

THE LAW UPHELD

Privy Council Sustains Manitoba Prohibition.

ALLAN LINE STEAMERS

Will Leave Portland and Run Only to Canadian Ports.

PROHIBITION ALL RIGHT.

LONDON, August 3.—(Special) to Patriot. The Judicial Committee of the Imperial Privy Council, has rendered judgment validating the Prohibition Legislation of the Manitoba Government.

WITH DRAWING FROM PORTLAND.

OTTAWA, August 3.—(Special).—The report that the Allan line has decided to withdraw its winter passenger service from Portland is officially corroborated.

The contract with the steamship company made last spring with the Dominion Government for the trans-Atlantic mail service stipulates, of course, that the sailings in winter shall be from a Canadian port.—St. John or Halifax.

ONLY CANADIAN PORTS.

The contract does not expire, until the spring of 1903, so that Canadians ports instead of the American port, will be the Atlantic terminus of the Allan's weekly service during the next two winter seasons.

Newest Latest Ladies' Vici Kid



Vassar Last—Goodyear process \$3.25. A beautiful walking shoe manufactured by Geo. A. Slater

GOFF BROS., Sole Agents.

WANTS, LOSTS, FOUND, ETC

FOR SALE.—(A bargain.) Two new sets of Colored Photo Stereoscopic Slides. A Tour through Scotland, Britain's Naval Might. Only 25c each. Apply to W. W. Box 41, Kensington, P. E. I.—52.

WANTED at once one coat maker, also a young man with a year of experience to work with a journey man. Apply to E. H. Fowler, Beckville, N. B. 8-5-01.

WANTED.—A good second-hand safe for sale at a bargain. E. Beattie, Auctioneer. 52

WANTED.—A boy to learn the Job Printing. Apply to Mitchell Bros., Cameron Block. 21f.

Good accommodations for permanent and transient boarders at Mrs. James A. Alley's, Queen St., two doors above Murray St. Home has all the modern improvements. 6d 11 p. d.

BOY WANTED.—A smart, steady boy 15 or 16 years of age, to wait on store. One with some experience preferred. Apply at this office. 17f.

WANTED.—At the P. E. I. Hospital a house maid. References required. 7-17 11f.

FOR SALE.—The North American Hotel centrally situated on Kent Street. Apply at this office.—10 11f.

WANTED.—Boy to drive delivery wagon and work in bakery. Must be at least 16, with fair education. Good recommendation. Apply to Stewart, Eclipse Bakery. 17 11f.

TO LET.—That conveniently situated house on the corner of Pownall and Water Street, present occupied by Mr. Hewitt, has all modern improvements. Possession given the first of May. 26 11f.

TO LET.—A three-story dwelling on Prince Street near Kindergarten Hall. This house has all modern conveniences. Apply to W. W. Wellner. 26 11f.

FOR SALE.—Shares Merchants Bank of P. E. I. stock R. H. Beer. 2 11f.

AGENTS WANTED.—To sell our Beer-Bits and Family Record Pictures. Our agents make from 200 to 500 a month, conveying their beautiful pieces of art. See your large ad every day in another part of this paper. Home Moving Mtg. Co., Chicago, Ill.

KRUGER WILLING

He Says to Buy Peace With Money.

MRS. KRUGER GOT PAY

Duke of Orleans' Contribution to Late Queen Victoria's Memorial.

KRUGER TALKS TO FIGARO.

PARIS August 3.—(Special)—In the course of an interview published in Figaro today Kruger said: "We have already once proposed peace directly to Great Britain and will not renew the proposition."

"All were willing to give for peace in money, if Great Britain asks it, and no price is too dear to obtain independence and the right to live as a free nation."

EX-PRESIDENT'S WIVES CARED FOR.

NEW YORK August 3.—(Special)—Baden Powell asserts that Mrs. Kruger after the President left South Africa and until her death had been in receipt of \$250 a month from the British Government and also had the use of a Government carriage and horses.

Mrs. Steyn was paid \$100 per month and had privileges of horses, etc.

DUKE OF ORLEANS IN BAD ODOR.

LONDON August 3.—(Special).—Much indignation is expressed over the Duke of Orleans' contribution of \$100 to the Queen's Memorial and several papers want the Lord Mayor to return it on account of the spirit in which the Duke took the caricatures of the late Queen in the Paris papers.

OTTAWA LADIES

To Present Duchess With Otter Cape

TRIMMED WITH ERMINE

Three Fishermen Drowned—Norwegian Steamer ashore in Nfld.

A CAPE FOR THE DUCHESS.

OTTAWA, August 3.—(Special).—The women of Ottawa have decided to present the Duchess of Cornwall during the visit here with an Otter Cape in a box of Canadian maple. The cape will be lined with cream satin and trimmed with ermine.

