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M IS only nominal changes from the preceding week. The Bank of France reported a $2,000,000 gold increase, and a reduction of discounts and advances.

The bond market was weak some issues falling a full point. Total sales par value amounted to $1,610,000. United States government bonds were unchanged on call.

### FARM LABORERS.

Three thousand left the Maritime Provinces on the first excursion August 12th. Inquiries indicate that about the same number will leave on the second excursion on August 28th. The West is calling for many thousands and helpers, and several months of employment is promised at good wages.

### MONTREAL TRAFFIC REGULATIONS DISCUSSED

Ottawa, Aug. 22.—Acting Premier Perley yesterday afternoon received a delegation from the shipping federation and Dominion marine association who discussed with him traffic regulations in the port of Montreal. Among the points discussed were the rates charged for the harbor privileges and means for greater safety in handling ships.

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# N. B. TENNIS TOURNAMENT YESTERDAY

The New Brunswick Tennis tournament was resumed on the Rothesay courts yesterday morning.

The players are experiencing the best of weather for playing, and the matches which are witnessed by a large number of spectators are proving very interesting.

The following were the results yesterday:

**Mixed Doubles.**

Miss V. Hazen and C. Inches won from Miss L. Fisher and J. L. Loggie—1-3, 6-0.

Mrs. R. Thomson and J. Chipman won from Miss M. E. Robertson and Rev. Mr. Hubbard—6-2, 6-2.

**Ladies' Singles.**

Miss K. Schofield won from Mrs. R. A. Armstrong—6-3, 4-6, 6-2.

Miss K. Schofield won from Miss B. D. Macaulay—6-3, 3-6, 6-2.

**Men's Singles.**

Dr. Bigelow won from W. A. Harrison—6-0, 6-2.

Rev. George Wood won from S. Gregory—6-2, 6-1.

T. H. Bagg won from Dr. Bigelow—7-9, 6-3, 6-3.

**Ladies' Singles.**

Miss M. E. Robertson won from Mrs. J. R. Thomson—6-8, 6-1, 6-3.

Miss K. Schofield won from Mrs. R. A. Armstrong—6-3, 4-6, 6-2.

Miss K. Schofield won from Miss Macaulay—6-3, 3-6, 6-1.

Miss K. Schofield won from Mrs. H. C. Schofield—6-1, 6-0.

Miss M. E. Robertson won from Miss F. Hazen—8-6, 7-5.

**Ladies' Doubles.**

The Misses Hazen won from Miss McAvity and Miss Purdy—6-2, 2-6, 6-2.

The Misses Robertson won from the Misses Hazen—6-1, 6-2.

**Mixed Doubles.**

Mrs. Thomson and J. H. Chipman won from Miss M. E. Robertson and Rev. W. R. Hibbard—6-2, 6-2.

Miss K. Hazen and C. F. Inches won from Miss Babbitt and N. Rogers—6-2, 6-4.

Miss K. Schofield and T. McAvity won from Mrs. J. Wood and Rev. George Wood—6-2, 3-6, 8-6.

**Men's Doubles.**

W. R. Turnbull and J. H. Chipman won from H. E. Bigelow and Rev. George Wood—6-4, 6-2.

C. F. Inches and T. McAvity won from E. C. Weyman and E. Evans—6-0, 6-4.

**Men's Singles.**

H. E. Bigelow won from W. A. Harrison—6-0, 6-2.

Boggs won from Bigelow—7-9, 6-3, 6-3.

Rev. George Wood won from S. Gregory—6-2, 6-2.

Boggs won from Rev. George Wood—6-2, 2-6, 6-0.

Chipman won from Rogers—6-4, 6-2.

The schedule for today is as follows:

9.30 a. m.—Mrs. Clinch and Mrs. K. Schofield vs. Mrs. Babbitt and Miss Babbitt.

9.45 a. m.—Miss K. Hazen and C. F. Inches vs. Mrs. J. R. Thomson and J. H. Chipman.

11.45 a. m.—Winners of Miss Hazen-Mrs. Thomson match vs. Miss K. Schofield and T. M. McAvity.

2 p. m.—C. F. Inches and T. M. McAvity vs J. H. Chipman and W. R. Turnbull.

Miss K. Schofield vs. Miss M. E. Robertson.

4.30 p. m.—Boggs vs. Chipman.

