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THEY WANT NEW BUILDING NOW

The Local Catholic Societies Have Big Project

PERMANENT QUARTERS

St. Joseph's Young Men Started Ball Rolling at Meeting Last Night—Plan to Have One Big Building Where All Could Meet.

Last evening at a regular weekly meeting of the Young Men's Society of St. Joseph an important resolution was read before that society. The resolution had to do with the welfare of the Catholic societies in this city, and urged that delegates from the different societies meet in the near future with the view of taking steps to procure a building suitable for all the Catholic societies. St. Joseph's society appointed five delegates to confer in the matter with five delegates from each of the other societies in St. Malachi's Hall on Wednesday, 14th inst. The delegates will also wait upon His Lordship Bishop Casey and ask for his lordship's approval in the matter.

St. Joseph's Society also decided that in addition to attending holy communion on the Sunday preceding March 19th, the feast of their patron Saint, that the society assemble in St. Joseph's rooms on that afternoon and parade in a body to the Cathedral to attend vespers.

SPECIAL MEN MAKING MONEY

There is a Freight Boom on the Intercolonial and Train Men are Very Busy.

MONCTON, March 5.—While the disastrous I. C. R. fire threw hundreds of employes out of work and the greater part of them are still walking the streets, yet there is plenty of work at the present time for the I. C. R. men who man the trains. Just now there is a boom in freight traffic, and special men especially are making good time. Some of the regular men are also getting in a little extra time as a result of the rush. The work of clearing up the wreckage at the recent fire has not only given employment to laborers, but has made work for engine men. Some three locomotives and three steam cranes are engaged steadily in removing the debris and making ready for the temporary buildings to be erected. The large crane kept at Stellarton has been brought here to assist in the work of raising the heavy machinery and big iron girders that were used in the construction of the brick car shop.

Judge Wells has returned from the south, where he has been spending some weeks for the benefit of his health. He will preside tomorrow at the county court, which opens at Dorchester. There are several criminal cases from Moncton to come before the grand jury.

Richard Hebert admitted violation of the Scott Act in the police court this morning, and was fined on two counts, selling and keeping for sale. The total of the two fines was $100 and costs.

The funeral of William Gardiner, the victim of Saturday morning's tragedy on the Maritime express, en route from Montreal, took place this afternoon from the residence of the deceased's son, John Gardiner, and was attended by many friends. Services at the house and grave were conducted by Rev. George E. Whitehouse, and interment took place in the Moncton rural cemetery. The inquest, begun by Coroner J. D. Ross, will be continued tomorrow night, when the bereaved wife will give her testimony.

Mrs. William Buchanan leaves with her family shortly for Winnipeg, where her son, John Buchanan, now holds a good position with the C. P. R.

James Donald, of the C. P. R. telegraph office here, and a well-know baseballist, intends leaving soon for Calgary to locate.

Dr. J. O. Calkins of Sackville is in town today.

A SQUARE DEAL FOR ALL

A despatch to The Chicago Tribune from Louisville, Ky., says: "Send me a list of the unsaved men and women of Louisville." This message was received yesterday by Postmaster T. H. Baker from a man at Rutland, Vermont, who said he had heard of the wickedness in Louisville and desired to do missionary work there. Postmaster Baker forwarded a city directory, with a letter, saying that the directory contained 250,000 names, and he was certain that this plan would afford everybody in Louisville a square deal.

PRAISES NEW FREEMAN

Michael McDade ("Onlooker"), editor of the St. John New Freeman, accompanied by his son, James McDade, is in the city today. The New Freeman is beyond question one of the most enterprising and ably conducted weeklies not merely in Canada but on the continent. It is loyal to its constituency and energetic in its interests.—Moncton Transcript, Monday.

Battle line steamer Platea sailed yesterday from Middleboro for Baltimore with pig iron. She will load grain there for Hamburg.

In chambers this morning, the case of Clark vs. Murray came up before Judge Forbes, and was postponed until Tuesday, 13th inst.

The thermometer registered 14 below zero at Chatham last night.

NEW SETTLERS ARRIVE TODAY

Lake Michigan Brought Over 500 for Western Canada and the United States.

The C. P. R steamer Lake Michigan, Capt. Webster, arrived in port this morning from London and Antwerp. The Lake Michigan left London on the 13th of February and Antwerp on the 20th. She encountered the usual winter weather and passed some large bits of ice in the course of the voyage.

