

MORNING DAILY FOUNDED 1851 WEEKLY (NOW RURAL DAILY)

CHARLOTTETOWN, PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND, CANADA, WEDNESDAY, MARCH 13, 1907.

TWENTY CENTS A MONTH BY MAIL (TWO DOLLARS PER YEAR BY MAIL)

A BIG SKATING EVENT FOR HERE

Worlds Champion, Canadian Champion And Maritime Champion Are going to Race in the Arena Rink Charlotte town, On March 25.

(SPECIAL BY WIRELESS.) St. John, March 11—It has been arranged that Logan and Wood respectively Canadian champion and world's champion skaters who raced this winter at Saranac Lake and at Montreal, their contests being the most important events of the winter will go to Charlottetown to race in the Arena Rink there—it being impossible for them to successfully conclude arrangements in this city.

Duffy, the Maritime Champion will also accompany them. This places Charlottetown in an enviable position as the meet is one that few cities could expect to get.

SOME FEATS OF A MODERN SAMPSON

Strong Man Lifts 1,000,000 Pounds in 35 Minutes—Trains By Eating One Meal a Day—His New Methods

New York, March 9.—Eating less than one meal a day for two months, during which he was in training, Gilman Low, of New York, the modern Sampson, developed enough strength to lift 1,000 pounds, raising 1,000 times 1,000 times in less than 35 minutes. In his method of accumulating strength, Low violated all the accepted rules of training. He actually starved himself for two months, making plenty of exercise in the fresh air to supplement his fasting. Physical culture experts and medical men, when they heard of Low's method of training, he showed them that they were mistaken and that his method, after all, was a good one. For his spare daily meal he ate fruit, cereals and eggs. He consumed no meat whatever.

several others. As the lift progressed Low increased his speed and for 100 lifts he folded his arms and raised the dead weight with his legs. During the greater part of the lift he used his arms, legs and back in concert. His back was equipped with a pad to protect it from the tremendous strain. After he had performed the feat he was in good condition.

ISLAND PASTOR AT DESTINATION

Newport News, March 9.—Rev. W. R. Molloy arrived here today to assume the pastorate of the Twentieth Street Christian Church. His left Georgetown, Prince Edward Island, two weeks ago, but encountered severe ice floes on the trip from the island to the mainland, thirty miles away, and was for seven days marooned on the ice. He was one of a party of six who crawled 15 miles over the ice.

NAVAL STANDARD BE MAINTAINED

Will Keep Britain Equal To Two Powers—Channel Fleet is Stronger

LONDON, March 9.—In introducing the navy estimates in the house of commons the parliamentary secretary of the admiralty, Mr. Robertson, said the admiralty believed that the two-power standard would be adequately maintained by the proposed programme for construction. During the past 10 years Great Britain has added 1,132,205 tons to her navy, while Russia, France and Germany together has added only 1,108,280.

SMALLPOX AT LAWLOR'S ISLAND

HALIFAX, N. S., March 6.—The smallpox patient landed at Lawlor's Island by the steamer "Plover" died Saturday night. None of the others detained there, show any signs of the disease as yet.

QUEEN PRAISES MISS MAXWELL

OTTAWA, Mar. 8.—Lord Elcho cables Lord Grey as follows: The Queen has been pleased with great regret of the disastrous fire which occurred at the Protestant children school at Montreal. Her majesty desires me to convey to you her great admiration of the heroic conduct of Miss Maxwell, who gave up her life in a gallant attempt to rescue the little children entrusted to her care, as well as her majesty's deep sympathy with the bereaved relatives of this brave woman. (Signed.) Elcho.

ANOTHER SCARE ON THE STANLEY

Passengers Called to the Ice-Boats in Fear Of Ice Jam—But danger Averted—Tunnel Meeting On Board Afterwards.

(SPECIAL BY WIRELESS.) On board Stanley, in Northumberland Strait, Nov 13—Owing to the dangerous position of the steamer at four o'clock today the iceboats were launched and passengers and crew called to the decks fearing serious results from an ice jam which, however was happily averted. The steamer is now stuck three miles off Murray Harbor. The ice is the heaviest ever seen by the oldest navigators and is piled up into heaps of gigantic blocks four feet thick. The names of the passengers are: Rev. J. H. Bates, Mrs. Bates, Miss M. Bates, J. D. White, Mr. and Mrs. Otis, Joseph Satter, North Sydney, H. D. McEwen, Merell.

