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The Selling Of The Stock Farm

Caused a Lot of Discussion in The Legislature On the Introduction of Bill To Sell The Stock Farm.

MORNING SESSION. March 19, 1907. Bills to invest certain lands in Summer side in J. M. Clark and Sarah C. Clark, to amend the Act incorporating the trustees of the Presbyterian Church at Clifton; to incorporate the Lords Company, Ltd., the Bear Insurance Agency, Ltd., passed their first reading.

AFTERNOON SESSION. Tuesday March 19th. House met at 1:30 p. m. HON. MR. PETERS resumed his explanation of the Stock Farm Bill. He said that 70 acres of the Stock Farm was used by the Falconwood Hospital. A most excellent use is being made of this land and good results and benefits arise therefrom.

MR. MATHIESON thought that the Stock Farm had not been properly managed for some years past; there had been no opportunity for any one to judge as to its value. He thought a great deal of care should be exercised in regard to making the transfer of the Falconwood Hospital work on the land.

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MR. MACDONALD cited a number of accounts appearing charged against the Stock Farm for some years past amounting in all to \$11,251.40. He wanted to know why the Government could not make money out of that farm.

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FATAL BLOOD POISONING. Frequently follows the use of cheap corn sales and plasters. The greatest is the best and the "Patent" which has a record of fifty years success. Refuse substitutes or "Patent" which costs 25c in every rag store.

CONDENSED ADVERTISEMENTS. (Too late for Classification.)

LOST—Pair of chain traces, Finder please leave at Duchesne's factory, 3-2041p.

WANTED—A general servant. Good wages. Apply to Mrs. Chas. Mc Gregor, Longwater Avenue, 3-2041p.

REMEMBER—That every body needs fresh and up-to-date, and that every body is likely to buy the good stuff while their mind is still bright and active.

PROPOSED NEW CABLE FOR TELEPHONE SERVICE

Between The Island and Mainland Giving Connection Between All Maritime Points Prepared to Undertake Telegraph Service as Well—The Proposal Laid Before Ottawa Ministers And Favorably Received.

A movement has taken shape recently for the betterment of our electric communication with the Mainland. Leading Island and Nova Scotia capitalists are moving spirits in the enterprise. What is proposed to do may be outlined as follows.

This cable to be specially constructed for the service, very strong and thoroughly insulated so as to insure good telephone communication between the Island and all important points in the other Maritime Provinces.

The proposed company to be formed for this purpose to enter into contract with the telephone companies of Nova Scotia and New Brunswick for a tariff of through rates from all points in this province to all points in these Provinces, such tariff of rates to be approved by the Railway Commission of Canada.

In addition to the telephone service, the proposed company would if required, at any time undertake a telegraph service, through the same cable, connecting with the telegraph systems of the Mainland and charging the same rates as now charged by the Anglo American Telegraph Company.

A proposition embodying the above features has recently been laid before the Ministers at Ottawa, and it is understood was very favorably received. As the cost of installing and maintaining this service would be large, it is expected that a reasonable subsidy will be voted by the Federal Government.

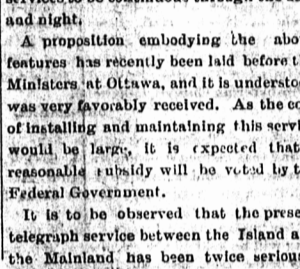
It is to be observed that the present telegraph service between the Island and the Mainland has been twice seriously interrupted during the past few years, and that the telegraph system reaches comparatively few points in this Province as compared with the telephone system.

It is on all hands agreed that another electric cable is needed. If the projected service were once installed it would obviate the danger of interruption by breakage; it would give through communication at through rates to all points in the Maritime Provinces. These would be important gains. There would be the further gain that with competitive systems by telegraph and telephone available those desiring to send messages across the Straits would have a choice between the two and this competition would be a factor in maintaining both in the highest state of efficiency.

Now that the Charlottetown Board of Trade have their new rooms centrally located and magnificently fitted up, The Guardian is pleased to learn that they are not to be kept for ornamental purposes but to be used in which to discuss the best interests of the City and Province.

Clark's Pork and Beans. Something you'll like for breakfast. Just how good our Pork and Beans are—Plain or with Chilli or Tomato Sauce.

JOAQUIN MILLER. Latest portrait of "The poet of the Sierras."



