

SUPPORTS A DANCER

A Millionaire's Son is a Cotton Worker.

Son of Massachusetts' Lieut.-Governor--He is Disinherited For Marrying an Actress.

Burlington, Vt., May 29.—Quickly making his own way in the world, young Bristow Draper, whose millionaire father, the lieutenant-governor of Massachusetts, disinherited him a year ago for marrying Quasnie Sanford, the actress, has turned up in this city as a spinner in a mill.

On a wage of \$1.25 a day he is supporting the pretty dancer, who was used to quite as much luxury as he was, and their two-month-old baby boy. He works twelve hours a day in overalls, and has proved so faithful and contented that he is next in line for promotion to a foremanship, which will pay him, perhaps, \$15 a week.

Young Draper has neither asked nor received his father's forgiveness for his runaway match and jilting of a Boston society girl. He says he will

make no overtures to his parent, but will fight his battle out.

"In fact, if I had known how happy I would be I would have married Quasnie three years ago," he said.

Draper was to have wedded Miss Alice Marjorie Ray, a Back Bay, Parisian and heiress, on June 1st of last year. His father was to have settled a large sum upon him and the house to which he was to have taken his bride was almost completed when he suddenly disappeared, and there was a public announcement that his engagement with Miss Ray had been broken.

Then, on March 25th, came the story of the elopement. The young man had run off with Miss Sanford, who was then in "The Rich Man's Hoggelheimer" company, and married her in St. Patrick's cathedral, on March 17th. Lola Merrill, another member of the show company, and several young men and girl friends were with them.

Lieutenant-Governor Draper at first refused to believe the story, and ordered his son to come home. When convinced that a marriage had taken place he then declared that Miss Ray had jilted the young man, and that the marriage was a mere act of bravado.

But it was established that Miss Ray had not jilted Draper, but was jilted herself. Then the lieutenant-governor disinherited the boy.

DAILY MEMORANDA.

- Princess St. in the street for Summer Hats. All kinds, all prices at Campbell Bros. Waldron's White Sale, 25c. See Advt.
- "Surgery Rhymes," St. George's Hall, 8 p.m.
- Cheap Excursion to Watertown, tomorrow.
- Cataract Cemetery Co. Annual Meeting, 4 p.m., Saturday.
- Matinee, Grand Opera House, 2.30 p.m., Saturday. "Cosette's Love."
- St. James' Church Annual Excursion to Ottawa, via G.T.R., Wednesday, June 17th. Fare \$1.75.
- Frontenac Ward Reformers' Rally, New Committee Rooms, over Melley's Drug Store, Princess street, 8 p.m.
- Wanderland "Theatre-Pictures," "The Cosmick of the Day," and "The Sentimental Thief," J. McDonald, dancer. Illustrated Song by Clara Smith.
- Throw your old hat on the shelf. It won't look right, we know. When you see the stylish New Straw Hats George Mills & Company show.
- Bison Theatre—"Travelogue," "The Wonders and Beauties of Italy," "Moving Pictures," "Illustrated Song," "Only Had a Home Sweet Home," sung by John Robert Davis.

INDIANS CONVERTED.

Preaching to Them in Their Own Language.

Spokane, Wash., May 29.—Thirty Indians of the Lemhi tribe were converts to the Christian faith at the Tutuila Presbyterian mission, southwest of Spokane, where Rev. J. M. Cornelison, resident missionary, has just concluded the most remarkable religious meeting of its kind in the history of the Pacific Northwest.

Rev. J. M. Cornelison, who has worked among the Gumatils under the direction of the Home Mission board of the Presbyterian church, entered the field eight years ago with an interpreter to speak to his flock, but he was not slow in picking up the Indian tongue, and the last five years he has been preaching to them in their own language. Rev. E. J. Connors, Indian evangelist, chosen resident minister of the Tutuila church, has just been formally installed.

STRUCK BY LIGHTNING.

Missing Man's Body Found Under Trees.

