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THE WEATHER
Showery. Local blizzard, Friday fresh westerly to northerly winds, fair.

TIMMERMAN MUCH IMPRESSED WITH THE POSSIBILITIES AT MINTO
C. P. R. Industrial Agent At Inspection of Coal Areas, Talks of Possibilities of Minto-Gibson Railway—Several Surveys Have Been Made.

That the coal areas at Minto, Queens county, are much greater than is generally supposed and that a considerable increase in the output would result from better railway facilities, is the opinion expressed by H. P. Timmerman, industrial agent of the C. P. R., who arrived in the city last evening, after a visit to that section of the country.

Mr. Timmerman said he had been much impressed with the possibilities at Minto with the enormous extent of the coal areas and with the good quality of the output. He thought that if a railway was built from Minto to Gibson along the line of surveys that had been made that a great impetus would be given to the mining. There was no doubt, he thought, that the coal could be disposed of in Fredericton.

FORT WILLIAM RIOTERS ARE SENT TO PRISON
Four are Sentenced for Terms of Seven or Nine Months

Fort Arthur, Ont., Aug. 26.—(Special) Convicted riotous and disorderly conduct in connection with the recent strike trouble at Fort William, four men were sentenced to the central jail, under the name of McKay yesterday as follows: Tom Panagros, seven months; John Pelarbo, seven months; Charles A. King, seven months; and Thomas Timmer, seven months.

FRANCE AND THE AMERICAN TARIFF
Paris, Aug. 25.—M. Dupuy, minister of commerce, today received the officers of a commission from the French Trade Union Council who called attention to the grave apprehensions existing in the commercial world on account of the new American tariff.

DOWN TO FINALS IN TENNIS MATCH
Newport, R. I., Aug. 26.—Under bright skies and after an enormous gallery, the final match in the 29th all-comers tournament for the tennis championship of the United States, was started this morning on the specially-prepared court at the famous casino, the contenders being William J. Claborn of Philadelphia, a former champion, and Maurice F. McLaughlin, the young champion of the Pacific coast and the nationalistic champion.

HELD FOR TRIAL
New York, Aug. 25.—Sterling Birmingham, the discharged loan clerk of the Windsor Trust Company, under arrest on a charge of having received \$250,000 commission from a broker in connection with the Joyce-Heine corporation, was held for trial in the police court today and was held in \$500 for trial. His counsel furnished the bail.

WALL STREET TODAY
New York, Aug. 26.—Wall Street—the stock market continued today to suffer from the effect of liquidation, 15,000 shares of Union Pacific at the opening selling at from 203 1/2 down to 202 1/2, compared with 205 1/2, yesterday's closing. Losses reaching a point or more showed in many other representative stocks, including Y. C. Reading, Southern Pacific, Great Northern pfd., the ore certificates, Erie Consolidated Gas, Colorado Fuel and National Lead.

MAY HAVE SUNDAY TRAIN SERVICE ALL WINTER
It is thought to be likely that the Sunday C. P. R. train is here to stay, and that it will be continued summer and winter. After next Sunday the branch connections will be discontinued, but the main line trains will be continued.

TORONTO HAS HOTTEST DAY IN MANY YEARS
Ninety-six Above, a Number of People are Prostrated

ONE MAN KILLED
Horse's Kick Ends Robert O'Brien's Life—Aged Woman Dies on Way to Funeral of Friend—Notes of Canadian News

Toronto, Aug. 26.—(Special)—Yesterday was not only the hottest day of the season here, but also the hottest Toronto has known since 1840. The observatory thermometer at 2 p. m. registered 96 degrees. The hottest previous day this season was Aug. 8 when the thermometer went to 93.

MANY FLOWERS FOR PYTHIAN GRAVES
Warm Response to Knights' Annual Request—The Decoration Today.

The annual memorial day observance of the Knights of Pythias is being held this afternoon. The three local lodges with the two companies of the uniform rank, headed by the Artillery Band, left the hall, Germain street, about 2 o'clock, and marched via Germain and Princess streets to Charlotte street, where two columns filled with flowers were taken in line and the procession then proceeded by the usual route to the cemeteries where the graves of the departed members are being decorated and appropriate services held.

TWELVE LASHES FOR WIFE BEATER IN WINNIPEG
Winnipeg, Man., Aug. 26.—(Special)—Hon. T. A. Daly, Winnipeg's police magistrate, has a long believer in the lash for men who beat their wives, but yesterday was the first time he included this in the sentence for such offence.

MONTREAL STOCKS
Montreal, Que., Aug. 26.—(Special)—Dom. Steel was a feature in today's stock trading. It closed at 45 1/8 yesterday, weakened from 45 to 44 1/2, but later rallied to 45, while Pfd. was firm at yesterday's advance to 121 1/4. Duluth Superior was easier at 64 1/2 to 65, as was Illinois at 94 5/8. Other features were Montreal Town at 14 to 12 5/8; Pacific 105 1/2; Rubber, 95.

