

MORNING DAILY FOUNDED 1861 WEEKLY, (NOW RURAL DAILY 1887)

CHARLOTTETOWN, PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND, CANADA, MONDAY, JULY 13, 1908.

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UNKNOWN MAN DROWNS HIMSELF

Walked Into the Water With Clothes on and Went Down.

WINTHROP, Maine, July 11-(Special)-Walking like a king into the water of Lake Mrazanacook, fully clothed even to his hat, a stranger supposed to have been Chas. Annis of Somerville N. H. was drowned to-night. Some boys shouted to him but he replied "don't mind me" and kept on, when he reached deep water he swam a few strokes and then went down.

INDIGNATION IN MONTREAL

MONTREAL, July 9-A leading resident of St. Anne de Bellevue has decided to law before the Attorney General at Quebec, the facts concerning an attempted burglary recently, in which, after much difficulty, landed two of the culprits in the town lock-up they were released by the local authorities without the slightest attempt or try the accused. There has been several robberies in the locality lately and it was felt that the time had arrived to do something. The arrest of two out of a party of three caught red-handed breaking into a citizen's coach house to steal some bicycles, it was believed might solve the trouble. Great was the indignation of interested people when it was found that the prisoners had been released without a trial, on the petty excuse that the complainant was not on hand at 8 o'clock to receive formal charge.

NICARAGUA TO HELP HONDURAS

WASHINGTON, July 11-Nicaragua has taken up arms in support of Honduras, which has a revolutionary movement on its hands, according to a dispatch received at the state department today. The dispatch says that an army is being recruited by Nicaragua and that troops are being hurried forward with maximum batteries in aid of Honduras. Another dispatch however, received at the department from the American representative at the capital of Salvador indicates that the movement against Honduras has failed.

EXPECT COUNT TO CREATE SCANDAL

PARIS, July 11-The attorneys for the Princess De Sagan are in no way surprised that Count Boni De Castellane intends to attack not only the Princess De Sagan but his wife in its forthcoming suit to gain possession of his three children. They expect that the Count will attempt to create as much of a scandal as possible, and they look forward to a protracted legal battle. The Prince and Princess De Sagan arrived at Versailles to-day and took their quarters in a hotel, where they probably will remain until they open their house in Paris in the autumn. They both decline to talk of the suit brought by Count Boni.

WAS IN PERIL IN NIGRA RAPIDS.

NIAGARA FALLS, Ont., July 10-Fred Preston, proprietor of the Fancy Goods Bazaar had a narrow escape from death in a whirlpool Friday while endeavoring to recover a body believed to be that of Henry Mc Bain who was drowned in a boat accident last week at Chippewa.

A NEW WAY OF TRAVELLING

A Magnificent Transformation Picture. Also Scenes in the Land of Romance, Venice. The Queen of Cities.

One of the grandest transformation pictures imaginable is on the list at New Wonderland tonight. It is certainly a New Way of Travelling in every respect, taking in the deep sea wonders as ports of call, and marvellously depicting the tribes which inhabit the depths. Northern Venice-as its name suggests, shows scenes and happenings in the land of the gondola-picturesque and beautiful in every detail, grandly descriptive in every way.

DESPONDENT AND SHOOTS HIMSELF

New York Broker Mourning Wives Death Takes His Life. Was Treasurer of the Real Estate Board of Brokers.

DEXTER, Me., July 11-(Special)-hard Alexander the New York broker and treasurer of the board of Governors of the real estate board of Brokers at 156 Broadway, died today at residence of his brother-in-law, L. A. Avery in Dover

ADVANTAGES FOR YACHTING

In Charlottetown Are Unsurpassed and Many Fine Yachts and Boats Are Daily to be Seen on the Beautiful Harbour.



GEORGE J. ROGERS Commodore of Charlottetown Yachting Club.

There is probably no Province in Canada where the people are so well provided with the means of indulging in the pastime of yachting as Prince Edward Island. The advantages are general all over the province and here in the capital city of Charlottetown, built at the confluence of three broad rivers, which make its splendid harbor, with the ample Hillsborough Bay just outside the harbor entrance the situation is such as to compel the admiration of all who are interested in aquatic sports. In no other city of Canada are such desirable yachting waters so conveniently at hand, and those who are fond of the sport and own yachts and sailing-boats find means of indulging in the glorious pastime with very little trouble or expense. It is probably owing to the fact that there are not enough yachts in commission that the interest in yachting has not become more general and more marked. For the past twenty years there has always been a certain number of devotees of the sport. Quite recently, that is some three or four years ago, owners of sailing craft met together and organized a yachting club.

Yesterday the condition of Richard Heartz was about the same as reported on Saturday, but he is gradually growing weaker.

Leslie Toombs, employed as bookkeeper at Carvell Bros of this City, is spending his vacation at the home of his parents Clifton.

A Chipman returned to St. John Saturday from a visit to this City.

Albert and Mrs. Hyndman who have been visiting friends in this City left Saturday on return to Edmonton.

