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A RAILWAY MAN HAS HIS FOOT CRUSHED

Western M. P's Hold Meeting at Sussex N. B. on Reciprocity

Special to The Guardian.

ST. JOHN, May 7—Isaac Maunce, while endeavoring to climb between freight cars at Apolqiu, had his foot so severely crushed between couplings that amputation was necessary.

A group of western members of parliament, representative of the Liberal party, held the opening meeting of a series at Sussex Saturday night, speaking in support of reciprocity.

Conservative members, opposing the new trade agreement, were heard some weeks ago.

THE CLERKS IN THE CITY POST OFFICES

OTTAWA, May 5—The postmaster-general has given notice of a resolution changing the classification of clerks in city post offices, in inspectors' offices, in money order exchange offices and in offices of superintendents of railway mail service by abolishing the stampers and sorters class and fourth class clerkships and substituting therefore third class clerkships, with salaries ranging from $500 ta $1,000 and divided into classes A and B.

By abolishing the junior and second class clerkships and increasing the maximum of the class formerly known as junior second to $1,200, and increasing the maximum of the former second class to $1,400.

By dividing the first class clerkships into divisions A and B with maximum salaries of $1,800 and $1,600 and increasing the minimum from $1,200 to $1,400, also by creating a new class known as chief clerks in city post-offices.

By improving the position of office superintendents in city offices and changing what was formerly a fixed salary of $1,800 to a minimum of $1,800 and maximum of $2,500.

By providing for temporary clerks at a salary of $5 and temporary helpers at $2.50 per day. The salaries of certain inspectors, assistant inspectors and superintendents are to be increased in recognition of years of service.

An amendment is to be made to the civil service act respecting customs officers. A new schedule is provided as follows:

Collectors, $300 to $4,500.
Chief inspectors, from $3,200 to 4,000.
Inspectors of ports, $2,100 to $3,200.
Assistant inspectors, $1,600 to $2,000.
Chief clerks, $1,200 to $2,100.
Surveyors, $1,200 to $2,100.
Assistant surveyors, $1,200 to $1,600.
Dominion appraisers, $2,100 to $2,600.
Appraisers, $1,200 to $2,400.
Assistants, $900 to $1,600.
Senior clerks, $1,200 to $1,600.
Clerks and land waiters, $400 to $1,200.
Examining officers, $100 to $1,000.
Packers and messengers, $400 to $800.

THE MINES ACT ENFORCEMENT

GLACE BAY, May 5—The inquest into the deaths of the late James Hamilton and Frank Groves, the men who were drowned at Dominion No. 16 colliery on Thursday, was concluded today. The witnesses examined were Messrs. Thomas Clarke and Thomas Ferguson. Their evidence was brief and its effect was that they had not seen either of deceased for some time before the accident. They were working in a room opposite. After setting a fuse for their shot, they retreated and knew nothing of the result of their shot until they heard the water rushing and went to see the cause. They would say that it was their shot that dislodged the water wall and settled in the room where Groves and Hamilton were.

The verdict was to the effect that the men came to their deaths by accidental drowning in the mine and the jury recommended that the company take greater precautions to safeguard the men in future and also that the mines regulation act be more rigidly enforced.

Minard's Liniment lumberman's friend

ARREST OF EXCAVATORS IN JERUSALEM

Queen Mary is Putting the Ban on tight Fitting Skirts

Special to The Guardian.

LONDON, May 7—A despatch from Jerusalem reports the arrest of the guardian of Mosque Amar which an Anglo American syndicate recently reported.

Gendarms and excavators and the chief interpreter of the syndicate are also arrested.

LONDON, May 7—Queen Mary's objection to extreme fashion is likely to have a marked effect upon the customs at society functions.

An official order is to be issued prohibiting the wearing of tight skirts in the royal enclosure.

WOMAN DIES FROM SHOTS AND BLOWS

PROVIDENCE, May 3—After she had lain unconscious for 50 hours, death came today to Mrs. Katie Bertuglio, who was shot and beaten by Luigi D'Parlo Monday morning in the sensational shooting affray which ended with the suicide of her slayer. Mrs. Bertuglio, who aroused the animosity of D'Parlo because she had spurned his attentions, died as the result of two revolver shots in the head and a fractured skull caused by blows from the stock of the murderer's revolver. She is survived by three children, the eldest of whom, Vito, her 16-year-old son, was with her when she was attacked.

