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THE WEATHER.

Strong winds and gales from northwest, clearing and colder; Thursday, strong northwest winds, fair and cold.

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ONE CENT

METHODIST DIVINE SAYS DR. WORKMAN IS MISJUDGED

Rev. Dr. Crummy Says Workman's Theology is Sound.

He Says That the Position of the Deposed Professor is Quite in Accord With That of Many Old Testament Scholars.

TORONTO, Ont., Oct. 30 (Special).—Rev. Dr. Workman, whose resignation has been requested by the board of governors of Montreal Methodist college on account of his theological views, has been misjudged, according to Rev. Dr. Crummy, pastor of Bathurst street Methodist church, of this city.

Dr. Crummy says Dr. Workman's general position is quite in accord with that of many of the best theologians and scholars who have specialized on the Old Testament, and that his views are substantially accepted by many of the younger men of the Methodist ministry of today. "I am quite in agreement with Dr. Workman's position myself," states Dr. Crummy, who, while admitting a tendency towards dogmatism on the part of the professor, maintains that Dr. Workman's views are not Unitarian, Dr. Crummy says these words are used too freely and expressly denies that Dr. Workman holds any view contrary to the divinity of Christ.

Bathurst street Methodist church is one of the foremost churches in Toronto, and Dr. Crummy is noted as a leader among clergymen in the Ontario metropolis.

BIG TOWN BURIED IN LANDSLIDE

Fifteen Thousand People Meet Death in Bokharan Town.

TASHKEND, Russian Turkestan, Oct. 29.—The whole of the town of Karatagh, in Bokharan, has been destroyed and the entire population, numbering about 15,000 persons, was buried by a mountain slide following the recent earthquake there.

The governor of Karatagh, and his mother, were the only persons who survived the disaster.

IN THE POLICE COURT

Cases Against Ernest Wilson and Rachael Burns Heard This Afternoon.

Ernest Wilson was brought into court this afternoon and denied stealing the blankets found in his possession when he was arrested. He admitted, however, that he had stolen the opera glasses and elected to have the matter disposed of before Judge Ritchie. He was remanded for the present.

The case against Rachel Burns, charged with keeping liquor for sale without a license, also came up this afternoon. She was dismissed.

The charge against her for keeping a bawdy house came up on Friday at 2.30 o'clock and she and Robert McCann and Charles Graham, charged with being inmates of her house were remanded until Friday.

LORD HAWKE'S LUCK

FREDERICTON, N. B., Oct. 30.—(Special).—Lord Hawke, who has been hunting big game on the Miramichi returned to the city today. He saw five moose and shot one with a fair antler spread. He enjoyed his trip very much and speaks highly in praise of his guide, Braithwaite.

There will be a special meeting of the Knights of Columbus this evening in connection with the death of J. J. Barry.

THE RETURNS IN LONDON SHOW OFF-SET TO ST. JOHN

Toronto, Oct. 29.—In the bye-election today for a new member of the commons for North Wellington, in place of Thomas Martin, whose death created the vacancy, Alex. M. Martin, Liberal, was elected by a majority of about 400. The contest was not at any time close, Alex. Hamilton, the Conservative candidate, leading at but few polling divisions.

The London bye-elections to fill the vacancy made by the resignation of Hon. Charles Hyman, Major Thomas Beattie, Conservative, was elected by a majority of 1,036 over the trades union candidate, G. D. Jacobs. The voting was light and the result came as a surprise to a great

ATTELL WON IN FOUR ROUNDS

He Easily Defeated Fred Weeks Last Night for Featherweight Title--Other Fights.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Oct. 29.—Abe Attell might win from Fred Weeks, of Cripple Creek in the fourth round of a scheduled twenty round contest for the featherweight championship. The titleholder was a two to one favorite in the betting. He knocked Weeks down five times in the fourth round, and the referee stopped the fight.

BALTIMORE, Md., Oct. 29.—Referee Tim Hurst, tonight, at the Eureka A. C. gave Mattie Baldwin, of Boston, the decision over Kid Sullivan of Washington at the close of a 15-round bout, during the course of which Sullivan more than once had Baldwin in bad shape, but failed to follow up his advantage. Baldwin showed himself the better boxer, but his blows lacked force.