The sum required will be at least \$1,000. If more is subscribed the box will be more elaborate.

THREE FISHERMEN PROBABLY DROWNED.

QUEBEC, August 3.—(Special).—Simon Dion, who left here some time ago in a fishing schooner, reports that off Sable Island his brother and two or three other men left the vessel and never returned.

A heavy fog set in and it is feared that all were drowned.

NORWEGIAN STEAMER ASHORE.

ST. JOHN'S N. F. August 3.—(Special).—The Norwegian steamer Vera, from London for Quebec in ballast, went ashore on the rocks at Renevo last night, near the scene of the other disasters. The chances floating are good.

DEWEY'S IS THE BEST LINIMENT.

For Tourists

August Magazines, New Novels, Hammocks, Photographs of our pretty Island, Hand Painted Shells, Island Scenery, P. E. I. Crest Ware, Souvenir Booklets of the garden province of Canada. And all the new things in stationery.

HASZARD & MOORE.

MURDER MOST FOUL DONE TWO YEARS AGO

For Which O'Brien is Shortly to Suffer Death at Dawson City

THE DEED DONE ON CHRISTMAS DAY IN 1899

How The Crime Was Discovered—The Tent in the Wood Beside the Trail—Three Bodies Flung in the River—Tell-tale Buttons, Keys, Bloodstains and Cartridge Shells—Good Work of Mounted Police—Witness Brought 5,000 Miles—British Justice.

[Toronto Globe.]

A fortnight ago a despatch from The Globe's correspondent at Dawson City gave a graphic sketch of the close of the trial of the man O'Brien, charged with murder in the Yukon. Naturally it occupies a great deal of space in the Dawson City papers which have since come to hand. The News gives columns day after day to the evidence and speeches, and it may be said that the annals of justice have seldom revealed a more remarkable confirmation of the phrase that murder, though it hath no tongue, will speak with most miraculous organ. On Christmas morning, 1899, three men left a road-house on the Skaguay trail, known as Minto road-house. The next road-house was at Hutcheiku, and these they should have arrived that night, but they never turned up. Two of them, Clayton Relfe, had come thus far, 300 miles from Dawson, intending to spend the winter with their families in the States. The third, a man named Olsson belonged to Hutcheiku, where he was employed in connection with the telegraph lines. He had been sent out to repair the line, and, having done so, was returning to his post. He had made an engagement to be present at a Christmas dinner at Hutcheiku, for which Corporal Ryan, of the Mounted Police, had provided a rare treat in the Yukon, namely a turkey. There was considerable surprise when he failed to be on hand, and when he was still absent on December 31st his friend, the corporal, fearing that he had received some hurt in the performance of his duty, started down the line in hopes of coming to his aid, if he needed any.

Corporal Ryan had got down the trail a good many miles when his sharp eye observed the traces of a trail running away from the main travelled road, apparently into the bush. Snow had fallen upon it and the inexperienced eye would have detected nothing to distinguish it from the general expanse of the snow covered wilderness. But the constable espied two faint parallel depressions on the white surface, and he wondered what could have induced anybody to make such a departure from the main-travelled road. He determined to follow it, and it is due to this determination on his part that a black-hearted scoundrel now awaits his deserts in Dawson prison. Six hundred yards from the main road he found hidden in the dense scrub a tent. No one was about it, but it looked as if the owners might be back any moment. It had evidently been occupied by two persons, for there was a double bunk and a duplicate supply of the table utensils of the Yukon traveller. The constable waited over night, in the hope that the owners would turn up, but soon concluded that the place had been abandoned. He reported to his comrades, and Constable Pennycook and detective Maguire, also of the Mounted Police, were detailed to look into the matter.

The manner in which these men wrung her secrets from the bosom of the desert forms a really marvellous chapter in the records of crime. They spent weeks in the neighborhood of the private trail which had served as the key to the whole black mystery. They literally sifted the snow inch by inch, and from many a mute thing they read the ghastly story. They found the three patches of blood where the victims had given up their lives, not without a struggle on the part of Olsson at least. They found the discarded shells of the cartridges by which the deed had been done. They found a bonfire near the tent, in which their clothing had been burnt to prevent identification. But from the ashes were picked out buttons, buckles, etc. which were identified. Af-

ter the fire had cooled, the murderers had evidently gathered the larger articles that would not burn well, thrown them in to the surrounding scrub. But the patient officers found many of them—Clayton's Yale keys which were found to fit the drawers to which they belonged, an electric bell Olsson was known to wear, also his shirt and slippers.

