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## FATAL ACCIDENT AT WEST ST. JOHN

Orlo Brown Electrocuted  
While Watching Ball Game  
— Three of His Companions Receive Burns.

Death swift and sudden overtook Orlo Brown, aged eighteen years, as he was watching a baseball game on Queen square, west side, last night, when he came in contact with live wiring which had short circuited with live wires carrying about 700 volts. Others injured by contact with the wires were Joseph Coram, Roy McLeod and Roydon O'Reilly, who received burns about the hands and feet. The shock rendered the last three unconscious, but when seen later in the evening, appeared little the worse for their experience.

A game of baseball was in progress. Behind the home plate an ordinary wire netting had been erected to protect spectators from foul balls. Near the top of the netting four live wire pass, and it is presumed that the insulation became worn off one of them. According to an eye witness Joseph Coram came toward the netting from the street. The instant he placed his hands on it he was rendered unconscious and fell under a bench near at hand. Several people rushed to his aid, foremost among them being Orlo Brown and Roy McLeod. Brown reached the netting first and tried to pull Orlo away. Both placed their faces against the netting apparently for the purpose of looking down at the prostrate boy. Each received a shock sufficiently heavy to hold him fast to the netting. Finally they were freed from the wire with the aid of a broom. Roydon O'Reilly who rushed up at the same time merely touched his elbow against the wire but was nevertheless rendered unconscious.

A hurried call was sent in for the pulmotor and also for Dr. F. L. Kenney. Meanwhile first aid work was carried on and Coram, McLeod and O'Reilly regained consciousness. In spite of frantic efforts made by Harry and Wesley Pike, Brown never regained consciousness. When Dr. Kenney arrived he pronounced him dead. The pulmotor was put in action without any results.

Dr. Kenney as coroner empaneled the following jury—Thomas Morrissey, E. S. Earle, James Armstrong, Charles Stackhouse, William Stewart, William Armstrong, and W. J. Currie. After taking the oath the jury viewed the wire and the line running through it. After the accident the power was turned off and the wires taken from the netting and overhauled, so that there might be no recurrence of the tragedy.

Orlo Brown, who was eighteen years of age, was employed as a call boy by the C. P. R. at Bay Shore. He is survived by his father, William Brown, two brothers, Henry and Edith, and one sister, Athene, all at home.

Joseph Coram, aged eight, is the son of J. Coram, 365 Lancaster street. Roydon O'Reilly, twelve years old, is the son of E. C. O'Reilly, 14 Woodville road, and Roy McLeod is the eleven-year-old son of Norman McLeod, 189 St. John street. The three are also suffering from slight burns to face, hands and feet.

**MILLS BURNED.**  
A grist mill, carding mill, shingle mill and barn belonging to David McLean about five miles above Cady's, at Long Lake were burned on Thursday. There was no insurance and the loss to Mr. McLean is estimated at \$10,000. The loss of the mills will be an inconvenience to the farmers thereabouts who use wood.

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## RETAIL MERCHANTS' DOLLAR DAY

WEDNESDAY, 18TH

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Wednesday, August 18, has been selected by the St. John's Retail Merchants' Association for Dollar Day—a day looked forward to by thousands of shoppers both in town and out of town. Dollar day has become so well known to the buying public that merely the mention of the date is sufficient to stir up their shopping enthusiasm, and to start them anticipating the many good things on which they are going to save money.

Dollar Day is one day set aside by the Retail Merchants' Association whereby every member displaying the official blue and red cards, agrees to give unusual bargains, not necessarily for one dollar, but at such economical prices that the value of the dollar is tremendously increased, and there being so many St. John's merchants members of the association that Dollar Day is without doubt St. John's greatest city-wide single bargain day.

The official card of the Retail Merchants' Association for Dollar Day is red lettering on a blue background. Watch for this blue and red card—it means a bargain opportunity to you everywhere you see it, whether it is in hardware, kitchen utensils, toys, furniture, shoes, clothing, dry goods, millinery, groceries or what not, it means the money. Watch the papers for advertising. A complete list of participating merchants will be published by the Retail Merchants' Association, and the individual advertising of the various merchants. Remember the day—Wednesday, August 18, and for one day only, so don't delay, but start shopping early in the morning.