PORTLAND, Me., Oct. 29.—The bout between Jerry Gaines and Tom Sawyer did not occur here tonight. The principals refused to go on for what money there was in the house.

BOSTON, Mass., Oct. 29.—"Unk" Russell, of Philadelphia, and Larry Conley, of South Boston, met in a ten-round bout at the Winnismet Athletic Club, Chelsea, tonight. Russell had the better of the contest.

BISHOP KINGDON'S WILL IN PROBATE

His Estate is Valued at \$6,000 Real, \$2,100 Personal and \$10,000 Life Insurance--A Wedding.

FREDERICTON, Oct. 30 (Special).—The will of the late Bishop Kingdon was admitted to probate here this morning before Judge Barry, in the York probate court. The estate consists of \$6,000 in real estate owned in England, and \$2,004 personal property, all of which is bequeathed to Mrs. Kingdon during her life time, and at her death to be passed over to the testator's only daughter, Miss Nancy Kingdon. The late bishop carried \$10,000 life insurance, which goes to the widow.

The will is dated September 25th, 1899, and is witnessed by A. J. Gregory and F. H. Peters. The Eastern Trust Company of Canada was appointed executor by the will. The late bishop performed the wedding at six forty-five o'clock this morning, when Miss Victoria Elizabeth Sherman, of this city, was led to the altar by Douglas Eugene Sherman, of Sheffield. Rev. Canon Cowie performed the ceremony. The happy couple left by boat for Sheffield, where they will remain until Monday when they are to leave for Penzance, B. C., where the groom intends engaging in fruit farming. The groom is a nephew of T. C. Burpee, of the L. C. R. staff, and the bride a sister of Frank J. Sherman, assistant general manager of the Royal Bank.

There was a light fall of snow here this morning.

LATE PERSONALS

Miss Mildred Isaacs, Mrs. S. K. Scovill, the Misses Lugin and John T. Kelly, who have been giving concerts in Woodstock and Fredericton, returned home today.

deB. Carrite returned to the city on the Montreal train today.

H. H. Schaefer, divisional freight agent of the L. C. R., was a passenger on the incoming Atlantic express.

J. Fraser Gregory returned to the city on the Atlantic express.

Joseph S. Knowles came in from Montreal today.

R. H. Conger, engineer of the Grand Falls Power Co., came in on the noon train from Fredericton.

Mrs. F. A. Estey went to Moncton today on a visit to Mrs. F. W. Emerson.

THE INTERESTING TOSSOLIS

FLORENCE, Oct. 30.—Signor and Signora Toselli, the latter being the ex-crown princess of Saxony, have left here in an automobile for Bologna, where the Princess Monica Pia will be handed over to Lawyer Mattaroli, who will convey her to Dresden. Signora Toselli is said to be inconsolable at the giving up of her little daughter. She has wept bitterly. It is now decided that the king of Saxony, while continuing the permit to Signora Toselli, reserved the right to refuse to permit Princess Monica to spend one month a year with her mother.

TO COMMUTE SENTENCE TO LIFE IMPRISONMENT

Determined Effort Being Made to Save Collins From Gallows --A Letter From a Halifax Woman--Frank Higgins' Chum Tries Again to Escape From Dorchester.

MONCTON, N. B., Oct. 30.—(Special).—That John E. Sullivan, hanged at Dorchester several years ago for the murder of Meadow Brook of Mrs. Dutcher, was innocent of that crime is the claim of a lady living in Halifax, formerly of Moncton.

In a letter to James C. Sherren, one of the counsel for Thomas Collins, the youth who is sentenced to be hanged on November fifteenth for the murder at New Ireland of Mary Ann McAuley, the writer tells of having come from Halifax on the train on the night of the Dutcher murder, and of seeing a man she believed to be Sullivan take a parcel from beneath the I. C. R. office steps, where at the time of the trial, Sullivan claimed he had hidden his overalls. The letter further states that a few days later, a man came to the door of the writer's house, and asked for food. He was covered from head to foot with blood, and was careful to

conceal his face while eating. The writer of the letter, who has requested that her name be withheld, says she is writing because she believes Collins is so innocent. The only question that arises, is that if the woman knew all the facts which she professes to, why did she not come forward at the time of the trial and thus save Sullivan from the gallows.