It was evident that the men who had occupied that tent were the murderers, and it was equally evident that it had been erected there as the headquarters of murder, for its occupants had actually cut down 27 cotton trees so as to be enabled to see at a great distance anyone moving along the Dawson trail. From this fact they had seen the three men approaching on that Christmas morning and had walked forth and murdered them. The bodies were stripped and thrown into a part of the river where it was open, disappearing under the ice, to be discovered quietly and grim many months afterwards when the spring floods began their revelations.

But the others did not wait for this evidence to take action. In the abandoned tent was an ordinary Yukon stove, but an alteration had been made on it that singled it out from all others. That stove had been seen in the possession of two men named O'Brien and Graves. O'Brien had been in Dawson prison and had been a great deal up and down the river about that time. He was incarcerated at Tashih, a suspect, and the police gradually wove a net of circumstantial evidence about him that lacked nothing to make it absolutely complete. Articles belonging to the murdered men were found on him, and almost every step of his journeying before reaching and after leaving the scene of the crime was traced. Before December 25, 1899, he was in Dawson, and after that date he was in possession of a roll of bills and a pouch of nuggets, one of them being so remarkable as to be well known in Dawson, and also known to have been in possession of Olsson. Graves, the other man, seems to have utterly vanished, but it is suspected that O'Brien subsequently murdered the partner of his crime.

Sidon has the tirelessness and resourcefulness of British justice been more remarkable by a degree. Mr. Fred Wade, the Crown prosecutor, when the case was brought to his notice, appears to have determined that no trouble or expense should be spared in hunting down the murderers of these three unfortunate young men. The witness who had left Yukon was taken back 5,000 miles, although the narration of his story occupied but five minutes. Another witness was detained a year and a half at the expense of the Crown in order to secure his evidence. Mr. Wade, in his fine summing up of the evidence, spoke highly of the work of Officers Pennycook and Maguire, and of the police generally, but even their work would have been useless had it not been backed up by Mr. Wade's determination to bring the murderers to justice whatever the cost might be. The case is a notification to every law breaker that under the Union Jack crime will be as relentlessly suppressed in the outlands of civilization as it is at its heart, and that even the wilderness, with its interminable lengths of loneliness, can not hide the evil deed and the evil doer from the keen scrutiny of British law.

Lord Minto wired to Ottawa on Wednesday that he had signed the order permitting the law to take its course in the case of O'Brien. Radcliffe, the hangman, will start immediately for Dawson.

FULLER'S BLACKBERRY CORDIAL is a remedy for all Summer Complaints in Adults and Children—in use over twenty-five years and thoroughly reliable. At all dealers at 25 cents a bottle.

MR. SCOTT THE ONLY MINISTER. OTTAWA, August 1.—Hon. Mr. Scott is the only minister in town. There will not likely be any cabinet meeting for another fortnight.

TO HAVE BEAUTIFUL SKIN. Every one who would have a clear soft velvety skin free from pimples blackheads redness and disgusting eruptions must use Dr. Chase's Ointment it is a true food for the skin does not clog the pores as do powders and insures permanent benefit. There is not a single itching burning skin disease of men women or children that Dr. Chase's Ointment will not cure. Mothers find it invaluable for baby. Mothers would head and chaffing on the little ones.

HOOKE AND LADDER

Hose Reel and and Salvage Corps Teams

ARE OFF FOR HALIFAX

To Compete in Wednesday's Tournament—Hoping for Victory.

Three teams of forty-two men under Chief Herman representing the Firemen of Charlottetown, take their departure this morning by the Princess for Halifax, where they will take part in the Tournament of Wednesday and Thursday next. They will go forward from Pictou in a special car, and will be the first of the outside competitors to arrive on the scene of the contest. Though they will meet good men from the other Maritime cities the Charlottetown boys, if they have the fair fortune of previous years, and if the best wishes of their fellow-citizens are realized, will give a good account of themselves.

The Hose Reel Team is as follows:

- Thos. Ronaghan, (Capt.) E. Teed. E. Hearns. O. McEneaney. K. Drake. F. Trainor. R. Donahoe. J. Hannesey. Art. Vatcher. W. Teed. S. Morgan. A. Hannesey. B. McQuillan. J. Turner. F. Crahan.

The Hose Reel Company will be represented in the races open to Hose Reel men and also in the Wanderers' Electric Light Sports Thursday night by R. Donahoe, R. Drake, W. Teed and E. Teed.

The Hook and Ladder Company will be represented by the following team:

- J. Martin. D. Ferguson. J. Mahar. R. Wakefield. A. Anderson. L. Sellar. T. Howatt. L. Gaudet. H. Matheson.

The members of the Salvage Corps Team are:

- P. A. Duffy. L. B. Macmillan. J. Macmillan. A. G. Cameron. Les Adams. Walter Jones. Frank Creamer. C. Mitchell. J. A. Webster. H. L. Bethune. E. R. Large, (Capt. of Corps).