Plattsburg, N.Y., May 29.—Search for the body of Chesbro, a well-known farmer of West Beekmantown, who disappeared last Tuesday, revealed the fact last night that he was killed by lightning. Chesbro went fishing early Tuesday, and when he did not return at night, search was begun by the family and neighbors. Last night his body and the body of his dog, both badly burned and disfigured by lightning, were found on the bank of the stream under a clump of trees. The trees were splintered and torn by the lightning. Chesbro left a widow and five children. He was forty-six years old.

POWER DAM BURST

At Port Arthur and Train Dashed Into a Chasm.

Three C.P.R. Trainmen and Two Others Killed When Long Freight Train Falls Into Chasm Made by Flood.

Port Arthur, Ont., May 29.—The current river dam at Port Arthur went out Wednesday, at midnight, carrying destruction over a wide area and sweeping away two C.P.R. bridges. Half a mile of track is destroyed, and traffic held up indefinitely. A freight train from the east was caught in the mad swirl of waters and in an instant the locomotive was buried under many feet of mud and water, blinding out the lives of the engineer, fireman and brakeman, riding in the cab. The rest of the train, consisting of a passenger car, a coal car and a flat car, were washed in time of the rushing flood, and managed to scramble to high ground and safety. For those in the locomotive cab, however, there was no time even to realize the form in which the death summons was served, but a sudden awful change from the steady motion on a level track to a plunging, crashing deluge of twisting steel and breaking timber, amid a torrent of hissing steam when the flood waters covered the hot giant of the steel rails.

Engineer Savard is a married man, residing in Schreiber, Freeman McBrice, of Schreiber, is unmarried. The dead brakeman also lived at Schreiber, but his name is not known as yet.

It is also stated that two unknown men, who were being given a ride on the freight train were drowned or killed. Conductor Rose, though badly injured, succeeded in stopping the rear part of the train.

The accident has completely crippled the city power plant, destroyed much property and cut off the supply for the car system, as well as light and water.

The damage estimates vary from \$100,000 to \$500,000, though it is impossible to make an accurate estimate on account of the fact that the whole district about the power house is still flooded and cannot be inspected. A number of camping parties were located about the mouth of the river, and it is nothing short of miraculous that they escaped being carried out into the lake by the rushing water.

Had the accident occurred during daylight, with people in the park, there always are, the number of deaths would have been startling. Temporary power for the local plants is being procured from the Canadian Northern, and it is expected assistance will be procured by connecting with the Kaministiquia lines at Port William.



PREMIER GOLIN. The leader who is appealing for support in Quebec elections, on June 8th.

SMALLEST EVER CROSSED.

Little Tug No. 26 Arrives in Quebec.

Quebec, May 29.—The smallest steam tug known to cross the Atlantic arrived here from Glasgow, yesterday, and is now awaiting orders in the Louise Basin.

The craft in question bears no name but is designated "No. 26." She is a steel tug boat, length sixty-nine feet, breadth fifteen feet, depth eight feet, tonnage, forty-nine, and propelled by an engine twenty-eight-horse power, capable of driving her nine and one-half knots an hour, with a coal consumption of 212 tons every forty-eight hours. She is a screw steamer to be used by an Ontario lumber firm.

CLEAN UP THE YARDS.

Inspectors Are Now Out on Rounds.

Constables Filsion and Timmerman are now out on their annual inspection of yards, and there should be a general cleaning up of the yards. Constable Filsion is working on the north side of Princess street, and Constable Timmerman is looking after the south side. The inspection so far has reached a great many undesirable circumstances, and it is hoped by the inspectors, that they will be put in proper shape at once. The time is very short, and the work will have to be done at once. Constable has something over 2,000 places to call at.

Brown Berries.

In the shapes fashion demands, \$2 to \$2.50, at Campbell Bros.

WANTS A DIVORCE.

Man Buried One, Two Others Left Him.

Detroit, May 29.—Louis T. Peters and his fourth wife, Elizabeth, are parties to a divorce case now in progress before Judge Robinson. She has been married once before and she brought him two children to take care of, while he had one of his own who was being supported by alimony at the time when they were wed in 1888, her's having come from insurance money on her first husband's life.