MONCTON, Oct. 30.—(Special).—Signed by between eight hundred and one thousand residents of Albert county, a petition asking that the death sentence on Thos. F. Collins be commuted to life imprisonment was recently forwarded to the secretary of state at Ottawa. Within a few days it will come before the council when Hon. H. A. McKeown, of St. John, and James C. Sherren, of Moncton, Collins' counsel, will probably be present.

In jail at Hopewell Cape, with two more weeks to live, if sentence is not commuted, Collins remains hopeful with-

out apparently realizing his nearness to death. He has on several occasions had long conferences with Rev. Mr. Wirien, Baptist pastor at Hopewell Cape, and Rev. B. H. Thomas, maritime prison chaplain, at Dorchester, has also visited him on two occasions.

Thibideau, who was companion of Higgins, the St. John boy murderer now serving a life sentence in the penitentiary at Dorchester, in the latter's daring attempt to escape, some months ago, was recently forestalled in another effort to gain freedom. On searching Thibideau a few days ago the guards in the prison found on him a skeleton key which would unlock any door on his gallery. Thibideau who is serving a seventeen year term for theft was given a year extra at the time he and Higgins made their daring attempts to escape through the third story window of the penitentiary and as a result of the last effort is now wearing an iron boot.

LOCKING THE STABLE AFTER HORSE IS GONE

Injunction Argument Against St. John Railway Company Adjourned to Nov. 19.

By That Time the Work Will Be Done and Cars Will Be Running on Union Street.

Twenty days hence, on November 19, the argument in the matter of an injunction against the St. John Railway company for double tracking Union street, will be heard before His Honor Judge McLeod.

This morning S. B. Bustin, of Bustin & French, representing the White Candy Co., and others, appeared before Judge McLeod and an agreement was reached between the applicants and a representative of the railway company that the hearing should be held on Nov. 19. In the meantime the railway company are continuing the work and will no doubt have it completed before the matter is argued.

A MUTINY AT VLADIVOSTOK

Crews of Russian Torpedo Boats Attacked City and Brisk Fight Followed.

TOKIO, Oct. 30.—The Jiji this afternoon published a despatch from Vladivostok saying that the crews of the two Russian torpedo boats there mutinied and attacked the city from the sea. The soldiers garrisoning the fortress, it was added, responded with a brisk fire, which resulted in one of the boats being disabled. It was further stated that great excitement prevailed at Vladivostok and that the casualties and amount of damage done were not known. The Jiji, however, does not vouch for the accuracy of this report.

C. P. R. S.S. MONTREAL ASHORE NEAR SOREL

MONTREAL, Oct. 30.—(Special).—The C. P. R. steamship Montreal is reported ashore in lake St. Peter near Sorel. No further particulars are available at present. The Montreal is for this port from Antwerp.

BOURASSA HAS NOT RESIGNED

OTTAWA, Oct. 30.—(Special).—A telegram has been received from Speaker Sutherland stating that Mr. Bourassa has not yet forwarded his resignation from the dominion house.

BANKING CONDITIONS ARE ALMOST NORMAL IN NEW YORK TODAY

NEW YORK, Oct. 30.—Banking conditions approached the normal in this city today.

The situation is now so well in hand that no further conference of bankers is anticipated. But one or two institutions may be said to be over and Wall street today expressed gratification that the storm had been weathered. The banks improved their position yesterday by calling loans and this process of adjustment may be continued today. Liquidation of this character is well absorbed considering the fact that many stock exchange houses are discouraging new commitments on a margin basis and are making purchases only for cash. Bankers declare today that the clearing house certificate plan is working out

smoothly and bringing about normal conditions.