Miss Olive Douglas and Miss Alice McDonald returned to Pictou Saturday.

Mr. (L's) infant Carlos, listen to.

MARITIME GROCERS TO MEET IN ST. JOHN NEXT

HALIFAX, N. S., July 10-At the meeting of the Maritime Wholesale Grocers' Association here yesterday, St. John was selected as the next place of meeting. The following are the new officers: Vice-president, Geo. E. Barbour, St. John; 2nd Vice-president, W. H. Aitken, Charlottetown; Secretary, A. C. Fyke, Dartmouth.

Rev. Dr. Campbell, Secretary of Canadian Bible Society, and Judge Forbes of St. John, will meet the Bible Society Committee and collectors and all friends interested in the work of the Society this Monday evening in the Y. M. C. A. rooms at 8 o'clock. Dr. Campbell will also address a public meeting in the Presbyterian Church at Marshfield, on Tuesday evening, July 14th, at 8 o'clock, and a public meeting in the Methodist church at Highfield on Wednesday evening the 15th instant at 8 o'clock.

BOAT CAPSIZED THREE DROWNED

Father and Five Children Sailing, Boat Upsets, Only Three Saved.

DANFORTH, Me., July 11-(Special)-Three children were drowned today by the capsizing of a boat and three were rescued with great difficulty by Chas. Blackmore the father of five of them.

Mr. Blackmore took the six little ones out on Holbrook lake a small body of water two miles outside Danforth and they had been enjoying the fishing. When the time came to start home, in pulling up the anchor, the boat was upset in some manner and all were thrown into the lake.

FOREST FIRE OF 7,000 ACRES

Fire Shows No Decrease in Violence--Several Villages Threatened.

BATH, Me., July 11-The forest fire which started on the Island of Georgetown this morning, still continued to burn with unabated fury to-night, and it is believed the greater part of the island will be laid low. The band of fire fighters which was sent from here this morning to assist the settlers has been greatly reinforced, but on account of the difficulty in carrying water they were unable to make scarcely any progress in checking the flames.

The fire is rapidly working its way towards Riggsville, the largest village on the island, and many of its inhabitants have either left the village or are engaged in picking up their belongings to be ready to leave their homes at a moment's notice. The fire has now burned over an area of ten square miles.

SAYS CROKER'S IS ALL RIGHT

DUBLIN, July 11-That Richard Croker is a real sportsman, the Manchester Chronicle has to admit. With the admission it has agreed to pay Croker \$7,500, and will publish an apology to him in all the papers of the country. When Croker's Orby won the English Derby the Manchester Chronicle didn't like it a bit, and it began to belittle the sportsmanship of the former Tammany chief. Croker finally sued for libel. Rather than have the case come to trial, The Chronicle agreed to settle.

SHIP STRUCK IN A DENSE FOG

HALIFAX, N. S., July 11-Word has been received that the Battle Line steamer Arcola struck the rocks off St. Paul's Island in a thick fog last night and is full of water and likely a total wreck. She was from Manchester for Miramichi, in ballast. The crew was saved.

VENEZUELA AND UNCLE SAM QUITS

WASHINGTON, July 11-The diplomatic relations between America and Venezuela that have existed uninterruptedly for more than half a century, though in recent years severely strained, were completely severed today, when the Venezuelan charge d'affaires, called at the state department by appointment to present to acting Secretary Bacon notice from his government that he was to quit his post there, close up the Venezuelan legation in Washington and repaid forthwith to Venezuela. The charge executed his commission punctiliously.

WAR AGAINST BETTING MEN IN NEW YORK New York, July 11-Twenty-two indictments were returned by the grand jury in Brooklyn to-day against persons charged with betting at the race tracks.

OLYMPIC RIFLE COMPETITION

United States Wins International England Second Canada Third. Weather Conditions Are Unfavorable For Shooting.

BISLEY, July 12-(Special)-The breeze of twenty miles an hour was blowing. At the shorter ranges this shooting match defeating the British team by 35 points. Canada was third. The conditions for the match were far from ideal, the sky being overcast and rain threatening. A

SPEEDY JUSTICE METED OUT IN THE YUKON

A Murderer Captured, Tried and Sentenced Within One Month, But the Influx of Undesirables from the U. S. Makes Incr. of the Force Imperative

OTTAWA, July 11-The Royal Northwest Mounted Police execute speedy justice in Yukon. On June 28th last, word was received in Dawson that a Russian Finn, named Elfors, shot and killed a companion named Bergman, twelve miles below Selkirk and also wounded another companion named Anderson. Policeman Thompson promptly started in a canoe in pursuit of Elfors and captured him the following day. Yesterday Controller White received a wire from Commissioner Wood of Dawson stating that Elfors had been convicted to be hanged on October 6th. The capture of the prisoner, trial and sentence was thus effected within one month of the crime.