## Provincial Rifle Meet At Sussex

Sussex, N. B., Aug. 13.—The P. R. A. meet came to a close this afternoon and the members left for home by the evening train. Weather conditions were much better for the marksmen today, although the sky was cloudy the light was good, with very little wind and shooting conditions much better than previous days. The ladies' match was held this forenoon for a silver cup presented by the ladies of New Brunswick and \$84 in prizes. J. H. McNutt, Port Elgin won the cup and \$10; Sergeant Major G. Lake, second. This afternoon the governor-general, the silver medal and Major J. T. McGowan won the bronze medal. The presentation of these medals was made by the secretary, Major J. S. Frost. At noon the association was honored by the presence of Premier Foster, who took luncheon with the members of the association and witnessed the presentation. At the close of the presentation were made: Tiro match money prizes won by midland team, St. John. A. A. presented by Major J. T. McGowan. The Ferguson & Page shield, won by the Moncton Cadet High School, was presented by Major McGowan. The senior Strathcona cup was won by G. Cunningham, of the Moncton Cadet High School, and the junior cup won by Cadet Lieut. H. Sewell, St. John High School, and presentation made by Major McGowan. The Ladies' cup, won by J. H. McNutt, was presented by Mrs. J. S. Frost. Maiden aggregate money prizes were presented by Major J. T. McGowan. Grand aggregate money prizes were presented by Lieut. Col. O. W. Wetmore. The tie in the Dominion match by Lieut. H. A. Chandler and Lieut. J. T. Downey, was shot off today. Lieut. Chandler won with a score of 24 out of a possible 25. Lieut. Downey made 23 points. There was also a tie in the Prince of Wales match between Lieut. J. T. Downey and A. S. Emery which was shot off today. Lieut. Downey won with a possible score.

**Governor-General's Match.**  
W. R. Campbell, Campbellton, 47; Major J. T. McGowan, 45; Sgt. Major G. Lake, a close third, 43.

**NEW YORK SEES DROP COMING IN SUGAR PRICE**  
(New York Times, Thursday.)  
Sugar, which has recently gone as high as 80 cents a pound retail and often difficult to get at that price, will probably be selling around 18 to 20 cents a pound within another month, it was predicted last night by an authority on the sugar situation. The retail price at present, he said, is from 20 to 25 cents a pound. For the last two or three weeks there has been a gradual decline in sugar prices, due to the increased supply, attracted here because of the high price. With the increase supply and the resultant decrease in demand, prices began to fall and are still on the decline.

Prices will not decline as much as 8 to 10 cents a pound within the next few weeks, as predicted by some wholesalers yesterday, in the opinion of the man quoted. He said that at a decline in that period would mean the financial collapse of thousands of concerns throughout the country. Raw sugar delivered in New York is being quoted now at around 14 cents, but very little is available at that price, it was said. New beet sugar from the Pacific coast will soon be available and it is generally believed that sugar will be plentiful this winter at reasonable prices.

## AGREEMENT WITH NASHWAAK MILLS

After making a personal inspection of the wood-stave pipe at Phinney's Hill, near Lake Latimer, the highest point in the St. John water system, Mayor Schofield and the city commissioners held another conference on the Spruce Lake extension project in city hall yesterday afternoon with Hon. Dr. J. B. M. Baxter, city solicitor, and Senator N. M. Jones and A. P. Barnhill, K. C. representing the Nashwaak Pulp & Paper Company, Limited, in attendance.

After the meeting, Mayor Schofield said that the commissioners had received in the discussion, a better understanding of the project and the problems involved, than they had before, and that another meeting would probably be held that would be necessary to have the matter disposed of one way or another. Further discussion will be delayed until Monday or Tuesday, when G. H. Hare, city engineer, who is now on a vacation, can prepare a report upon the amount of water available at Spruce Lake and the amount that the proposed extension will place at the service of the city. His report will also probably cover the merits and demerits of the various styles of piping, as there seems to be a varied opinion among the commissioners.

John R. Jones, commissioner of water and sewerage, said last night that the agreement between the city and the pulp mill management passed the approval of the commissioners with practically no change.

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## MARITIME I. O. O. F. ELECT OFFICERS

The delegates to the annual session of the grand lodge, Independent Order of Oddfellows, who met last week at Sackville, have returned home. They were much pleased with Sackville, but one thought the town needed more public buildings. For instance, few outside newspapers were supplied with news of the grand lodge meeting.

The Oddfellows elected the following officers: Grand master—W. W. Clarke, Sackville. Deputy grand master—C. L. Wood, Windsor. Grand warden—R. E. McLeod, Inverness. Grand secretary—J. J. McKinnon, Charlottetown. Grand treasurer—J. H. Maclean, Halifax. Grand representative—John Eisenhauer, Lunenburg. Grand marshal—A. D. Spurrell, St. John's (Nfld.). Grand conductor—Charles E. Heigh-ton, Pictou. Grand guardian—L. J. Warner, Goldboro. Grand herald—W. A. Gass, Sackville. The following officers were installed by the Rebekahs: President—Miss Barbara K. MacKenzie, Westville. Vice-president—Mrs. Lilla Kirkpatrick, Windsor. Secretary—Mrs. Ida Pollard, Yarmouth. Treasurer—Mrs. Jane McCowan, Moncton. Marshal—Mrs. Annie Macabee, Summerside. Conductor—Mrs. Jennie MacKenzie, Westville. Inside guardian—Mrs. William Teed, Sackville. Outside guardian—Mrs. Middleton Hurd, McAdam Junction. Chaplain—Mrs. Annie Ward, Campbellton.