The steamer arrived off Partridge Island last night and docked about eight o'clock this morning at No. 3 berth Sand Point. There were 519 passengers on board when the steamer left Antwerp but on arrival here there were 520, a girl baby having been born at sea. The passengers who are mostly for the Canadian west are a strong, healthy looking lot mostly Galicians and Russians. There were 124 of the passengers for the United States and the balance, 396, for Canada.

Six of the steerage passengers were found to be suffering from chicken pox or measles and together with the members of their families, numbering in all twenty-two, were taen to the quarantine station on Partridge Island in Dr. March's yacht. The Lake Michigan brought about 3000 tons of general cargo for St. John and the west.

SUB-COMMITTEES WERE IN SESSION

Minor Matters Talked Over at City Hall This Morning.

Two sub-committees met in City Hall this morning. The first one was to deal with the claim of Mrs. Case, of Waterloo street, who was injured recently, and asked for compensation from the city. It was decided to settle the claim.

The committee appointed to look into the matter of sewerage at Loch Lomond discussed the subject at length, but no definite action was decided upon.

It is the object of the committee to try and make arrangements with S. H. Barker, of the Loch Lomond House, for other means of sewerage than an outlet in the Mispec stream, which would pollute the city water supply.

The city bills will be presented before the local government on Friday next.

A RAILROAD THAT PAYS

(Toronto Mail and Empire.)

The annual report of the Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway Commission, laid on the table of the Provincial Legislature on Thursday by the provincial secretary, contained the important statement, that, in addition to the exhaustive report prepared some time ago on the electrification of the line, a second and more detailed report, prepared by an expert, had been laid before the government for final consideration.

The cost of the road and equipment to Dec. 31, 1905, was $7,475,473, less $38,870 proceeds from the sale of wood, car rental and interest on deposits, leaving $7,436,603 as the net cost. The liabilities are: Loan from province, $5,840,004; advances from province, $1,636,164; unclaimed wages, $273.

The revenue for the year was $253,720, made up as follows: Passenger earnings, $108,681; mails and express, $7,804. freight earnings, $121 530; telegraph earnings, $4,697; miscellaneous, $11,006. The operating expenses were $139,772, consisting of: Maintenance of way and structures, $25,072; maintenance of equipment, $12,533; conducting transportation, $88,823; general expenses, $13.823. The net earnings were therefore, $113,948, the percentage of operating expenses to gross earnings being 55 per cent.

The mileage of passenger trains for the year was 45,538 miles, that of freight trains 21,080 miles, and that of mixed trains 52,197 miles, a total of 118,815 miles. The total number of passengers carried was 86,648, the average distance traveled by each being 65 miles, and the average amount received from each being $1.25.

There were 99,122 tons of freight carried, the average haul being 48 miles. Of lumber and square timber there was carried 27,822 tons. this being the largest item in the freight traffic.

At the end of the year the Boston Creek trestle was being erected at the forty-first mile of the second division, which extends beyond New Liskeard. Track-laying will proceed rapidly northward, and should reach Black River, 75 miles beyond New Niskeard, by June 1st. From that point to the end of the present contract the grading should be completed in time to allow the laying of track to the junction of the Black and Abittibi Rivers by next Fall. Preparation is being made to establish a train service over the first thirty miles of this second division. The telegraph line is erected, and two stations partially constructed.

WILL INCREASE PRICE OF LAND

WINNIPEG, March 6 (Special)—The Hudson's Bay Company have decided on changing their policy under which in future only half of any land will be disposed of, where the company own a section half will be reserved for increment consequent upon settlement. The price has been advanced 50 per cent, making the average quotation $9 per acre, with all tracts within ten miles of the railway running at $10 per acre.

The fish dealers are being kept busy this week and wish that the lenten season would be always here. The new supply of fish is coming in and at present very little frozen stock is for sale.

GOVERNMENT HEARD BOTH SIDES OF CASE AT TODAY'S SESSION

Delegates From Temperance Party and Wholesale Liquor Interests Had Lively Discussion Before the Provincial Executive This Morning.

FREDERICTON, N. B., March 6 (special—The local government this morning heard arguments for and against a bill to prevent the sending of liquor to Scott Act counties, introduced in the legislature by Premier Tweedie a few days ago. The Lieut. Governor and Messrs. Tweedie, Farris, Sweeney and Jones were present. The bill was supported by a temperance delegation from St. John, composed of Rev. Thos. Marshall, E. J. Everett, H. C. Tilley, James Myles and J. A. McCavour, while C. N. Skinner and A. P. Barnhill appeared on behalf of the wholesale licensees of St. John. Several local clergymen and members of the legislature made up the list of spectators.

