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The Canada Cup trial yacht Adele left port for Toronto this morning. Oldcleve & Co., finished rigging her for the journey late last night.

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THE 5 P.M. EDITION

COMMERCIAL MATTERS.

What is Going On In the Business World—The Markets.

Last year the assessment of New Liskeard was $291,853. This year it is $1,128,909.

The Algoma Steel company will build a $1,000,000 blast furnace at Sault Ste Marie.

The Owen Sound Dredging company, of Owen Sound, has been awarded the contract for dredging at Victoria Harbor.

The J. J. Turner Co., Peterborough, recently filled an order for 1,000 life belts for a navigation company at Gravenhurst.

The property-owners of Norwood, Ont., have, by a majority of 53, carried a by-law to raise $10,000 for cement walks and to improve the Town Hall.

The consumption of cotton goods throughout the country the past year has been phenomenal, and every wholesale dry goods house in the dominion has found difficulty in supplying its customers.

A company has been formed at Oshawa by Mr. Noxon to be known as the City Gas Co. of Oshawa. It has a staff of men at work laying mains on the streets, and also a force at work getting the works in order, expecting to have gas in the mains by the first week in July.

The ratepayers of Marmora village will vote on a by-law to grant a free site and exemption from taxes for ten years to Messrs. John Haynes and Co., to start a factory to manufacture barrel staves, hopes and headings. The company is to employ not less than twenty hands and to operate the factory not less than nine months in the year.

Cheese Sales.

Listowel, 235 boxes, at 12½c.
Perth, 900, at 12⅞c.
London, 792, at 12c.
Brockville, 180, at 12⅛c.
Belleville, 1,730, at 12⅛c. to 12 3-16c.
Cowansville, Que., 630, at 12⅛c. to 12⅛c.
Vankleek Hill, 500, at 12 3-16c.
Cornwall, 1,000 at 12⅛c. to 12 9-16c.
Russell, 300, at 12⅛c.
Winchester, 703, at 12⅛c. to 12 5-16c.

The Late Mrs. D. C. McLean.

Mrs. D. C. McLean, one of Pittsburg's best known and most respected residents, died at her home, near Zion on May 30th. Her maiden name was Agnes Ritchie. She was born in the township of Storrington, sixty-six years ago. She was a sister of A. Ritchie of this city, and of George Ritchie, Toronto, and Mrs. E. W. Silver, Huntsville, and Thomas and Sarah in the west. She was mother of twelve children, eleven of which survive her, seven sons and four daughters. She was a woman of kindly disposition, who will be very much missed by a large circle of friends. Her remains were placed in the Cataraqui vault on Saturday, June 1st.

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THE AGREEMENT

EXTENSION OF SCOPE BETWEEN TWO POWERS

Alliance Against Russia—Japan to Assist Britain in Event of British Control of India Being Attacked.

London, June 4.—I am informed that very important negotiations have recently taken place in London between Prince Fushimi and Admiral Yamamoro, representing Japan, and Sir Edward Grey, of the British foreign office, wires a New York correspondent to his paper. The purpose of the negotiations is to arrange an extension of the scope of the Anglo-Japanese agreement, so as to provide that Japan shall be bound to assist Great Britain in the event that British control of India is attacked by any other power.

Japan, I am told, does not contemplate sending an army to India to support her ally in case the latter should be in trouble. Her undertaking would be to support Great Britain in India against any power with the full strength of the Japanese navy. I am unable to state precisely to what stage the negotiations between Japanese representatives and the foreign office have been advanced, but my understanding is that a complete agreement has been drafted for submission to the Japanese government. What Japan would get in return for what she gave my informant was unable to state, but he suggested that for one thing it might be agreed that this country should do everything possible to help Japan to maintain her financial standing here and elsewhere.

Of course the only power that is likely to interfere with the British control of India is Russia, so the proposed agreement between Japan and Great Britain must be regarded as in the nature of an alliance against Russia. That being the case it seems extraordinary that such an alliance is contemplated at a time when Japan is concluding a treaty with Russia in accordance with the Portsmouth protocol, and Great Britain is negotiating with Russia for an entente similar to that she has with France. When I suggested this to my informant, his reply was that the intention of Japan and Great Britain was to keep the negotiations in which Prince Fushimi figured a secret; in fact to negotiate a secret treaty.

PRETTY JUNE WEDDING.

