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MUFF, \$11. STOLE, \$15.

Issobella Fox is one of our specialties. We buy the skins raw, dress and manufacture them in our workrooms, in two beautiful designs. Come in and inspect our Genuine Furs. No obligation to buy.

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RAILWAY BUILDING

Hill Declares It is a Thing of the Past

United States in Great Danger From Want of Transportation--Proposes Canal from St. Louis to New Orleans.

Minneapolis, Minn., Oct. 1.—Why do I think that railway building in the United States is a thing of the past? said James J. Hill, of the Great Northern railroad, in an interview.



JAMES J. HILL.

“I don't think anything about it. This country, to-day, is in most imminent danger from want of transportation. Business has grown so fast that the railroads cannot handle it. If, from the 1st to the 15th of November, you undertake to ship a carload of flour from Minneapolis to St. Louis, you cannot get a bill of lading in New York in thirty days, or if you get it, the goods will not be delivered. It is a physical impossibility.”

The trouble is, there are not sufficient terminals. Terminals are like hands and feet to men. The head may save him, but he will make a poor race without feet. Trunk lines are mortgaged to the fifth time, and money cannot be raised. When asked for a remedy, Mr. Hill replied: “There is water enough from St. Louis down to make a channel. All the movement wants is a man with intellect and money to pay the bill. Such a channel would save from three to five cents on every bushel of grain exported. Such a canal from St. Louis to New Orleans will be worth as many Panama canals as you can imagine.”

OLIVES!

We were fortunate in buying a large stock of Olives before the recent heavy advance in price, and for the present our customers can have them at the old prices—

- Olives at 10c. per bottle.
- Olives at 15c. per bottle.
- Olives at 25c. per bottle.
- Olives at 35c. per bottle.
- Olives at 40c. per bottle.
- Olives at 50c. per bottle.
- Olives at 75c. per bottle.

And a full gallon bottle at \$3.

Jas. Redden & Co.
IMPORTERS OF FINE GROCERIES.

REMARKABLE EXPLOIT

Brave Engine Fireman Gets Medal From King.

London, Oct. 1.—The London Gazette intimates that the Albert medal—the highest civil reward for bravery—has been conferred by the king on William Henry Pearce, of Ingleton, near Newcastle, New South Wales, for one of the most remarkable exploits in the history of railway travelling.

Pearce was the fireman of a passenger train, which was running between Maitland and Sydney, at forty-five miles an hour, when a boilerplate collapsed. The driver was scalded so severely that he died of his injuries, and Pearce was also scalded. Though he was exposed to all the force of the escaping steam, Pearce managed at great personal risk to lift the injured driver into a place of safety.

Roller Rink.

Skating at 2.30 and 7.30 p.m. BAND EVERY EVENING. Select Patronage. 5 Tickets \$1.

FAKE NOTICE.

I have the best line of Heaters I ever had, I have also an enormous stock of Furniture, that I want to dispose of at very low prices, as I want the room for Heaters. **TURK'S Second-Hand Store,** 398 Princess street.

Quaint China

We are showing some pretty odd articles in Plates, Jugs, etc.

NEW ARRIVALS EVERY DAY.

Come and see the pretty things.

Robertson Bros.

NOTICE OF PARTNERSHIP.

J. F. P. PARTRIDGE, DOING BUSINESS AS F. PARTRIDGE, at 275 King St., this City, as general Wirework and Wire-cloth Manufacturer, have this day taken my two sons, F. Walter and R. E. Partridge, into my business as partners, the style of the firm being in future, Partridge & Sons, the new firm assuming all obligations of my business and to whom all debts are to be paid.

J. F. PARTRIDGE,
President Wire Works,
October 1st, 1907.

FOR THE HOUSEKEEPER.

Roll Bacon, 12c. per lb. For a quick dinner try our Hamburg Steak or Blood Pudding. B. J. MYERS, 60 Brock St.