Premier Tweedie said that as the bill was now before the legislature and public property, the government had decided to hold a general hearing of those interested in the measure. Mr. Skinner said that there were others interested in the bill who were not present, and he would like to have an adjournment made.

Mr. Barnhill, who was first heard in opposition to the bill, contended that it was ultra vires of the provincial legislature. He admitted that the government had power to enact prohibitory legislation, but contended that they had no right to pass legislation that would interfere with trade and commerce.

That power was vested only in the Dominion parliament. The bill, if passed, he contended, would certainly intertere with the trade and commerce of the province. He had nothing to say against the measure from a moral standpoint but was opposed to it from a legal standpoint.

Premier Tweedie said that if the legislature exceeded its authority in passing the act it would be disallowed by the Dominion government. Mr. Barnhill agreed with the premier in this but thought the delay and uncertainty would seriously inconvenience his clients. Mr. Skinner contended that the bill was based on an unreasonable proposition. It proposed to prevent the wholesale men doing business in the province from sending liquor into Scott Act counties and hand over the trade to houses in Nova Scotia or Quebec. He contended that the Scott Act did not prohibit the sale of liquor and the bill, if passed, would not prevent people living in Scott Act counties from obtaining all they wanted. The object of the bill was not to do good but to introduce an element of ugliness and incongruity by outraging the business of wholesale men in our own province. He believed in restricting the sale of liquor but contended that intemperance could never be stamped out by interfering with the rights of others.

Rev. Thomas Marshall who replied for the delegation, said that Messrs. Skinner and Barnaill had not advanced any serious arguments against the bill. He had it from an eminent constitutional lawyer that the bill was good law and the fact that it had been presented to the legislature showed that the government believed they had power to enact such legislation. All the temperance people wanted was the government to assist in enforcing a law already on the statute books. He said the temperance people would propose some amendments to the bill, one of which would make it illegal for railways and steamboats to carry liquor, as well as express companies. It was also proposed to put brewers in the same catagory as wholesale licensees.

Premier Tweedie did not think the government could prevent railways from carrying liquor. Mr. Marshall said the prospects were bright for having similar legislation adopted in Nova Scotia.

Premier Tweedie said that the government would adjourn the hearing, as requested by Mr. Skinner, and Friday of this week was fixed as the date for the next meeting.

George F. Holden, of Oromocto, brother of Sheriff Holden, dropped dead at his home last night. Heart disease was the cause. He was sixty years old and leaves a widow and two daughters.

The thermometer registered ten degrees below zero last night.

ENGLISHMAN'S MISFORTUNE

Started to Make new Home in Canada When He Died---Family Now on Way Here.

LONDON, March 6.—(Special). — Thomas Fenn came here from England last fall and having secured work in the G. T. car shops, began saving money to bring out his wife and four children. Some months ago he learned that owing to the shut-down of the cotton mills his family were out of work and starving. The car shop's staff and his fellow workmen came to Fenn's aid and raised money enough to bring out his family. The poor man was greatly encouraged and started buying furniture for a house he had engaged, when he was attacked with malignant cancer, from the effects of which he died in the hospital yes erday. His wife and family are now on their way to Canada.

OLD MAN KILLED HIS WIFE

BELLEVUE, Ont., March 6 (Special)—Fredericton Klingbell, seventy years of age, is in jail on a charge of murdering his seventy year old wife. The old woman was an invalid for two years, and it is alleged that the couple had frequent quarrels. Yesterday afternoon, at five o'clock, the last quarrel took place. The old man in a fit of anger beat his wife in a terrible manner. A boy went to the house and the old man came to the door with blood on his hands and face. The boy at once notified the authorities and on investigation the old woman was found in bed with her head in a terribly battered condition and she died at the hospital this morning.

MUNICIPAL BILLS

FREDERICTON, March 6—(Special)—The Municipalities Committee met this morning and recommended the following bills to the favorable consideration of the house: A bill to enable the city of Fredericton to aid industrial enterprises and a bill in amendment of an act to incorporate Gibson village for fire and water purposes.

James Lingley, of Kennedy street, met with a painful accident yesterday evening. While descending the stairs in his home he slipped and fell, breaking an arm and causing severe injury to his hip.

