

## INQUEST TO BE HELD TONIGHT

**J. Boyd McMann, Truant Officer, Killed on City Crossing.**

**Is Run Into by Messenger Boy Riding Bicycle—Jury is Selected.**

H. A. Porter, coroner, announced this morning that an inquest into the death of J. Boyd McMann, who was killed about 12.40 Saturday afternoon when struck by a bicycle driven by Leonard McMullin, a Western Union messenger boy, and who died in the ambulance while being rushed to the General Public Hospital, would be held tonight at 7.30 o'clock at the police court, King street east. The jurors will be: James Sproul, foreman; Joseph Nixon, T. Clinton Brown, William Crabbe, J. Arthur Lindsay, Charles E. Farrand and W. V. Hatfield.

Mr. McMann had come along Prince William street and had passed the traffic officer on the crossing when he stopped to allow an automobile coming down the hill to pass him. The officer had given the car a signal to go ahead and Mr. McMann had signalled to the driver himself before he stopped.

### Passes Automobile.

Just as the rear wheels passed him he started to move ahead, lifting his left foot off the ground preparatory to making a step, when a bicycle, ridden by Leonard McMullin, a Western Union messenger boy, struck him.

The wheel hit him on the right side and twisted him around in such a way that he fell flat on his back, striking the paving between the street railway tracks with the back of his head and fracturing his skull. Policeman Harry Young, who was on the crossing, rushed to his side and lifted his head. He ordered one of those near to telephone for the ambulance while he supported the injured man as well as possible. Mr. McMann was rushed to the General Public Hospital, but examination there disclosed the fact that he must have died while in the ambulance. Blood was flowing freely from his mouth and nose when the policeman picked him up right after the accident.

### Tangled in Bicycle.

The bicycle was overturned by the collision and the young lad was thrown to the ground, falling in the opposite direction from that in which Mr. McMann dropped. The boy's legs were tangled in the machine and Mr. McMann's were resting on top of both just after the crash. The young fellow received a bad bump on the right side of his head when he struck the road and was badly shaken up. He was crying in a heartbroken manner when he found that Mr. McMann was seriously injured.

Although the young fellow's nerves appeared to be badly shattered, he managed to explain to the police that he had not seen Mr. McMann until the accident occurred. He had been on his way to the station with a parcel from a store near the head of the hill and, consequently, there was more momentum on his machine than there would have been if he had started from the Western Union office near the foot of the street. Mr. McMann was a remarkably well known figure about the city, having served for about 18 years in a public capacity as school truant officer. He was well liked by his associates and by his many friends and the word of his death on Saturday came as a great shock to many. He is survived by his wife, at present at Renforth; two sons, Lawrence, manager of a bank in Toronto, and Julian, studying for the Church of England ministry at Bishop's College, Lennoxville, and one daughter, Mrs. Charles Magee of Detroit. The funeral will be held on Tuesday, the time and place to be decided later.

## 1925 Bathing Suits

By HEDDA HOYT

Fashion Editor of the United Press. NEW YORK, June 1.—There is little difference between this season's bathing suit and the extremely short-skirted street dress which we see so much of. Since bathing frocks are almost identical with skirts extending almost to the knee, they are quite as modest as many afternoon frocks.