Owing to the illness of Mr. D. A. McKinnon, the captain elect of the team, and his consequent inability to compete with the team, Mr. L. B. Macmillan will act as captain of the Salvage Corps Team. The Salvage Corps will be represented in the running races at the Firemen's Sports and also in the Wanderers' Electric Light Sports by P. A. Duffy, "Toby" McMillan, F. Creamer, Les Adams and C. Mitchell. In the bicycle races the Corps will be represented by Arthur Cameron and Byron Brown.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

Chicago, August 3.—(Special).—The following are the closing rates: July, Wheat 67; Corn 56; Oats, 50; Pork \$14.17 1/2. Sept. Wheat, 66 1/2; Corn 57; Oats, 50; Pork, \$14.12 1/2.

DO NOT EXPERIMENT but get Fuller's Blackberry Cordial. Remember it has stood the test of long experience, a thoroughly reliable remedy for all Summer Complaints for Children and Adults, 25 cents at all dealers.

Saturday Trade At Gay's Market Stalls.

In order to give our customers and ourselves every advantage we have concluded until further notice to open our place of business at the market on Saturday from 9 a. m. to 10 p. m. This is only an experimental test to ascertain if sufficient business can be done to warrant the extra expense and time thus taken up. The advantage of this move is that should any one overlook supplying themselves with vegetables on Friday for Saturday, Sunday and Monday they will have every opportunity to do so on Saturday at our market stalls. J. J. Gay & Son 274, Est. Tue. & w.

VULGAR INSULT

To the British Flag at Rochester

CUT DOWN AND BURNED

Three Strikes Still on—Independence Leads the Columbla.

THREE STRIKES STILL UNSETTLED.

NEW YORK, Aug. 2.—(Special)—There is no settlement yet of the strikes at Chicago or San Francisco and at Pittsburg the steel conference failed to reach an agreement to-day and the conference is off.

THE BRITISH FLAG ABUSED.

ROCHESTER N. Y., August 3.—(Special).—John McBride of Adams Basin, Erie County, one of the delegates attending the annual parade of Western New York firemen at Albion County, became enraged at the British flag flying among the decorations on Main Street.

CUT DOWN AND BURNED.

As the company arrived under the flag McBride left the ranks, mounted the shoulders of companions and cut down the banner.

Just as the flag fell in the gutter the band played the "Star Spangled Banner" and intense enthusiasm prevailed. A match was applied and the flag burned.

THE COLUMBIA LEADING.

POINT JUDITH, August 3.—(Special).—The Columbia and Independence starting on the second race in the August series to-day. At last accounts the Columbia was leading.

HARD, RACKING COUGHS.

Harrow accidents, the person who get along with the least amount of cough will live the longest. Of course the right time when it is a simple thing for the right treatment to drive the cough quickly away. As a general thing, however, people spend too much time experimenting with various remedies that the cough is well under way before they know it. Then comes the long siege. You feel the hard, racking all through your system, and get relief for nothing. You fill your stomach with nauseating mixtures to no purpose. Then you use compounds containing narcotic, which deceive temporarily and leave you slightly worse. Some coughs of this kind hang on for weeks, or even months, and, of course, they frequently develop into serious lung trouble. A true specific for all coughs is "Jambon's Botanic Cough Balsam" and should be kept in the house against any emergency. With a cough that has become chronic the first effect of this remedy is a lessening of the dull sensation of pain which usually is felt with such a cough. Then you are conscious that the soreness is leaving you and presently the desire to cough grows less frequent. All this process is brought about by the healing properties of the Balsam. It is a compound of herbs and gums. It is a compound of 25 cents at any druggist's. Get the genuine with "P. W. Kinsman & Co." blown in the bottle.

1800 Boxes of Stationery -AT- 5c PER BOX. Each box contains 12 sheets of GOOD RULED NOTE PAPER, 12 ENVELOPES done up in a nice attractive box, just received. The price is only 5c each. The best value ever seen here. We have also better PAPERIES, at 10c up to 50c each. Our "DEVONSHIRE" NOTE PAPER and ENVELOPES. "F. W." is a fast seller. A large stock of WRITING and PLAIN, CRAM and WEAVER, now in stock. GEO. CARTER & CO IMPORTERS.

Building Lot For Sale. The subscriber offers for sale the valuable building lot on the corner of Queen and Cumberland Streets, Charlottetown. This lot is 22 x 100 feet and is situated in one of the most attractive parts of the city. It is situated for a public residence or for store and residence combined. For terms see, apply at Watchman Office, Charlottetown, or to Wm. H. Whelan, Washington, or to the printer, ROBERTA, ROBERTA, Kingston, P. E. I.