A large number of up-river farmers arrived in the city today. All report that the going is first-class especially on the river. It is also reported that the lumber situation is much more encouraging and prospects are that quite a large number of logs will come down river with the opening of navigation. Men are working day and night to get the lumber to the streams and river front.

CARNEGIE'S GENEROSITY

He Has Offered to Give $30,000 to Acadia University

The Fund Will Be Devoted to Establish a New Science Building---Gift is Unconditional.

HALIFAX, N. S. March 6—(Special)—A Wolfville despatch says: "At the chapel service yesterday morning President Trotter announced that on Friday last he had received a written promise from Andrew Carnegie, of New York, of a gift of $30,000 for a new science building. The promise is not conditional in any way.

OUT FOR PURE FOOD

Chicago Lithographers Will Not Print Labels for Food Products Unless They Are Truthful.

CHICAGO, March 6—Chicago lithographers are going to take up the pure food crusade. Unless certain manufacturers order labels for their food products which tell the truth, it was said yesterday that the lithograpaers would not print them.

This was promised by a committee from the federation of labor, which called at the office of the Illinois Pure Food Commission. The committee was headed by Charles D. Wheeler.

CONDENSED DESPATCHES

Mrs. Sarah McWilliams, one of Moncton's oldest residents, died this morning. G. A. McWilliams, secretary of the Moncton Y. M. C. A., is a son.

Philip Rafuse, of Salem, Yarmouth Co., dropped dead in his kitchen this morning.

The Rev. J. H. Hughes will be eighty years of age next Monday. The anniversary was not last Monday, as was stated last week.

Miss Daisy Hanington, daughter of Rev. Dr. Hanington, of Shediac, N. B., arrived in Ottawa last Friday from Montreal to spend a few days with Mrs. J. Alfred Robert, who entertained Saturday informally at bridge in her honor.

THEY WANT MR. CRAIGIE

Efforts Being Made to Get Him to Run in Lansdowne Ward.

It is stated that a number of friends of George R. Craigie, who has just returned from a visit to the old country, are urging him to run as alderman for Lansdowne ward This would make a four-cornered fight in this ward, as A. M. Rowan, Chas. F. Brown and E. M. Sprague have already announced their intention of contesting this ward.

POLICE FIND A BOMB FACTORY

One Hundred and Twenty Bombs Found in Lodgings of St. Petersburg Druggist.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 6—A wholesale bomb factory was captured by the police today at the lodgings of a druggist. One hundred and twenty loaded bombs were seized. The apartments have been the rendezvous of students and revolutionists, some of whom were captured. Another terrorist who was arrested in the street had a bomb in his pocket.

MONTREAL STOCK MARKET

Break in Nova Scotia Stee Was the Only Features of This Morning's Trading.

MONTREAL, March 6.—(Special). — A break in Nova Scotia Steel was the most striking feature of early trading in the stock market. This is supposed to be engineered by bear interests, based on the annual report which is claimed not to have shown as large a percentage of earnings on the common stock as was anticipated. After closing at 64 yesterday, the opening price today was a point lower, finally falling to 50½. Later there was a rally to 60½. Other trading was featureless, chiefly active issues being Detroit, 98¾; Dom. Iron, 30¾; Dom. Coal, 76 3-4; Montreal Power, 92 5-8; Ills., pfd., 99; Canadian Pacific, 169¼.

Miss Ethel Baird leaves by the C. P. R. this evening for Ottawa, where she will be the guest of Senator Baird.

A double tenement house at Reserve, C. B., owned by Rev. Dr. McGregor, was burned this morning. The tenants narrowly escaped with their lives.

THE TIMES NEW REPORTER

DIDN'T SURPRISE HIRAM.

The Times new reporter thought he would take a fall out of Mr. Hiram Hornbeam in the country market this morning. He therefore approached Hiram and said:

"Rather serious war news this morning, Mr. Hornbeam."

"That so?" queried Hiram. "Haint seen the paper yet."

"Yes," said the new reporter-impressively, at the same time winking slyly at two or three aldermanic candidates, "General Caloric and General Frigidity are fighting again."

"Don't that beat all;" said Hiram. "Seems to me they're at it all the time in them South American republics."

The new reporter melted away in the general thaw that followed Hiram's observation.

The failure of the city council to hold a meeting yesterday afternoon was due to an eager desire to know more about the condition of affairs in the Society Islands, where some people were hit by a cyclone The aldermen want to know how it feels, and if there is any remedy or preventative to be had. They are expecting squalls, themselves.