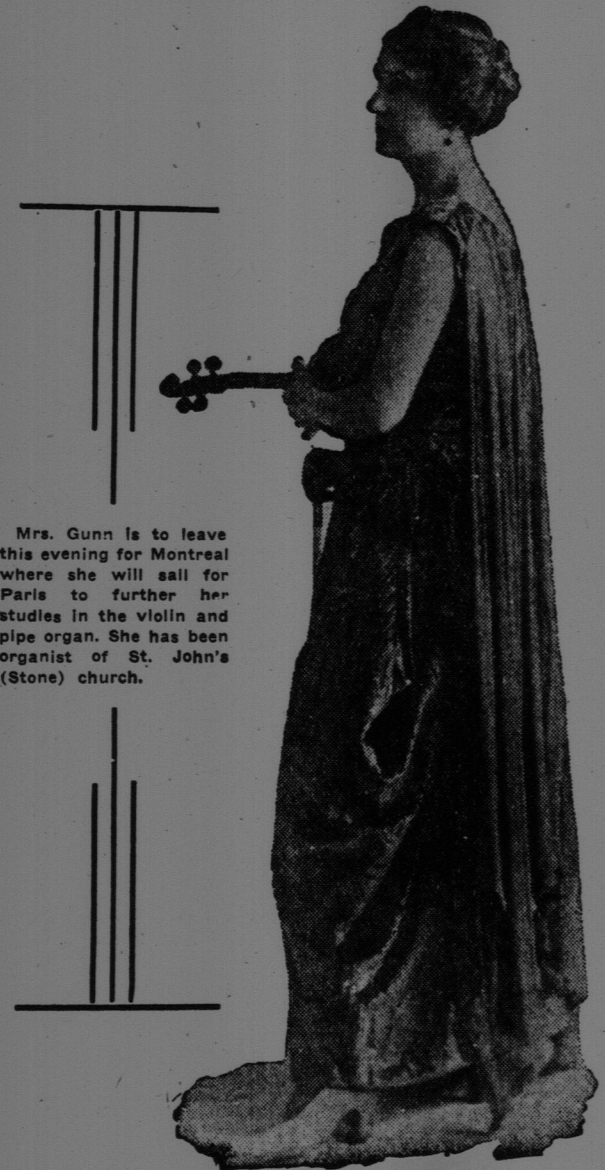
At recent fashion shows held in New York, the one-piece suit of knit material was entirely unrepresented. Suits that looked like little girl's frocks predominated. Taffetas, cretonnes and silk crepes were materials chosen. Such shades as purple, violet, Madonna blue, black and reds were numerous. Several suits had semi-fitted bodices with skirts of petal-shaped ruffles. Some had circular insets or self material or contrasting color adding trim fullness.

A violet taffeta suit was piped in turquoise blue with bloomers and slippers also of this blue. Bloomers usually extended an inch or so below the skirt, being trimmed in tiny ruffles. Neck lines were V-shaped in front and rounded in the rear as a rule and occasionally a model had a scarf attachment of self material which draped about the neck. Very few long sleeves were shown.

Cretonne frocks are veritable children's frocks with their short, ruffled skirts and tiny bloomers. Cretonne capes lined in solid, brilliant colors accompanied these suits. A cherry red taffeta suit had a cape of black cretonne figured in red and yellow. The lining of the cape was cherry red.

Bathing caps matched rather than contrasted with the suit. Capes of ribbed silk in bath designs also carried out the color scheme of the suit. Whether silk suits will be worn for bathing purposes is yet to be seen. New Yorkers of late years have shown a great preference for one-piece affairs of extreme shortness and snug fit. However, since our street frocks make us look like young flappers, we might accept the child's frock as a bathing costume.

## To Study in Paris



MRS. T. J. GUNN.

## Weddings

Gallop-Fisher.

Rev. George B. MacDonald of Victoria street Baptist church, solemnized at the parsonage this afternoon at 3 o'clock, the marriage of Miss Lillie Blanche Fisher, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas F. Fisher of Mill street, to James Harold Gallop, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Gallop, of 183 Victoria street. The bride, who was unattended, wore a pretty gown of navy blue, with hat to match and carried a lovely bouquet of Ophelia roses. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Gallop motored to Hampton for a wedding supper with the aunt of the groom, Mrs. G. Northrup. In the evening they left for their honeymoon trip to New Brunswick towns. They will reside at 88 Newman street on their return. Many lovely gifts were received among them a case of silver from the staff of the Webb Electric Company, where the groom is employed.

Smith-Lindsay.

A wedding of interest in Saint John was solemnized at Providence, Rhode Island today in the parsonage of Rev. Augustus M. Lord, when Miss Harriet M. Lindsay, of the C. P. R. freight department of this city, was married to Dr. Edgar B. Smith, of Providence, Rev. Dr. Lord officiated. Dr. and Mrs. Smith will sail on June 3 for a three months' trip to Europe and upon their return will reside at 68 Brown street, Providence.