LONDON, Oct. 30.—The American demands for gold and the talk of a monetary strain in Berlin, are causing unwelcome pressure here, which was reflected on the stock exchange today, where prices in all the markets were heavy. Consols were affected by sales due to the monetary uncertainty and yielded another 18 of a point. Americans, although they opened fairly steady, soon declined and selling pressure from the continent and the provinces brought quotations during the forenoon down to from one point to four points lower than yesterday. Union Pacific and Canadian Pacific were the specially weak points.

HARVARD INTERFERED WITH KAISER WILLIAM'S PLANS

NEW YORK, Oct. 30.—A cable despatch to the Times from Berlin says: Harvard University has mixed up the plans of the Kaiser for a German-American educational rapprochement by sending to Germany as this year's "exchange professor" a full fledged Britisher instead of an American.

The professor in question is William Henry Schofield, who was born a Canadian, is an Alumnus of Toronto University and a subject of King Edward. Together with President Hadley of Yale, Professor Schofield will make his inaugural address to the president of Emperor William and the American ambassador at the University of Berlin tomorrow. The secret of his nationality and of the piquant controversy which has already arisen over his qualifications to participate in the emperor's pet scheme for furthering German-American friendship have been kept a profound secret up to now.

Intense indignation prevails in the highest American quarters in Berlin over what is called Harvard's "bull," which it

is feared may seriously hamper the Kaiser's whole purpose in initiating the change of American and German thought and feeling.

Ambassador Tower first learned of Professor Schofield's allegiance to King Edward when Sir Frank C. Lascelles, the British Ambassador to whom Professor Schofield brought letters of introduction, casually remarked: "Well I see that one of my fellow subjects has come over to take part in your German-American intellectual reciprocity scheme."

What the diplomats and court officials concerned are now trying to determine is who is going to present the Harvard representative to the German court. Court etiquette, which is rigidly adhered to, requires that a foreigner shall be presented by his own ambassador. The situation is regarded as being full of diverting possibilities.

Prof. Schofield's topic will be "A comparison of English with other literatures." His wife is an American.

IT WAS CHEAP AT THE PRICE

Prominent Citizens of Thamesville Fined for Acquiring Free Jags.

CHATHAM, Ont., Oct. 30.—(Special).—The local opinion town of Thamesville was again the scene of sensational doings yesterday afternoon when sixteen prominent citizens were brought before Justice of Peace Ingalls, charged by the Grand Trunk with theft and trespass.

The case was the outcome of a wreck on the Grand Trunk Railway last week, when certain citizens took advantage of the opportunity and drank dippings from a bonded liquor car which was smashed in the wreck. They were also charged with carrying off a quantity of bottled goods from the car. The case was tried behind closed doors. William Cutler, a wealthy retired farmer, who was accused of being the ringleader of the gang, was fined \$5 and cost, \$15 in all. Alex. Osborne, Hat Miller and Robert Buchanan were fined \$1 and costs on charge of trespass, and Orval Kelly, Albert O'Neill,

Robert Albertson, Frank Coll, Clifford Payne, Willard Neagher, Thomas Bodkin, Archie McBrane, James Pearson and William Cosgrave, were each fined the same amount on charges of theft. All pleaded guilty to the charges as read against them. Photographs taken on the scene of the wreck depicting the celebrants in the midst of their jollification were produced in court.

WILL PLAY IN MONCTON

The Victorias, champions of the intermediate football league, leave tomorrow for Moncton, where they will play the Moncton intermediate team. The boys are taking away a good team, and should give the Monctonians a run for their money. It must be borne in mind, however, that they are tackling a team of which are many seniors. The "champs" have but one senior player on their line-up. The following is the team: Full back, Philips, Halves, Schofield, Lee, Devier, Morry. Quarters: Roberts, Keele, Forwards: Sullivan, Harrington, Cromwell, Seely, Wilson, Scott, Finley, Gorham (captain).

A thanksgiving supper will be held in the Tabernacle Baptist church tomorrow evening. Elaborate preparations have been made for the affair, which bids fair to eclipse all previous efforts.