INFLUX OF BAD CHARACTERS. But although the Mounted Police in Yukon are doing most effective work, Commissioner Wood writes that in view of the influx of hundreds of gamblers, prostitutes, professional labor agitators and foreign-born of the lowest and most ignorant type from Alaska and other United States points, the force at his disposal is altogether too small to meet the demands made upon it. The whole Yukon Territory now consists of only 75 of whom but 44 are available for actual Police work. Recently Judge Reid of the United States Court in Alaska preemptorily issued orders closing all dance halls, houses of prostitution and gambling dens in Juneau, Treadwell and other Alaskan points and Slavonians have also been driven out of the country by Americans. As a result a great crowd of most undesirable classes has been coming into Yukon during the past three months.

BOYS CAN'T CHEW ON STREETS NOW

OTTAWA, July 11-In the senate the bill to restrict the use of tobacco by young persons was taken in committee.

Senator Power thought a mistake had been made in advancing the age at which tobacco is forbidden to boys from sixteen years, as proposed at first, to eighteen years. He moved to substitute sixteen for eighteen years.

Hon. Mr. Scott was of the opinion instead of the age being reduced to sixteen it should be increased to twenty-one.

Senator G. W. Ross said the bill had been introduced into the Commons with a provision for sixteen years and the Commons, after deliberation, had advanced the age limit to eighteen years. He thought the senate should leave the age at eighteen years.

Senator Power's motion to lower the age of sixteen was declared lost.

GREAT ACTIVITY AT SYDNEY MINES

SYDNEY MINES, July 11-The greatest activity prevailed at the collieries of the Sydney Mines company during the month of June, and although some time was lost by the men for one reason or another, the output soared nearly sixty thousand tons for the twenty-five or twenty-six working days. A week ago many of the men lost time as the result of voting on the referendum, but everything considered the results were satisfactory.

STREAMER ARCOLA ASHORE AND MAY BE TOTAL WRECK

HALIFAX, N. S., July 10-The Battle Line steamer Arcola of Manchester for Miramichi went ashore at St. Paul's Island in a thick fog last night and is reported as likely to be a total wreck.

DROUGHT AND FOREST FIRES

Revail in New Brunswick Orangemen Parade to Service in St. John.

ST. JOHN, July 12-(Special)-From all parts of the Province comes reports of alarming drought. In Queens Co. it is the worst ever known and unless rain falls soon the crops will be ruined.

Forest fires are raging in different parts of New Brunswick. The Bay Shore Lumber Co. lost a lot of valuable birch timber Saturday. Fire is raging near Grand Bay and valuable property is threatened. Orangemen here observed today by attending service in the Main St. Baptist Church.

The sermon was preached by the Grand Master, Rev. R. G. Fulton. There were over 700 in the parade.

U. S. SOLDIERS IN FREE-FOR-ALL

Company of Southern Regiment Made Things Live-ly at Summer Resort.

WASHINGTON, July 11-As a result of a serious riot late Tuesday night at Riverview, a resort on the Maryland side of the Potomac, about fourteen miles below here twenty-four privates of the United States Army are under arrest at Fort Washington, Md. Capt. Edward N. Macon, who endeavored to suppress the outbreak, suffered a broken arm, and many of the rioters sustained painful injuries. The participants may be court-martialed.

Tuesday being payday, seventy-five of the men, it is said, had been drinking and became involved in a free-for-all fight at Riverview, in which civilians participated.

GEN. BOTHA SAVED THE PREFERENCE

LONDON, July 11.-The news has just reached London that at the recent South African customs conference, the ministers of Cape Colony and Orange River colony strongly opposed the retention of the British preference. The Natal ministers made an effective response and the preference seemed doomed, when General Botha, who had remained inscrutably dumb said: "I would never have proposed the preference when it was proposed when there was no chance of British reciprocity, but I am not going to slap the British public in the face now that they evidently mean to respond." In the end the preference was retained.

READY FOR THE DOLLAR.

NEW YORK, July 11-Marjorie, aged nine, had not been having very satisfactory reports from school. Her father finally said, "Marjorie, for the first hundred you get I'll give you a dollar." Time went on and the reward could not be claimed. One day the girl was taken violently ill. Her mother sent for the doctor. When he had gone, Marjorie said, "Mama, am I very ill?" "No, dear; your temperature is a little over a hundred, but the doctor thinks you will be all right in a day or so."

Smiles broke through Marjorie's tears. "Now, mama, I can have my dollar. Papa said he would give it to me if I could get a hundred in anything." The August Delinquent.

INTEREST SHOWN IN GLIDDEN CONTEST.

Newcastle, Pa., July 11-Fully ten thousand people packed the streets this morning to welcome the Glidden automobile tourists, who started from Buffalo yesterday. Before 10 o'clock twenty cars passed through here.

Condensed Advertisements

Too late for Classification. LOST-On the street or in a store around the Market Square on Friday afternoon \$5 bill. The finder will be rewarded by leaving same at Sanderson & Co's. 7-13d3ind. WANTED-A girl for general house work. Apply to Mrs. S. Bolger, Osborne House. Apply immediately.