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The statement that the English lady who lost the $490 and was compelled to open a line of credit at various stores before departing for England was, while in the city, entertained by Miss Birdie McWhat is entirely false. Birdie is quite exclusive so far as utter strangers are concerned.

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Two dictionaries of slang were sent by express to Fredericton this morning, one for the use of the government members and the other for the opposition. The stock of parliamentary English has run out, and it is necessary to effect a short time loan in Billingsgate.

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Mr. Jamesey Jones does not fear that in the multiplicity of candidates he will by any chance be overlooked in the aldermanic campaign. He believes his ability to get on both sides of a question with the agility of a champion mental acrobat marks him out as a natural choice of the people for a seat in the council.

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The aldermen who valiantly marched up to the market building and demanded more tribute are expected to retire in disorder as soon as the garrison gets its breath.

SAYS FLOOD SOLD LIQUOR ON SUNDAY

Alleged That McCann Made This Statement

ASSAULTED HIS HELPLESS WIFE

James Golding Before the Police Court on a Serious Charge.

James Golding, a hearty looking man, was arrested last night by Officer Marshall for assaulting his wife. The two with their son, reside on Brussels street, and this morning evidence of a startling nature was brought to light.

Golding agreed to be tried before Judge Ritchie, and after pleading not guilty, Officer Marshall took the stand. He stated that he went to Golding's house last night and found the prisoner slightly under the influence of liquor. Golding's wife was sick in bed, being partially paralyzed, and having been confined to her bed for nearly four years. Mrs. Golding's face was cut and in the presence of the prisoner she told the witness that Golding had struck her with a stick across the face. She also told the witness that the prisoner had struck her on the nose with his fist, and had caught her by the throat and threatened to kill her.

Officer Rankine testified that Mrs. Golding had informed him when he went into the house that her husband had been drinking for a year and had not supported her. She also stated that he had choked her and this morning when the witness went to see her the wretched woman's throat was swollen. Last night Mrs. Golding was bleeding from the nose and cheek, and she told the officer that her husband had struck her. The case stands until two o'clock this afternoon.

BURGLARY CASE WAS HEARD TODAY

Men Charged With Breaking Into Philip McGuire's Liquor Saloon Before the Police Court.

The case against Stephen and Jeremiah Daley, who are charged with breaking and entering the liquor saloon of Philip McGuire shortly after midnight on Saturday night last, was taken up in the police court this morning.

Philip McGuire took the stand and stated that he locked up Saturday night. Sunday morning, after being notified by the police, he visited his place of business and found that the panel on the outside rear door had been broken open and the latch on the door inside of it, and leading to the store room, had been broken off. He also ascertained that the cash register was open and two dollars and some coppers had been taken from it. The liquor supply was produced in court and the witness said that the bottles were similar to the kinds kept in his store. He valued the liquor at $15, but could not say what the cigars would be worth.

Officer McNamee told about the arrest, as described in Monday's papers. He stated that Stephen Daley struck him in the stomach while he had hold of Jerry, but he managed to bend him over so that he could give him a hook with his knee. Before the arrest he heard them talking in the store. Officer McNamee said that he thought Officer William Sullivan was one of the burglars and that is why he fired his revolver. He wished him to halt.

Both witnesses entered into their recognizances to appear before the circuit court on Tuesday next.

The preliminary examination will be concluded this afternoon, when Officer William Sullivan will give evidence.

D. Mullin, K. C., appeared for Jeremiah Daley and Dr. R. F. Quigley for Stephen Daley.

MR. MURDOCH EXPLAINS

Says He Could not Allow Mr. Hunter to see Water Records Without Water Board's Permission.

A statement appeared in a morning paper to the effect that Director Murdoch was reported to have refused to allow H. G. Hunter, acting for Engineer Barbour, to see certain records of the Little River water supply.

Director Murdoch, when seen this morning in reference to this, said that he had never on any occasion defied an order of the board of works. With reference to his action in refusing to allow Mr. Hunter to have access to the books containing readings of the Little River water supply, Mr. Murdoch said that while it was perfectly true the records were city property, he did not feel at liberty to let anybody see them without permission of the board.

He admitted having agreed to let Mr. Hunter have access to them, but on second thought had informed him that he had better wait till he had held consultation with the water board.