DALHOUSIE WOMAN DEAD, AGED 101

DALHOUSIE, N. B., May 4—The death occurred on Monday of Mrs. Robert Good, of Dalhousie, at the age of 101. She died at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. S. J. Buckingham, and besides children, grandchildren, great-grandchildren, she is survived by great-great-grandchildren.

PAID $10,000 FOR BOOK PRINTED IN BOSTON IN 1645

NEW YORK, May 5—The Hoe Library sale, at which single treasures of written and printed art have sold for a fortune, came to an end of its first quarter here today with nearly a million dollars realized. Three thousand five hundred books ans manuscripts were disposed of and the grand total for the ten days reached $997,363.

Today's sale developed the highest price ever paid for a bit of Americana, when G. D. Smith, who has been buying for Mr. Huntington, paid $10,000 for a book by John Winthrop, printed at Boston in 1645. It is the "Declaration of former passages and proceedings betwixt the English and the narrow gansetts," and is the first book on an historical subject printed in America. Three-fourths of the great Hoe collection still remain to be disposed and buyers predict that a total of $3,000,000 will be realized before the sale is concluded.

ANDREW CARNEGIE GETS GOLD MEDAL

WASHINGTON, May 5—After receiving a gold medal presented by the twenty-one American Republics bearing the words, "The American Republics to Andrew Carnegie," and "benefactor of humanity," Andrew Carnegie today announced he would give $100,000, in addition to nearly a million dollars already donated, toward the erection of the Pan-American Union building, to be used for the artistic completion of its extensive grounds.

THOUGHTLESS GOSSIP

Such things are done every day, some will argue. Others may perhaps hotly maintain that people are at liberty to say what they like in their own houses; but that there is so much loose gossip does not make it defensible, and it is certainly not permissible, even within the walls of one's own residence, to say anything derogatory to another's character in the presence of strangers. Obviously, and unfortunately, it is quite impossible to keep the door of other people's lips, and to prevent tactless and foolish, to say nothing of malicious and jealous folks from talking about others. But at least it should be made more generally understood that there is danger in so doing, and it would be better for everybody if sufferers by the idle tongues of others had the courage to bring tittle-tattlers to book and made them pay for their mischievous chattering in the event of their inability to substantiate their statements.

You may say a great deal, unhappily, without coming within reach of the law, but it is hardly realized, one thinks, how much is said every day in the way of ordinary conversation that would justify actions for slander. The fact needs to be forcibly—and, if needs be, expensively—insisted on that we are not justified in saying of others what we cannot prove to the hilt. Even then it is not always expedient by any means to say it. But at least slander, mildly called gossip, ought never to be allowed to pass.

SEASON MOURNING FOR KING EDWARD VII IS OVER

DISASTROUS AUGUSTINE COVE FIRE SATURDAY

A serious fire which occurred on Saturday afternoon resulted in the complete destruction of the house and barn and outbuildings of Daniel Ross, Augustine Cove, when Mr. Ross was absent from his home.

The fire was first noticed about four o'clock by Mrs. Ross. It was then in the kitchen. Assistance was called in and the fire was fought energetically until the well ran dry and then nothing could be done but save the furniture and as much of the contents of the house and other buildings as possible. Nearly all the furniture was saved and some feed and machinery in the barn, and the stock, with the exception of six sheep, was saved. The woodhouse, with ten cords of wood, also fell a prey to the flames. The buildings were all old but were in a good state of repair and Mr. Ross' loss is a very heavy one, more especially so at this time of the year. He had $1,000 insurance.

TOWNSMEN OF ACCUSED SLAYER FURNISHED BONDS

BENNINGTON, Vt., May 3—Fred. Dupliss, who is charged with having caused the death of Cyrus Moffit during a quarrel following a dance at Manchester, several days ago, was today released on bail.

