

FOREIGN OFFICE DOES NOT KNOW

The Result of Emperor's Meeting Beyond That In Was Very Cordial.

BERLIN, June 18—(Special)—The Foreign Office has not yet been advised on the results from a political standpoint of the meeting in the Gulf of Finland yesterday between Emperor William and Emperor Nicholas.

PILOT DROWNED IN SAINT JOHN

ST. JOHN, June 18—(Special)—John Martin, employed on a pilot boat here, was drowned today in the harbor.

CALLED THE CZAR INHUMAN BRUTE

LONDON, June 17—In the house of commons today, while Foreign Secretary Grey was answering questions concerning the approaching visit of the czar of Russia to England, Will Thorne, a socialist member of radical tendencies, interrupted Mr. Grey and created a scene.

CLOSING EXERCISES HELD LAST EVENING

Twice during the present week Charlottetown have been enabled to see what the students of the various city institutions are doing.

The program was well arranged, and being just long enough, and by no means overdone.

The costumes were most suitable to the occasion, and excited a good deal of favorable comment.

Those taking part were as follows: Miss M. Morisson—Ruth, the Glenner.

Miss L. Blanchard—Naomi, her Mother-in-law.

Miss J. Giroux—Orpha, Ruth's Sister-in-law.

Miss J. Turner—King of Moab.

Miss E. Noonan—Queen of Moab.

Miss A. Busby, J. McDonald, E. Kirk, F. Dalton, M. Adams—Ladies of Egion's Court.

Mrs. P. C. Moore—Zuleika, a Moabitish woman.

Miss R. Byrne, B. Blanchard, H. Moran—Israelitish women.

TRAIN WRECK PROVES FATAL

Engineer, Fireman, Mother and Babe Among the Victims. Second Wreck After.

FOND DU LAC, Wis., June 18—(Special)—Thos. McDonald, engineer, was killed, his fireman fatally hurt, and his mother and her babe so badly injured that they may die, in a wreck on the Chicago and North-western Railroad.

A passenger train from Menominee, Mich., ran into the wreck in the yards and was derailed.

LINER SAILS ON MAIDEN TRIP

LONDON, June 18—(Special)—The steamer Megantic of the White Star Dominion Line sailed from Liverpool for Montreal yesterday.

This is her maiden trip.

WINNIPEG FACTORY DESTROYED BY FIRE

WINNIPEG, June 17—Shortly before one o'clock this morning the factory of the Great West Saddlery Company, was discovered to be on fire in the fourth store.

The fire broke out in the fourth store, and the flames burst through the roof.

THE SECOND DRAFT STATION SHEET

WOODSTOCK, June 17—The second draft of the station sheet was completed tonight by the stationing committee of the Methodist conference.

Changes from the assignments as presented in the first draft were made in some of the parishes and those affected in Prince Edward Island now stand as follows:

Pownal—Rev. E. Stiles.

Vernon River—Rev. G. Orman.

Souris—Rev. W. E. Johnson.

A SAD ACCIDENT.

CHATHAM, N. B., June 18—A sad accident occurred last evening at Loggieville, resulting in the instantaneous death of the four year old son of Peter Savoy.

The young child ran into the street as a large sloop was passing.

Unknown to the driver the little fellow got between the wheels of the sloop and was knocked down and run over, the hind wheel crashing through his skull and down one side of the body.

Minard's Liniment used by Physician's

Condensed Advertisements

LOST, some days ago, gold, pearl earring, immediately reward by leaving at this office. 6-1943p.

BELL, ten complete, with substantial, well-fitted floor, made in sections. All in good repair. B. Carter & Co. 6-1943p.

LOST, at Upton Park, on 16th, a gentleman's silver opened faced watch. Finder rewarded by leaving at this office. 6-1942r19p.

WANTED, a teacher for Pisquid West School No. 217. Supplement \$15. Midsummer vacation. Apply to Robert Craig, Sec. of Trustees, Clarktown. 6-1948p.

WANTED a teacher for Winslow South School. Supplement \$35. Spring and fall vacation. Apply to the undersigned, John Diamond, Sec'y of Trustees, Trinity P. Office. 6-1943p.

