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The Star

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Boys' School Suits In Great Variety For All Ages. BOYS' SUITS . . . \$90 to \$4.50. SEPARATE KNEE PANTS, 50c, 60c, 75c, \$1. BOYS' SHIRT WAISTS . . . For 35c to 75c.

American Clothing House, 11-15 Charlotte St., St. John. PEABODY'S OVERALLS. The best Canadian made Overall, proper fitting, made to stand the hardest wear. F. S. THOMAS 539 to 547 MAIN STREET. Stores open evenings.

Bargains in Boys' Suits FOR SCHOOL WEAR. In order to induce parents to buy BOYS' SCHOOL SUITS early we are offering rare bargains in BOYS' 2 and 3-PIECE SUITS for the balance of this week. Regular \$3.50 to \$4.75 Norfolk Suits Sale Price \$2.98. Regular \$4.50 to \$8.50 3-Piece Suits For \$3.50, 3.95, 4.95 and 6.00. ALSO BOYS' SHIRTS, CAPS, STOCKING, ETC. J. N. Harvey, Tailoring and Clothing. OPERA HOUSE BLDG. --- 199 to 207 UNION STREET

WITNESSES FROM MONCTON IN THE McDUGALL CASE

Several Will Come Here Tomorrow—Homeless Lad In the Railway Town—Three Officers Elected by the Trainmen

MONCTON, N. B., Aug. 28.—There will be witnesses from Moncton to attend the primary examination of Bruce McDougall in the St. John court. Already summoned have been received by Postmaster Crandall, Canadian Express Manager Newman and Chief Rice, who will go to St. John tomorrow morning.

Apparently having no near friends or relatives, thirteen year old Harry York, of Amherst, is in the police station, having arrived here last evening on a train of picnic cars. The boy had been attending a picnic at Pt. DuRoi and fell asleep on the train. He is the same lad who arrived here in December last on the blind baggage of the early morning express.

Rather reluctant but somewhat eager was the school children to get back to study this morning. Over three hundred permits have been issued and the classes are well crowded.

Only three officers were elected at this morning's session of the Canadian Brotherhood Railway Employes holding their convention here this week. A. R. Mosher, of Halifax, was re-elected, to the Grand Presidency. G. N. Palmer of Moncton, Vice Grand President and Grand Vice President for Quebec, J. Lamontagne. Two reports were received and adopted. Election of officers will continue this afternoon and the convention will close this evening.

CHARLOTTETOWN JOINS FREE SPEECH CRUSADE

Correspondents May be Prosecuted—Police Ordered to Seize the Paper and Arrest Vendors—Schooner Ashore

CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I., Aug. 28.—The hundred ton schooner, J. V. owned by George Wightman, of Montserrat, is ashore thirty miles north of the town. The boat was built at Grand Green Bay, west coast of Newfoundland. An effort is being made to secure a steamer to tow her off.

Acting on the advice of the Attorney General, Mayor Frowde has instructed Marshall Cameron to seize any copies of Free Speech offered for sale and to arrest any vendors. The names of correspondents are in possession of the authorities who are contemplating action.

ANOTHER ADDITION TO THE HARBOR FLEET

The hull of a new tugboat was brought down river last night and is now at Indiantown. It has been built at the Grassie on Grand Lake by Lewis McLellan for Capt. W. J. McNeil. The engine of the old Frederick A. is being transferred to her and a new boiler is being supplied by the St. John Iron Works. The tug is intended for use in the harbor during the coming winter season.

FREDERICTON LEAPS IN CRICKET MATCH

With only three wickets down, Fredericton cricketers ran up a score of 59 runs, while St. John's total for 11 wickets was only 28 runs. The individual scores of St. John's team for the first inning was: Bogart, b. Burdett . . . 0; Huxford, b. Burdett . . . 0; Rev. Hibbert, run out . . . 1; Patterson, b. Dwyer . . . 1; Sturges, b. Burdett . . . 1; Armstrong, b. Burdett . . . 1; Poplin, c. Deedes, b. Burdett . . . 1; McRoriey, c. Deedes, b. Burdett . . . 1; Ramsden, c. Bingham, b. Burdett . . . 1; Byss . . . 1. Total . . . 28.

The match is being continued this afternoon.

PERSONAL

L. C. Macnutt of Fredericton reached the city this morning. C. B. Lockhart left on the Halifax express at noon. Col Ogilvie left on the C. P. R. express at noon today. Geo. W. Fowler returned to Sussex on the C. P. R. express today.

SCHOOLS REOPEN; SMALL ATTENDANCE

Many Changes Made in the Teaching Staff. Several Hundred Permits Issued—Winter St. Annex is Not Quite Ready—Fire Escapes Almost Finished.

The city schools reopened this morning after the summer vacation. The organization of the various classes occupied the chief portion of the morning. The attendance in many of the schools was noticeably small.

At the High School building, the organization of the classes occupied a considerable time. The scholars who successfully passed the entrance examinations, assembled in the large exhibition hall where they were assigned to their rooms. St. Joseph's and St. Peter's girls attended St. Vincent's High School.