Mrs. Peters' first husband died, as did Mr. Peters' first wife. Two other wives he lost through the divorce court. The present Mrs. Peters charges that directly after they were married her husband began to importune her to invest \$1,150 which she had left from her insurance money to set him up in business and that he did not set up in business but that her property so thoroughly with this that she had little left.

She also charges that she did not know his marriage record when they were married and that she had no idea he was paying alimony.

"After we were married," she said, "I asked him about one of his wives and I told him I heard he never got a divorce. He said it was all right, because she left him and got married again and that gave him a right to marry even if she was not divorced."

The records show that Peters was wrong about that, as his third wife sued him for divorce and failing to find him proceeded by advertisement. Besides their troubles over their property the present wife charges him with cruelty and non-support. At one time she says he induced her to invest money in a grocery at 1533 Helen avenue and then sold the property out from under her. A second case between the same parties with Gustave Maher and his wife who now claim to own the grocery property, is being tried along with the divorce proceedings. It was brought to get an accounting.

Peters denies all his wife's charges and claims that the interests he acquired in his wife's property was for services rendered and money invested.

AN EMERGENCY CURRENCY LAW.

Washington, May 29.—An emergency currency law is assured. The currency question held its place as practically the only subject of consideration at both ends of the capital and when both houses adjourned the compromise bill which was drafted by the public conference had received the sanction of the house and had been presented to the senate where it was announced it would be taken up for consideration, to-day, and where it will also be passed when the vote is reached.

ATTACKED LOYALISTS.

Lisbon, May 29.—A procession of students of Coimbra University, to present homage to the king, was attacked last night, while passing through certain quarters of the city. Five of the students were injured. The police arrested twenty-eight of their assailants and a vigorous investigation has been ordered.

CHILD WAS POISONED.

Carroll, May 29.—The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Christie, tenth concession, Indian Lands, Martintown, Glengarry, was fatally poisoned the other day by getting hold of some poisoned food set for local pests.

TRIP TO MOSCOW.

Try Bibby's \$3.50 outing trousers. The municipal council of Moscow has decided to celebrate the eightieth anniversary of the birth of Count Leo Tolstoy, by opening, on September 10th, a public library in that city and by giving the count's name to the school he attended in his youth. Bibby's for men's linen underwear.

SOCIALISTS ARE OPPOSED

To King Edward's Visit to Russia--Reform of Habitual Criminals.

London, May 29.—The socialist members of the House of Commons are displaying a marked interest in the approaching visit of King Edward to the Russian court, from the view point of the possibility of closer relations between the two countries resulting from his majesty's trip. Early this week a socialist member asked Premier Asquith to secure the abandonment of the visit on the ground that it was not fitting that Great Britain should seem to support those persons in Russia who were responsible for sending into exile the patriots of the home land. Yesterday Foreign Secretary Grey informed a questioner that no new convention or treaty was under discussion between the two governments nor was it intended to incite negotiations for one during King Edward's visit. The secretary said he trusted, however, that his visit would contribute to the good relations existing, to-day, between the governments and the people of both countries.

Lord Milner speaking at Westminster, said the Canadian system of tariffs, before it was more or less mutilated, seemed the right sort of eye-sore in negotiating the Franco-Canadian treaty. Canada, to some extent, sacrificed preference to reciprocity, which was a mistake. Under the tariff reformers' system of imperial preference all round there would still be room for each state to make bargains with foreign states.

M. Filsion, minister of foreign affairs of the French republic, who is in London with President Fallieres, was interviewed, last evening, and said that the president of France had been profoundly impressed with the magnificent greeting accorded him in London. "It is in my eyes a most clever justification to those of us who have all their lives supported the policy of an understanding with Great Britain," M. Filsion said, "to see that policy triumph to-day in the form of a close, and to adopt King Edward's phrase, permanent entente."

Herbert Gladstone, home secretary, has introduced in the House of Commons a bill aiming to reform habitual criminals by conciliatory treatment. Mr. Gladstone said that the present system was a sufficient deterrent for fifty to sixty per cent. of prisoners, but was useless for two classes, namely those who are criminal owing to mental or physical deficiencies, and those preferring to live by crime. The latter laughed at the present system. They refused a helping hand and were determined not to work. The bill proposes to follow penal sentences by a period of preventive detention, until the law is broken, and the prisoners will live honestly and until age or infirmity incapacitates them from continuing a life of crime. The system said Mr. Gladstone, is based on hope not fear. It would enable a man to effect his own release. The bill passed its first reading.