A BIG MEXICAN OIL SYNDICATE

With Capital of Twenty-five Millions to Control Oil Trade There.

MEXICO CITY, June 18—(Special)—That the Mexican people intend to control the oil situation in this country is indicated by the formation of a \$25,000,000 company of which the Governor of the federal district is president.

The company has acquired all the concessions for the development, exportation and marketing of native crude and refined oils.

RUSSIANS FIRE ON BRITISH SHIP

LONDON, June 17—Neither the British Foreign Office on the Russian Embassy has issued a statement regarding the British steamer Woodbury being fired on by a Russian warship in the vicinity of Vainy.

The owners of the vessel, Whitfield and Company, of Newcastle, have received a telegram from Captain Robertson, dated Pndrikshaven, confirming the reports of the attack on his ship.

CUTTING TEETH AT 78

KINGSTON, June 17—Mrs. Warner, who is in her 78th year, it cutting her third set of teeth, which she has six new ones.

Mrs. Warner is a remarkable lady physically. She has not a grey hair in her head, and she has never used glasses.

WHEN SPECULATION BECOMES GAMBLING

NEW YORK, June 17—The report of the committee appointed by Governor Hughes to investigate speculation in securities and commodities and the organizations used in dealings therein had been made public.

The New York Stock, the Consolidated Stock, the Cotton, the Produce, the Coffee, the Mercantile, and the metal exchanges and the curb market were thoroughly investigated, and recommendations looking to improvement of existing conditions were made at length by the committee.

The most drastic finding is that affecting the mercantile and metal exchanges, as follows:

"Under present conditions we are of the opinion that the Mercantile and Metal Exchanges do actual harm to producers and consumers and that their charters should be repealed."

Concerning speculation in general, the committee declares that it may be wholly legitimate, pure gambling, or something partaking of the qualities of both; that in some form it is a necessary incident of productive operations; that it tends to steady prices, and that for the merchant or manufacturer the speculator performs a service which has the effect of insurance.

"In law," says the report, "speculation becomes gambling when trading which it involves does not lead, and is not intended to lead, to the actual passing from hand to hand of the property that is dealt in. The rules of all the exchanges forbidding gambling as defined by this opinion, but they make so easy a technical delivery of the property contracted for that the practical effect of much speculation in point of form legitimate, is not greatly different from that of gambling."

The committee makes no short dealing, but declares the tendency of such selling is to steady prices. It is recommended that the minimum margin should be 20 per cent., and strong disapproval is expressed of branch brokerage offices which supply liquor and resort to other improper means to induce speculation.

KIRBY-DINGEE.

ST. JOHN, June 17—Under a large bell of white lilacs at 9 o'clock yesterday morning Miss Sarah Rejecca Dingee and Dr. Wm. Kirby, of Hillsboro, were united in marriage at the bride's home in Gagetown by Rev. W. F. Kirby the groom's father, assisted by Rev. Henry Penna.

The house was decorated with white lilacs and ferns and the wedding march was played by Miss Grace Gilbert, of Gagetown.

The ceremony was performed in the presence of a large number of invited guests.

The bride was attired in white with a bridal veil and her travelling costume was navy blue. The bridesmaid was Miss May Kirby, sister of the groom and the best man was Allan Dingee brother of the bride.

WRIGHT BROS. THE AVIATORS

Honored in Native City of Dayton, Given Gold and Jewelled Medals.

DAYTON, O., June 18—(Special)—The nation and state and city in which they live today paid tribute to Wilbur and Orville Wright.

General James Allen, Chief Signal Officer of the army presented to the Wright Brothers the gold medals authorized by Congress.

At the same time were given them a diamond-studded medal bearing the official seal of the State of Ohio and another from Dayton, their native city.

A PETROLEUM WELL DISCOVERED

TORONTO, June 17—Workmen who were digging a drain at Lindsay this afternoon struck a flowing well of petroleum. They had great difficulty in turning the flow so as to continue work. The oil burned freely when tried.