## AN ELECTRICALLY OPERATED SAW MILL AT CAPITAL

Fredericton, N.B., Aug. 13.—Gordon G. Scott of Fredericton, will begin the operation on Monday next of his new mill which has been erected in this city on the site of the old west end mill, burned about fifteen years ago. The new mill is unique in the fact that it is the first saw mill in New Brunswick to utilize electric power. The power house of the mill is built of concrete blocks and is said to be the finest of its type in the province. Mill refuse will be used for fuel in this power house. Power will come from a 150 horse-power generator. Six individual motors will apply the power to the various pieces of machinery.

## BLACKSMITHS' UNION.

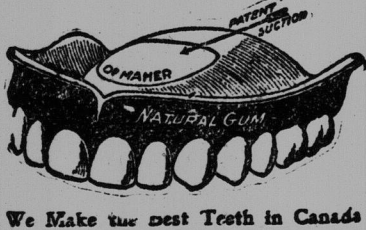
George Richardson was elected president of the Blacksmiths' and Helpers' Union, local 530, at a meeting held in Painters' Hall, in Charlotte street last night, and a hearty vote of thanks, for the good work done, was given to Joseph Murphy, the retiring president. The other officials elected were: Vice-president, Hartley Haslett; recording secretary, Albert Gillett; secretary, Charles O'Neill; treasurer, George McGilvary. An interesting address was given to the members by Delegate Varney, of the American Federation of Labor.

## ARE IN NO HURRY FOR THEIR MONEY

There are apparently forty-two people in St. John that do not care whether they get the money that belongs to them or not. At any rate there are that number of people entitled to rebates of guaranteed deposits made when they entered the vocational classes last winter who have not claimed the rebates. The sum of \$45.50 is still in the hands of the secretary of the vocational classes and has been waiting to be turned over to its owners since June 12. The total amount of the forty-two has been notified by letter or telephone of the fact that the money

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or Regal \$2.15  
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2 pkgs. Apples per case \$75c  
1 pkgs. Cream of Wheat \$25c  
1 can Carnation Salmon \$25c  
1 can Red Star Beans \$25c  
3 lbs. New Onions \$25c  
1 lb. Evaporated Apples \$25c  
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Chick Feed, 80c. bag  
3 cakes Laundry Soap, 25c.  
Palm Olive Soap, 10c.  
Panshine Cleanser, 11c.  
2 pkgs. Lux, 25c.  
1 pkgs. Lifebuoy Soap, 9c.  
Fairy Soap, 3c.  
3 Rolls Toilet Paper, 25c.  
Little Beauty Brooms, 79c.  
Finest Small White Beans, 19c. qt.  
Clear Fat Pork, 30c. lb.  
Whole Green Peas, 20c. qt.  
2 lbs. Lima Beans, 29c.  
Van Camp Soups, 15c. tin  
Finest Orange Pekoe Tea, 49c. lb.  
King Cole or Red Rose Tea, 60c. lb.  
Tally Ho Coffee, 60c. lb.  
Fresh Ground Coffee, 60c. lb.  
2 pkgs. Lipton's Jelly, 25c.  
Carnation Salmon, 1-2a, 25c.  
Carnation Salmon, 1a, 25c. tin  
Mayflower Salmon, 35c. tin  
2 pkgs. Kellogg's Corn Flakes, 25c.  
Mayflower Condensed Milk, 25c. tin  
St. Charles' Evaporated Milk, 15c. tin  
2 pkgs. Chocolate Pudding, 25c. tin  
Marichino Cherries, 20c. bot.  
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## GRAND JURY WILL INVESTIGATE CASE OF JOHN SLAVIN

New York, Aug. 13.—District Attorney Swann announced last today that he would present to the grand jury, with further effort to interview John J. McGraw, manager of the New York Giants, the case of John C. Slavin, an actor, who was found Sunday night unconscious in front of the McGraw home. Assistant District Attorney Unger said that he would issue subpoenas for all witnesses, save McGraw, to appear before the grand jury next Tuesday morning.

## OTHER ARRESTS EXPECTED IN CONNECTION WITH SPECTACULAR FINANCING

Boston, Aug. 13.—Other arrests are expected within twenty-four hours as the further result of the investigation of spectacular financing which began when Charles Ponzi's securities exchange company fell under suspicion.

Warrants charging conspiracy to defraud and directed against the officers of the Old Colony Foreign Exchange Company were applied for in the Municipal court today by Captain Armstrong of the police bureau of criminal investigation. The action followed a conference between District Attorney Pelletier and Captain Armstrong at the end of which the latter announced that he would immediately summon certain of the company's investors as witnesses.

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98 lb. bag Best Blend Flour, \$7.50  
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