Cook-Cochrane.

YARMOUTH, May 31.—A pretty wedding took place at the Zion United Baptist parsonage at noon Thursday, when Miss Dorothy Clare, eldest daughter of Rev. and Mrs. E. H. Cochrane was married to Thomas William Cook, of Murray River, P. E. I. The service was conducted by the bride's father, Rev. Mr. Cochrane, who a few weeks ago was elected pastor of Zion church. The guests consisted solely of the immediate families and a few close friends of the bride and groom. The wedding march was played by Miss Hazel Cochrane, sister of the bride.

## Deaths

Frank M. Hogan.

Frank M. Hogan died at his home in Moncton on Saturday. He was 52 years of age. He was born in Saint John, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hogan. He is survived by his wife, three sons, Frank, of Moncton, formerly of the C. N. R., Leonard, at home, and Ralph, a student at St. Dunstan's College, Charlottetown; two daughters, Ethel, a nurse in the Jeffery Hospital, Quebec City, and Josephine, at home. One brother, Thomas, of the C. N. R., Calgary, and three sisters, Hannah, Margaret and Agnes, all of Calgary, also survive.

Miss F. I. S. Haines.

ST. STEPHEN, May 31.—The death occurred Friday morning of Miss Frances I. S. Haines, age 27. She had been ill for some time and had been living here for the last few years with her sister, Mrs. James Loney. She was born in Hainsville, York county, where the body was taken for burial today.

M. G. O'Regan.

GRAND FALLS, N. B., May 30.—The death occurred here on Friday evening, May 29, of Michael George O'Regan, eldest son of the late Joseph O'Regan and Mrs. O'Regan. Mr. O'Regan, who was in his twenty-fifth year, had been poor health for some time. For the last three years he has conducted a grocery business here. He is survived by his wife, who was Miss Nora Crawford, of Van Buren; two small sons, Jack and James; his mother, Mrs. Joseph O'Regan; five sisters, Mrs. Charles Crawford, of Keegan, Me.; Mrs. George Quigley, Grace, Florence, Louise and Mary, and three brothers, Guy, Lawrence and George, all residing here. The body will be taken to Van Buren on Monday for burial.

Mrs. A. Barker.

FREDERICTON, N. B., May 31.—Mrs. Henrietta Barker, widow of Alonzo Barker, died Saturday afternoon at her home, King street, aged 69 years. She was twice married. W. Brock Allen, of this city, conductor on the C. N. R., is the only son. Frank Barker, of Boston, and Mrs. Frank Charnock, of Rollinsdale, Mass., are step-children. Hazel Wheeler, of Kingsclear, and Charles Wheeler, of Fredericton, are brothers. Several nephews and nieces also survive, one of whom, Walter London, of Boston, is here now.

## 5 Killed, Boy Hurt as Train Strikes Auto.

HAMILTON, Ohio, May 31.—Five members of an Indiana family of six were killed and the sixth, a boy of 10, was injured severely when their automobile was struck by a train near here this morning. The dead are: Herscher C. Hutchens, 45, Willowbranch, Ind., his wife, Maisie, 43, and Donald, 8, Margaret and Gladys Hutchens. The son, Earl, the only survivor of the family, is in a critical condition. He is suffering from a fractured skull.

## RETURNS FROM TOUR.

Rev. J. M. Murchison, secretary of the Bible Society in New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island has just returned from visiting some of the northern sections of the province. He was

## BARN DESTROYED

**Soldier-Farmer Meets Severe Loss in Blaze at Hanwell, York.**

FREDERICTON, N. B., May 31.—Frederick Melton, of Hanwell, farming ten miles from Fredericton, met with a heavy loss early Saturday morning when fire destroyed his barn with all livestock and machinery. The owner and his family were asleep in their home some distance from the barn and first were made aware of the fire by neighbors who roused them, having seen the fire from their own places. Twelve head of cattle, two horses and two hogs were burned, together with all the machinery contained in the building. One of the horses and two of the cattle got out of the building and ran about for a time but as animals frequently do, they bolted back into the burning building and were lost. The farm occupied by Mr. Melton, who was a returned soldier, had been

## Body of Fredericton Man, Buried Over Year, Exhumed To Establish Death Cause

Canadian Press Despatch.

