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IT WILL NOT PASS AT LEAST NOT IN ITS PRESENT SHAPE.

This is the Conclusion of W. T. Stead in regard to the Irish Council Bill—Treatment of the Irish People.

Montreal, May 9.—W. T. Stead, the famous peace envoy, is here, to-day, and will address the Canadian Club this evening. The noted journalist talked freely about a number of matters at present in the public eye and with reference to the new Irish Council Bill, recently introduced in the British House of Commons by Mr. Birrell, he hazarded the view that it would never become a law, at least nothing like it is in its present shape. The House of Lords, he said, would not pass it. He had talked the matter over with Mr. Balfour before he left England, and in the course of his remarks to that statesman pointed out that the bill was practically at the unshionist leader's mercy, in view of the fact that he had the House of Lords behind him. When the lords would kill a bill like the education bill, which had the popular will to support it, it was not likely that the lords would balk at a bill like the new Irish one. The trouble with Ireland, he said, was that it was ruled by the House of Lords, while England was ruled by the commonsense. If the English were treated like the Irish they would burn the House of Lords from over their heads. The Irish could not do that, but instead could only hoot the agents of the lords.

WOULD LIKE TO KNOW.

Information Needed As to Smeiter By-Laws.

Kingston, May 9.—(To the Editor): I see by the newspapers that a by-law is to be voted upon by the taxpayers of Kingston, on the 28th of the present month, and I think we should have some more light on the matter before putting any greater burden on the people's shoulders. So far corporations have got the advantage of the people of Kingston, in every deal between them. Why not call a public meeting and get the consensus of opinion on so important a matter before making another blunder such as the street car deal?

Where is the Canadian labor party now? It is about time it got a move on. It entered the political arena with a great flourish of trumpets and declared it was the workers' champion. Why stand so idly now when important public questions are coming up? By all means let us hear from it, and like the knights of old, come out and break a lance in the interests of the cause it has so willingly espoused.

VICTIM OF A CORPORATION.

The funeral of the late Charles Lyons, on Wednesday morning, was attended by a large and respectable number of citizens to St. Mary's cathedral, where a solemn requiem mass was sung by Rev. Father McWilliam, assisted by Rev. Father McDonnell, as deacon, and Rev. Father Carey, as sub-deacon. The full choir was in attendance, the Misses being rendered by Rev. Father M. McDonald, of Portmouth, the C.M.B.A., of which deceased was a member, attended in a body. Mr. Lyons was a man of sterling qualities, upright and fearless, simple and direct as a child, generous to a fault, in short one of nature's noblemen. His kindly way and ever present smile enhanced a personality all too scarce in this earthly sphere. The poor and the needy were never forgotten by him and many will miss the man with qualities of mind and heart which always shine forth in every walk of life. The remains were interred in St. Mary's cemetery, the pallbearers being Messrs. John Hickey, James Byrne, A. Hanley, P. O'Connor, John Oldin, and James Daley.

At The Grand.

"Uncle Josh Sprucey" is a comedy drama that is a true blending of the funny and the serious, just as represented by the lives of some persons. The story is dramatic for the reason that it is filled with stage surprises at the same time it is a simple story because it deals with only simple people. While not claiming to be a homey story, it is at the same time true to life, the comedy being comedy, and the heart interest is of more than ordinary pathos. By many of our best critics it has been compared to "The Old Homestead" and not without reason. We see all the beauty and freshness of the green fields, and almost imagine we inhale the fragrance of the new mown hay as we gaze with admiring eyes on the elegant stage settings. "Uncle Josh Sprucey" will be at The Grand on Saturday, May 11th, matinee and night.

Another Gasoline Yacht.

The latest citizen to join the ranks of the gasoline yachtmanship is Michael Sullivan, government works contractor, who is having a fine thirty-footer built here. It will be elaborately furnished, and be one of the very best in these waters. John Tweedell is commodore of the fleet to which Mr. Sullivan's craft will be attached. Mr. Tweedell is having his flagship launched this week.

After The Champion.

Indications point towards the fact that Willey will not be able to retain his title as pool champion without defending it in the near future. A number of local sports interested in the game are trying to arrange another series of games for the near future.

A Short Hay Crop.

Farmers residing on Wolfe Island are responsible for saying that the hay on Wolfe Island, this year, will not equal that of last. Little more than half a crop is expected in most localities. Horsemen will have to pay dear for hay next winter.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Premier Deakin are to be admitted as honorary members of Gray's Inn. There are only four honorary members living.

SIX DAYS ADRIPT

TWO FISHERMEN IN AN OPEN BOAT RESCUED.

They Had Been Without Food or Water For Most of the Time, and Were Almost in a Dying Condition.