Answering a question in the House of Commons, to-day, Sir Edward Grey, foreign secretary, said the British government desired to concentrate the discussion at the forthcoming naval conference upon the prize court convention. It was essential, he said, that Great Britain have some agreement upon certain points, especially the rules governing blockades and contraband of war, with the chief naval powers before the convention meets. The question of the capture of private property at sea was not included among the matters to be discussed, although the secretary was unable to say what subjects the other powers might desire to bring up.

MONTREAL CONFERENCE.

The Workman Case Came Up and Adjourned.

The Montreal conference of the Methodist church, assembled in the Methodist church, Quebec, May 27th, at 2.30 p.m. It is just twenty years since the conference met in this historic city. Rev. Dr. Carman, general superintendent, took the chair.

The first order of the day was examination of ministerial character. There were no charges against any of the ministers. Rev. Dr. Workman asked for the privilege of making a statement. A motion was made that a committee be appointed to hear the statement. Before setting the motion Dr. Carman asked for time that he might consider the legality of such a motion. It is expected that this matter will be up again.

The following young men having completed their studies and traveled the necessary number of years, were recommended to be received into full connection with the conference, and ordained: G. D. Armstrong, B.A., W. R. Johnston, J. G. Fisher, P. S. Dobson, R.A., W. Hollingsworth, Paul Villard, M.D.

The following were continued on probation: Third year, R. M. Timmerman, H. H. Hillis, T. H. Bole, T. H. Billings, M.A., W. P. Booth, J. A. McNeil, T. D. Jones, Second year, G. W. Bonshaw, L. Prof. G. L. Fairbank, Whitehouse, First year, H. G. Parsons, B.A., N. A. Hubbard, A. E. Bault, Candidate, F. B. Allnut, L. Latton, W. Chodat.

The annual lecture before the Theological Union was delivered on Wednesday evening by Prof. G. L. Fairbank, of McGill University, subject of lecture "Early Missions in New France." The lecture was a fine presentation of the founding of the missions of New France, and the privations and heroic accomplishments of the early Jesuit missionaries.

PANAMA HATS.

The finest of the fine, \$5 up, at Campbell Bros.

PITH OF THE NEWS.

The Very Latest Culled From All Over The World.

The public schools will close for the summer holidays on June 26th. The Royal Society will meet in Quebec during the centenary celebration.

The Russian warship Peter the Great is at ground in the Gulf of Finland.

An unknown Scotch immigrant was kicked by a horse and killed at Reston, Man.

The death sentence of John Pearce, Toronto, has been commuted to life imprisonment.

The Council of Huron adopted a report recommending the wiping out of the bar room.

The April earnings statement of the C.P.R. shows a decrease in net earnings of \$641,093.

The Orange lodge finished its meeting at 8.15 and selected Peterboro as the next place.

The British socialists are opposing the proposed visit of King Edward to the czar of Russia.

Charles Lempe was struck by a baseball at Foughessie, N.Y., and almost instantly killed. The ball was thrown by a player named Gordon. A thousand Londoners are expected to take in the retail grocers' excursion to Detroit, June 17th.

Gen. Stephen D. Lee, commander-in-chief of the United Confederate Veterans, died at Vicksburg, Miss.

The ship Empress of Canada, a Gordon confederate, was killed by the bursting of a soda water cylinder.

Chevalier Angelo M. F. Giannelli, honorary consul-general for Italy, died at 169 Empress Crescent, Toronto.

President Fallieres, of France, has been profoundly impressed with the enthusiastic reception accorded him in London.

Mrs. J. E. Willmot was elected president of the Methodist Women's Missionary society, Toronto conference branch.

On a charge of obtaining goods by worthless checks from Kyrin Brown, Toronto, A. C. Babcock was arrested in Chicago.