Capt. E. J. Rhude, Montague, W. B. Allen, Bank of Nova Scotia, D. S. Biggs, Toronto, J. C. Clark, Miss M. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Godfrey and two children, A. G. McLean, J. B. McDonald, East Point, E. Haslam, Claude Davidson, Thos Higginbotham, John McLean, Mrs. Joseph Morri-on, Marion McDonald. In the evening a mass meeting was held in the saloon and strong speeches on the tunnel by the Rev. Mr. Bates, Messrs Satter, McEwen and Capt. Rhude, a resolution advocating the same was passed unanimously.

PARIS COURT FINES 27 NUNS

Penalty For Refusal to Quit Compliance With Orders

NANTES, FRANCE, March 8.—A police court judge today inflicted fines of \$3.20 upon each of twenty seven Ursuline nuns and a fine of \$5 upon the mother superior for persistently refusing to quit their convents in compliance with the law dispensing religious communities. The defendants pleaded that both the grounds and the buildings themselves belonged to the order which had been authorized to carry on educational work. The prosecution, while not contesting this argument insisted upon the obedience to the act of congregations, and at the same time gave warning that further refusal by the nuns to leave the buildings would be followed by ejections. During the trial the court room had to be cleared because of the demonstrations of a crowd of Catholic sympathizers who at the conclusion of the hearing accompanied the nuns back to their convents with cheers.

FIFTEEN GREEKS WERE DROWNED

Overturning of Ferry Boat in Panic in Redding California

REDDING, Calif., March 12.—Fifteen men lost their lives in Pitt River yesterday. The men were all Greeks employed on the construction of the Sacramento valley and Eastern Railroad. The Greeks started to cross the river in a ferry boat when a man fell overboard and the others became panic stricken. They ran to the side of the boat some of them jumping on the railings and the boat was overbalanced and every one slid off into the water. The ferryman along to the boat and swam ashore, but the Greeks were all drowned.

5,000 PASSENGERS DUE NEXT WEEK

Five Steamers Expected At Halifax From Transatlantic Ports

HALIFAX, Mar. 9.—The immigration officials at deep water expect next week to be the busiest of the season. Five passenger steamers are now on their way from Glasgow and Liverpool with nearly 5,000 passengers, the majority to be landed at this port. The Allan line steamer Virginian, which sailed from Liverpool on Friday, March 1st, is due tonight or early tomorrow morning. She has 41 first, 317 second, and 383 steerage passengers, all of whom will be landed at Halifax. The Dominion liner Southwark, which sailed from Liverpool on February 28th is due to arrive in Halifax Sunday. She has over a thousand Salvation Army settlers, who will be landed here. The Allan line steamer Mongolian sailed from Glasgow on Saturday, March 2nd, with 163 second class and 389 steerage passengers. The Sardinian sailed from Havre on Monday, March 4th, 100 second and 387 steerage passengers. The Canada, of the Dominion line, sailed from Liverpool Thursday March 7, for Portland via Halifax. She has over 500 passengers to land here. The Ionian, of the Allan line, also sailed on Thursday for Halifax. Her passenger list has not arrived in Halifax yet, but it is expected she will have about 600 passengers to land at this port.