The Marriage of Miss Stella Staley and Samuel Brooks.

Tuesday morning at 8.30 o'clock, St. Mary's cathedral was the scene of a very pretty wedding, the contracting parties being Miss Stella, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Staley, Barrie street, and Samuel Brooks, a popular young man of this city. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. A. Staley, C.S.B., of St. Michael's College, Toronto, assisted by Rev. Louis E. Staley, of Smith's Falls, both brothers of the bride, and Rev. Father Keeney, of this city, as deacon and sub-deacon respectively. The bride was attended by Miss Helena Killoran, of Tamworth, Ont., a former classmate of the bride at St. Joseph's Convent, Toronto, Edward Connolly, of Perth, acting as best man. The choir, under the direction of Prof. Milner, rendered beautiful and impressive music, in the chant of the nuptial mass. Miss Lillian Lyons sang very beautifully, the "Ave Maria," which, with the assistance of Prof. Walker's talent on the violin, was fine. The bride was attired in white chiffon, and wore a white hat, and the bridesmaid was also dressed in white chiffon. The bride was the recipient of many beautiful and costly presents. Her travelling suit was blue, with hat to match. The newly married couple left on the Cape boat for Syracuse, Albany, and other places in New York state, and upon their return, they will take up their residence at 133 Stuart street.

After the ceremony a wedding breakfast was held at the home of the bride's parents, 170 Barrie street.

Live Stock Market.

Montreal, June 3.—About 650 head of butchers' cattle, 2,188 hogs, 122 calves and 50 sheep and lambs were offered for sale at the Point St. Charles stockyards this forenoon, and the offerings at the East End Abattoir were about 300 butchers' cattle, 80 milch cows, 350 calves, 250 sheep and lambs and 150 fat hogs. The prices of cattle have advanced nearly another quarter of a cent per lb., prime beeves selling at from 5⅞c. to 6¼c.; pretty good cattle, 4¾c. to 5¼c., and the common stock, 3½c. to 4¼c. per lb., while the milkmen's strippers brought from 3⅞c. to over 5c. per lb. Milch cows sold at from $25 to $55 each, most of the sales being from $35 to $45. Calves sold at from $2.50 to $10 each. Sheep sold at from 4¼c. to 5¼c. per lb. Lambs at $3.50 to $6 each. Good lots of fat hogs sold at about 7¼c. per lb.

F. Conway, superintendent of the K. & P. railway, left for Toronto, last night, to attend a meeting of the passenger agents, and the banquet, to be given in the new railway building there.

Patrick Fannon, the well-known carter, who fell and had his right arm broken, is able to be around again. He was confined to the Hotel Dieu for two weeks.

Arthur Ingham, organist of St. George's cathedral in 1897, for a short time, died suddenly in Toronto, on Monday, from pneumonia and collapse.

D. Sheperd, Pembroke, has secured the contract for supplying the military camp at Petawawa with fresh meat.

The Mackie estate, Pembroke, has purchased the handware business of David Purvis, North Bay.

A. Gravelle, of Calgary, a former Kingstonian, is visiting at his home in this city.

H. Leslie, Montreal street, left last night for "Craigie Lea," for the summer months.

D. T. Rowe came down from Bath, this morning, returning this afternoon.

S. W. Tripp, Picton, spent to-day in the city.

CITY AND VICINITY.

Will Have Guard Of Honor.

Col. Gordon has received orders from Ottawa to provide a guard of honor during the visit of Prince Fushimi, on June 11th, to Kingston. The guard will be made up of men from the 14th P.W.O. Rifles Regiment; it is also hoped that the cadets of the Royal Military College will form another guard of honor.

The Lay Association.

The lay association of the Montreal Methodist conference has elected the following officers: President, John Cunningham, Montreal; vice-president, H. W. Mix, Otthwa; secretary, J. H. Carson, Montreal; executive committee, J. Trenaman, Prescott; S. A. Wright, Kemptville; W. H. Lambly, Inverness; R. Booth, Pembroke; T. F. Harrison, Kingston.

All The Dog's Fault.

A stray dog, on Princess street, caused the downfall of a young lad, riding a wheel last night. Just as he was about to turn around a corner, the canine ran out in front of him, there was a smash—and the young bicyclist turned a somersault, and landed on his back, on the roadway. He suffered a severe shaking up, but received no serious injuries. When remounting his wheel he had many uncomplimentary things to say about dogs and nuisances.

