

MINISTER WHO HAS SICK WIFE

Wanted to Marry St. John Girl, But Was Prevented—Has Been Preaching All Summer Expresses Contrition and Wants to Continue Preaching—A Painter Killed.

St. John, Oct. 1.—(Special)—In transit that Rev. H. S. Savary, the clergyman who attempted to elope with a St. John girl, has a wife living in Plymouth, Mass., and that she is a Nova Scotia girl, Miss Ross, formerly of Pictou County. Her parents are both living.

D SAVIGNAC IS CAPTURED

Ottawa, Sept. 30.—Dr. J. Savignac who a week ago put two bullets each in his wife and mother in this city, was brought in Saturday night and lodged in jail to answer the charge of attempt at murder Monday morning. Detectives Dicks and Ryan of Ottawa caught him Saturday at six o'clock in a farm house three miles from Beauchamp and had him handcuffed before he could make use of two revolvers which he pulled. He had \$138 in his possession. The two women are out of danger. Savignac appears to be in good condition after his week on the road.

SCANDAL IN A DEAF MUTE SCHOOL

Toronto, Sept. 30.—Matters have been forced to an issue in connection with the charges made against the officials of the Deaf and dumb. All kinds of rumors have been in circulation, but it is understood that a charge of criminal assault on a young woman at the institution is being pressed by her relatives. The superintendent has demanded an investigation and so-called names have been mentioned in connection with the affair. The government will appoint a commission to investigate.

MARATHON RACE AT TORONTO

Toronto, Sept. 29.—Toronto's first Marathon race will be held on Oct. 27. The distance will be between 15 and 20 miles over a course on the lakeshore road, from Sunnyside, extending to Sunnyside, and will be open to any Canadian amateur. The trophy, given by Controller J. J. Ward is said to be the finest that any Canadian athlete has ever competed for, and will have to be won three times before being held for good, but each winner will receive a solid gold medal. In addition to this, there will be a prize for each man finishing the race. The same rules that governed the Greek Marathon will govern in this event. Already many of Toronto's best long distance men are getting into good shape, and from odd side enquiries there will be many good entries from Hamilton, St. Catharines, Winnipeg, Montreal and other towns. Mr. Ward and the committee hope to make it the finest exhibition of Canadian stamina that the citizens of Canada have ever witnessed. Any information will be gladly given by Edward A. Hughes, secretary, at 200 Huron street Phone N.354.

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HALIFAX RACES OF YESTERDAY

Were Interesting and Attendance at Exhibition Large Good Weather.

HALIFAX, Oct. 1.—(Special)—The big fair entered upon its second today with a large attendance and more favorable weather. The interest continues unabated and everyone seems pleased with the show. The horse races continue to attract large audiences and today the capacity of the grand stand was again taxed. Springhill Stables entry, Lady Blingen captured the 215 Trot and Pace, in straight heats pacing the second mile in 2.14, equalling her record made at Fredericton last fall. Dr. Band, Boston entry, landed second money, finishing next Lady Blingen in all heats. Baileo got third money, Ada Mar, fourth. Meadowvale, another provincial horse, captured the 240 Trot and Pace in straight heats, best time being 2.32, made in the first heat. Bonduille's Pete won second money, Warren F. Boston entry, third, and Frank Krohn, Sydney, fourth. Every heat was a horse race and some of the finishes decidedly close.

BURGLARS AND POLICE FIGHT

MONTREAL, Sept. 30.—Robert Walker, a ticket-of-leave man from Saint Vincent de Paul penitentiary, lies in the general public hospital with a fractured skull and is not expected to live. In the same institution is Detective Lebuquet with a bullet hole in his arm. The injuries of both men are the result of a fierce fight which took place this afternoon on the premises of the Starks Hardware Company on St. Peter street. Suspicious characters were noticed hanging around the premises and word was sent to Chief Detective Carpenter. He sent Detectives O'Keefe and Lebuquet to investigate. They found a pane of glass broken in the Starks premises and entered through the window. Going upstairs they heard voices and saw men on the floor above and waited in the shadow of the stairway. In a few minutes two men came down. Detective Lebuquet presented a revolver at the foremost and ordered him to throw up his hands. The answer was a shot which took effect in Lebuquet's fore-arm, causing him to drop his revolver. Two others followed in quick succession, one passing through his coat under the arm, the other through his neck, just grazing the jugular vein. By this time Detective O'Keefe had got into action. He had left his revolver behind but on the ground floor he picked up a pick-axe handle. This he brought with all his strength down on his assailant's head and he went to the floor unconscious. The other man had not stayed to take part in the fight. Running up stairs he escaped while O'Keefe was attending to his wounded comrade. As the police know him he is expected soon to be in custody.