FREDERICTON, May 31.—The remains of the late John D. Scammell, a veteran of the world war, whose death occurred over a year ago at Minto, where he was manager of the Farmers' Co-operative store, have been exhumed at the Fredericton rural cemetery here and a post-mortem examination has been conducted by Dr. H. L. Abramson, of Saint John, chief of the Laboratory Division of the Department of Public Health, in order to determine the cause of death. The post-mortem examination was necessitated in connection with pension claims which are being pressed at Ottawa in the interests of Mrs. Scammell, the widow, and

her five little children, now residing at Doaktown.

Through some error a burial permit was issued without the necessary certificate of death being obtained and there is no official record of the cause of death as required in pressing the pension claims. The death of the medical practitioner who attended the deceased and the disappearance of his nurse prevented the necessary statements being obtained in the usual way.

While the veteran's death is attributed to tuberculosis contracted as a result of war service, it is necessary to establish this fact. Dr. Abramson's analysis following the post mortem is expected to do this.

secured by him under the Soldier Settlement Board. He had made a mark-

ed success of the farm, being a hard worker of experience.

## I. PEDICARIS DEAD

**Was Captured by Bandit Raisuli in 1904 and Held For Ransom.**

NEW YORK, May 31.—Word was received today by Dr. Talcott Williams, emeritus professor of journalism at Columbia University, of the death of Ion Pedicaris in Chislehurst, England. Pedicaris, whose capture by the Moroccan Bandit Raisuli in 1904 created an international episode with the United States government demanding of the Sultan his release, was a friend of Dr. Williams, and was a guest in his home after his release.

Raisuli captured Pedicaris and his step-son, Cromwell Varley, an Englishman in their home on the outskirts of Tangier, holding them for a ransom of \$350,000, and also demanding certain political immunities from the Sultan. The governments of Great Britain, the United States and France brought pressure to bear upon the Sultan and sent warships to Tangier.

The Sultan finally yielded to all the demands and the two men were set free after a month of captivity in the interior of Morocco.

Stores open Friday evenings until 10 o'clock. Closed Saturday afternoons during summer months.

## Boys' Two-Trouser Suits

Extra Special Value

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The M. R. A. Ltd. Boys' Shop has been having a wonderful demand for these extra value suits—and no wonder, for they represent a value very seldom to be found!

These are not cheap looking suits, on the contrary, you would think to look at them that the price would be much higher. They'll wear well too and keep the boys who wear them looking their best.

Each suit has bloomers and golf knickers. Materials comprise good wearing tweeds as well as navy blue, all wool Fox serge, and there are all sizes from 8 to 18 years.

You couldn't do better than have one of these fine suits for the boys' school closing. He will like it—and so will you.

(Boys' Shop, 2nd floor.)

## Holiday Furnishings Designed to Please Men and Boys

### Men's Outing Shirts

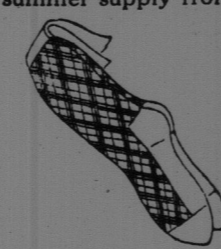
Styles for tennis, golf or general outing wear. Among them are white and colored broadcloths, cambrics, cord cloths and Forsyth fabrics. Some have full length sleeves, others are in popular half sleeve style. Collars attached. \$1.75 to \$5.50.

GREY CEYLONETTE SHIRTS with attached collars. Great for camping, fishing, etc. \$2.25 and \$3. NOVELTY SHIRTS with pleated fronts, stiff cuffs and separate collars. Newest color effects. \$3.25 to \$4.50.



