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MADE MILLIONS BUT DIED POOR

Rev. Dr. Conwell, Baptist,
Earned \$11,000,000 on
Lecture Platform

Used all in Charity and Recently
Put Mortgage on His
Home

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 9.—The Rev. Dr. Russell C. Conwell, prominent Baptist clergyman, founder and president of Temple University, lecturer, author and philanthropist, who died this week, had earned more than \$11,000,000 on the lecture platform, but is believed to have died almost penniless, having given all his earnings to charity. Only recently he mortgaged his home and used the money for improvements at the Samaritan Hospital of which he was the founder. He also was the founder of Garretson Hospital in this city, and had been a large contributor to both institutions.

Dr. Conwell was often called the "penniless millionaire." He was said to have addressed more people as a public speaker than any contemporary at the time of his death.

\$400,000 FROM ONE LECTURE

He memorized 28 lectures, all of which he gave without notes, and had delivered his famous lecture, "Acres of Diamonds," 6,132 times, the first time being when he was 16 years old. From this lecture alone he earned approximately \$400,000. In addition to founding Temple University, of which he was president at the time of his death, and the Baptist Temple, he was the founder of two hospitals in this city, the Samaritan and Garretson.

Born in South Worthington, Mass., Feb. 15, 1848, he was educated at Williams Academy and Yale. Enlisting in the civil war as a captain in the 46th Massachusetts Infantry, he rose to the rank of colonel and was wounded. After the war he practised law and founded a newspaper in Minnesota. Entering the ministry in 1879, his first charge was at Lexington, Mass., where he remained for several years before moving to Philadelphia.

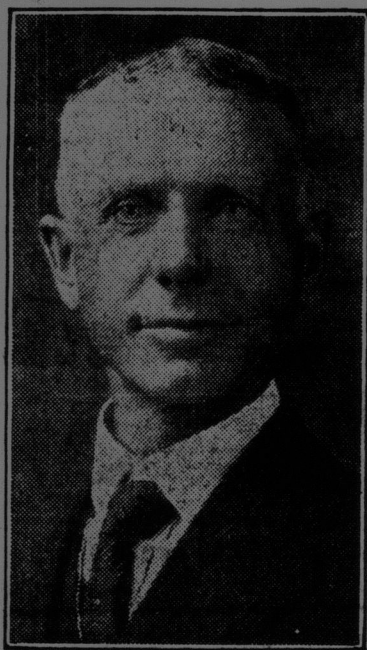
FUEL COMMISSION WILL INSPECT PORT

MONTREAL, Dec. 8.—Sir Andrew Rae Duncan, chairman of the Royal Commission, which is investigating Nova Scotia coal mining conditions and the members of the Commission arrived in Montreal tonight.

Announcement was made by the secretary tonight that there was to be no sitting of the Commission in Montreal, but that the purpose of the visit was to inspect the facilities for coal discharging in the port of Montreal. The Commission will spend two days in Montreal, and then return to Nova Scotia to resume the sittings.

Certain points arose in the course of the inquiry relative to the facilities afforded the British Empire Steel Corporation relative to the St. Lawrence coal trade, and it was deemed necessary that the Commission should have some first-hand information as to the manner in which Nova Scotia coal is handled on arrival in Montreal.

President Again



F. A. DYKEMAN.
City merchant, who has been re-elected President of Saint John Exhibition Association.

Another For George

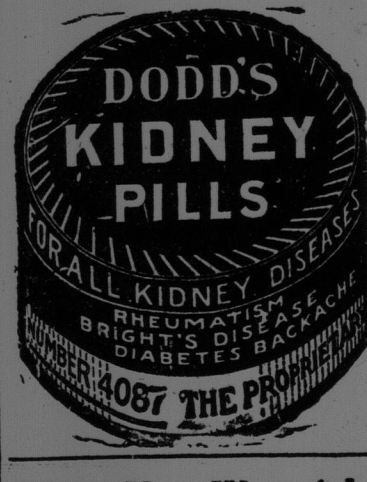
WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—A net gain of six yards while carrying the ball and a goal kick after a touchdown by one of his mates was Red Grange's only contribution to the 19-0 victory of the Chicago Bears over the Washington All-Stars in a professional football game here today.

LEWIS BEAT MUNN

DENVER, Colo., Dec. 9.—Ed Strangler Lewis, claimant to the world's heavyweight championship, defeated Wayne Big Munn here last night, two falls out of three. Lewis took the first fall, Munn the second after a lively session during which he tossed Lewis out of the ring. Lewis took the final fall after applying a series of crushing headlocks.

TRAINMEN TO ASK RAISE

WINNIPEG, Dec. 8.—Unanimity now exists between the divisions of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, according to A. Gray, western chairman of the Order of Railroad Conductors, C. P. R. The present agreement expires at the end of the month, and demands will be made on the railways of Canada and the United States for an average increase in wages of 10 per cent.