Port Arthur will offer the Bell Telephone company \$1,500 for its plant there, and isn't particular that the offer be accepted.

A. W. Hight attacked W. D. McPherson, of Toronto, in connection with the latter's professional relations to R. R. Gamey.

A Parks Playground Association is to be organized to secure supervised and equipped play grounds for the children of Toronto.

The Ontario railway and municipal board may make a rule that passengers will not be allowed to occupy front seats on open cars.

Evelyn Thaw gets \$1,000 a month from the Thaw estate for her maintenance. Thaw's relatives had nothing whatever to do with the institution of the amendment suit.

The Presbyterian General Assembly of the United States report that \$1,300,000 was spent last year under its direction for foreign missions.

Nelson Switzer, nephew of Roadmaster W. H. Switzer, of the Toronto Street Railway company, was drowned in the Sauguen river near Paisley.

The management of Branksome Hall Ladies' college of Bluecreek east, Toronto, has purchased the large residence of John Morrison, 604 Jarvis street, for \$40,000.

The officials of the Trusts and Guaranty company, Brantford, from whose offices a cash box containing \$150 and vouchers disappeared, announce that by the money has been traced satisfactorily to the company.

Eastern League—Montreal, 4; New York, 2. (Called in seventh inning to allow team to catch a train).

Baseball On Thursday. National League—Boston, 3; Pittsburgh, 1; Chicago, 8; St. Louis, 2. American League—St. Louis, 4; New York, 3; Detroit, 10; Philadelphia, 2; Chicago, 2; Boston, 1; Washington, 2; Cleveland, 2.

Eastern League—Montreal, 4; New York, 2. (Called in seventh inning to allow team to catch a train).

Timberlake Is President. Quebec, May 29.—At the Montreal Methodist conference, to-day, Rev. W. Timberlake, of Lanesboro, was elected president, and Rev. K. Corrigan, Iron-quois, secretary.

Probabilities Toronto May 29, 1908, Ottawa Valley and Upper St. Lawrence, 10 a.m.—A few local thunder storms at first but mostly fair and some what cooler to-night and on Saturday.

STEACY'S STORE NEWS

New Shirt Waist Suits

Of Fashionable, in Copenhagen Blue and Natural Colors, made with sheer white of best Swedish Lace, fine buttons and fasteners, above, side pockets, and deep fold of silk, good full bars. Blank only. SPECIALLY PRICED AT \$15.

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- \$18 Suits for \$12.
- \$27 Suits for \$17.

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Steacy's

MARRIED.

BARBOCK—GARDNER—in Kingston, on May 27th, 1908. Miss Edith, only daughter of Capt. and Mrs. Cadott, to Leonard Barbock, of Cape Vincent.

DIED.

BROWN—in Kingston on May 29th, 1908. Sarah Jane Brown, widow of the late Thomas Brown, aged 84 years. Funeral from her late residence 202 Sydney-street, on Monday morning, at 10 o'clock.

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25c. sale of whitewash. See advt. Waldron's.

See Bibby's \$1 straw hats.

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Don't advertise if you believe you are wasting money. Let your competitor waste his money on advertising and perhaps in this way you'll soon "put him out of business." Fix his clockwork for him. Just stand back and laugh at him when you see him squandering his money for printers' ink. Once there was a boy named John— we think his last name was Wannamaker, anyhow his name was John with some sort of a maker attached to his last name. He owned 500 yards of calico, three pairs of jeans, a half dozen pairs of boots. He called this a dry goods store through a Philadelphia newspaper and offered to sell a pair of socks for thirty-seven cents. The don't-believe-in-advertising merchants laughed. Young John spent sixty-five dollars with the Philadelphia Ledger to advertise just one time and had less than \$100 worth of goods. He was cautioned by the merchants who "knew it didn't pay." It was through sympathy that they offered him advice. But John didn't listen to them, and went and blew his money in foolishly; and to-day poor John sees the result of his misdoings. He has no many large dry goods stores that he can hardly find time to study his Sunday school lesson. —Baldwin Bulletin.

The Whiz will serve the Kingstonian as profitably as the Ledger served the Philadelphia.