### Socks

Men who like the unusual in hosiery will enjoy choosing a summer supply from among our fine assortment of newest plaids, overchecks and heather mixtures in fine cashmeres and wool. 65c to \$1.75 pr. Silk and Wool Socks in fashionable shades. 50c to \$1.65. Fine Cotton Socks in popular colors. 25c pr. Mercerized Lisle, plain and checked. 35c to 50 pr. In checks and overplaids, 75c pr.



### Fair Isle Sweaters

In the new jacquard patterns made popular by the Prince of Wales, also an assortment of other novelties in sport sweaters. Prices range from \$5 to \$17.50.

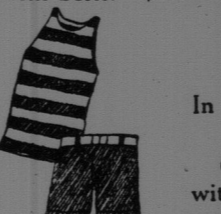
### Sweater Sets

With golf hose to match. These also include the popular jacquard patterns in color effects men will like. The newest thing for all sports wear. Complete set \$8.75 and \$10.



### Men's Bathing Suits

In fine worsted. Self colors. Heathers, stripes and checks. Some with belts. \$2.75 to \$4.75.



### Boys' Bathing Suits

In fine worsted. One-piece style. \$2.25 to \$3.

### Men's Golf Combinations

One-piece garments consisting of outside shirt with drawers attached. Showing in a variety of cool, summer fabrics. \$1.75 to \$3.50. (Men's furnishings, ground floor.)



## Special Showing of Kroehler Davenport Beds

The home without an extra bedroom will find a Kroehler Davenport Bed a wonderful convenience.

No one, seeing the lovely lines of the low, wide davenport could guess that with one easy motion it becomes a soft, roomy bed. In the morning, bed and bedding can be quickly folded up and the Davenport resumes its place as beautiful and luxuriously comfortable piece of living room furniture.

If you want to make your living room an inviting and hospitable place this season and to provide an extra sleeping place for constant or occasional use, you will be interested in our special display of Davenport Beds and Davenos. Upholsterings comprise tapestries, leatherettes and high grade mohairs.

(See window display, Market Square.)

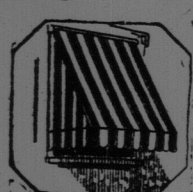
## Bargain Sale of Best Grade Awning Ducks

Commences Tuesday Morning

Plain and fancy stripes. Red and white only. Take advantage of this big offer while the season is early. You'll like the quality for renewing verandah curtains, awnings, etc. 30 in. wide.

Sale Price 45c yd

(Linen room, ground floor.)



## High-Grade Toiletries May Be Chosen Here

Best liked French, British and American makes are well represented.

Face Powder in Coty's, Houbigant's, Yardley's and Hudnut's are all high grade. Prices range from 50c to \$1.50.

Talcums in lavender, gardenia, rose, violet, freesia, wisteria, sweet orchid and vanity. 25c to 40c.

Condes Lemon Cream—Great for sunburn. Softens, soothes and whitens the skin. 60c bottle.

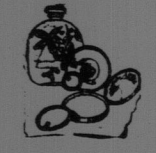
Cold Creams and Vanishing Creams in Pond's, Daggett and Ramsdell, Hudnut's (three flowers), Yardley's, Conde and Luxor. Prices range from 35c to 75c.

Three Flowers Travelettes containing cold cream, vanishing cream, face powder and perfume. All neatly boxed. 35c.

Tooth Pastes in Forhan's, Colgate's, Yardley's and Vantine's. Prices range from 25c to 40c.

Norida Loose Powder Compacts. New and very dainty \$1.50 each. Compacts in a large assortment of handy and neatly designed varieties. 45c to \$3 each.

(Ground floor.)



## "Maritime Maid" Candy Will Give Added Joy To The June Holiday

Take a package along with you on your holiday trip. You'll surely be delighted with the contents. Flavors are delicious and well assorted. Boxes are all sealed at the factory where candy is made, consequently candy receives less handling than most, and is perfectly free from dust and unsanitary exposure. A high grade confection. Only 60c lb.

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