Bonds in the sum of $5000 were furnished by ten prominent residents of Rupert, where Dupliss was employed.

FILED ANSWER TO CONTESTATION IN ANNULMENT CASE

MONTREAL, May 5—Attorney George Cousins representing Marie Emma Cloatre in her proceedings opposing the judgment annulling her marriage with Emile Hebert, filed an answer to the contestation of opposition to judgment this morning in the Superior Court denying certain paragraphs of the contestation. He closes with a plea that the opposition be maintained and also for a dismissal of Mr. Hebert's contestation.

GEN. NOGI LAYS WREATH ON TOMB OF FORMER ADVERSARY

ST. PETERSBURG, May 5—General Nogi, the keeper of Port Arthur, arrived here today on a special mission of placing a wreath upon the tomb of Major-General Kondratenko, commander of the 7th East Siberian Rifles, who was killed at the battle of 203 metre hill in 1904 in the Russo-Japanese war. The Novo Vremya will say tomorrow that the mission of General Nogi affords new proof of Japanese amicable feelings for Russia. General Nogi later will proceed to London, being one of the Japanese coronation party.

MUST PAY UP BACK RENT

ST. LOUIS, Mo., May 5.—Hattie Green's tenants in the four-storey building here, who, for six months, have been overlooked by the rent men, will be called upon to-day to pay the $1,200 which has accumulated in that period. Mrs. Green's agent in this case is her son, who arrived last night from Terrel, Texas, accompanied by his private secretary.

COMMUNICATION THROUGH PROVINCE AND WITH MAINLAND

Saturday the Northumberland left this port at 8.20 a.m. for Pictou with passengers, freight, express and mail, docking at 12.00. She left on return to this port at 5.10 p.m. and docked at 8.20 p.m., bringing passengers, freight, express and Saturday's N. S. mail. The steamer was delayed in Pictou waiting for the Sydney express, which was thirty-five minutes late. She left this port yesterday about 4.00 a.m. for Halifax where she will go on the slip. In the meantime the service will be taken up by the C. G. S. Minto, which arrived here Saturday at 4.00 p.m. from Pictou. She leaves this port at 8.20 a.m. daily and will leave on return after the arrival of the Sydney Express in Pictou, should it not be too late.

Saturday the Harland made the usual trips to West River, leaving here at 6.00 a.m. She returned at 10.00 a.m. and left this port again at 3.00 p.m., returning at 7.00 p.m. She carried about 80 passengers and general freight in the afternoon trips.

Saturday the Eastern express train was ten minutes late, the Southern express fifteen minutes late, the Western accomodation ten minutes late, the Summerside accomodation forty-five minutes late, the Eastern accomodation fifty minutes late and the Western express train was forty minutes late.

Keep Minard's Liniment in the house.

First Celebration of Accession of King George V and Queen Mary

Special to The Guardian.

LONDON, May 7—Court mourning for King Edward was ended today the first anniversary of the death of the late monarch. The occasion was commemorated with memorial services at Windsor attended by Queen Alexandra, King George, Queen Mary, the Royal Family and members of the late King's household.

The Accession of King George was celebrated with the customary military salutes. Coronation year season which will be the most brilliant in British history will open Monday when King George will attend the New Market Race.

Tuesday and Wednesday their Majesties will hold court at Buckingham Palace. The Festival of Empire will be opened at Crystal Palace by the King and Queen on Friday.

WOMAN FULFILS PACT AT CONDUCTOR'S GRAVE

NEW HAVEN, May 3—The funeral services of Earl B. Kenyon, who had been a conductor on the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad for 40 years, were conducted by Mrs. Ella Bond of this city. Mr. Kenyon was a spiritualist and in his boyhood days entered into a pact with Mrs. Bond, whose views on religious matters agreed with his own, that the one who survived should conduct the funeral services of the other. This pact was fulfilled yesterday when Mrs. Bond read an oration written by the deceased, a poem written by herself and a part of the 23d psalm.

