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LOCAL NEWS  
The monthly business meeting of the King's Daughters' Guild will be held on Friday at 3.30 p. m.  
The North End Public Library will not be open today or tomorrow on account of some alterations that are being made.

Yesterdays morning Wm. Parks made good his escape from the chain gang. Carl Schultz was captured while attempting to escape. Schultz was serving a two months term for being and Parks was doing a year for theft. Schultz will be charged with escaping and runs a chance of a two-year term in Dorchester.

As a result of the Common Council's refusal to grant sufficient funds to the Horticultural Society few improvements will be made at the park during the present season. The customary amount of exterior work has been abandoned for lack of funds and the work of beautifying the various walks and paths will also suffer.

In yesterday's Royal Gazette the following appointments for the City and County of Saint John were announced:  
Herbert Mayes, James Moran, John S. Eaton, Harry H. Reid, Wm. A. Shaw, Edward Shillington and Frank Jessy, to be Justices of the Peace.

Proclamation has been issued by His Honor the Lieutenant Governor, that no licenses for the sale of liquor shall issue in Lunenburg, Nova Scotia, in this city after January 1, 1934. This is the formal announcement of the verdict of the electors at the local option plebiscite.

La Tour Section T. of H. will hold a big meeting tonight. There will be present the following officers:—S. E. Logan, chairman junior com. G. F. F. W. Blackhouse, G. W. U. T. Hanson, P. W. A. Officers will be installed.

Mr. C. T. Hanson in a letter from Champlain Section T. of H., Sussex, is informed that seven boys were initiated into the section on Tuesday evening. The work of temperance is being actively prosecuted. Debates are frequently held, and recently it was decided that financially the section is of no benefit to New Brunswick.

Arrangements are on foot for a joint meeting of the men's and women's Christian Clubs of St. John on the evening of May 18, in commemoration of Loyalist Day. It is proposed to meet in Keith's Assembly Rooms, where addresses will be given by Mrs. E. A. Smith and Rev. Dr. W. O. Raymond, and an attractive program of instrumental and vocal music transacted. The event will take the form of a New Brunswick evening and the speakers deal with subjects of pronounced interest. As usual, supper will be served. Members of both clubs are displaying keen interest in the meeting, which promises to be a great success.

The Sun learns that I. C. Prescott of Albert is about to sell his large property, consisting of timber lands, mill, residence, etc., at Albert, the prospective purchasers being a New York concern.  
It is said that a part of the timber area of G. D. Prescott, M.P.E., will also be included in the deal. It is reported that the purchase price reaches the vicinity of \$100,000. While the details may not be settled, it is understood the sale has practically been agreed upon.

A letter received yesterday from Mike (Twin) Sullivan states that he is presently visiting the province again this summer and is anxious to get on a boat with some good local men. Dan Littlejohn preferred. He claims that he can stop the local boxer inside of ten rounds. Littlejohn is of a different opinion and says that he is in fairly good condition now and by the time the Twin arrives from the Hub he feels that he could give him a good run for his money. Dan says that he was disappointed at not getting a chance to meet Sullivan last year and would only be too glad to get a chance at him.

Last night at the close of the weekly prayer meeting in the Congregational Church a social hour was spent as a farewell to Harry Upton, who leaves on Friday for Portland, Me., where he will supply a church during the summer. Lately Mr. Upton has been attending the Mt. Hermon Theological Seminary in Northfield, Mass. Last night there was a short programme in which the following took part: John McChesnan, Charles McChesnan, William McChesnan, James Bond, R. S. Coupe, J. W. Flewelling and Mr. Upton. A short address in farewell was given by Rev. S. W. Anthony, to which Mr. Upton briefly replied. Refreshments were served by the ladies of the Ladies' Aid Society.

THE sale of the Parisian Store, 47 Brussels St. will close Saturday night 11.30. Only three more bargain days left, so do not neglect it. Come at once and clothe yourself and family for half price. See our ad. on page 6.  
GREAT WHITEWEAR SALE AT M. R. A.  
Ladies will be pleased to learn that M. R. A.'s great sale of white underwear commences tomorrow morning. This is an annual event and invariably means such a feast of white underwear bargains that it is eagerly awaited. This sale will be no exception to the rule and a great abundance of good values are in readiness to be served to all who come. This exceptional money saving sale commences at 5 o'clock sharp in the Whitewear Department.

