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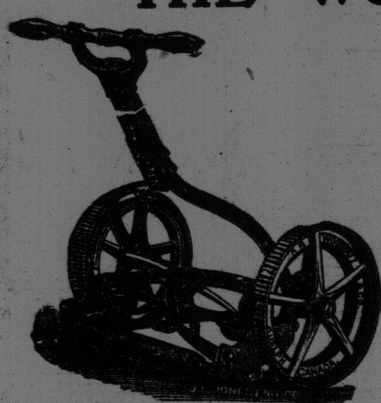
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MAINTENANCE OF NAVY MUST BE THE FIRST CONSIDERATION

Addressing Newspaper Men
Foreign Secretary Grey
Spoke Seriously on the
Necessity of Large Ex-
penditures—Statenlike
Speech

LONDON, June 8.—The second meeting of the Imperial Press Conference was held here today under the presidency of Reginald McKenna First Lord of the Admiralty. Foreign Secretary Grey also was present and both ministers spoke on the navy. "If the navy falls," declared the Foreign Secretary, "it will be useless to discuss any other subject." He called attention to the serious tone taken by Lord Roseberry in his recent speech to the newspaper men, and said he endorsed every word of his address. Continuing, Mr. Grey summed up the policy of the Foreign Office as follows: "To keep what we have got; to consolidate and develop and to quarrel as little as possible with other people and to uphold in the councils of the world the ideals of Great Britain. With so much at stake the maintenance of the navy must be the first consideration not only for the home government but for all the self-governing dominions of the empire."

In conclusion the Foreign Secretary said that the present excessive expenditures for armaments made the political weather "sultry." Mr. McKenna also spoke in a serious strain. He said he foresaw the possibility of the Empire being called upon to unite its whole strength in the common defence of the Home Country. He declared he would assist the development of the local navies of the Overseas Dominions in every way in his power as the maintenance of supremacy on all seas.

KILLED FROM AMBUSH AS HE RETURNED HOME

Five Shots Fired at Charles Freeman, Four
Taking Effect—Had an
Altercation

PITTSBURG, June 8.—While returning home from a picnic early today at Oakland Park near Uniontown, Pa., in company with Mrs. Fanny Rodgers, Charles Freeman was assassinated. Five shots were fired at him, four of which took effect, four of them taking effect. County Detective McBeth arrested Mrs. Rodgers on an alleged charge of being an accessory to the murder and she was committed to jail. An hour or so before the shooting Freeman is said to have had an altercation with a man who is now being sought by the authorities.

JACK LONDON SICK AT HONOLULU

Suffering from Six Diseases—May Sell
His Boat and Come Home

NEW YORK, June 8.—A Honolulu despatch to The Tribune, in a letter to Dr. E. S. Goodhue, of Honolulu, writes in a gloomy way of his physical condition. He mentions five different diseases from which he has suffered and tells of being relieved of two of them by operations in Sydney but he still has malaria fever while a nervous trouble has wrecked his strength and prevented him from doing any work. London says that the doctors understand one of his nervous diseases, but the others the ablest Australian specialist confesses he does not understand. London hoped when the operation was performed he would recover his nervous equilibrium but says that this mysterious malady when the attack comes makes him helpless. He expects to sell the Shark and come home at once.

FOUR WOMEN DROWNED WHEN AUTO UPSET AND TOPPLED INTO RIVER

KNIGHTS LANDING, Calif., June 8.—Mrs. W. F. Dixon and Mrs. J. H. Dungan, Miss Marie Dungan and Miss Julia Dungan, of Woodland, were drowned last night, when their automobile toppled into the Sacramento River. The chauffeur swam to a boat and was saved.

NEW YORK, June 8.—Wall Street—Opening dealings in stocks were active but the tone was decidedly irregular with an even distribution of gains and losses.

RAILWAY BOARD ON A VISIT TO P. E. I.

Conference in Charlottetown
and Summerside
Expert Will be Sent to Look Into the
Situation—What the Islanders
Want

CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I., June 8.—Fire broke out in the Queen Hotel here this morning, burning a portion of the roof in the west end. Twelve rooms in the upper story were put out of commission and the furniture destroyed. As there are sixty rooms in the building the fire will not seriously affect business. Proprietor Sterns expects to have everything in readiness again in a few days.