Mapping Out Camp Ground.

Yesterday, Lieut.-Col. Hemming C.S.O., was over on Barriefield Heights mapping out the ground for the coming military camp. The locations will be about the same as before, but the cavalry will occupy a place in line with the regiments, instead of across the road. The composite city regiment from Kingston, Belleville and Peterboro will likely occupy the roadside position on the right side going down. The camp ground is better drained this year than previously.

Banquet To Hon. R. P. Roblin.

A grand demonstration and banquet will be given in Picton, by the people of Prince Edward on Wednesday, 12th June, to the Hon. R. P. Roblin, premier of Manitoba, a Prince Edward boy, who has won the highest honors in the gift of the people of his adopted province. Picton will be in holiday attire and during the afternoon, a grand parade, addresses, sports and games will take place, while in the evening, a sumptuous banquet will be given. We cordially invite all our friends of the Bay District to come and join with us in celebrating this occasion.

A Cow Badly Treated.

A complaint has been made to the Humane Society officer regarding injuries inflicted on a cow last Thursday afternoon by the depot street car. The animal is owned by Thomas Hogan, Montreal street, and was walking on the track when the car struck it. Its owner claims that the car could easily have been stopped. Instead, it was allowed to proceed till it struck the cow and pushed it forty feet along the track, cutting and otherwise injuring it severely. No doubt the Humane Society will look into the matter, and determine whether the case is one of personal cruelty, or whether the street railway company is liable for the injuries inflicted.

Elected Its Officers.

The annual meeting of the Thousand Island Steamboat company was held, Monday afternoon, at Cape Vincent, the following officers being elected for the ensuing year: President, M. H. Folger; vice-president and general manager, H. S. Folger; secretary-treasurer, George Bawden; directors, Messrs. M. H. Folger, H. A. Folger and George Bawden, of Kingston; M. E. Lee, of Cape Vincent, and S. R. Barker, of Clayton.

This morning the shareholders of the St. Lawrence River Steamboat company were called together in Kingston for their annual gathering. The balloting for officials of this organization resulted as follows: President, M. H. Folger; vice-president and general manager, H. S. Folger; secretary-treasurer, George Bawden; directors, Messrs. M. H. Folger, H. S. Folger, B. W. Folger, J. L. Whiting, and George Bawden, all of this city.

LIQUOR COMMISSIONERS

Urged to Grant a License to the Bowen House.

The liquor license commissioners met last evening. Inspector Wright reported that the Anglo-American, Iroquois, Queen's and Exchange hotels, which had been granted a month's extension pending repairs, had fulfilled the requirements, and accordingly their licenses werae renewed till May 1st, 1908.

The commissioners received a petition signed by a large number of citizens on behalf of James Adams, asking that their decision to not grant a license to the Bowen House after August 1st, be reconsidered and the place be continued as a licensed house. The petition was signed largely by conservatives, among whom was S. Anglin, who with William Mundell, lawyer, appeared before the commissioners to urge the granting of the petition. The commissioners promised to give the matter their careful consideration.

Mr. Adams has for years kept one of the best regulated drinking houses in the province. No complaint was ever made concerning it, and when strong conservatives and temperance men like Mr. Anglin rise in protest against the action of the license commissioners in closing up the Bowen House, and granting licenses to houses that have violated the law, the recent action of the commissioners must be regarded as most unpopular and decidedly wrong. There are other places that could be cut off instead of the well-conducted house of James Adams. It is to be hoped that the commissioners will follow public opinion by changing their decision, renewing the license of the Bowen House, and cutting off some less deserving place.

"Tom" Marks, of Marks Bros.' Dramatic company, will leave shortly on a visit to the Similkameen and Okanagan valleys, in British Columbia, where he will invest in fruit lands.

CLOSING A STREET

A SUBSTITUTE ASKED FOR RIVER STREET

So That Residents May Have Access to the Water—The City Has the Necessary Land For the Purpose.

At the city council meeting last evening F. King spoke on behalf of River street property owners and asked that if River street be closed up for the benefit of the smelters another thoroughfare be opened further west from Orchard street down the part of the smelter site reserved by the city, so that the residents of that locality may have access to the water. Mr. King pointed out that the property owners had their rights, and that a street could not be closed up without some compensation being given. All the property owners wished was to be assured that another thoroughfare would be opened to the water a block west of the portion of River street to be closed.

