

PORT NEWS OF A DAY: HOME AND ABROAD

WILLING.

Games Last Evening.

In the Wellington League last evening a Purdy Ice Cream took four points on the Schofield Paper Company. The winners totaled 1227 and the losers 1148. In the Clerical League, S. Hayward & Co. took three points from Waterbury & Co. The winners totaled 1332 and the losers 1226. In a postponed game B. P. & W. F. Starr, Waterbury & Co. took three points. The winners totaled 1332 and the losers 1226. In the McAvity League, the team from R. A. P. took all four points from Waterbury & Co. The winners totaled 1332 and the losers 1226. In the Commercial League, the Sugar Line, took all four points from G. E. Poulter. The winners totaled 1332 and the losers 1226. In the Garrison League, the 6th Siege took three points from the Eagles. The winners totaled 1227 and the losers 1148. In the C. O. C. The winners totaled 1199 and the losers 1160. The R. C. O. C. took all four points from the 10th Battery. The winners totaled 1332 and the losers 1226. In the Inter-Society League the K. of C. took all four points from the A. H. The winners totaled 1220 and the losers 1163.

YTBALL.

British Rugby.
London, Dec. 12.—Rugby games played resulted as follows:
Worship 14, Cambridge University 0.
Aber 5, Oxford University 2.

ALL.

Cincinnati Gets Vitt.

London, Dec. 12.—The transfer of Oscar third baseman, from the Boston Red Sox to the Cincinnati Nationals on a waiver price was announced at the headquarters here. Vitt came from Detroit several years ago. He was a substitute last season. H. H. Frazee of the Red Sox returned to New York today without having had any negotiations of interest in connection with the sale of Vitt, it was understood.

Bout Not Barred.

(New York Times)

A Leonard-Britton bout has not been barred in New Jersey, according to a statement issued yesterday by Robert H. Herty, Chairman of the New Jersey Athletic Commission. The statement said: "Erroneous reports have been circulated to the effect that Leonard-Britton, lightweight champion of the world, will not be allowed to box in New Jersey because of some alleged order of suspension barring the said bout. It is false in every particular. So far as the New Jersey Commission is concerned Leonard and Britton have not been barred in this State. The commission has ruled that the said Leonard-Britton bout could not be barred at the Newark Armory until the commission has been furnished adequate police protection to protect the fans who would be attracted by this bout. We want no Leonard-Kansas bout promoted by a same man."

Downey Wins.

New Orleans, Dec. 12.—Bryan Downey, Cleveland, (O.), tonight stopped Harry Littleton, of New Orleans, in the round of a scheduled 15-round bout. Downey weighed 137 3/4 pounds and Littleton 160 1/2.

CEKEY.

Manitoba League.
Winnipeg, Dec. 12.—The Winnipeg Falcons, 7 to 4, in the opening of the Manitoba senior amateur league here last night.

Victoria Victorious.

Vancouver, B. C., Dec. 12.—Victoria led in the Pacific Coast Hockey game last night when they took a 2 to 1 victory from Vancouver.

Forbes Suspended.

Toronto, Dec. 12.—Failure of Vernon Forbes, star goalie of the St. Patrick's team to terms with the club, brought out his suspension yesterday. It is possible that he will be traded to Milton if St. Patrick's can secure in exchange a good forward player. They did take Carey or Arbour. Roach

will be the Irishmen's regular net guardian and he will make his first appearance as a professional against Canadians at the arena on Saturday night.

JOHN R. ROACH.



Of Toronto Granites, reputed to be the star goal keeper of the O. H. A., who has turned professional and joined the St. Patrick's N. H. L. Team of Toronto. His contract calls for \$2,500 a year for two years. He comes from Port Perry.

CAMERA TO HELP SAVE COAL.

New Moving Pictures of Furnaces in Operation an Aid to Science.

Savings in coal consumption may be effected through the instrumentality of the motion picture camera, it was said at a meeting of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers in New York. The camera has been used to record the phenomena of combustion in big furnaces at a range so close that the eye could not withstand the heat long enough to make the necessary observations. Motion pictures of coal combustion taken under the highest temperatures were exhibited by R. Sanford Riley, manufacturing associate of the inventor of a special camera designed to make pictures in blast furnaces, glass furnaces, gas and other similar plants. Professor A. G. Christie, of Johns Hopkins University, condemned "quantity production" in American colleges, and said that a survey of the plants of his company would show that "our educational institutions are developing young men of reliability for the industry." Prof. Christie quoted Dean F. L. Bishop of the University of Pittsburgh as having said that there was no first class engineering school in America. He said that all will be that left by the death of Hon. Thomas Crothers. Various names are mentioned, including that of Duncan Ross, ex-member for West Middlesex, but a strong sentiment is making itself manifest in Ottawa for appointing a man of Ontario to the position. It is asserted that an Ottawa map should be appointed.

NAMES HEARD IN CONNECTION WITH SENATE VACANCY.

(Special to Times)

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Alarm Clock Substitute.

Wife—"That new girl sleeps like a log, and I never can get her up in the morning."