THE CANADIAN GOVERNMENT GUARDS AGAINST BUBONIC

WHEN GREEK MEETS INDIAN

Promise of Rattling Game for Tomorrow--Both Are Ready for Hard Battle.

The Marathon-Algonquin game tomorrow on the Victoria grounds promises to be one of the fastest games seen here in some time. Both the Greeks and Indians are in splendid condition their games away doing them a power of good. The hard contests they put up on Saturday last will fit them for the hardest kind of a game. Both have improved immensely since their previous struggle. The teams will line-up as follows:

Marathons	Algonquins
Ellis	full back.....
D. C. Malcolm (Capt.)	halves.....Merritt
Howland	James
Thornhill	Wright
Rankine	Ring

Ledinghamquarters..... | Thorne || Mackay |Pike | |
J. Malcolm	forwards.....	Finley, (Capt.)
Birmingham	McKinnon	
Titus	Smith	
Siperrall	McIntyre	
McLean	Macmillan	
Masters	March	
Outram	Roberts	
Farris	Robert	

There may be some slight changes in the Marathon's line-up. The Algonquins have not as yet given out their full back, though it is said he will be a good one. The game will start at 3 o'clock, rain or shine. A referee has not as yet been agreed upon.

NOT ONE WORD OF TRUTH IN IT

Sir Wilfrid Laurier Denies That He Ever Asked Sir F. W. Borden to Resign.

OTTAWA, Oct. 30.—(Special).—Sir Wilfrid Laurier was asked by your correspondent that for some time past the truth in the Ottawa despatch to the Toronto World that Sir F. W. Borden was asked to resign his portfolio and had refused to do so. The premier said that while he made it a practice not to be interviewed by the press, on this occasion he would have to depart from that rule and say that there was not one word of truth in the report. He had not asked Sir Frederick to resign and therefore there could be no refusal. Sir Frederick is now in Nova Scotia.

COMMON SENSE NEEDED TO PROTECT PASSENGERS

Another Nuisance Which Ferry Patrons Are Frequently Obligated to Put Up With.

That better regulation of traffic in front of the approach to the east side ferry slip especially during the busy hours of the day is absolutely necessary was made painfully apparent this morning on the arrival of the 8.20 ferry boat. There was a particularly large number of ladies on that trip and when the east side was reached and they left the boat they were forced to wait on the narrow Water street sidewalk until eight heavy teams, which had been waiting, passed on to the boat. There is an apparent crossing at the spot and Water street was in its normal condition as regards mud. The result can be more easily imagined than described but it is a surety that had any of the aldermen been present they would have received the outpourings of vials of feminine wrath.

No expenditure is necessary to remedy this condition beyond the outlay of a little common sense and the adoption of a regulation which would prohibit teams from obstructing Water street until the foot passengers have passed out through the gates. If there is such a regulation already then the opinion is that it should be enforced.

The funeral of William Beatty, who, on Monday last, met his death while driving on Pond street, was held this morning from the residence of Alexander Day, Main street. Services were conducted by Rev. Gideon Swim, and the body, accompanied by the mother and brother of the deceased, was taken by boat to Gagetown, where interment takes place this afternoon.

The funeral of Norman Nason, the twelve-year-old son of E. E. Nason of McAdam Junction, who was killed on Monday by a C. P. R. train at McAdam, was held today. The body was taken in a private car attached to the Boston express to Tracy Station, where interment was made. A large number of friends accompanied the body, and four friends acted as pallbearers. Among the floral tributes was one from employees of the railway at McAdam.

TONIGHT'S ASSEMBLY

Everything is now in readiness for the social assembly to be given this evening by Branch 134, C.M.B.A., in their rooms, Union street. There will be a large attendance and the gathering will no doubt be one of the most successful social events of the season.

The committee have drawn up the following programme of dances: Waltz, polka quadrille, two-step, minuet, waltz, cancan, waltz, two-step, polka quadrille, waltz.

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A THANKSGIVING SERMON

PREACHED BY REV. A. B. COHOE

In the course of a sermon appropriate to the approach of Thanksgiving Day, Rev. A. B. Cohoe, in the Brussels street church on Sunday evening, dealt in a very interesting way with problems confronting the Canadian people.