THREE BEQUESTS TO ST. FRANCIS XAVIER

ANTIGONISH, June 17—A bequest in the will of the late Rev. Peter Piset, P. P., of Cheticamp, who died there recently, gives the sum of \$5,000 to St. Francis Xavier's college.

The Rev. J. J. Chisholm, who died here several days ago, left an equal sum of \$5,000 to the same institution.

By the will of John Francis Waters, M. A., LL. D., of Ottawa, who suddenly passed away on June 2nd, St. Francis Xavier receives his valuable library, amounting to over three thousand volumes.

IMPORTANT POINT IN RAILWAY LAW

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., June 17—The indictment yesterday of the Philadelphia and Reading Railway by the federal grand jury for allowing a lower freight rate than that published in the schedule on the commerce commission, raises an important question regarding what is to be legally recognized as the original points of shipment of commodities and merchandise imported from foreign ports.

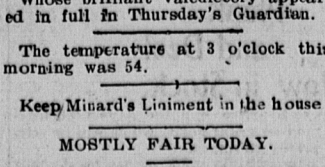
The proceedings, which were started by the government, constitute a test case of the point at issue.

A carload of beet sugar was imported from Hamburg, Germany, its destination being Alberta, Canada. No Canadian port was acceptable for the delivery of the sugar.

The shipment was sent to the Port of Philadelphia and was handled by the Reading part of the way to Alberta. The Reading's charges, it appeared, were but 55 cents per hundred weight, despite the schedule price of \$1.32, covering this class of freight.

The company contends that the shipment was not one which originated in this country and it does not come within the application of the scheduled rates of the interstate commerce commission.

The original point of shipment, according to the railroad, was in Hamburg, Germany. United States authorities aver that to all intents and purposes of the act, the carrying of the sugar by the defendant was an original shipment, the starting point being the local port and not Hamburg.



PETER F. HUGHES, Emerald.

Whose brilliant valedictory appeared in full in Thursday's Guardian.

The temperature at 3 o'clock this morning was 54.

GIRL WIFE WHO WANTS DIVORCE

Says Husband is Drunken, Cruel and Unfaithful. Decree Granted.

BOSTON, June 18—(Special)—Sarah Garland, a pretty and girlish wife, appeared today before Judge Bell asking for a divorce from her husband, alleging cruelty and abusive treatment.

She declared he continually drank to excess and at one time threw a lamp, shoes and dishes at her.

Then she moved to Nova Scotia where she says he had the habit of carrying to another woman the meals that she cooked and paid for.

She was given a decree nisi.

ST. JOHN'S \$50,000 EXHIBITION GRANT

OTTAWA, June 17—The government has formally appropriated for St. John the \$50,000 grant for the next national exposition, which will be held in that city next year. In 1911 she grant will go to Regina.

TRIBUTE TO MR. JUSTICE LANDRY

MEMBRAMCOOK, N. B., June 18—During the exercises at the closing of St. Josephs College here yesterday afternoon Rev. Father Guertin, Superior of the college, rose and said: "We are proud that Mr. Justice Landry against whom some insinuations have been made by politicians is the President of our alumni."

He wished to state publicly and emphatically that that honorable gentleman was far above these insinuations."

STIRRING ADDRESS OF FAREWELL

BRADALBANE, June 16—A very pleasant evening was spent in the Lodge room at Bradalbane on the 14th inst. when a large number of the citizens of this town assembled to bid farewell to Mr. Campbell prior to his departure for Alberton.

The program consisted of speeches, songs and instrumental music by various members of the order, after which the following address was read, to which Bro. Campbell replied in a very able manner expressing his sorrow in parting with the kind and generous hearted people of the neighborhood, at the same time reviewing with great pleasure the progress of the town since his departure.

The address was signed on behalf of the lodges by J. D. Biggar, Calvin McKay, Robert McKenzie, Cassie McKinlay, Lizzie Biggar and Mrs. Hugh McInure who has been forwarded to Neil Campbell of Bradalbane:

"We the members of Calvin L.O.L. No. 1121, and Clark Wallace Lodge, L.T.B., having learned of your intended departure from our midst, to another field of labor, have gathered here this evening to say farewell, and to express in some manner our feelings of regret in your leaving to sever your connection with the brethren of these associations."

