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Ballooning.

As a scientist, and almost a martyr to his zeal, Count Zeppelin will receive universal sympathy in the misfortune which has overtaken him in the destruction of his Balloon No. 4.

While France has given attention to aeroplanes and similar heavier-than-air machines, Germany has pinned its faith to the balloon.

Interesting, however, as were Zeppelin's experiments from the purely scientific standpoint, it is almost ludicrous to see the manner in which his misfortunes have been received by the German people.

Town Council.

The regular monthly meeting of the Council was held on Thursday evening of last week by the Mayor and all Councillors present.

Reports were presented by the Streets, Police and Finance Committees.

The committee on electric lighting reported that they had secured the services of Mr. E. M. Archibald, electrical engineer, to examine the Gaspereau and Black Rivers with the view of ascertaining the available water power within reasonable distance of the town.

The town clerk presented a petition asking for two months' vacation, beginning early in September. This was referred to the Mayor and Finance Committee.

A largely signed petition of rate payers was presented asking that the resolution of June 3rd, restricting the use of the school grounds as playground, be reconsidered and that the school grounds be restored to the free use of the children of the town; and it was resolved that in compliance with the wish of the ratepayers as expressed in the petition in reference to the school ground that we reconsider the motion passed on June 3rd.

The following bills were read and ordered to be paid: Joseph Christie \$1.40, Valley Telephone Co. \$10.00, Rebecca Gould \$15.00, R. E. Harris & Son \$10.41, L. W. Sleep \$7.50, Arthur B. Borden \$2.50, F. S. Crowell \$17.51, C. M. Gornley \$7.75, T. McAvity & Sons \$35.54, G. M. Beaman \$3.45, Acadia Electric Light Co. \$6.14, Stephen Griffin \$6.93, Burgess & Co. \$5.50, Miss Daisy West \$1.90, Canadian Iron & Foundry Co. \$75.50, E. M. Archibald \$78.40, London Rubber Stamp Co. \$3.33.

The report of E. M. Archibald on the Gaspereau and Black Rivers was then read. The former he thought would develop 100 h. p. for ten consecutive hours each day, and the latter 150 h. p. for same period.

Coun. Ford gave notice of a motion to change bylaw regulating cabs and trucks.

Dr. DeWitt's bill for medical attendance was referred to the Police Committee to be disposed of as they are advised by the town's solicitor.

The following were appointed delegates from Kings Co. Board of Trade to attend the Maritime Board of Trade to be held at Halifax, Aug. 19.

Saskatchewan.

To-day is election day in the province of Saskatchewan, and the excuses for plunging that new province into an election on three weeks' notice have been many and have been added to as the necessity occurred.

The fact remains that Premier Scott himself announced in the legislature that there would be another session before an election, and that immediately after his visit to Ottawa, whether he had been summoned to take orders from his masters, he announced a dissolution that not only the conservatives of the province, but the liberals as well, were taken by surprise, and that only one real motive can be discerned—a strong desire on the part of Sir Wilfred Laurier to win an apparent victory in at least one province, which he thinks he holds in the hollow of his hand, after his sudden decision to dissolve the Dominion parliament upon learning of the monster wheat crop—a natural development which is to give him a fresh opportunity to pose as the author of all prosperity.

If the election of two and a half years ago had been a fair one, it would doubtless have been Mr. Haultain and not Mr. Scott who would have been Premier.

Saskatchewan has been swarming with federal officials. Land inspectors, homestead agents, immigration employes, and camp followers of every sort have been at work among recent settlers and foreigners. It stands to reason and is obvious that settlers who have had dealings with Ottawa in homestead matters will be much under the influence of federal officials.

Tricks of all kinds have not been wanting to hoodwink the hordes of ignorant Europeans. If a fraud was necessary to turn the scale in favor of the Dominion government, for it is really that government much more than the provincial that is anxiously bidding the event, Mr. Leach, the hero of the 'thin red line' fame has been on the ground in full command, with Sifton as his master in the west, Oliver having refused to mix in the wretched business.

