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Shipping Notes. The schooner Nettie Shipman left for Victoria on Friday morning for the Ohio river to load piling for New York.

West India steamship Dahomee left yesterday for Halifax and the Indies. The tug Lillie left last night for New York.

A CALIFORNIA GARDEN. From the San Francisco Chronicle. J. E. Huntington, who is building a country mansion on the old Shorby tract, eleven miles northeast of Los Angeles, is ransacking the earth for plants and shrubs to grace his beautiful grounds of 438 acres.

Mr. Clarence Tower will leave by the train for Austin this morning for the purpose of attending to the tower, and also Captain Amos Tower, attend the Tower reunion.

ST. PETER'S SHUT OUT FAIRVILLE IN THEIR FIRST GAME LAST NIGHT; NO SCORE IN SECOND AND THIRD

The first inter-society game of the season to go five full innings was played last evening between St. Peter's and Fairville A.O.H. It was the first meeting of the two teams. St. Peter's succeeded in shutting out the boys from over the bridge.

1st Inning: St. Peter's, 2; A.O.H., 0. St. Peter's did the best work of the game. Mahony pitched well. E. Mahony hit safely to centre field as an opener. C. McCormick went out, Downey to Fleming. J. Dever hit a smashing two-bagger.

4th Inning: St. Peter's, 6; A.O.H., 0. In the fourth, St. Peter's developed a scoring streak. E. Mahony opened again with a base hit to left. He stole second and was advanced to third when Fleming dropped the throw of C. McCormick's grounder.

LEWIS STARTS FOR HOME ON SATURDAY. Willie Lewis, the American middle-weight, fights his last battle abroad under his present contract with Angelo Saviouk at London.

DEFEAT OF FERGUSON EXPECTED. The defeat Saturday night in Paris of Sandy Ferguson by Joe Jeannette in the coolie trade is expected, though in the meagre information received it appears Joe merely won on a decision.

U.N.B. TRACK TEAM CHOSEN YESTERDAY. The athletic council at the U. N. B. met this morning and a team to represent the U. N. B. at the intercollegiate sports this week at Moncton was chosen as follows: Brooks (captain), Williams, Armstrong, Dever, Kinghorn, Johnston, Robinson, Spicer, McNair, Desdes and Connolly.

PITTSBURG STRENGTHENS POSITION

National League. Boston, Mass., May 25.—McCarthy held Pittsburgh to five hits today but two were home runs and these, with Boston's errors, enabled the visitors to win from the locals, by a score of 6 to 2, making Boston's ninth straight defeat.

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N.S. INTERSCHOLASTIC MEET HELD YESTERDAY; COLLEGE POLE VAULT RECORD

Woolville, N. S., May 25.—The first Nova Scotia interscholastic track meet which was to be held here yesterday was postponed until today.

The results of the meet are: 100 yard dash—1st, Atkins, H. C. A.; 2nd, Hanford, Halifax; 3rd, Cameron, Pictou. Time 18 seconds.

Chicago, May 25.—James J. Jeffries has received a letter from Hugh McIntosh, the Australian fight promoter, who is in England, asking him to refrain from closing a match with Jack Johnson for the world's championship.

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THE SNAKE A FRIEND OF THE FARMER. (Pharos in Toronto Globe.) Last summer I offered to young readers of the Circle a prize of a horse for the best account of Canadian snakes and their habits.

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BOOK TAUGHT BILKINS. A comic strip illustration showing a man reading a book titled 'WIRELESS TELEGRAMS' and another man talking to him. The man with the book says 'I HAVE HERE COMES ONE NOW. IT'S A MARINE MESSAGE. MONTREAL SAYS SEND CUT TO THE BATTLE SHIP OHIO 3000 TONS ONCE.' The other man replies 'WELL, I'VE RIGGED A WIRELESS NOW I'LL HAVE A RATTLING GOOD TIME STEALING MESSAGES.' The man with the book says 'AND HERE COMES ANOTHER MESSAGE—THIS IS INDEED, TOLL.' The other man replies 'WHAT? COPPER COINED EIGHT POINTS?' The man with the book says 'AND I BOUGHT 50 SHARES ONLY YESTERDAY WITH MORNINGS.' The other man replies 'WELL, I'VE RIGGED A WIRELESS NOW I'LL HAVE A RATTLING GOOD TIME STEALING MESSAGES.'

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