While we deeply regret the loss we are sustaining, we are pleased to know that your new appointment will be more satisfactory to you.

While in our midst you have made many new friends, both in the lodge room, and community, and with those who had the pleasure of your acquaintance.

Your untiring efforts to advance the civil, and progressive interests of this village and surroundings, have made every motive successful, and we have only to point with pride and delight to the manner in which you have implicated your arduous duties among us, and we realize your new friends will always find you capable of discharging any duties in which you may be connected.

"We feel we cannot express, nor can mere words or actions repay you for the many kind acts and obligations you have given us, not only as a member of these associations, but from every brotherly standpoint you so nobly withhold—we will be reminded with pleasure of your record of nearly fourteen years of faithful service in this portion of P.E.I., and will always remember, that you have been faithful and efficient, in every particular to fill your responsible and faithful duties, connected in your work, and with the same energy and faithfulness as such as has marked your career here.

We all unitedly join in wishing you God-speed in your work, in another part of this little island and you have our united wish, of enjoying health, and prosperity to you and your family, in your new home. We trust that your keen interest in the Orange and True Blue Associations, will never grow less, and that we shall at intervals, have the fond pleasure of welcoming you again in our meetings; and now as we bid farewell we hope you will be reminded with those few words of the high esteem, in which you are held and honored by the members of Calvin L.O.L. No. 1121, and Clark Wallace L.T.B. combined.

LORNA DOONE AGAIN LOADED

In Boston With Supplies for Dr. Grenfell's Mission on Labrador Coast.

BOSTON, June 18—(Special)—Dr. Grenfell's famous missionary schooner "Lorna Doone" was towed down the harbor yesterday afternoon to start on her voyage north with supplies for Newfoundland and Labrador.

SNOWFALL IN NEW YORK STATE

MALONE, N. Y., June 18—(Special)—A snow-furly in mid June was the novel experience of the residents of Franklin County today. Snow continued to fall for only a short time and disappeared as fast as it fell.

MONTH'S RECORD INDUSTRIAL BUSINESS

OTTAWA, June 17—During the month of May, 93 fatalities occurred to workmen in Canadian industrial pursuits, and 185 were seriously injured. During the month there were fifteen trade disputes in existence, an increase of two as compared with May last year.

About 32 firms and 4,259 employees were affected, and the loss of time in working days was approximately 96,375, as compared with 127,425 in May 1908.

GUESTS OF DUKE OF DEVONSHIRE

MONTREAL, June 17—A special London cable says: The Imperial Press Conference today, were taken by motor car from Sheffield to Manchester through the Peak district. They were entertained at luncheon at Chatsworth as the guests of the Duke and Duchess of Devonshire.

Tonight they will be entertained at dinner by the directors of the ship canal at Manchester.

Last night the delegates were entertained at dinner by the Lord Mayor of Sheffield, J. W. Dudgeon, editor-in-chief of the Manitoba Free Press, of Winnipeg, responding to the toast Our Guests, said that the conference would have important results because all the public men in England who had spoken under the responsibility of the view of imperial development which was held strongly throughout the colonies. That opinion was that the strength of the empire was the strength of the national feeling of the colonies themselves.

Professing himself a man of peace and stating that though the delegates as newspaper men ought to recognize that they should do nothing to disturb the peace of the world, still he would say that, if an Armageddon should come there need be no question that the dominions overseas would fight side by side with those of the homeland.

ALLEGED SLAYERS OF ANNIE MULLINS

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., June 17—Pleas of not guilty were entered by Peter Delorey, of Somerville, and James Mantir, alias Dionisios Spiropoulos, of Manchester (N. H.), when they were arraigned before Judge Frederick Lawton in the superior court late today on indictments charging them with the murder of Annie Mullins, a Cambridge domestic in Arlington on March 27, 1908.

Counsel for both men then made motions to quash the indictments on the ground that they were vague. Judge Lawton took the motions under advisement.