CABLE COMPANIES REACH AGREEMENT

LONDON, May 4—In a statement issued last night, Theodore N. Vail, president of the American Telephone & Telegraph Company and the Western Union Telegraph Company, says that an understanding has been reached between the Western Union by which the cables of the two comand the Anglo-American companies panies will be worked interchangeably, but that the details of the arrangements will not be made public until they have been submitted to the shareholders for ratification. He declares that the ownership of the Anglo-American Company will not be affected.

The conditions of the agreement, adds Mr. Vail, provide that the British postmaster-general will practically control the rates charged by the company, thereby assuring that they will be reasonable, and the postoffice has under consideration a scheme for deferred service at modified rates.

SHIP YARD SITE NOT DECIDED YET

LONDON, May 5—It is understood in Sheffield that Sydney, Nova Scotia has been chosen to be the site of the Canadian naval buildings on the Atlantic coast.

John Brown's Engineering Works, Sheffield and the Fairfield Company of Glasgow are both interested in the establishment and equipment of the new naval base.

ATLANTIC LINERS EXPECT GOOD SEASON

MONTREAL, May 5—Freight agents of all Trans-Atlantic shipping lines report that there is a good volume of business for all ports and that the prospects for the season are bright in every respect. The major portion of the freights booked up to the present is composed of grain, but general cargo is plentiful.

WEATHER FORECAST

Special to The Guardian.

TORONTO, May 8—Moderate westerly to southwesterly winds; fine and warm.

The temperature at three o'clock this morning was thirty-eight degrees above zero.

The lowest temperature recorded yesterday was fifty-three degrees above zero and the highest was fifty-six above. The coldest recorded the previous night was forty-four degrees above zero. At nine p.m. yesterday it was forty-five degrees above zero.

The lowest temperature recorded Saturday was fifty-one degrees above zero and the highest was sixty-three above. The coldest recorded the previous night was thirty-four degrees above zero. At nine p.m. Saturday night it was fifty-one degrees above zero.

The length of today will be fourteen hours and thirty minutes.

The tide will be high this evening at 7.17 and tomorrow morning at 8.13.

The sun sets this evening at 7.12 and tomorrow evening at 7.13; it rises tomorrow morning at 4.41 and Wednesday morning at 4.40.

The moon sets tomorrow morning at 3.19.

38 DEATHS CAUSED BY THE PLAGUE

Special to The Guardian.

AMOY, China, May 7—Thirty-eight deaths from bubonic plague and six deaths from smallpox occurred here during the week.

SHRUBB DEFEATS FREDDY CAMERON

Special to The Guardian.

BOSTON, May 7—Alfred Shrubb defeated F. L. Cameron, Amherst, in the twelve mile race here last night.

He won his victory by a very narrow margin, however, his time being 1:6,13 and Cameron's 1:7,23.

EXPLODE SHELL BURIED DURING CIVIL WAR

JACKSON, Miss., May 3—Walter Armstrong, a railroad engineer, has found a shell which lay buried since the Civil war. Curious to know the internal workings, Armstrong endeavored to force the shell open.

An explosion followed, and as a result Armstrong is in a local sanitarium in a critical condition.

Besides a number of lacerations about his head and body, one of his hands was torn away and his right leg was broken.

BOY DIED OF LOCKJAW

BROCKVILLE, Ont., May 3—Allan Latham, aged 14, died at the hospital here of tetanus. Two weeks ago he engaged in playfully shooting at fish in Jones' Creek when a bullett from a gun in the hands of another boy grazed his knee, leaving nothing but a scratch. Little was thought of the injury until Saturday last when lockjaw developed. The lad died in great agony.

FOUR SISTERS WRECK WIDOWS

HUNTINGTON, W. Va., May 4—Four sisters, all widows of railroad engineers killed in wrecks, will meet at the funeral of Engineer Thomas Pilcher of this city, who was killed in a wreck on the Chesapeake & Ohio railroad near Thurmond last Tuesday. Mr. Pilcher was one of four engineers who married four sisters, the Misses Garner of Albemarle county Virginia. Each victim met death in his cab; each was the engineer of a fast express train, and the fireman of each was killed with them, although no passengers were hurt.