KAISER RE-ARMS HIS ARTILLERY. The rearmament of the artillery, for which the first instalment has already been voted by the Reichstag, is on the point of being completed.

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Lascar Sailors Had Greivance

Marched in a Body to Call on King Edward for Protection—Would Go Jail Rather Than Return to the Ship

LONDON, March 19.—Headed by their two "serangs," or head men, and forming a picturesque little procession, 49 Lascars from the West India docks attempted to pay a visit to the King at Buckingham Palace on Wednesday.

They were a part of the crew of a large steamship that arrived from the East on Saturday, and having a grievance they wanted to put it before His Majesty, whose Indian subjects they are.

Telling the police that they wanted to see the King, they were courteously directed to the route of the Royal procession at the New Central Criminal Courts, then about to be opened. But this was not what they wanted, and at last they found their way to the India office.

Here the two "serangs" were admitted to speak with an official, while the rest of the party rested on benches in St. James's park.

After a lot of broken English it was gathered that their ship was "blow no good," and that they did not intend to return to her. They had not been discharged, but had just walked off to explain their difficulties to the King.

The India office agreed to hear their story at a later hour in the day at the Asiatic Home in Limehouse.

Full of content they trudged back again. Incidentally on the return journey they did see the King, but failed to recognize his Majesty.

At the Asiatic Home later on where a small and unofficial inquiry was held by the India office, the official attempted to reason, it was not the slightest use. With calm impassive faces they listened but declined to return to their ship; they were told that the Asiatic Home was full, and they could not stop there.

One of the serangs with magnificent mien announced that they would sleep in the streets. As a last resource the penalties of the law were pointed out to them. "You can be sent to prison," said the India Official severely. The Serang serenely replied that he and his brothers would be very willing to go to prison if necessary but they would not return to the ship.

TO BE CHIEF OF SPANISH POLICE

LONDON, March 19.—King Alfonso has decided to revolutionize his Spanish police methods and to establish a criminal investigation department, modelled on Scotland Yard. He has offered the position of chief to the prominent force to Inspector Arrow of the London force, with a salary of £5,000. It is stated that His Majesty was much impressed by the police methods when he was here. He has been assisted by Queen Victoria in framing his plans.

MILWAUKEE, March 16.—The North Pole has been reached. "Captain Daring," the intrepid Milwaukee explorer, who some time ago announced that he proposed building an airship which was to carry him to the coveted spot from a point in British Columbia, yesterday sent the following despatch to the local newspapers:

"Veni, Vidi, Vici, 90 degrees. Ascended ten miles north of Montreal, Thursday March 7, 9 a. m. Reached 90 degrees or the pole 1.50 a. m. Sunday March 10, 1907. Planned American flag and left record, remained at pole 1 hour 45 minutes. Time consumed in going to the pole 67 hours, 15 minutes; return time, 49 hours 7 minutes. Solid ice field at Pole. Will send particulars at earliest convenience. Am coming on to Milwaukee in balloon tomorrow if wind is favorable.

"Captain Daring" all along said he would beat Walter Wellman in an aeroplane expedition to the pole. It seems that he packed a balloon in a grip, left here for Montreal in an entirely unostentatious manner, and left pesky reporters should divulge his purpose, hid himself to a spot ten miles out of Montreal and there made an ascension.

"Captain Daring's" real name is not known here. He has evaded all enquiries that subject saying that when he had accomplished his great purpose he would reveal his identity.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 16.—The ceiling of the hall in the Tauride Palace where the Lower House of Parliament meets, collapsed at six o'clock this morning and caused widespread wreckage among the seats below. Though many rumors were circulated to the effect that the fall of the ceiling was the result of a plot to interfere with the meeting of Parliament, its purely accidental character was clearly established. The nails and fastenings binding the ceiling to the rafters had not been replaced since the time of Catherine II, and broke down under the extra weight of the new decorations. The aggregate weight of the ceiling material was so great that in its fall it twisted the massive bronze chandeliers in such a way as to cause a terrible catastrophe had the fall happened during the session of the House.

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TORONTO, March 15.—As a result of General Booth's visit to Toronto, the Salvation Army executive waited on the provincial government Thursday with a scheme to purchase 230,000 acres in Northern Ontario for their colonization enterprises. They want the government to grant easy terms of payment and to appoint experienced men to assist the army in clearing.

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