Yesterday the railway board held a conference with the Charlottetown Board of Trade. The latter asked for improvement in the western time table, a reduction in freight rates and the equalling of the three short haul systems of transportation of the Island with the continuous haul of the other provinces with which it is in competition. Chairman Butler said if the Islanders could agree on having one distributing port in the province then some changes could be made. He was anxious to improve the situation but there was a deficit of ninety thousand to be met. He promised to send a traffic expert to confer with the railway authorities here as to the sources of business for the road and the best means of concentrating and increasing it.

SPORTS WILL BE WELL CONTESTED

Intercollegiate Events To-
morrow
Fredericton Dissatisfied—Other Teams
are Strong—St. John Looks
Like a Winner.

Lively interest is being maintained in the intercollegiate sport series which will be held on the Victoria grounds tomorrow afternoon. Athletes from St. John, Moncton, Fredericton and other teams will participate in the events which promise to be exciting. The St. John representative is informed that at least three of the records will go "by the boards." To choose a winner of the series would be a difficult matter, as all the schools are expressing confidence in the ability of their representatives.

The Fredericton team is considerably depleted, only three representatives will attend. However, these have the reputation of being three of the fastest athletes at the capital. The Fredericton boys are dissatisfied over the treatment accorded them. They claim the place and date for the holding of the sports is by no means suitable. Nevertheless the capital trio are looking forward to capturing a number of firsts.

St. John's chances of success have attained the high water mark. The team is stronger than ever before. A 100 yards dash—St. John, Moncton; R. Stems, W. McQueen, Rothery; F. Smith and R. Smith, St. John; MacDonald, Fredericton.

220 yards dash—St. John, Moncton; MacDonald, Fredericton; R. Smith and F. Smith, St. John; St. John, R. Stems and W. McQueen, Rothery.

440 yards dash—St. John, Moncton; Finley and Cunningham, St. John; J. McKay and C. Violet, Fredericton; Atkinson and MacDonald, Fredericton.

120 yards hurdles—Armstrong, Lockhart, Moncton; C. M. Gilmour, R. Stems, Rothery; R. Smith and Finley, St. John; MacDonald, Fredericton. High Jump—Lean, Lockhart, Moncton; Teed and Gilmour, Rothery; Finley and Megarity, St. John, MacDonald and Barry, Fredericton.

Broad Jump—St. John, Moncton; F. Smith and F. Finley, St. John; R. Stems and H. Hall, Rothery, MacDonald, Fredericton.

Pole Vault—Lean, Lockhart, Moncton; H. Hall, H. B. Gilbert, Rothery; Cunningham and Donnelly, St. John; MacDonald, Fredericton.

CRIME AGAINST SOCIETY TO DEPRIVE CHILDREN OF PLAY

It Would Mangle Humanity
More to Exterminate Play
Than Religion—Unusual
Address at Educational
Conference

BUFFALO, June 8.—At the opening of the second day's session of the sixth annual conference on the education of backward, truant and delinquent children here this morning Rev. C. W. Skinner, superintendent of the Industrial Home School, of Washington, D. C., in an address on "The Effect of Play in the Development of a Child," made some rather striking comments upon the value of play. He said that play is too deeply ingrained among the instincts of the human race to be taken out of the constitution of children. "Exterminate play," said he, "and the residue will be an idiot—idiot do not play. It would mangle humanity more to exterminate play than religion or the instinct of procreation. Play is intrinsically good to the child with precedence over the family and the church. Next to the state which cares for life should come care for play. Suppress play and you have the weakened-faced cotton mill boy of the south and the coal-digger boy of Pennsylvania for the present generation, and devalued humanity for the following. But it is a crime against society to omit the proper direction of play. Properly directed, play makes captains of industry or master it promotes what make true captains—character."

NEW BANK BUILDING WILL BE VERY HANDSOME

Tenders for Bank of N. B. Branch on
Charlotte Street Will be Awarded
Tomorrow.

Tenders for the erection of the new branch of the Bank of New Brunswick on Charlotte street, closed yesterday with Architect Brodie. In all probability the successful tenderers will be made known tomorrow.