CONDEMNS LOAN OF MONEY FOR WARFARE

BALTIMORE, Md., May 5.— The committee on resolutions of Third National Peace Congress today passed a resolution embodying the suggestion of a "financial neutrality" as a preventure of war between nations, made by James S. Sprien, the New York Banker, and urging the adoption of an international agreement between all the leading Nations of the world to condemn the practice of lending money for warfare.

CONDENSED ADVERTISEMENTS

(Too late for Classification.)

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Highest wages paid to the one well recommended. Apply at 240 Queen Street. 5-8drtf.

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Good wages. Apply to 202 Prince Street. 5-8d3i.

FOR SALE—Nine acres choice land, six miles from Charlottetown; also Jersey bull, three years old—prize-winner. Apply James Essery, Union Road. 5-8d3ipd.

FOR SALE—Seventy-eight acres of land at New Perth, King's County. Good buildings, and land in excellent state of cultivation. For further particulars apply to Geo. S. Inman, Solicitor, Montague. 5-8d6ipd.

IF you are going to grow pork for profit start right. Send and get a thoroughbred York brood sow, five weeks old from H. G. Lowther, North Carleton. Write to my address, purchasers paying freight. 5-8d1wpd.

WANTED—House painter. Apply to D. Howlett, 262 Queen St. Come ready for work. 5-8d3ipd.

WANTED—At once, a boy with a year's experience in a printing office. Good opening and highest wages paid. Apply at Guardian Office. 5-1dtf.

BOWLING, Burke's Alleys, under market, open lawful days ten to eleven. 2—25dtf.

Ask for Minard's and take no other.

DIAZ STILL HOLDS OFF HIS RESIGNATION

Wild Excitement Prevails over this Annoucement. A City Captured.

Special to The Guardian.

MEXICO CITY, May 7—President Diaz has rejected the demand of General Madero for his immediate resignation.

The wildest excitement was caused when the rumor was spread that Diaz had defeated his enemies and decided to cling to the office he had held twenty-five years.

Ten thousand persons started a riot. The police charged the rioters finally dispersing them.

That the rebels are striking sledge hammer blows in many sections of country is evident by the advices received.

Torreon, a city of 5,000 inhabitants has been captured by the insurrectos.

12 INJURED IN CRASH OF TRAINS

SCITUATE, May 3—Three women were injured, an engineer broke his collarbone, a baggagemaster was knocked insensible and seven other men were more or less cut and bruised by flying glass and shocks when a Boston bound passenger train ran onto a siding near Scituate station this evening and crashed into a train for Plymouth standing on the siding.

The throwing of a switch, cutting the Boston bound train onto a siding, was the cause of the accident.

Mrs. Ellen Larkin of Charlestown sprained her arm, Sister Francis of St. Mary's Convent had a lip cut and was bruised, Engineer George Cannon of Boston broke his collarbone and Andrew J. Smith of Whitman, the baggagemaster, was knocked against the inside of the car and rendered unconscious.

CARRIES OUT THREAT TO TAKE HIS LIFE

AMESBURY, May 3—After telling some friends at noon that he would commit suicide at 6 o'clock, Melvin C. Dalton, a laborer, 61 years of age, made good his statement by drowning himself in the Powwow river.

A NEW TERROR OF WAR IN THE AIR

BERLIN, May 5—Details of the new aerial torpedo designed by the Krupp firm shows that the weapon is primarily designed for carrying on the long-discussed "war in the air," its principal feature being the absence of recoil, which has been the chief obstacle to the installation of regular guns or artillery in a delicately-balanced aeroplane or balloon.

The new weapon, which, like the marine torpedo, is self-propelling, can be fired from a dirigible or aeroplane against a hostile balloon without disturbing the stability of the machine.

OTHER SIDE FOR SUFFRAGETTES

LONDON, May 5.—A mighty protest against woman's suffrage was made in the house of commons. Arnold Ward presented a petition signed by 53,000 names, of which 31,000 were those of women, asking that the government refuse to grant an enfranchisement of women. Immediately after the presentation of the petition, Sir George Kempt moved the second reading of the enfranchisement bill, granting electoral rights to women householders of England.