Halifax, May 9.—Six days and five nights adrift in a tiny craft in mid-ocean, without food or water, David A. Steele, of Boston, and Columbus McPhee, of Prince Edward Island, two of the crew of the American fishing schooner Mystery, were rescued from the jaws of death by the Canada-Mexico liner, Boras, Capt. Pierre, which arrived in port, yesterday, from Mexican ports.

At 1.30 o'clock on Monday morning last, in latitude 42.10 north, longitude 68.10 west, the officer in charge heard a cry from out of the darkness, which at first he took to be from a seal. It was repeated several times, and the man on the lookout reported that he thought it was a human voice. The night was intensely dark and choppy sea prevailed. Capt. Pierre was called, and the ship's course changed, and she was headed in the direction from which the sound came. The cry for help was then heard distinctly, and the ship soon after ran close to a fisherman's dory, in which were the two men. The men in the boat were in an almost helpless state, only one being able to move with assistance, and the other, being helpless, was tenderly carried from the boat to the steamer's deck, the dory being allowed to drift away. They had got astray from their vessel six days previous during a fog. They had been without food or water almost the entire time, and had about given up hope of rescue.

FIVE DOLLARS A WORD.

For Part of a Letter By Robert Burns.

Some of the prices obtained recently at Sotheby's for items in the library of the late George Gray, formerly the town clerk of Rutherglen, were phenomenally high. For instance, the fragment of a Burns' letter, consisting of the words, "I am interested; please transmit the enclosed by a careful hand"—Yours, Robert Burns," was valued at £16, or over £1 a word. The beginning of the letter belongs to Pierpont Morgan, but a Mr. Day was the buyer yesterday, and it is said that the fragment is to remain in the old country. Mr. Day gave £14 for a fine Burns' letter addressed to John Ballantyne, 1787, describing a Masonic meeting at which the poet was toasted; a cut-down and rebound copy of the Kilmarnock Burns, 1786, fetched £200—£40 more than ever before; and the autograph of "O'er the Moor," twenty-one words, £11.

GARMENTS ON FIRE.

A Little Child Playing With Matches.

Frederick Jackson, a young man just home from a G.T.P. survey, saved a child's life this Thursday forenoon, but had his hands badly burned in the rescue.

Little Lillian Butlin, daughter of William Butlin, Dufferin street, during the absence of her aunt, down town shopping, got hold of matches and was intent on playing with them. The child, four years old, ignited her dress while using the matches and was soon in a blaze. The little one ran towards the foot of the stairs, when she blazed attracted Mr. Jackson's attention, and he hastened to ascertain the cause. He quickly tore the burning garments off and saved the life of the little one. Dr. Robert Hanley was quickly called and gave as much relief as possible. The child's face was very badly burned. Mr. Jackson's hand is also injured through his brave work.

STANDARD STOCK EXCHANGE.

Reported From 18 Market Street, Kingston, Ont.

Kingston, May 9th. 1 p.m.		
McKinley	1.60	1.50
Cowans	1.40	1.30
C.P.R.	1.77	1.76 1/2
Twin City		.95
Poster	At \$ 1.354	
Peteron Lake	.44	
Trinity	.41	
Nipissing	14.50	
Abitibi	.18	
Green Mtns.	.22	
Silver Queen	1.49	
Silver Lead	.131	

Among The Islands.

The annual convention of the New York State Bankers' Association will be held at Hotel Frontenac, Thousand Islands, on June 27th and 28th.

Anna Corbin has leased the Murray Hill hotel at Murray Hill, to I. N. Chase and H. E. Bissell, Amherst, N.H. This popular resort will be opened the latter part of June.

At his home in Fisher's Landing, on May 3rd, occurred the death of Henry Robbins, aged seventy-two years. Deceased was born in Clayton, N.Y., and spent his whole life on the St. Lawrence river.

St. H. Vandergrift, New York, who owns the handsome summer home at Long Rock Island, has presented the Clayton fire department with a fine steam whistle with which to sound alarms, so that there may be no misunderstanding in the nature of fire alarms.

The Scheme That Failed.

A report comes from Kansas that a thirty broom manufacturer has made an attempt to collect old brooms, rags and use them again. The women to whom the half-new brooms were offered rejected them. They insisted on bright, new handles. There are many of these, and sell for about \$27 a thousand.

Baseball Record.

Eastern League—At Toronto, 5; Buffalo, 7. At Baltimore, 0; Jersey City, 3. At Providence, 3; Newark, 0. American League—At Chicago, 5; Cleveland, 7. National League—At Boston, 6; Cincinnati, 0. At Philadelphia, 4; St. Louis, 6. At New York, 4; Pittsburgh, 0. At Brooklyn, 4; Chicago, 1.



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