FITH OF THE NEWS.

The Very Latest Gulled From All Over The World.

Women are now permitted to enter Austrian universities.

The investigation into the Mongolian-Huron collision is likely to be held in England.

Reports from Boston say an unusually large number of students are entering college this fall.

It is announced that the Duchess of Marlborough will sail from England on October 13th for New York.

Elihu Root, the United States secretary of state, is at present in Monterey, Mexico, the guest of the republic.

The moose head and horns presented by W. T. K. Preston to the Emperor of Japan now adorn the palace at Tokio.

The great floods in Spain have destroyed property valued at nearly four million dollars and have left a host of people starving.

Montreal milk dealers have reduced their price owing to the public kick from ten cents a quart to nine cents a quart, and five cents a gallon.

Thomas L. Rowland, Raleigh, N.C., and his second wife, are on trial, charged with poisoning his first wife, so that they might marry.

The yellow fever has not spread in Cuba and there appears a danger of a general epidemic, as cases are comparatively few up to the present time.

The new Dominion of New Zealand has sent to Sir Wilfrid Laurier greeting to “dear sister” and says she “hopes to follow in her footsteps.”

A report has come to Vancouver that a crew from a Japanese schooner has pillaged the village on Litak Bay, Alaska, and killed cattle on the ranges on Sheikof Island.

The International Skating Union of America announces that championship skating this season will be held at Newburg, Saranac Lake, Pittsburg, Verona Lake, N.J., Saratoga Park and Montreal.

F. C. Wade, interviewed by the London Chronicle, declares race prejudice was not the cause of the trouble in Vancouver. Violence came from the labor element alone, engineered from the United States.

Canadian interests are constantly being sacrificed by British diplomacy, the London Globe declares, and yet those of Canada only, but of every other colony through the whole empire.

At Esanaba, Mich., Capt. James W. Nicholson, aged sixty-two, of Buffalo, fell through an open hatch into the hold of his boat, the Galathea, of the Corrigan-Clark line, and was instantly killed. His neck was broken.

Joseph Lyons, the famous London caterer, noted for his charge of the annual lord mayor's banquet and for having among his many famous caterings the Revell and Dr. Dupuy, was fought in the rink at St. Pierre Miquelon last week. Swords were chosen as the weapons. After ten minutes of fierce fighting the editor received a head injury which is the worst in the year. It is reported that Marier will be compelled to accept another challenge.

\$5,000 FOR CAPTOR

Hiding In London; Reward For Capture.

Detectives and Police are Busy Hunting for a Murderer Fresh From the Antipodes.

London, Oct. 1.—A close search is now being made in London for the murderer of Bernard Bauer, a London and Melbourne diamond merchant. Scotland Yard has received news that the criminal—for information leading to whose conviction \$5,000 reward will be paid by the Victorian government—reached London, last week, and is now in hiding here.

The murder was committed on June 7th. Mr. Bauer, a member of the well-known firm of Bauer & Schaumer, of Audrey House, Ely Place, Hatton Garden, was found in his Melbourne office, Modern Chambers, Collins street, with his skull smashed, and the murderer escaped with a wallet containing nearly \$20,000 worth of diamonds and a gold hunter watch worth \$500. The watch bore the initials “B.B.” and had a blue enamel face.

Having discovered clues which they believe point to the identity of the assassin, the Melbourne police have drawn up a detailed description of the man suspected, and an international quest for him is proceeding. Mr. Bauer was one of the best known diamond dealers in London and Melbourne.

On the victim's desk were his diamond-weighing scales, the other side of the police saw a single small stone. That gave the clue from which the murder could be reconstructed. It was plain that an unknown man had gained access to him, on pretense of being a buyer, and had struck him down while the victim was selecting stones to be weighed on the machine.

A piece of the assassin's weapon lay in the victim's blood—a bit of heavy iron tubing, apparently broken from a greater length by the force of the blows.