'Phone Your Want Ads.

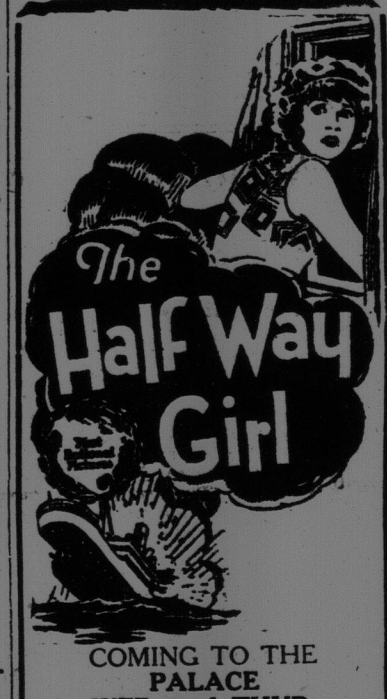
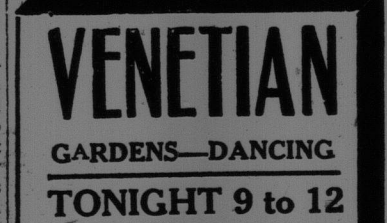
NAME OFFICERS FOR EXHIBITION ASSN.

Directors Discuss Preliminary
Plans For Holding 1926
Fair in Saint John

The Saint John Exhibition Association at its meeting last night in the office of Horace A. Porter elected officers as follows: President, F. A. Dykeman; vice-presidents, first, George D. Ellis; second, G. C. P. McIntyre; secretary-treasurer, Horace A. Porter. Additional members of the executive council were named as follows: F. S. Crosby, C. Dickason, A. E. Everett, A. L. Foster, Mrs. M. S. Lawrence, H. A. Porter, F. B. Schofield and E. J. Terry. Reports were received from the manager and assistant manager concerning their visits to the Royal Winter Fair and the meeting of the Canadian Association of Exhibitions in Ottawa. Preliminary plans were made for holding the 1926 fair and a committee was appointed to nominate committees for the different works to be undertaken in connection with next year's fair.

THE AMERICAN

(Ames Replier in Commonwealth)
The American... bears lightly the burden of human knowledge and of human pain. He is not looking for trouble at home and he is not lying awake at night because of trouble elsewhere. He needs coddling less than any man on earth, and he can bear plain speaking better.



MISSILES ARE HURLED ON ICE OVER DECISIONS

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formerly of Somerville High School, and Boston A. A. player, replaced him, and put up a strong game in the nets. Montreal reached the peak of its game early in the second period, when Noble and Broadbent scored the two Maroon goals in a matter of twenty seconds. But for the most of the game, the attack of Nelson, Stewart, Siebert and their mates, broke against the tough Boston defence.

Lou Marsh, of Toronto, stepped in with penalties when he had to. Much minor tripping and slashing went without official notice. Twelve penalties were handed out in all. Red Stuart, of Boston, was the leader no less than five visits to the bench, three of them



Consider This

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IN OFFERING SUITS AND OVERCOATS BY THE LOWMEDES COMPANY, MAKERS OF THE FAMOUS TWENTIETH CENTURY BRAND, WE ARE OFFERING THE VERY FINEST CLOTHES THAT MONEY CAN BUY. NOTWITHSTANDING THIS, THE DIFFERENCE IN THE FIRST COST, BETWEEN CLOTHES OF LOWMEDES QUALITY AND THOSE OF INFERIOR QUALITY, IS QUITE SMALL. INSPECTION AND COMPARISON IS INVITED.

A. GILMOUR,
Saint John, N. B.

Where Is Your Discard?

One by one, you discard the things you use, the things you wear, the things you work with, the things you play with. If you have an attic, you'll find up there things you discarded years ago. There's a dollar sign on each one of those things. Get them down. Dust them off. Advertise them for sale in the classified pages of The Times-Star.

N. H. L. STANDING.

| Teams | W | L | T | P |
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| Ottawa | 3 | 0 | 6 | 9 |
| Montreal | 3 | 2 | 13 | 10 |
| New York | 2 | 1 | 11 | 8 |
| Pittsburg | 2 | 2 | 4 | 4 |
| Boston | 2 | 4 | 9 | 15 |
| Canadiens | 1 | 3 | 7 | 12 |
| St. Patricks | 1 | 2 | 9 | 10 |

UNIQUE-Tonight

"SPORTING CHANCE"
Also "THE PACEMAKERS"

UNIQUE-Tomorrow

"The Wild Bull's Lair"

Also Comedy and Serial—"SUNKEN SILVER"

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