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THREE ENTRIES FOR SATURDAY'S MARATHON



SEASON'S PLANS ARE ELABORATE

In season last evening the sailing committee of the Westfield Outing Club formulated plans for the coming season. The programme as arranged is a splendid one and promises to surpass any previous season. The first race of the season takes place on Saturday, June 23.  
On July 24 a series of field sports will be carried out. Doubtless a large number of athletes will be on hand to take part, and interesting events will be forthcoming. On August 9 the members of the club will start a four days' cruise on the river. This feature will be greatly appreciated and those who participate will be assured of an enjoyable time.  
In forming the programme the committee has not forgotten the water sports and illuminated parade, which will be pulled off on August 14. It will be remembered that the parade last season resulted in one of the most magnificent sights ever witnessed on the river. An invitation will be extended to the members of the Royal Kennebec Yacht Club to take part in the day's fun.  
The complete programme for the season is as follows:  
June 23—First race, class A.  
July 1—Motor boats.  
July 31—Class B sail boats.  
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July 14—Motor boats' race in the evening at 7 o'clock.  
July 24—Field sports.  
July 31—Class B sail boats.  
August 8—Four days' cruise.  
August 14—Water sports and illuminated parade.  
August 21—Carter's Point trophy race.  
July 25—Class B sail boats.  
The residents of Woodman's Point have presented to the club for competition a splendid piece of plate.  
The prize will be known as the Woodman's Point plate and will be competed for by class A boats.  
Arthur Smalley has donated a cup for class B boats to be competed for three years in succession. Other prizes have been received from different members of the association.  
At last evening's meeting W. C. Littlejohn occupied the chair.  
In the near future the various committees of the association will get together and everything will be done to make the present season a banner one in every regard. The club's membership is steadily on the increase.

SHERRING HAS BECOME A PRO.

HAMILTON, Ont., May 5.—William Sherring, the winner of the Marathon at Athens in 1904, has turned professional. Many attempts have been made to get the little fellow to turn over, but none were successful until Charles Edridge, promoter of the Marathon in Montreal, May 24, saw him and induced him to sign to run in that race. The inducement offered is \$1,500 win or lose, with the same terms for a race within a month. This means a guarantee of \$3,000 for two races.

ALDERMAN'S BROTHER GOT THE CONTRACTS

MONTRÉAL, May 5.—Not much of sensational interest develops in the civic inquiry yesterday. Most of the day was spent in looking into the purchase and remodelling of No. 12 police station. For this remodelling Oscar Proux, brother of Ald. Proux, the successful tenderer, put in three tenders in different names. The most that could be got out of him was that this was his way of doing business, and that his brother had complained to him that he had got him into trouble over the matter.

BOSTONS DEFEATED IN A FAST GAME

NEW YORK, May 5.—In a fast and almost perfectly played game, New York defeated Boston, 2 to 0, today. Brockett pitched his second shut-out game of the season. Arrellano, for Boston, pitched well, but a pass to Cree in the first, two steals and Chase's single gave the locals one run. They made another in the eighth on hits by Blair and Brockett, Cree's sacrifice bunt and Keeler's fly to right. The visitors were unable to bunch their hits on Brockett, who telled his position finely and had nine assists.  
The score:  
New York.....00000000-0 0  
Boston.....10000000 1x-3 5 1  
Batteries—Arrellano and Spencer; Brockett and Blair. Umpires, Hurst and Evans. Time, 1:23.  
National League Games:  
At Pittsburgh—Pittsburg, 3; St. Louis, 5.  
At Brooklyn—Brooklyn, 8; Philadelphia, 2.  
At Boston—Boston-New York, wet grounds.  
At Chicago—Chicago, 5; Cincinnati, 2.  
American League Games:  
Pittsburg.....11 6 647  
Philadelphia.....8 5 815  
Boston.....8 5 815  
Cincinnati.....10 9 528  
Chicago.....9 8 599  
New York.....6 8 428  
St. Louis.....4 8 333  
St. Louis.....6 13 333  
American League Games:  
At Cleveland—Chicago, 6; Cleveland, 5.  
At St. Louis—Detroit, 3; St. Louis, 1 (ten innings).  
At New York—New York, 2; Boston, 0.  
At Philadelphia—Washington, 4; Philadelphia, 3.  
Eastern League Games:  
Jersey City.....6 3 667  
Providence.....5 3 625  
Rochester.....3 2 669  
Montreal.....5 5 500  
Toronto.....4 4 509  
Newark.....3 4 428  
Buffalo.....2 5 375  
Baltimore.....2 5 386  
Connecticut League Games:  
At Springfield—Springfield, 1; Bridgeport, 7.  
At Northampton—Northampton, 11; Holyoke, 6.  
At Hartford—Hartford, 2; Waterbury, 1 (eleven innings).  
New England League Games:

RAILWAY RAISES PECULIAR INTERNATIONAL QUESTION

WINNIPEG, May 5.—The Trainmen's Brotherhood has placed before Canada's Labor Department at Ottawa, an interesting international question. It appears that Great Northern trains running into Manitoba, run through North Dakota. The Union contends that this is contrary to the alien labor law, and that new trains must be made up on the Canadian side of the boundary.

G.N.R. TO GET ANOTHER STRETCH OF RAILWAY

TORONTO, Ont., May 5.—Application is being made to the railway commissioners for the amalgamation of the Alberta Midland Railway with the C. N. R. This line was built to establish communications between Calgary, Lethbridge and MacLeod and will be approximately five hundred miles long. The Alberta Midland was incorporated at the last session of the Alberta legislature and MacKenzie and Mann and other Canadian Northern officials were made provisional directors. Their charter covers lines inclusive of the province only.

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MISS SNOWBALL TO MARRY MR. CROCKER  
CHATHAM, N. B., May 5.—The engagement is announced of Miss Frances Snowball, eldest daughter of the late Lieut. Governor J. B. Snowball and Mr. Ernie S. Crocker, son of Timothy W. Crocker, of Newcastle, now residing in Sagua La Grande, Cuba, where he occupies an important position on the staff of the Royal Bank of Canada. Miss Snowball leaves on Friday accompanied by her friend Miss Matherwell, who is returning to her home in Scotland after a visit of several months in this province.  
The funeral of the late James Ford took place here this afternoon after the arrival of the special train containing the body from Blackville. The funeral was largely attended. The interment was in St. Michael's cemetery.

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Thursday evening, THE WIFE  
By David Belasco and Henry C. Demille.  
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Saturday evening, THE MILLIONAIRE DETECTIVE.  
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FIRE ALMOST WIPES OUT WESTERN TOWN  
NELSON, B. C., May 5.—Fire yesterday almost completely wiped out the little town of Westley, twenty-five miles west of here, on the boundary. Only two buildings were left, the office and cook house belonging to the Yale Columbia Lumber Company. The company's mill, valued at \$50,000, lumber valued at \$50,000 more as well as all employees' houses and other buildings belonging to the firm, were completely destroyed. The fire started from a refuse heap, the high wind carrying the sparks to dry sawdust and spreading to the mill and lumber yards. It broke out at the noon hour and reached the engine room before being discovered, rendering the pumps useless.

RED LETTER DAY FOR McDONALD COLLEGE  
MONTRÉAL, May 5.—June the third is to be the Red Letter Day in the annals of the MacDonald College, the institution Sir William MacDonald conceived at a cost of \$200,000 and endowed with \$200,000 for the teaching of agriculture and training of teachers, which is located at St. Anne de Bellevue. Though the institution has been running for over a year, there has not yet been a formal opening. This will take place on that day, when a special convocation of McGill University will be held there and honorary degrees of doctors of laws conferred on Hon. James Wilson, the United States secretary of agriculture; Dr. J. E. Russell, head of the Teachers' College of Columbia University; F. Pinchot, secretary of the American Forestry Association; Dr. D. McFichan, formerly chief veterinarian of the Dominion government; and Dr. James Robertson, formerly Canadian dairy commissioner, and now the head of the MacDonald College.