CANADA TOO PROSPEROUS.

Banker Explains Reason For Money Stringency.

Winnipeg, Oct. 1.—“Don't look for any easy money until next summer at least,” said C. A. Bogart, general manager of the Dominion Bank.

“What do you think is the cause of the money stringency?” Mr. Bogart was asked.

“Over prosperity. There is not enough money in Canada. We have a wonderful country here and we want to develop it. I think the Canadian banks are adopting a very wise policy in endeavoring to restrict speculation of every description, and looking after the legitimate wants of legitimate borrowers. Just now they are not doing so much to get the crop moved quickly, or get it out of the country and get the money back in. It's money that we need, and we don't doubt that you here can do a great deal to assist the banks in getting the crops out. This last year a good many things kept us back. The season opened late and the crop in the Westmoreland in Montreal delayed a good deal.”

“What do you think of the crop?” asked the reporter.

“Now, that's where I want to interpose,” remarked the general manager. “From what we hear down east there is not going to be so large a crop as last year and not of as good quality. I should say it will be about seventy-five per cent. of last year.”

Mr. Bogart also said that European capital was turning gradually more and more to Canadian investments. “I see in Europe early in the year, and everywhere you hear of Canada and its prospects. All we have to do is to be patient a little while and everything is going to come.”

A LEADING RAILROADER.

He Begun Back About Forty Years.

Charles Sanger Mellen, president of the N. Y. N. H. & H. R. railroad, was born at Lowell, Mass., on August 16th, 1851. He started in the railway service way back in 1869. He began as a clerk in the cashier's department but had become auditor of the B. & O. R. R. in 1881. Mr. Mellen rose rapidly in railroad work and was the general traffic auditor of the Union Pacific railroad from 1889 until 1892. He was called to the presidency of the Northern Pacific railroad in 1896 and held this important post until 1903 when he was elected to his present position. His home is in New Haven, Conn.

WANTS THEM TO MARRY.

Million offered as inducement to two young men.

Pittsburg, Oct. 1.—The late Paul H. Hacke, a wealthy art connoisseur and an old bachelor, leaves \$1,000,000 as an inducement to his two male relatives to marry, provided they have children. He left his maiden sister, Sarah, an annuity of \$3,000 per year. To his cousin, Mrs. Joseph George, and to her two sons, he leaves an annuity of \$1,000 per year each. It is to the latter the entire residue of the estate will go if they have children, but if not, it is to be divided between the Westmoreland hospital, Hospital of Greenburg, St. Paul's Orphan Asylum, of Butler, and the Grace Reformed church, of this city.

BOX CARS SMASHED.

Renfrew, Oct. 1.—Two empty C.P.R. box cars were smashed Saturday by an incoming C.P.R. freight from the west. The empties were left on the main line while shunting was being carried on in the flour mill siding. The cars started on the down grade and with increasing speed met the freight. The engine was somewhat damaged, but the cars were smashed to pieces.

The president of the Automobile Association has called a special committee to consider the restriction of races to specially built tracks.

Probabilities

Toronto, Ont., Oct. 1.—Ottawa Valley and River St. Lawrence, (10 a.m.): Fine and cool to-day and on Wednesday.

New Tweed Cloths for Coats



The moment you see these cloths, you'll wonder how they were made to sell at the price. Great heavy Wool Tweeds, in a score of attractive patterns of stripes, plaids, overchecks, etc. in Browns, Greens, Blacks and Greys, woven in pretty contrasting shades that will please you at once. Two great lines, 54 and 56 inches wide.

Specialty Priced, at \$1.35 and \$1.75.

Other great lines, at \$1. to \$2.

New Arrivals in the Dress Goods Section

New Pattern Suit Lengths.
New Pattern Dress Lengths.
New Dress Silks.
New Silk Marquinettes.
New Chiffon Quinons.
New French Delaines.
New French Flannels.

New Laces. New Trimmings.