The new bank will be erected on the Matthews property at 25 Charlotte street and work will be started immediately at tearing down the present building. The contract will be a large one as the building will spare no pains to make the new institution one of the finest of its kind in St. John.

A large number of tenders have been received and a definite decision will be reached at a meeting today. The work will employ a large gang of men.

The new bank will be of stone and both exterior and interior will be finished most elaborately. The inside wood work and all fittings will be finished in Verde Antique. It is understood that the specifications call for a gallery in the back and an office up stairs. There will be a basement, which will be neatly fitted up. The electric lighting system in the new building will be especially elaborate.

The banking room will be illuminated by six Holophane lights in the centre of the ceiling. Around the sides elaborate brackets are to be placed of one and two lights each.

The main entrance hall will be adorned with a centre light. The entrance of the bank on Charlotte street will be fitted with two large outside lanterns, similar to those installed on King street. The telephone booth will be lighted automatically by the opening and closing of the door. The vaults are to be fitted with Tungsten lamps.

FUNERALS.

MRS. MAUD FOSTER.
The funeral of Mrs. Maud Foster took place at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon from her late home, Bridge street. Rev. Mr. Nobles conducted the services, and interment was in Cedar Hill cemetery.

MRS. JAMES HOYT.
The burial of Mrs. James Hoyt took place at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon from her late home, Exmouth street. Interment was in Fernhill cemetery, and the services were conducted by Rev. Geo. Titus and Rev. J. H. A. Anderson.

WM. S. MELLIDY.
The funeral of Wm. S. Mellidy took place at 1:30 o'clock from his late home, Wentworth street. The remains were taken to the cathedral, where Rev. Father Duke said Mass. Interment was in the new Catholic cemetery.

BIBLE CLASS ANNIVERSARY

The ladies of the Progressive Bible Class of the Victoria street United Baptist church held an anniversary meeting last evening. There were over forty of the members in attendance. Interesting addresses were delivered by Rev. B. N. Nobles and Rev. Mr. Bonnell. Refreshments were served at the close. The class was organized a year ago with thirty members. The membership roll has steadily increased and at present there are about sixty recorded. Mrs. Scott is the president and Mrs. Watts secretary of the class.

FIERY DUEL FOUGHT IN LISBON PARK

Participants are Prominent in Politics—
One Man Run Through
the Thigh.

LISBON, June 8.—Domago Centeno and Count Areneo, a former minister, fought a fiery duel with swords in a local park today. The cause of the dispute was political. Centeno is a friend of Dr. Jose Aguirre, chief of the progressive dissidents. Centeno finally ran his sword through his opponent's thigh and the encounter came to an end.

HAT FACTORIES ATTEMPT TO RESUME OPERATIONS

DANBURY, Conn., June 8.—For the first time since the inception of the hat strike on January 15 last against the removal of the hat factories from the city, the hat factories were opened in an attempt to resume work on the open shop basis. The number of the old employees who have returned to work is problematical as it is understood they intend to stand by the union. The confederates which were held yesterday afternoon and last night between the officials and active leaders of the United Hat Makers and Rev. Father Kennedy, and Rev. H. C. Meserve was continued today.

ANOTHER BANK CLEK IS AN EMBEZZLER

NEW HAVEN, Conn., June 8.—Charged with having taken funds of the bank, Frederick H. Brigham, head bookkeeper of the Merchants National Bank, this city, was arrested early today and held in \$10,000 bonds for the U. S. Court.

The amount named in the charge is \$3,000, but it is said the shortage will reach \$40,000. Brigham is about forty-seven years old and had been in the employ of the bank for eighteen years.

PRIZE FIGHT MAY LEAD TO SPECIAL LEGISLATION

GALVESTON, Tex., June 8.—The pugilistic encounter in Austin, in which Victor Lyons was so badly beaten in eleven rounds by Geo. Kepp that he died from his injuries, has aroused Governor Campbell who says he may within a few days call a third special session of the legislature to prevent further boxing in Texas.

BETROTHAL DENIED.

VERMONT, June 8.—There is no truth in the reports published in the local press of a betrothal between Miss Vandenberg and the Prince De Braganza. Official denial was given those rumors today.