The intention of the city authorities in reserving the western portion of the smelter site was to provide for this new thoroughfare, and there is no doubt it will be opened. However, the final passage of the by-law closing River street was deferred until the council is seized with all the facts. It seems that River street across the smelter site was never opened as a street. The people have had access across the field to the water, but the ground has been used as a pasture. However, no trouble is likely to arise as the city has the necessary strip of land to make another thoroughfare that will be quite satisfactory to the section involved.

Dailies Surprised Them.

The Oliver Typewriter company had exclusively used magazine space to exploit their typewriters, but they will now work along a new course and spend a great portion of their advertising appropriation with newspapers. Some weeks ago the Oliver people used a full-page advertisement in one of Chicago's papers to advertise an attractive photogravure. The result obtained from this one insertion was astonishing and instantaneous, and was means of bringing forcibly to attention the value of newspapers as an advertising medium.

Duty Belongs To Police.

The waterworks superintendent points out that the enforcing of the city by-laws rests with the police. People who violate by-law relating to hose come under this regulation. As superintendent of the waterworks, he is not supposed to enforce by-laws. That duty belongs to others.

See Bibby's smart straws.

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTHWEST

HOMESTEAD REGULATIONS

Any even numbered section of Dominion Lands in Manitoba or the North West Provinces, excepting 8 and 26, not reserved, may be homesteaded by any person the sole head of a family, or male over 18 years of age, to the extent of one-quarter section, of 160 acres, more or less.

Application for homestead entry or inspection must be made in person by the applicant at the office of the local Agent or Sub-agent.

An application for entry or inspection made personally at any Sub-agent's office may be wired to the local Agent by the Sub-agent, at the expense of the applicant, and if the land applied for is vacant on receipt of the telegram such application is to have priority and the land will be held until the necessary papers to complete the transaction are received by mail.

In case of "personation" the entry will be summarily cancelled and the applicant will forfeit all priority of claim.

An applicant for inspection must be eligible for homestead entry, and only one application for inspection will be received from an individual until that application has been disposed of.

A homesteader whose entry is in good standing and not liable to cancellation may, subject to approval of Department, relinquish it in favour of father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister, if eligible, but to no one else, on filing declaration of abandonment.

Where an entry is summarily cancelled or voluntarily abandoned, subsequent to institution of cancellation proceedings the applicant for inspection will be entitled to prior right of entry.

Applicants for inspection must state in that particulars the homesteader is in default, and if subsequently the statement is found to be incorrect in material particulars, the applicant will lose any prior right of re-entry should the land become vacant, or if entry has been granted it may be summarily cancelled.

Duties—A settler is required to perform the conditions under one of the following plans:—

(1) At least six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each year during the term of three years.

(2) If the father (or mother, if the father is deceased) of a homesteader resides upon a farm in the vicinity of the land entered for by such homesteader the requirement as to residence may be satisfied by such person residing with the father or mother.

(3) If the settler has his permanent residence upon farming land owned by him in the vicinity of his homestead the requirement may be satisfied by residence upon such land.

Before making application for patent the settler must give six months' notice in writing to the Commissioner of Dominion Lands at Ottawa, of his intention to do so.

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTHWEST MINING REGULATIONS.

Coal.—Coal Lands may be purchased at 10 per acre for soft coal and $20 for anthracite. Not more than 320 acres can be acquired by one individual or company. Royalty at the rate of ten cents per ton of 2,000 pounds shall be collected on the gross output.

Quartz.—A person eighteen years of age, or over, having discovered mineral in place, may locate a claim, 1,500x1,500 feet.

The fee for recording a claim is $5.

At least $100 must be expended on the claim each year or paid to the mining recorder in lieu thereof. When $500 has been expended or paid, the locator may, upon having a survey made, and upon complying with other requirements, purchase the land at $1 per acre.

The patent provides for the payment of royalty of 2½ per cent on the sales.

Placer mining claims generally are 100 feet square entry fee $5, renewable early.

An applicant may obtain two leases to dredge for gold of five miles each for a term of twenty years, renewable at the discretion of the Minister of the Interior.

The lessee shall have a dredge in operation within one season from the date of the lease for each five miles. Rental $10 per annum for each mile of river leased. Royalty at the rate of 2½ per cent collected on the output after it exceeds $10,000.

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