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HUDSON BAY CO.

May Stop Prohibition in Manitoba.

MORE BOXER OUTRAGES

Speaker Bain Retires—A Change of Faith—Fatal Boiler Accident.

HUDSON BAY COMPANY'S CLAIM, WENIPEG, June 4.—(Special)—The Hudson Bay Co. claim that neither Manitoba nor the Dominion Government can pass a law enforcing prohibition and taking away the Imperial Government Act of 1870 giving them the power to trade in Canada without restrictions or interference.

If this is so a prohibitory law would give them a monopoly of the trade here and the opinion now is the Macdonald Government will have to withdraw their Bill.

SPEAKER BAIN'S SIGHT FAILING. HAMILTON, June 4.—(Special)—Hon. Thomas Bain, Speaker of the Commons, will not again contest South Wentworth, but will retire because of failing sight.

THREE PERSONS CHANGE THEIR FAITH. FREDERICTON, June 4.—(Special)—Three Protestants, Mrs. Wm. Gormelly, Mrs. J. Corbett and W. Rowe were received into the Roman Catholic Church on Saturday, and Mr. and Mrs. Corbett, who had been married some years ago by a Protestant Minister, were remarried.

STEAMER RAISED—BOILER EXPLOSION. HALIFAX, June 4.—(Special)—The machinery and much of the cargo of the steamer Maverick is uninjured. Boilers at Scotch Lake, near George's River, Cape Breton, exploded and killing Engineer Perrie and two others were injured.

MONTREAL BUSINESS FAILURE. MONTREAL, June 4.—(Special)—The Wm. Drysdale Co. publishers are going into liquidation.

BOXER OUTRAGES INCREASING. PEKIN, June 4.—(Special)—The Boxer outrages seem to be on the increase and all kinds of alarmist reports are being received. Several stations have been burned and traffic between Tien Ting and Pekin suspended.

THE PAS TING FU RAILWAY is temporarily abandoned and the Chinese Government is unable, or unwilling to suppress the Boxers.

BRITISH WARSHIPS BACK A DEMAND. Two British warships have reached Taku. England is demanding to know why arrests were ordered of men favorable to her commercial enterprises.

CHICAGO MARKETS. CHICAGO, June 4.—(Special)—The following are the closing rates:—June, wheat, 65; corn, 37; oats, 21; pork, \$11.27; Sept. wheat, 66; corn, 37; oats, 21; pork, \$11.27.

LAST night at midnight officers Bradley and Harper arrested William Ellsworth. On his person were found two coats, two vests and a sweater. It is believed that the clothing belongs to Mr. D. A. Bruce. On his person were found over 20 new pocket knives, a new butcher knife, a quantity of confectionery and two packages of cut tobacco.

A young man from Charlottetown, who came here as a member of the Provisional Regiment, but who was afterwards discharged owing to the fact that he had neglected to pass the necessary medical examination, is missing from the city. After leaving the regiment he went to work for a time in a Harrington street photographic establishment, but when the firm dissolved partnership a few days ago he received his walking ticket. Then he announced that he was going to work for the Halifax Electric Tramway Company, as a car conductor, but the morning he was supposed to go to work he disappeared and has not been seen since. As no one has any knowledge of his whereabouts, considerable anxiety is felt concerning him.—Halifax Herald.

THE WEATHER. WASHINGTON, June 4.—(Special)—Fair, fresh north-easterly winds.

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W.N. TANTON Jewels Sign of the Big Watch

S'SIDE INQUIRY

Charges Against Officer Henderson.

A LARGE ATTENDANCE

Reward of \$200 Offered for Conviction of the Window Breakers.

The adjourned meeting of the Town Council for the investigation of charges against Police Officer Henderson was held yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock, the Mayor and all the Councillors present. There was also a large number of citizens present and a good deal of interest in the case was manifested.

Immediately after opening, the Clerk read a declaration by Officer Henderson in which he positively denied the charge of being asleep on the occasion in question, and admitted as at the first meeting that he had left the station lamp unlit for a short time; that since his appointment he had faithfully and conscientiously performed his duty as a police officer. The charges against him were also re-read. To the charge made by McAlmon that the engine room lamp was not burning, Coun. Brace objected that the deponent could not tell if standing as stated on the outside door-step with the engine room door closed.

To a question by Mr. Henderson the Town Clerk answered that Mr. Henderson was always ready and willing to do whatever duty he was called upon. Policeman McDonald stated that Mr. Henderson after becoming acquainted with his work, performed his various duties as well as any other policeman in the city ever served in Summerside.

Coun. Goss thought the declaration made by Mr. Henderson was as worthy of credence as those of the men who made the charges. He thought Mr. Henderson should get another chance, and if found negligent he could be dismissed. He as a Councillor would not shield Mr. Henderson or any other officer who neglected his duty.