Work is progressing speedily in tearing down the Prescott building on King St. which was gutted by fire a few weeks ago. Already a portion of the walls have been torn away and stagings erected in the interior of the building.

James Macauley, the new wharf inspector appointed by Director Cushing, was on duty this morning at the crib work being built by D. C. Clark. One of the men was asked where Mr. Mayes was and he replied that he was not working on that job now.

Two rinks of Carleton curlers went to Hampton at noon today and will play the Hampton curlers this afternoon.

ALDER BARROOM ROW

McCann's Mother Swears She Found Her Son Lying on the Floor in Flo d's Place —McCann Then Said Flood Sold Liquor on Sunday.

The assault case against James Flood was resumed in the police court this morning.

The first witness called for the defence was Lawrence Lawson, who said that he was in the "Floodgate" bar on Monday week last, and not this day week, between six and seven o'clock. He saw McCann there and also an elderly man, whom he did not know. The elderly man procured a drink, and gave George Clarke, the acting bar-tender, a quarter, and a ten cent piece and two five cent pieces were placed on the counter for the purchaser. McCann took the money and the purchaser and he had an argument. McCann then gave up fifteen cents, but still the elderly man argued about the five cents. McCann took the money again and the elderly man asked Clarke for his change and another twenty cents were given to the buyer. Clarke then put his hand on McCann and ordered him out. When the witness returned to the bar in about fifteen minutes, McCann was lying on the floor by the stove and Flood was behind the counter.

Richard Clancy told about the same story as the above mentioned witness, and said that the trouble took place on yesterday week. He said that he picked up the five cents that dropped on the floor and handed it to Clarke. He did not see McCann hand over the other fifteen cents.

The witnesses named were both cross-examined by McCann and both admitted being to Flood's and being served with liquor there this morning.

John Clancey described the trouble about the fifteen cents, and stated that when McCann fell on the bar-room floor Flood was behind the counter. He heard McCann say to his mother that he had a good case against Flood and would put him in the poor house.

That closed the evidence for the defence and Mrs. McCann was called. She said that she was passing Flood's door and saw a crowd standing there. She saw Flood have hold of a man, but did not know who he was. She went into the residence of a friend of hers, right next the bar, and there could hear all that took place in the bar. She heard a crash and then someone say, "Come, get on your feet. Try to get on your feet." Then someone said, "Come, Mike, get up." The witness said that she then exclaimed, "Oh, it is my son, Michael," and she ran into the bar and found him lying on the floor. She got William John Donnelly to help her home with him. As soon as McCann got on his feet, he said, "I'll make you smart for this, Flood. You sell liquor on Sundays." Mrs. McCann said that before getting her son home he took two fits and she thought he was going to die. Dr. J. M. Barry was summoned and rendered medical aid. Mrs. McCann said that previous to that day she had gone to Flood and asked him to keep her son out of the bar.

Michael McCann said that he would like to have Wm. Donnelly on the stand to prove that Flood sold rum to him on Sunday. The court ruled that it would not be evidence in this case anyway.

Mr. Mullin reviewed the case and asked for a dismissal, but Judge Ritchie decided to reserve judgment. His honor commented on George Clarke, an interdict, being permitted to serve liquor in Flood's bar.

Should the case be decided against Flood the latter will appeal it.

FINE PIECE OF WOOD CARVING

A. W. Day of North End has a Large Photo Frame Made by Himself With a Jack Knife.

What is certainly a masterpiece in the art of wood carving has just been completed by A. W. Day of the north end. It is a curio in the fullest sense of the word and the fact that the work was done entirely with an ordinary jack-knife reflects much credit upon the maker. The article in the manufacture of which Mr. Day has shown such skill is a large photo frame in the form of a Latin cross.

The greater part of the work was done in the lumber woods, and occupied days and hours of patient labor. It measures four feet eight inches long by four feet four inches wide, the arms of the cross being about eighteen inches in width. It contains in all from one to ten thousand pieces, each measuring from one to four inches in length and a quarter of an inch thick. With the exception of the bolts in the bed of the framework, the fastenings throughout are of wood. At the ends of the arms are four large openings suitable for group photos while in the centre are smaller apertures in which cabinets may be placed.

The entire frame has been coated with orange shellac and presents a very rich appearance.

Only seasoned pine has been used in its construction. the wood having been taken from hundreds of differen trees.

When asked as to how long it took him to complete his work, Mr. Day said that the time if figured out would aggregate thirty ten hour days.