TAFT IS RULER TROOPS MOVING

WASHINGTON, Sept. 30.—American troops now are moving toward Cuba. Mobilization of the forces will be at Newport News, Va., for the most part, although a part of the expeditionary force will be sent from New York and Tampa, Fla. Advice to the government today indicates that all is quiet in Cuba and that the insurgents intend to lay down their arms. The probability is that United States' forces in the island will be landed only as a precautionary measure. The first American troops will be landed at Havana next Saturday. Meantime the marines and bluejackets from the Army and Navy are being sent to the island. How long intervention may continue it is impossible to forecast, but the nature of the intervention and the preparations for it indicate a supervision of Cuban affairs by the American government for an indefinite period. Arrangements have been concluded not only for the first expeditionary force of about 5,000 men, but for a second force of equal number. No orders for the mobilization of the second force have been issued, but if the men are needed all arrangements have been completed for hurrying them to Cuba.

THE POPULATION OF LONDON CITY

LONDON, Sept. 29.—In its annual volume of London Statistics, which is this year issued in a new and better form, the London County Council is looking ahead as far as 1910. By that time it is calculated that the population of Greater London will have exceeded seven and a half millions. It is to-day 7,118,000 which is half a million more than in 1901.

MEXICAN TOWN HELD BY BANDITS

HOUSTON, Texas, Sept. 29.—A special to the 'Chronicle' from Eagle Pass says that a telephone message, received there from Jimenez, thirty miles up the Rio Grande river, states that forty armed men, riding the town last night, placed the mayor, chief of police, treasurer, and other city officials in jail, and are now in control of the town. The telephone wires were cut before the message was finished. Government troops have arrived on a special train to-day, and are hastening to Jimenez. A courier, just arrived, says that the revolutionists and a force, from Ciudad Porfirio Diaz, clashed last night at Victoria, about five miles south from Jimenez, that one range was killed, and that the revolutionists left several dead. The revolutionists' left several dead. The revolutionists' left several dead. The revolutionists' left several dead.

REVELSTOKE IS WASHING AWAY

Factories and Homes Destroyed By the Columbia River Floods

WINNIPEG, Oct. 1.—(Special)—Despatches from Revelstoke B. C. say the Columbia River has washed away twenty-five acres of the town in the past two months and where once were flourishing fields, prosperous industries and many homes is now a rushing turbulent flood. The town which has a population of five thousand, is threatened with grave danger unless immediate steps are taken to prevent further destruction of the river bank.



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ANOTHER PLOT TO KILL CZAR

LONDON, Sept. 29.—A despatch to the Times from St. Petersburg says that another plot has been discovered at Peterhof against the life of the Czar. A mysterious lady was conveyed by a strong escort to the fortress of St. Peter and St. Paul on Wednesday night.

TEMPERANCE IN FRED'RICTON, N.B.

FRED'RICTON, N. B., Sept. 30.—The second of the series of temperance meetings was held at the City Hall this evening with Mayor McNally presiding. The speakers included Revs. J. H. McDonald, Willard McDonald, Eildout and McConnell. The hall was crowded. The mayor in his introduction spoke strongly in favor of a more rigid enforcement of the Scott Act. He was a temperance man in spite of some vituperations thrown out by some parties for political purposes. He said the way the Scott Act was at present enforced in the city was a reproach to its good name, and it was better if the act was repealed than to be enforced the way it is.

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MR. LEFURGEY AT THE COMMISSION

Tells the Story of Big Land Purchase in the West—An Interesting Letter in Evidence—Foster Wants to Be Heard But is Refused.