GETS NEW NOSE; ORIGINAL FROZE

PHILADELPHIA, Mar. 9.—As happy as a child with a new toy, David Dodson, of Barnsboro, Pa., walked out of the Dental Hall of the university of Pennsylvania, the proud possessor of a life like nose, replacing that which was frozen several years ago in a blizzard. For the last two years Dodson has tried in vain to secure a new nose, and last year prevailed on Dean C. H. Egan of the medical department to attempt to graft a finger of his right hand on his face to form his nose. Just as soon as the operation was about to prove successful Dodson, seized by pain, pulled the finger out of its place and made the operation a failure. The new nose is a perfect article. It is made of flesh colored vulcanite with black tin tubes, and is held on the face by means of a heavy pair of bow spectacles and a heavy false moustache.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

(SPECIAL BY WIRELESS.) CHICAGO, March 12, 1907. May Corn..... 47 1/2 " Wheat..... 78 1/2 " Pork..... \$10.10 July Corn..... 46 1/2 " Wheat..... 79 1/2 " Pork..... \$10.25

MINARD'S LINIMENT CO., LIMITED. GENTLEMAN.—My daughter, 13 year old, was thrown from a sleigh and injured her elbow so badly it remained stiff and very painful for three years. Four bottles of MINARD'S LINIMENT completely cured her and she has not been troubled for two years. Yours truly, J. R. LIVESQUE. St. Joseph, P.O., 18th Aug., 1905.

CLARK'S VEAL LOAF.

You don't have the trouble of preparing it—it is perfect as it is. Open the tin and serve.

MAN PERISHED IN BLIZZARD

Was On Ice at Glace Bay When It Parted And Could not Return

(SPECIAL BY WIRELESS.) GLACE BAY, March 12—Last evening a man was noticed on the ice about a mile from shore at New Abode. The ice parted and he was unable to reach shore till two o'clock this morning continued search was made but the man is still missing. Today a howling blizzard raged and the man is given up for lost.

MAGAZINE OF FRENCH WARSHIP

Exploded, Killing One Hundred To Three Hundred of Her Men

(SPECIAL BY WIRELESS.) TOULON, France, March 12—The powder magazine on board the battleship here, said to be the Lena, exploded today owing to the explosion of a compressed air torpedo. It is said the casualties number from 100 to 300 but no details are obtainable and even the identity of the warship is not established.

MELBA RICHEST SINGER IN WORLD

New York, March 7.—Mme. Melba is the highest priced singer in the world and one of the wealthiest women in the public eye. For every performance at the Manhattan Opera House she receives \$4,000. Half of the amount of the salary she draws from Mr. Hammerstein for this entire season was deposited with her bankers in London before she sailed for America. The rest is paid her \$2,000 a time, the morning after each New York appearance and deposited with her local bankers. There is absolutely no reduction or concession to agents in this \$4,000.

THE WEATHER.

TORONTO, March 12—Fresh, Southerly winds, mild and covering unsettled with showers.

Do not Neglect A Bad Cold.

Never allow a cold to take its course. Too often at this season of the year its course is toward pneumonia. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy will promptly cure your cold and counteract any tendency in this direction. There is nothing better for acute throat and lung troubles. For sale by all druggists.

HOUSE FOR SALE—The undersigned has for sale the new house erected on the Doyle farm at Cape Egmont. This is a modern house, well furnished, and cost about \$9000 and will be sold at a greatly reduced figure. The house can now easily be had on the lot. For further particulars apply to McQuarrie & Arsenault, Summerside, or to Emmanuel J. Gallant, Cape Egmont, 3-13dmw/11.

Condensed Advertisement

(Too late for Classification.)

SEE PAGE 6 FOR RATES.

FOR SALE four good milch cows. Apply to L. H. D. Foster, Marshfield, 2-Baitwell.

REMEMBER—That every body needs a morning paper as the news is read fresh and up-to-date, and that at some time during the day everybody is likely to buy the good advertised while her mind is still bright and active.

THAW TRIAL IS NEAR ITS CLOSE

Jerome Scores a Point For the Prosecution By Giving Evidence of Stanford White's Brother-In-Law—Said Thaw Was Rational.

(SPECIAL BY WIRELESS.) New York, March 12—Jerome scored a great point for the prosecution in the Thaw case today, when he succeeded in getting before the court the evidence of James Clinch Smith, a brother-in-law of Stanford White who swore that Thaw seemed rational on the night he shot White in Madison Square Garden.

"I was talking to him about several things, said Clinch and he talked as rationally as any man would." The end of the trial is in sight, and each side will be allowed a full day to sum up. Today's proceedings were marked by several sharp fights between the counsel, Judge Fitzgerald warning the jury to pay no attention to them.