Mr. Haultain has found much to cheer him. Many liberals resent the domination of the Ottawa machine. Many of them now realize the true meaning of the conspiracy of three years ago. The seceder of Mr. Haultain's nomination was a liberal. Premier Scott abandoned his seat and is taking refuge in one deemed safe at Swift Current, where the electors are almost to a man, French Canadian.

Exhibition Days Are Near.

THE BIG ST. JOHN SHOW WILL OPEN A MONTH FROM AUGUST 12. One month from this week the St. John Exhibition will open September 12 to 19, and thousands of people are now making their plans to take a holiday and attend the biggest amusement and educational event in the Maritime Provinces this year.

The plans for the big show are gradually being completed. The exhibits will be of a high order—the judges the most competent money can procure.

Good men in every department are preparing to please the people and what that means everybody knows. It assures a good exhibition and that is what St. John is going to have.

The manufacturers, the merchants, and the farmers have combined to make the show a success. The features of Machinery Hall will be strong. The amusement attractions were never better and the high character of the free exhibition on the grounds every afternoon and the magnificent fireworks at night cannot fail to please everybody.

The next regular meeting of the Annapolis-Kings Medical Society is to be held in Temperance Hall, this town, on Tuesday, Aug. 25th. There will be an afternoon session at 3 o'clock and a public meeting in the evening at 8 o'clock. From 5 to 7 o'clock p. m. there will be an 'at home' at the residence of Dr. and Mrs. DeWitt. The program of the evening meeting will include an address by Dr. DeWitt, the president of the society, on 'Dues medicine progress—the Etiology of Tuberculosis and the need of Municipal Sanatoria'; an address on 'Etiology of Tuberculosis' by Dr. Smith L. Walker, of Truro; and an address on 'The Municipality and Sanatoria' by W. H. Roscoe, Esq., of Kentville.

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Fleet Horses in the Maritime Circuit.

THEY WILL BE SEEN ALSO AT THE PROVINCIAL EXHIBITION, MISS ELIZA RITCHIE ON THE FINE ART DISPLAY.

The Maritime Circuit this season has been productive of excellent racing, probably the best ever seen in the Province. Several new horses have come to the front, among them J. R. Cowan's 'Dessie Pachon' and 'Wherie', while the performances of 'Axell', 'Peacherina', 'Will-Be-Sure', 'Bottle Boys' and other horses have furnished rare sport.

At the Provincial Exhibition Meeting the interest will be heightened, and there is certain to be splendid racing for the purses aggregating \$6,000. 'Simmassie' and 'Terrace Queen', two old opponents in the free-for-all will no doubt meet, and they will have other of horses now running now in the circuit.

The final payment in the Stake Races will be made and entries in all other classes will close on August 18th.

The Vaudeville programme for the Grand Stand will consist of six great acts, and the splendid pyrotechnical show will conclude with the spectacular production of 'The Destruction of St. Pierre.'

Miss Eliza Ritchie, who is in charge of the Art Department at the Exhibition, says that the display of fine arts in the Art Gallery will surpass in beauty and value any of its predecessors.

The Fisheries exhibit will be enlarged and made more comprehensive. It will include a great variety of strange live fishes brought up by the trawlers. This will be something absolutely new for the Fair that opens at Halifax on September 2nd.

Dangerous Opiates.

Most of the liquid medicines advertised to cure stomach and bowel troubles and summer complaints contain opiates and are dangerous. When the mother gives Baby's Own Tablets to her little ones she has the guarantee of a government analyst that this medicine contains no opiate or narcotic. And she has the assurance that no other medicine will so speedily cure stomach and bowel troubles, if they come unexpectedly. Give the well child an occasional dose of these tablets and they will prevent sickness, by clearing the stomach and bowels of offending matter. Mrs. Wilbert Bone, Carville, Ont., says:—'I have used Baby's Own Tablets for stomach and bowel troubles and know of no other medicine so satisfactory. Sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25c a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.'