Husband—"At the baby sleep with her."—Spare Moments.

SIMON'S
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CIGARS

QUALITY
HARD TO BEAT
Montreal, Canada

OPERA HOUSE

Matinee 2.30; Evening 7.20 and 9.

5 Acts of Refined

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Hart and Dymond

Presenting Clever Dance Ideas.

COMEDY and PATHE NEWS

REPORT ON RYAN INVESTIGATION

(Continued from page 4)

In the fall of last year the company began making pipe and in May of the present year, the work of trenching and pipe laying was begun. It should be borne in mind that it was not until after the company had refused to renege Mr. Ryan that these charges were made. In his testimony, Mr. Ryan stated that when pipe making commenced he was in full charge of the work, superintending and directing the operations and there was in a better position than anyone else in the employ of the company to know whether the methods employed and the material used would enable the company to execute its contract with the city in a satisfactory manner. So far as the members of this committee and the public generally are concerned, Mr. Ryan, if he had any reason to believe, that the contractors were making pipe of an inferior character, or were not doing the work in accordance with their agreement, kept these opinions to himself for, as already stated, he did not make any complaint until months after he quitted the work. Mr. Terry swore that his relations with the city council were only those of a salesman and a prospective customer and stated emphatically that not one of his commission went to anyone connected in any way with the awarding of the contract. Mr. Terry is a reputable business man holding a prominent place in the business life of this city. His statement voluntarily made under oath and no charges have been made that have not been answered by the above statements. If any responsible person, or persons, have specific charges to make that any member of the city council was unduly influenced by Mr. Terry, or others acting in his behalf, in respect of this contract, and are prepared to submit evidence in support of such charges, this committee will promptly and fully investigate the same. After a careful review of the evidence and after due deliberation the committee have come to the conclusion that the charges have not been substantiated. The committee, upon the suggestion of a member of the committee, has handed in the following statement, which speaks for itself. "In the matter of the investigation by the committee of the Common Council of the City of Saint John into the charges preferred by one John P. Ryan regarding the performance of the construction by Canada Lock Joint Pipe Co., Ltd., of a water main from Spruce Lake to Manchester's Corner. I, Charles J. Bruce, of Manawagonish road, County of St. John, Province of New Brunswick, do solemnly and sincerely declare and state as follows: That I am manager of Canada Lock Joint Pipe, Limited, and have been present at the construction and laying of said water main, and have a full knowledge of the matters and fact hereinbefore stated. That a correct and accurate daily statement of the amount of cement used by said company in the construction of the concrete pipe for the said water main was kept, and attached hereto is a statement and correct statement marked A and initialed by me, showing the barrels of cement used and yards of concrete poured to the end of each month, and also the barrels of cement used and the concrete poured during each month, and also the total average amount of cement

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In each yard of concrete poured each month.

And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and knowing it is of the same force and effect as if made under oath, and by virtue of the Canada Evidence Act. (Signed) C. J. BRUCE. Declared to at the City of Saint John, Province of New Brunswick, on the twenty-fifth day of November, A. D. 1921, before me.

(Sgd.) JOHN B. JONES, Justice of the Peace, City of St. John.

To date

Month	Barrels used	Concrete poured	Avg. Yards
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Total barrels	27,908 1/2	11,856.04	2.25
Grand average			2.25

LAST OF LONDON'S OLD FIRE HORSES

London, November, 29th (By Mail).—The official ceremony of parting with the last two horses of the London fire brigade took place yesterday outside the High street (Kensington) fire station. The horses, "Goodbye" and "Goodnight," were inside, where the children of the firemen, who live in the station, fed and cared for them until the last time. They were served at the front with a Lancer regiment.

The spectators yesterday formed a long queue outside the station to give room for the fire-engines to appear. Major or Simmons, chairman of the London County Council, who was standing with A. R. Dyer, chief officer of the London fire brigade, and Colonel E. Ball, chairman of the Fire Brigade Committee of the L. C. C., pressed the station fire-bell, and there was a race between the old and new—horses and motors. The fire escape was first down the slope into the High-street, followed by two motors, while amid the noise and "good-byes" were said inside, where the children of the firemen, who live in the station, fed and cared for them until the last time. They were served at the front with a Lancer regiment.

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The average number of calls at the High street station is 6,000 a year. There were sometimes 83 calls a day during the very hot weather. The station staff consists of 42 men, and an officer in charge.

SAFETY OF MILK ASSURED

Science has come to our aid, showing us how to secure absolutely safe milk.

That way is Pasteurization

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NO TINKERING WITH THE CABINET, SAYS MR. DRURY

Toronto, Dec. 12.—"This is the first time the rumor has been called to my attention," Premier Drury said, speaking of a report that he is planning to reorganize his cabinet and to seek the support of some legislators outside the present farmer-labor alliance. "You may say that the matters has not even been discussed," added the premier.

MARINE NOTES.

The steamer Manchester Port sailed last night for Manchester, via Halifax.

She will take on a cargo of apples at the Nova Scotia port.

Medicine Hat's Mayor.

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