Councillor Morris did not think it advisable to hold such an investigation as this before the public. It should have been referred to the Police Committee. Mr. Henderson had been brought here at the instance of the Citizens' League, by some of the Councillors without the knowledge of the other Councillors. The parties who concocted this little scheme no doubt thought they were doing a good thing, but the Councillors who had not been consulted considered it an insult and a slap in the face. The action of these men caused a great deal of misunderstanding and bad feeling among citizens and also caused the broken windows. He, because he did not see eye to eye with these men had been called a traitor and a rummy. He considered himself as conscientious a temperance man as any at the Board and just as anxious to have the C. T. A. enforced. He believed Mr. Henderson was not a capable police officer, he was not sure that he was a competent Scott Act Prosecutor. Nevertheless he thought the charges against him were

trivial and that Mr. Henderson should have another chance. He would favor giving him another chance but not at a salary of \$55 a month. He thought \$32 and 10 per cent commission on Scott Act fines collected would be as much as Mr. Henderson was entitled to.

Coun. J. A. McNeill would like to see justice done in the matter. If Mr. Henderson was guilty of the charges against him, he was not a reliable guardian of the property entrusted to his keeping. He however did not wish to see him condemned without a full investigation and he moved that Mr. Henderson be retained until the next regular Monthly Meeting at a salary of \$32 per month and 10 per cent commission on Scott Act fines collected. Seconded by Coun. Morris and carried.

Moved by Coun. Morris, seconded by Coun. Goss a reward of \$200 is offered for such information as may lead to the conviction of the person or persons who broke the windows of Messrs. Bruce McKay & Co. and F. W. Strong & Co.

The resignation of Police Officer McDonald was accepted.

On motion of Coun. Morris, seconded by Coun. Goss the Town Clerk's office was ordered to be closed at 1 p. m. on Saturday's during the summer months.

S. S. LESSON. STUDIES IN THE LIFE OF JESUS. JUNE 10. DEATH OF JOHN THE BAPTIST. Mark 6: 14-29. Memory verses, 21-24. GOLDEN TEXT. Be not drunk with wine, wherein is excess; but be filled with the Spirit.—Eph. 5: 18. LESSON HELPS. 14. "Herod"—Herod Antipas. "Heard of him"—Of Jesus and his works. 15. "Risen from the dead"—Herod's conscience made him feel afraid. 16. "Herodias' sake"—Herod imprisoned John partly to please this cruel woman, whom he had wickedly made his wife, and partly, as we may infer from verses 17-20, to protect John from her plots. "His brother Philip's wife"—Herod perversely claimed her as his own, however. (1) Friendship with the wicked leads to wicked deeds. 17. "Had said unto Herod"—(2) The true servant of God is no respecter of persons. "Not lawful"—Herod was a Jew of religion, and pretended to keep the Mosaic law which he now broke Lev. 13: 11 forbids the union of persons so closely related by blood, and Lev. 18: 16 prohibits marriage to the brother's wife. 18. "Had a quarrel"—The phrase means "cherished a settled hatred." (3) Sin always hates the virtue which reproves it. 19. "Herod feared John"—Regarded him with reverence as a prophet. "A just man and a holy"—Just to his fellowmen righteous before God. "Observed him"—Better, keep him from the cruel anger of Herodias. "Did many things"—Better, "was much perplexed." Heard him gladly.—John's character and discourses charmed Herod, but his will was depraved. (4) Sentiment cannot save a soul. 20. "A convenient day"—A day convenient for Herodias' plans. "Lords"—Court officials. High captains—Chiliarchs; the chief officers of his little army. Chief estates.—Wealthy men. 21. "Daughter of the said Herodias"—This girl's name was Salome. She had deserted her father and followed her wicked mother to Herod's court. "Danced"—The ancient dance was not at all like any social dance of modern times, and the phrase translated "the said," indicates that there was something unusually shocking in this exhibition; partly, doubtless, because the dancer was a princess. "Damsel"—Young woman. "Ask of me whatsoever thou wilt, and I will give it thee"—A magnificent bounty, but the girl had paid for it by the sacrifice of her maidenly modesty. Who makes us an offer as rich and large? Read John 16: 23, 24. 22. "Unto the half of my kingdom"—This was a rash and wild promise, but as large promises had been made by other sovereigns and had been kept. 23. "The head of John"—The half of a kingdom was not worth so much to this wicked woman as the gratification of revenge. 24. "Straightway with haste"—her cruel talk was full of hazard to her mother and herself. "A charger"—A platter or plate. 25. "The king was exceeding sorry"—This was the last struggle of conscience. "For his oath's sake"—He forgot that a wicked oath is better broken than kept. "For the sakes"—He was ashamed to refuse because they had heard him promise. (5) Never be ashamed or "dared" into sin. 26. "Went and beheaded him"—However crushed with defeat may have been John's last moments on earth, his entrance to heaven was sure as the sun and moon. 27. "His disciples"—After tenderly caring for the mutilated remains of their master, his disciples as a class transferred their allegiance to Jesus Christ, the new prophet, their true Lord. (6) Every one should so live that friendship with him will bring others nearer to Christ. In Japan handkerchiefs are made of paper, cords are twisted from it and imitations of cordova leather are skillfully contrived from it. The contented man is never poor, the discontented never rich.

NOT GOT PRETORIA

But Have it Practically Invested.