The body of Annie Mullins was found in a field in Arlington, near the Cambridge line, on the morning of March 28, 1908. While several suspects were arrested, all were later released and no tangible clue was discovered until April 2 of this year, when Delorey and Mantir were arrested, following Delorey's alleged statement to the police that he was with Mantir and the Mullins girl on the night of her death and that Mantir killed her. Delorey is 18 years of age and Mantir is 20.

COMPLIMENTARY MESSAGE SENT.

MONTREAL, June 18—The Ogilvie Flour Mills Co., Ltd., received the following cable today from Lord Roberts: "Heartiest congratulations on splendid example you have shown to employers."

SAD DROWNING ACCIDENT.

WELCOME RAIN PUTS OUT FIRES

Northern Maine Had Plentiful Showers That Relieve the General Concern.

PRESQUE ISLE, Me., June 18—(Special)—A torrential rain early today brought to an abrupt halt the ravages of the forest fires.

The high south wind of yesterday had installed new life into the smouldering embers and caused much anxiety among residents who feared that the district would again be swept.

LIGHTNING HIT LUMBER CAMP

PETERBORO, June 18—(Special)—The lumber camp of John Winters, near Tweed, was struck by lightning and that the men sleeping in the shanty escaped with their lives in little short of a miracle.

AGED LADY HAS DISAPPEARED

PORTAGE, June 18—On Tuesday morning last Mrs. James Rafferty, an aged lady of about eighty-five left her home at Portage, and has not been seen since.

Mrs. Rafferty was formerly Miss Ellen Lockwood of Portage. She has no family and her husband, James Rafferty, is living. No one knew that the lady had left home and no person can recollect seeing her on that day. It is supposed that Mrs. Rafferty left for the settlement, which is at some distance from her home, and in attempting to take a short cut through the woods, which at this place is very dense, and through which are several crossroads she lost her way, and being so old and feeble she may have succumbed to exposure and exhaustion.

Since the woman was reported missing large searching parties have been sent out in all directions but no trace of her can be found.

BATTLE OF BUNKER HILL YESTERDAY

BOSTON, June 17—The maimed and injured in the re-fought battle of Bunker Hill today, came near rivaling, if not exceeding that of the actual battle of 134 years ago, even as the uproar of the early morning hours was comparable with the din of musketry and shouts of foe-men in the heroic contest.

Fifty-five wounded were treated at the hospitals of Boston up to an early hour in the evening, an even greater number had been attended by physicians and others at their homes. Fortunately there were no serious injuries.

Charleston's great day closed tonight with an electric pageant which far exceeded in beauty and elaborateness any previous exhibition of the kind. A dozen or more floats, bearing the leading beauties of the city arrayed in fantastic costumes, passed through the main streets of Charleston over the electric car tracks during three hours of the evening.

The pageant was emblematical of the "genius of the world" and the floats in turn represented the brilliancy and lustre of the diamond, ruby, emerald, garnet, amethyst and kindred precious stones. Miss Hattie Turnbull, as last year, was the queen of the carnival and rode on a dais in the diamond float. It was estimated that fully 100,000 people witnessed the display.

Two big parades had previously moved about the city. In the afternoon parade were a thousand sailors from the battle-ships at the navy yard with companies, Spanish war veterans and representatives from civic organizations.

The city was aflame with bunting and flags and religious, social and fraternal organizations generally kept open house from early morning to midnight.

ITALY FOR FOR PEACE; WAR MEANS RUIN

ROME, June 17—The Austrian papers still attribute Italy's new military expenditure to aggressive purposes and consider Signor Fortis, formerly Prime Minister, as the exponent of the party desiring war with Austria. Signor Fortis dispelled that impression today in a speech in the town of which he is Deputy. Signor Fortis said: "The present political situation cannot be judged lightly, for even in Europe the present is uncertain. We may trust in peace, which is not only our justification for the development of the happiness of our people. We would ruin our hopes by war and would have to weep for years. We do not want war; we are faithful to the religion of peace, which civilization has rendered sacred."

FIRE IN NEW BRUNSWICK

NEWCASTLE, June 18—Fire started up this afternoon at one o'clock, back of Emaley Mullins, Red Bank. The wind was blowing on the houses and the whole village was in danger for some time.