On Saturday night, in a dense fog all the LaHave fishing banks, sixty miles southeast of Halifax, the German cruiser Freya struck the Gloucester fishing schooner Maggie and May, smashing piercing a hole in the schooner that sent her to the bottom in two minutes. There were thirteen aboard the little schooner, and of these, nine were drowned. The survivors of the crew, with a few exceptions, belonged to Bel Brook, Yarmouth Co.

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A Pleasant Bitter. Purely Vegetable. An Energizer & Stimulant.

Composed of those vegetable Tonics, Bitters, etc., which supply the system with material that has been benumbed during the winter.

An Excellent Tonic for any season but particularly necessary in the Spring. Banishes that tired, lary feeling that comes as a result of the too close confinement of the winter months.

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Seasonable Suggestions To Ladies.

Our Organdies, India Dimity, and Lawns in white and colored goods are calculated to give perfect satisfaction during the Summer Season. We are closing out the balance of our White Lawn and Organdy Shirt Waists at 1/2 off regular prices.

To Gentlemen.

In Balbriggan Under Clothing, Negligee Shirts, Belts and Suits, we have a fine range and can with confidence submit it to you as being the best obtainable for the least money consistent with first class goods.

Just Arrived.

New Neckties, latest designs and patterns, also Austrian collars, 'King of Collars.'

Illsley & Harvey Co., Ltd. PORT WILLIAMS, N. S.

Beaver Flour advertisement with logo and text: 'A bag or a barrel—it's all the same. The same choice Ontario and Manitoba wheat—milled the same—and blended in exactly the same proportions.'

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Has convinced me that English Leads, Colors, Oils and Varnishes are the best in the world.

Burrill's and Brandram's in Stock. Also, FLOOR PAINTS, FLOOR GLAZE, ENAMELS, VARNISHES, CARRIAGE PAINTS.

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The United States Government recognizes the Bicycle as the medium of quick delivery service for it is pictured on the regular special delivery stamps issued by the Post Office Department.

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Taken all in all what other possession costing so little money is able to give such returns in health and economy as the Bicycle. It is not a matter of argument at all. Every rider of a decade ago knows he felt better, slept better and actually was better physically when he used the wheel daily.

C. H. ROCKWELL'S KENTVILLE.

SOVEREIGN LIME JUICE advertisement with text: 'You will feel more comfortable during the warm weather if you keep a supply of SOVEREIGN LIME JUICE on hand.'

New Heatherbloom Taffeta Skirts advertisement with image of a woman in a dress and text: 'Heatherbloom is a new material closely resembling Silk Taffeta.'

Lawn Blouses and Hosiery advertisement with text: 'We are offering big discounts on the balance of our white and colored Blouses. Special line laid out for 39c. each.'

J. D. CHAMBERS 1908 HARD COAL advertisement with text: 'Low Prices while discharging. Cargo due to arrive first of August. Place your order now.'

ILLSLEY & HARVEY CO., LTD. PORT WILLIAMS, NOVA SCOTIA.

ST. JOHN EXHIBITION advertisement with text: 'Those who intend to visit the St. John Exhibition, September 12-19, should make their plans now. Don't wait a month, a week, or even a day longer.'

IT WILL INDEED BE A GREAT EXHIBITION advertisement with text: 'Premiums, \$20,000. TAKE A HOLIDAY AND Race Purses, \$6,000.'

Visit the Garrison City for the PROVINCIAL EXHIBITION advertisement with text: 'If you do, you'll be glad you took the trip. September 2, September 10, THE DATES AND THE PLACE, Halifax, N. S. Canada.'

For Results advertise in the ACADIAN.

NOTHING BETTER advertisement with text: 'LEGGETT'S CHAMPION DUSTER. than this gun for applying Paris Green. Adjustable to any width of row. Dusts two rows at a time. Thousands in use.'

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