BOER COURAGE ROUSED

Stores Removed—People flying—Kruger Seriously Ill of Paralysis.

PRETORIA IS SURROUNDED. LONDON, June 4.—(Special)—Unofficial reports say that Pretoria is practically invested by the British.

Resistance has ceased and that formal surrender will follow shortly. WHY ROBERTS IS SILENT. The lack of official word from Lord Roberts is supposed to be because he is engaged getting his flanking parties about the Boers around Pretoria.

SCOUTS CAPTURED—PRETORIAN EXODUS. Gen. Brabant reports a squad of small loose scouting parties being captured.

There is a great exodus from Pretoria going on and the foreign legation have got away. MADE A MILITARY KNIGHT. WINDSOR, June 4.—(Special)—Major C. H. Dale, late of the Canadian Militia, was today installed a Military Knight.

BRITISH FORCE AT IRENE. I. N. Ford's London Cable Letter under date June 4 after commenting on the fact that the Boers got away nearly all their artillery from Johannesburg says:

British troops were reported to be at Irene, seven miles south of Pretoria last Thursday, and heavy firing had been heard there, while at the same time, the Boer army, 10,000 strong, was said to be guarding the approaches to the city.

BOER COURAGE REKINDLED. An Express telegram says the spirit of resistance among the burghers has been rekindled by stirring speeches of Louis Botha and Lucas Meyer, two of the best Boer generals. They addressed excited crowds in Pretoria on Tuesday, calling upon them to fight to the bitter end, and obtained enthusiastic response.

STORES REMOVED FROM PRETORIA. Enormous quantities of stores and ammunition have been removed from the city to Machadodorp on the confines of Lydenburg mountain country, whither Kruger has fled, and where it is thought the Boers contemplate making their final stand.

DEWIT AND STEYN BEING WATCHED. It is reported that Dewit and Steyn have gone towards Kroonstadt with the object of cutting the communication of the British army. Possibly, therefore, Roberts has been waiting at Orange Grove, which is four or five miles north of Johannesburg, until he is satisfied that his presence with reinforcements is not needed further south.

KRUGER AGAIN REPORTED ILL. Kruger, according to a Chronicle telegram, is seriously ill. He is said to be suffering from paralysis of the brain.

BORN.

At Westleigh, Kinkora on June 3, 1900 to Dr. St. Clair and Mrs. Gallant a daughter.

NEW YORK STOCK LIST.

Closing prices June 4. American Sugar 117 1/2 American Steel and Wire 35 American Tobacco 93 1/2 Brooklyn Transit 60 1/2 Burlington 120 1/2 Continental Tob. 125 1/2 Federal Steel 33 1/2 Federal Steel Prd 07 1/2 Louisville and Nashville 70 1/2 New York Central 131 Rock Island 107 1/2 St. Paul 117 1/2 Tennessee Coal and Iron 73 1/2 Union Pac Pr'd 34 1/2 United States Rubber nil April Cotton per 100 lbs —

Last night's session of the Legislature was rather an unimportant one. After the first, second and third reading of a number of bills Hon. D. Farquharson introduced a resolution authorising the issue of \$48,750 thirty year 3 1/2 percent debentures for the construction of the Asylum Annex and steel bridges, with 1 1/2 percent to be set aside for a sinking fund. Mr. Farquharson addressed the House at some length in support of the resolution. After considerable discussion a bill was introduced and read a first time.

Stock.—The following is clipped from the Scottish Farmer, Glasgow, Scot. Crown Rights (1018) for Canada: Mr. Peter Crawford, Dargavel, Dumfriesshire, has sold his grandly-bred horse to Mr. Stockman, from P. E. I. and he was shipped from Liverpool this week. He was bred by H. M. the Queen at the Prince Consort's show farm, Windsor, and has given a good account of himself. His sire was the well bred big horse Montrave Kenneth, and his dam, the prize mare Barque Honey by Macgregor. She won prizes in the best of company, and had bred prize-winning stock. The above stallion referred to has been recently purchased by Messrs. McKinley Bros. and Mr. Halloran of this city. Intending breeders who wish to breed gilt edge stock should give same their close attention.

Mania for Operations

Among the Doctors. No Need of the Knife to Cure Piles. A Surer, Cheaper Easier Way, Dr. Chase's Ointment. Dread of the surgeon's knife causes multitudes of people to suffer on year after year with piles, when they could be cured without risk, expense, or danger of an operation by using Dr. Chase's Ointment, the only preparation guaranteed to cure any case of itching, bleeding, or protruding piles. Rev. J. A. Baldwin, Baptist minister, Arkona, Ont., writes:—"For over twenty years I was a great sufferer from itching and protruding piles. I used many remedies and underwent three very painful surgical operations, all without obtaining any permanent benefit. When about to give up in despair I was told to use Dr. Chase's Ointment, and did so, finding relief at once. I used three boxes, and am almost entirely cured. The itching is all gone. I have advised others to use it, believing it would cure them as it has me." Dr. Chase's Ointment is the only positive and actual cure for every form of piles, 60 cents a box, at all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates and Co., Toronto.

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