GT. BRITAIN'S CHANCELLOR IS PLEASED

Over to Reception Accorded the Insurance Bill. His Reforms

Special to The Guardian.

LONDON, May 7—Hon. Mr. Lloyd-George is well pleased with the reception accorded his insurance bill.

He has received large congratulations including despatches from Canada and New Zealand.

The Chancellor hopes to build a measure of a structure of vital reform affecting the life of the entire nation. It is to embrace every section of the working population.

CLAIMS A CURE FOR LOCOMOTOR

BOSTON, May 3—The disease Locomotor Ataxia and its allied conditions, that has baffled physicians for years, is being overcome. Effective treatments are reported daily in Boston, by Dr. C. R. Vinal, with the Bellevue Treatment at 140 Boylston street. The treatment is wholly medical and has a specfic action in reducing the inflammation of the nerves and glands almost at once, thereby overcoming nervous exhaustion and enlargement of the prostrate gland.

It has always been supposed there was no hope for a sufferer from these diseases, but the results achieved and the reports of cures read at the meeting of the American Therapeutic Society would indicate a great discovery.

RAILROAD HELD UP BY SWARM OF BEES

OMAHA, Neb., May 3—All railroad traffic was stopped for an hour at Union depot here when two stands of honey bees fell and broke open, the bees swarming all over the depot and putting everybody to rout. Ten cases were being carried on a truck when just without the waiting room door two stands fell off. An hour passed before traffic could be resumed.

BRIDE WAITS IN VAIN AT ALTAR

SHARON, Penn., May 3—John Thomas is being sought for by the family and friends of Elizabeth Korp, whom he was to marry at the South Sharon Presbyterian Church. The guests, an orchestra and the bride's attendants were at the church, but the bridegroom did not show up.

The pastor dismissed the guests. Both the bride and her sister fainted and had to be taken home in a carriage. The bride is unconscious and in a critical condition. She is 17 and Thomas is 22.

ST. JOHN SCHOONER IN SERIOUS COLLISION

CHATHAM, Mass., May 5.—The revenue cutter Acushnet today went to the assistance of the British schooner Romeo, St. John for New York, which collided with an unknown schooner in Pollock Rip Slue yesterday. The unknown vessel was not seriously damaged, but it was found that the collision had sprung the Romeo's planking and she is full of water. Her cargo of leals keeps her afloat.

Minard's Liniment used by Physicians

PRINCE OF WALES COLLEGE CADET CORPS INSPECTED

On Saturday afternoon the Cadet Corps of the Prince of Wales College was inspected by Capt. F. W. L. Moore, Halifax.

The corps consists of two companies, "A" and "B," each being made up of a captain, two lieutenants and thirty-two cadets. Of "A" Company, Wendell McKenzie is Captain and his Lieutenants are A. Seaman and R. Fitzgerald. Clarence Tidmarsh is captain of "B" Company and his Lieutenants are Elliot Full and Clyde Auld.

Yesterday's inspection, the recurrence of an annual event, took place on the P. W. C. Grounds in front of the College and each company in turn was put through rifle and firing exercises, camp drill, company drill, the march past, &c., and each of the companies acquitted itself with great credit and to the decided satisfaction of the inspector.

The boys have been training during the winter months in the main hall of the College and doubtless were at no little disadvantage yesterday, since being accustomed to outdoor work means a great deal when the inspecting officer happens around. Despite this, however, the boys made a most excellent showing and this must reflect no little credit on the careful, persistent and efficient training of Prof. Jordan who had the Corps in charge.

Speaking to The Guardian after the inspection Capt. Moore said that the P. W. C. Cadet Corps was made up of a remarkably fine lot of boys; all splendidly set. He was particularly pleased with their work and said that they excelled in their company and extended order drill and performed the ceremonial parade in a manner which would do credit to a more highly trained permanent corps.

He had a specially good word of congratulation for the officers, Captains McKenzie and Tidmarsh and their Lieutenants, and said great praise was due them for their work, also referring to the effective training of Prof. Jordon. He expressed it as his decided opinion that the corps was in a state of efficiency which merited a complete isue of dniforms.