"We have," he said, "great duties, obligations and opportunities as a people. The more we come to know and ponder over the untold wealth of the wheat fields, mines and forests of Canada, the more we realize how great is the opportunity given to the Canadian people to get wealth. It is equally manifest that the people are improving their opportunity and getting wealth. No intelligent young man thinks, today, of leaving Canada because it denies him this opportunity. It is large enough for the greatest ability and talent."

Special Precautions Being Taken On the Pacific Coast.

Board of Works 3144661

Vessels From Seattle and Frisco Will Be Carefully Inspected--Oriental Quarter in Vancouver Under Guard--To Exterminate All Rats.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Oct. 30 (Special).—As a part of the plague precautions special officers have been placed in charge of the oriental quarter here. Dr. Montizambert, director of public health and sanitary advisor of the Dominion government, who arrived here on Monday, has left for Victoria to consult Dr. Fagan, provincial health officer. He will proceed thence to Seattle to investigate matters in connection with the plague there. While here Dr. Montizambert consulted Dr. Underhill in regard to a rigid system of quarantine to be established along the international boundary. Instructions were issued to have rat guards installed on all steamers plying between Seattle and San Francisco and British Columbia ports. Vessels arriving from the United States ports mentioned will be carefully inspected. Measures aiming at the exterminating of rats are being vigorously enforced here.

A BAD ACCIDENT ON GRAND TRUNK NEAR LONDON, ONT.

LONDON, Ont., Oct. 30.—(Special).—The engine of train No. 26 on the Grand Trunk Railway and drawing a car with members of the dominion railway commissioners and their staff, composed of 13 persons, blew up last night two miles west of Newbury station, 25 miles from here, killing Engineer Robert Rutherford, of London and Fireman J. Robertson, also of London. It is reported many others have been injured.

SMALL BOYS WERE ALLOWED TO GO

Judge Ritchie Permits Boys Arrested for Stealing to Go Out On Suspended Sentence

Arnold Reid, Charles Harrington, and Harold Crawford, the three lads who were yesterday before Judge Ritchie for stealing mitts and gloves from the front of Robert McCormick's store, Main street, have narrowly escaped being sent to the reformatory, and, no doubt, have learned the lesson of their lives.

Yesterday afternoon they were again brought into court and sent back to jail, pending his honor's decision. Again they were brought into court today, and after receiving some wholesome advice from the judge, were allowed to go on suspended sentence, with the understanding that they abandon truancy and bring to his honor certificates of attendance from their school teachers.

THE TIMES NEW REPORTER

THANKSGIVING.

The Times New Reporter has received the following replies to a number of enquiries for a statement of personal reasons for thanksgiving tomorrow:—

Premier Robinson:—"The discovery of an attorney-general fills me with joy and gratitude. I am very thankful."

Dr. Riddick:—"The development of the winter port and the need of a port physician at St. John are among the things for which we should all be thankful."

Ald. McLeod:—"I may put me down as saying that I am thankful there

are no more newspapers in St. John. If we had any more I couldn't give all of them all that is coming to them."

Supt. Winchester:—"I am thankful to see the snow. It will hide the streets."

Mayor Sears:—"It is a cause for sincere thankfulness that the aldermen permit the mayor to enter the city hall. They might have deprived him of that privilege as well as his rights in other matters."

Col. McLean:—"For the spontaneous and unanimous support of my fellow agriculturists in Queensbury I am profoundly grateful. I feel that with their support I can do anything."

Hon. Dr. Pugsley:—"My greatest cause

for thankfulness is that Mr. Borden has promised to aid in relieving me from the dark secret which oppresses my spirit, and that together we shall solve the mystery of campaign contributions."

Director Murdoch:—"I am too busy repairing leaks caused by the new water pressure, and preparing my next annual report, to consider my mental attitude toward any other subject."

Major Gordon:—"I am thankful that I didn't shoot."

Hon. Mr. McKeown:—"I am thankful for an opportunity to be of service to a good friend in St. Martins. Dr. Riddick will make an excellent port physician."

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