Come and see them. You'll be delighted.

Steacy's

MARRIED.

LEADER—FRANK—At Hope, Sept. 29th, 1907, by Rev. W. H. Clarke, Stirling, Arthur J. Leader, Kingston, to Mary H. Price, Gt. Falls.

McCALLUM—WILMOT—At 244 Brock street, on Oct. 1st, by the Ven. Archbishop J. K. Macdonnell, Maitland, second daughter of F. G. Wilmot, to John McCallum, of Glenora.

DIED.

GIBSON—At Inverary, on Oct. 1st, 1907, Elizabeth, daughter of John Gibson, aged twenty-eight years. Funeral on Thursday, Oct. 3rd, at 4 p.m., to Sand Hill Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances respectfully invited to attend.

ROBERT J. REID
The Leather Shop
Phone 677, 227 Princess St.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 2nd.

James T. Powers
In the Musical Comedy Success of Two Continents.

THE BLUE MOON

Biggest Musical Comedy Combination ever assembled. Company of exceptional vocal efficiency. Honors of world-renowned fame. Gorgeous scenery. Dazzling costumes. Enlarged orchestra.

20 BIG BOYS FIVE 20
40 PRETTY GIRLS 40

Prices—25c., 50c., 75c., \$1. \$1.50.

Seats on sale. People having seats held at box Office are requested to call for same Wednesday afternoon.

Card of Thanks.

MRS. AND MISS MONTGOMERY, Yarker, wish through the “Whig” to express thanks to their many friends and neighbors for kindness and sympathy, at the death of their son and brother Harry, also for the beautiful flowers given, and especially the C.G.F. Lodge, of which he was a member.

Best's “Short Stop” has cured more coughs than any other cough cure, and costs but 15 cents.



Charles S. Mellen.

BOY KILLED AT ARRIPRIOR.

Arriprior, Oct. 1.—Frederick J. Gutzman, a prominent farmer near here, met instant death on Friday. The young man was engaged in distributing soil fertilizer, when, on account of the horses making an unexpected start, he was thrown over the front of the wagon and literally ground to death beneath the heavy wheels.

A NATIONAL LEAGUE.

New York, Oct. 1.—The organization of a national independence league has been decided upon by representatives of state independence leagues and others who are in sympathy with the objects of these leagues as outlined in state or local platforms. The national body will be a solidification of minor leagues existing or yet to be formed. Its aims are political and in opposition to the republican and democratic parties, which, the league promoters declare are dominated by corporation interests and no longer represent the people.

The Marriage Denied.

New York, Oct. 1.—Miss Catharine Wood, yesterday, brought action in the supreme court for absolute divorce from United States Senator T. C. Platt, alleging that she had been married to him in the Fifth Avenue hotel, New York, in 1901. John B. Stanchfield, for Senator Platt, asked that the matter be heard in private by referee. He said Senator Platt never married Miss Wood.

Failed to Appear.

Joseph Ewart, remanded by Justice of the Peace Hunter on two charges, failed to appear, when his case was called, at Portsmouth, on Monday afternoon, and a warrant was issued for his arrest. It is understood that he has left the city. His brother, Thomas Ewart, charged with being drunk and disorderly, paid his fine, and was allowed his liberty.

COFFINS ON DOORSTEPS

Mysteries Cause Terror Reign Among Residents of English Town.

London, Oct. 1.—The mystery surrounding the finding of a miniature coffin on the doorsteps of two houses in Furler street, Crews, has caused a considerable amount of alarm. The coffins are perfect models, and according to an undertaker, must have been constructed by a competent person.

Only a short time ago the same neighborhood was thrown into a state of terror by the finding of what was described as a bomb, attached to a fuse, in a yard at the back of Furler street.

ago to do some shopping, but before she had gone far was seized with the fear that harm was going to come to her. Being terrified she returned home. The next morning she received a letter stating that she was in turning back, as otherwise she would have lost her life.

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