CONSUELO TO LIVE IN GIRL'S HOTEL

The Duchess of Marlborough Will Return to America for a Visit and Stay at Hotel—The Breach Not Yet Healed

New York, March 7—Consuelo Duchess of Marlborough is coming to live for an indefinite period at the Marlborough Washington, originally a working girls' hotel according to A. W. Eager, the lessee of that hotel. She is due in New York on April 18. Eager says that a suite of ten rooms have been engaged by her, and that they are being decorated by her direction four in rose and the rest in blue. When the Duke and Duchess of Marlborough subscribed to apartment papers early in January it was suggested that she would come to America this summer, but there has been no definite word before Mrs. O. H. P. Belmont, the Duchess's mother, has been abroad all winter. Her father William K. Vanderbilt, is also abroad.

Under the terms of the Marlborough separation it is a question whether the boys, the Marquis of Blandford, now in his tenth year, and Lord Ivor Charles Spencer Churchill, who will be nine in October, could be with their mother here for any length of time. The agreement is understood to have been that, although she could take her sons to the continent during their holidays, the Duchess agreed not to bring them to America for "any extended period" while they were minors. Last week it was announced by the London Weekly Dispatch that the Duchess of Marlborough was going to join the church army and do social rescue work. The Rev. Colla Campbell, secretary of the Church Army's Social Department, was quoted as saying, "The Rev. Mr. Carill, our chief, about three weeks ago visited the Duchess at Nice, many times she has opened work for us and given parties, have been held at Blandford. Mr. Carill visited Blandford as the guest of the Duke after the unhappy differences between the Duke and Duchess." Mrs. Hermann Oelrichs, who is a sister of Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt, Jr., said tonight she had not heard that the Duchess of Marlborough contemplated visiting America and stopping at the Marlborough Washington.

BIG IRRIGATION IN SOUTH AFRICA

Plans for an Enormous Reservoir Which Will Reclaim Thousands of Acres

CAPE TOWN, March 9.—A big irrigation scheme is planned for the Modder River Valley. This is recognized as one of the finest agricultural districts of South Africa, but the extension of farming since the war has caused deficiencies in the water supply during the three dry months of the year. The proposal of Mr. Strange, the director of irrigation is to construct at a cost of \$750,000 an enormous reservoir to be north of Polchester five miles in length and two miles broad at its widest part. This will hold 940,000,000 cubic feet of water and will bring under cultivation between seven and eight thousand acres. The gross valuation of the additional crops to be raised is put at \$750,000 per annum. The operations of the irrigation department were viewed at the outset with a great deal of doubt. It is not actual irrigation, but it is interesting to note that the Modder River project has now the support of the entire farming community. American engineers have been consulted upon the subject and they say that it is sure of success.

WILLIAM J. MCGEE GETS EIGHT YEARS

Former Secretary-Treasurer of Building Society Must go to Penitentiary

MONTREAL, March 9.—William J. McGee, former secretary-treasurer of the People's Mutual Building Society, who recently pleaded guilty to three indictments of forgery and obtaining money under false pretences, was sentenced to eight years imprisonment in the penitentiary. McGee was a trusted official of the society and not only robbed it of a large amount, but forged the names of members and friends to notes and in other ways defrauded them to a large amount in the aggregate. McGee admitted his guilt from the start and made every effort to untangle the mess in which he had placed the society's books.

BRITISH LORDS ARE STILL SAFE

LONDON, March 9.—The insecurity of the Government's attack on the House of Lords becomes continually more apparent. When questioned today in the House of Commons as to when the Government was going to submit proposals to cut their Lordship's claws, Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, the Prime Minister, evaded the issue, pleading that the financial purposes were likely to absorb a large part of the labor of the House for some time to come. The Standard says there is good reason to believe that the government has seriously modified its intention in regard to the House of Lords. Large numbers of Liberals who were formerly anxious to promote agitation in the country against the Upper House, have a completely altered tone. This circumstance is due, without doubt, to the moral effect of the Brigg election, the reduction of the Liberal majorities in Aberdeen and North-east Derbyshire, and the Progressive and Socialists' rise in London.