LATHAM TODAY AFTER RECORD IN AIR MADE BY PAULHAM
Looks Like Winner of Speed Contests at Rheims—A Spirited Chase Above Ground at Rheims This Morning—Twelve Machines Flitting About.

Latham Aviation Fields, Rheims, Aug. 26.—The fifth day of aviation week was ushered in with ideal weather conditions. The light breeze and overcast sky brought the flyers out early and before noon no less than a dozen machines, like huge gulls were circling above the plain.

Latham First Away
Latham, in a beautiful monoplane, was the first to get away. He announced his intention to make a genuine effort to beat Paulham's record for the endurance for the prize made yesterday. 2 hours, 33 minutes and 24 seconds. Latham started flying at a great height. Sommer, Cockburn, Bureau-Varilla, Delagrang and Glenn H. Curtis followed Latham into the air.

Latham's Nose Broken
Fournier was about with a broken nose this morning. He received many congratulations on his narrow escape of yesterday.

GOULD'S WIFE ALLOWED TO MARRY AGAIN
Will Retain Name of Mrs. Frank J. Gould She Says—The Divorce Result

New York, Aug. 26.—The important part which the millions of Frank Gould played in the recent divorce which his wife, Helen Kelly Gould, obtained, comes to light through the admission of her attorney, Herbert C. Smyth.

ENROLL BOYS AGAINST THE CIGARETTE
St. John Woman, Secretary of Massachusetts League, Talks

MRS. E. R. WHITE
Tells Times About About Work Being Carried on—Co-Operation of Clergy and Medical Men of State Enjoined

Mrs. Elizabeth Reud White, formerly of this city, but for the last fourteen years a resident of United States, who is spending a holiday with her mother, Mrs. I. W. Holder, Main street, is now state secretary of the Massachusetts Anti-Cigarette League, an organization founded in 1906, and to a Times reporter Mrs. White evoked some interesting facts regarding the league, its work and progress.

FREE SPEECH TO BE BARRED FROM SALE ON P. E. ISLAND NOW
Any Sent Will be Seized and Vended—Restored—Schooner Ashore at Bonne Bay, Nfld.—Matters Appear to be Tangled

Charlottetown, P. E. I., Aug. 26.—(Special)—Acting on advice of the attorney-general, Mayor Prowse has instructed Marshall Cameron to seize any copies of Free Speech offered for sale, and to advise any vendors. The names of correspondents are in possession of the authorities, who are contemplating action against them.

FAKIRS AT CIRCUS SENDS PICTURE
MADE SOME MONEY IN FREDERICTON RECEIVED AS GIFT FROM PATRICK

Fredericton, N. B., Aug. 26.—(Special) Fakirs, who pretended to be selling second seat tickets for the Norris & Rows circus, separated quite a number of unsuspecting people from their cash here yesterday. A man from New Maryland, who consented to exchange some large bills for others of smaller denominations was out \$30 on the transaction. An attempt to work the game on several well known citizens resulted in failure.

ONE MAN LOST \$30—TWO HUNDRED NEW PUPILS AT SCHOOL TODAY
Fredericton, N. B., Aug. 26.—(Special) The city schools re-opened this morning with a large attendance. Permits for 200 new pupils have been issued by the trustee board. Miss Edith Davis, late of Moncton, joined the high school teaching staff in excess of A. S. C. F. L. S. E. staff in the Normal School. Miss McDougall, of Shediac, succeeds Miss Richardson in the model school.

POLICE IN MAKING ARRESTS NOT BE INTERFERED WITH
Admission to refuse from interfering with policemen during an arrest were delivered by Judge Ritchie this morning in dwelling on the arrest of Harry McDonald for intoxication and Philip Graham for interference and intoxication last evening. McDonald and Graham both asserted that they were under the influence of liquor. However, Policeman McCollom testified that he espied McDonald struggling with a friend and shouting at the corner of Brussels and Clarence streets, last evening. He placed him under arrest and at the look-up Graham, he said, heaped abuse on the policeman. He was eventually arrested also.

MAN DIES IN AMHERST, N. S.
Amherst, N. S., Aug. 26.—(Special)—Diados Comeau, a brakeman on the hunter of the I. C. R., at this station, died at Highland View hospital this morning following an operation for appendicitis. He was operated on a day or two ago, but it was then seen by the doctors that there was no hope for him. He was a young married man belonging to Moncton, and is survived by wife and one child. The body will be taken to Moncton for burial.

BANK OF ENGLAND
London, Aug. 26.—The weekly statement of the Bank of England shows the following changes: Total reserve, increased £215,000, circulation, increased, £10,000; bullion, increased £234,192; other securities, decreased £231,190; other deposits, increased £433,000; public deposits, decreased £221,000; government securities unchanged. The proportion of the bank's reserve to liability this week is 33.11 per cent; last week it was 32.54 per cent.

STEAMERS ANNOUNCED FOR FIRST EIGHT WINTER SAILINGS
The C. P. R. will have the same number of sailings as last year, and will operate the same services as in the 1908-1909 season. The first eight sailings of the passenger steamers between St. John and Liverpool are as follows:—

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