The number of new scholars will be larger than heretofore. About seven hundred permits have been issued at the school board office by Secretary Manning and his assistants. Several children secured the necessary certificates this morning.

Dr. H. B. Bridge today announced the changes in the teaching staff. There have been several transfers and appointments since the past term.

KILLED WHILE GOING TO FRIEND'S FUNERAL

Old Man Kicked to Death by a Horse

HAMILTON, Ont., Aug. 28.—Robert O'Brien, an old man employed by the Hamilton Gas Light Co. was killed yesterday by a young horse he was leading from the blacksmith's shop to the farm. The horse wheeled and kicked his chest in. O'Brien leaves a widow, family and a widow.

Hamilton is under a reduced water supply—Woman in Convulsions Gave Birth to a Child

HAMILTON, Ont., Aug. 28.—A wharf at the Beach pumping station broke yesterday afternoon and pieces of machinery flew all over the engine room but no one was injured. Hamilton's head office is being pumped by two antiquated pumps till the broken shaft is repaired. The capacity of the pumps is nine million gallons per day, while that of the pumps now tied up is over twelve million.

Yesterday another adjournment was made till the 31st, but no business was done. It is said that the sheriff's duty was to hold court at some date not less than eleven days and not exceeding sixteen days but he failed the time from nomination day instead of the day of the polling. When attention was called he further adjourned the court until the 31st to obtain independent advice on the matter. When court reassembled the returning officer will again cast the votes and hear objections to votes being polled. All this will still leave undetermined the question as to whether the court is properly adjourned to the 31st inst. or not and whether he can legally transact business thereat. It is expected that Delaney's majority was two on the 15th.

FIFTEEN WOULD LIKE TO BE HEAD OF ACADIA

Many Applications Before the Board of Governors But No Selection Yet Made.

There is considerable interest in the selection of a new man to fill the position of President of Acadia University. Dr. Hutchinson, who recently was compelled by poor health to send in his resignation, has severed his connection with the college, and Acadia is now without a head. It was expected that the board of governors, who held a meeting in Halifax yesterday would name Dr. Hutchinson's successor, but evidently the board found the matter a sore which it could not decide.

A colored man named Hudita was this morning tried in the police court for brutal treatment to a cat. The case was prosecuted by the S. P. C. A.

The Hassam having between Regent and Carlton streets on Queen street was finished this morning and the pavement is now being laid along Carlton to the bridge. The freemen were called out this morning but the alarm proved a false one.

The Normal School will open here next Wednesday with the largest attendance in its history.

AVIATORS AT RHEIMS ARE TRYING TO BREAK RECORDS

The Wrights Do Not Seem to be Among the Leaders—Frenchmen Meet With Great Success—Big Contest Tomorrow

BETWEEN AVIATION FIELDS, Rheims, Aug. 28.—The fifth day of aviation week was ushered in with ideal weather conditions. The light airs and overcast sky brought the flyers out early and before noon no less than a dozen machines, like huge gulls were circling above the plain.

The programme today includes the continuation of the trials for the Grand Prix de la Champagne, the endurance test, the lap event, the speed event, a race between dirigible balloons, and a landing competition for spherical balloons.

Latham, in a beautiful monoplane, was the first aviator to get away. He announced his intention to make a genuine effort to beat F. L. Smith's record for the endurance prize made yesterday. 2 hours, 51 minutes and 24 seconds. Latham started flying at a great height, 5000 feet, and made several loops, and a landing competition for spherical balloons.

Curly's purpose was to improve his record in the speed trial, and to classify for one of the six prizes in the endurance contest. He accomplished three rounds in an impossible manner, but his speed was disappointing. His total time was 28 minutes, 28.3 seconds. By rounds his showing was as follows: Circuit number 1, 12.5 seconds; 2 minutes, 52.5 seconds; and 3 minutes, 35.5 seconds.

In the meantime the other flyers, excepting Latham and Delagrang, had alighted without doing anything. A noteworthy feature was witnessed when Delagrang, flying low, started to overtake Latham, who was still high in the air. There was a pretty race for four miles and Delagrang was overtaking Latham when he was compelled to descend.

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LINDSAY, Ont., Aug. 28.—G. Henley, clerk in the post office, was arrested yesterday at the instance of Inspector Henderson. Money has been missed from the mails and the office was watched. Some of the stolen articles were found in his house.

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CORONER HAS DECIDED TO HOLD INQUEST

On Death of Hugh McLaughlin at Brookville—Jury Not Yet Selected.

Coroner Berryman has decided to hold an inquest tonight at Brookville to enquire into the drowning of Hugh McLaughlin, who jumped into Lawler's Lake yesterday morning. The jury has not yet been empaneled and the coroner will select residents of Brookville and the surrounding district this afternoon.

BRAKEMAN DEAD FROM APPENDICITIS

AMHERST, N. S., Aug. 28.—Diasos Comesa, a brakeman on the shunter of the I.C.R. at this station died following an operation for appendicitis. He was operated on day or two ago, but it was then seen by the doctors that there was no hope for him. Deceased was a young married man belonging to Moncton, and is survived by his wife and one child. The remains will be taken to Moncton for burial.