and the outlook is that the Boston-St. John service will be better than ever. It is expected that the company's new turbine steamer, Governor Cobb, will be ready to go on the route about July 1st.

FRED SPENCER HOME

He Passed Through to Charlottetown Today After His Concert Tour of the West With Albany. Fred G. Spencer passed through the city today en route from the west to Charlottetown, P. E. I. Mr. Spencer accompanied his husband, Mr. J. H. Spencer, on his tour.

MICHAEL DAVITT LOSING GROUND

DUBLIN, May 29.—The bulletin issued this morning by the physician in attendance upon Michael Davitt says that he continues to lose ground though he is resting quietly and is free from pain.