TORONTO, Oct. 1.—(Special)—At the insurance investigation today A. A. Lefurgey, M. P., Prince Edward Island, was called to the stand and told the story of how W. H. Bennett, M. P., Geo. W. Fowler, M. P., Rufus Pope, M. P. and himself while on a tour of the North West some years ago became seized of the idea to buy land as a speculation. Originally there were ten persons interested. Lands were bought from the C.P.R. and were ultimately sold to certain parties in Toronto. At the time the option was given he understood the parties purchasing were acting as individuals. The lands which were bought at \$3.00 per acre which he thought was too low. Mr. Lefurgey in reply to Mr. Shepley stated that the law was his profession but politics was his preference. The narrative given by Mr. Lefurgey was not full enough to satisfy Mr. Shepley who inquired when this visit to the west in which the idea originated was made. Mr. Lefurgey replied that it was in September 1902. There was a large party on the trip, it being the occasion when R. L. Borden, the Conservative leader made his political tour of the west. A letter from George W. Fowler to Lefurgey which was quoted by Mr. Shepley follows. "Dear Lefurgey: We have succeeded beyond our wildest hopes. We wired D. M. and he met us at train Toronto and took us to his office and gave us route so far as located. Of course under cover of strictest secrecy to keep it mum except to Borden, Bennett and myself. We expect to have a wealthy Englishman named Lister, head of Canada Chemical Company and Colonel Pellatt in combine with us. We have increased thing to 200,000 acres. On arriving here we interviewed Sir Thomas Shaughnessy and have every reason to expect most generous treatment as to terms and price. We went to arrange for meeting there when the party returns to Montreal. Tell Borden and Bennett about meeting. It will be necessary for at least two of us to go this fall and locate as it could not be done in spring and that is one of things that must be arranged at meeting. (Signed) George W. Fowler." Mr. Lefurgey M. P. said he was informed that Mr. Borden has not gone into the syndicate. Fowler's letter was the first he had known that Mann, of McKenzie and Mann referred to in the letter as "D. M.," was in the deal. He related at length the occurrence which led to a lawsuit against Fowler and Pope for retaining an unfair share of the profits. He said he was in ignorance of the amount of money paid by the Kamloops Co. until it was exposed before the Commission. Hon. George E. Foster was present and demanded a chance to explain, but Shepley told him his turn would come.

RUSSIAN TOWN DISORDERS IN RUSSIAN TOWN

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 29.—Grave agrarian disorders have broken out in the Province of Viatka, the centre of disturbances being the important district of Malmish, with a population of over 150,000, where the inhabitants of over 100 villages are reported to have joined in the uprising, and are pillaging and expelling the police and are pillaging and destroying the residences of the land owners and devastating the country. Details are difficult to obtain but it is rumored at Viatka that the administrative police chiefs in the Malmish district, and eight of their subordinates, have been killed. The excesses began Sept. 20, with a riot over the enrolment of army reserves for their autumn services. Disorders have also broken out in the adjoining district of Chistopol, in Kazan Province.

CHICAGO MARKETS

Table with market data for Chicago, Oct. 1 (Special). Columns include Dec. Corn, Wheat, Dec. Pork, May Wheat, June Corn. Prices listed in cents.

A TIMID RACE OF INDIANS

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—An American who has spent several years in the State of Chiapas, Mexico says the Carhes are the most primitive Indians in southern Mexico. Their clothing is made of dark fibre and bows and arrows are their only weapons. The bows are five feet or more in length, the arrows are well made and feathered with bright colored plumage. By means of arrows having a ring on them they manage to stun birds so as to take them alive, while fish are obtained by means of very long arrows barbed all the way. These people are timid and gentle, ranging out of their huts to hide if any stranger comes near. Few of them know any Spanish, and even those who know rarely visit a town, once in two or three years seeming to satisfy them. The Zapotecan Indians on the west coast seem in all respects the finest of all the tribes, and they certainly are the handsomest. When the girls of the tribe wish to show great courtesy or respect they reply to any question by singing the answer, using any note they wish.

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