Winners of Mrs. Clinch-Mrs. Babbitt match to play the Misses Robertson.


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# WOODSTOCK SHUTS OUT GREEKS; CAPITALS DEFEAT HOULTON

Special to The Standard.

Woodstock, Aug. 22.—The tail-enders fought valiantly this afternoon to keep out of the cellar and the locals were the successful team, shutting out the Marathons and tallying five scores themselves. Winter and Hanley were the opposing pitchers with the latter having a little the best of the argument, the former striking out four, while Hanley struck out six. Nine hits were made off Winter and five off Hanley. The Colts played the snappiest game of the season and with a fair break of luck they should give the leaders a run for the pennant. The only two errors against them was a bad throw of Hanley and a miss of a hot liner by Duff. The Colts pulled off a nice double steal, Callahan and Stone doing the trick.

The Marathons had two fair opportunities to score, in the fifth McGovern bunted and Hanley's wild throw made him safe. Riley flied to Callahan White was walked. McGovern tried to steal third unsuccessfully, while O'Brien struck out. In the sixth Fraser was thrown out at first. Pinkerton hit but was caught at second. O'Donnell reached first on an error and Dutton struck out. O'Donnell played for the Marathons, and got everything that went in his territory, but although a heavy hitter ordinarily, he did nothing at the bat.

The game was delayed a few minutes by a collision between Riley and White, both being after Black's sacrifice fly in the third, which was lost. White pluckily played out the game although he was hurt considerably.

The following is the score and summary of the game:

**Marathons.**

| | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| O'Brien 3rdb | 4 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Fraser lf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Pinkerton 2ndb | 4 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 1 |
| O'Donnell rf | 4 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Dutton 1stb | 4 | 0 | 0 | 12 | 0 | 1 |
| McGovern c | 4 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 0 |
| Riley ss | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 1 |
| White cf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Winter p | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 |
| Total | 33 | 0 | 5 | 24 | 13 | 4 |

**Woodstock.**

| | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Black cf | 4 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Williams 3rdb | 4 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 0 |
| Duff 1stb | 3 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 1 |
| Perley lf | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Stone c | 3 | 1 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 0 |
| Lamorey rf | 4 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Callahan 2ndb | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 0 |
| Doherty ss | 4 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Hanley p | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 |
| Totals | 32 | 5 | 9 | 27 | 10 | 2 |

Score by innings:

| | |
|---|---|
| Woodstock | 00300101x—5 |

Batteries—Winter and McGovern; Hanley and Stone. Umpires, Steve White and Harry Delano. First base on balls, off Hanley 1. Struck out, by Winters 4; by Hanley 6. Hit by pitcher, Fraser.

FREDERICTON, 5; HOULTON, 2.

Special to The Standard.

Fredericton, Aug. 22.—Fredericton won a game from Houlton today which the local fans believe will have a lot to do with finally settling the N. B. and Maine league championship.

Today's victory gives the Pets a lead of seven games over the Houlton club, and the supporters of the Fredericton club believe that the Pets will never be caught before the league season ends, on Sept. 7th.

One of the largest crowds of the season turned out for the game and so great was the excitement among the fans that it seemed as if they left the championship hinged on the outcome of the game. At that it proved a good game to watch, and the big crowd were delighted over the outcome.

Frank Harrington did the pitching for the Fredericton club, and the Wakefield boy stuck to his work in his always cool manner, getting better as the game went along. He allowed only six hits and kept them well scattered.

Martini, who beat the Fredericton club two games in successive days last week, did the twirling for the Houlton team, and he also pitched a good game, allowing only six hits. The Pets worked their hits in at opportune times mixing them up with the Houlton club's errors. Watt's inability to head off the Fredericton base runners was also a factor in the result, of Pets pilfering five sacks during the afternoon, including a double steal by Ganley and Duggan.

Red Wildes, the Fredericton club's infielder, was the star performer of the afternoon in the field, he accepted all of the ten chances offered him; only his remarkable throws across the diamond making some of the outs possible. Dodo Fitzgerald's all-around work was also a feature, particularly his throwing to bases as he pegged out McElwee and Hammond in succession in the fourth inning when the Reds made their only attempts to steal any bases. Duggan and Finnamore were the busiest of outfielders, and handled their four chances apiece in finished fashion.

Umpire Duffy had troubles of his own, being knocked out for a few minutes by one of the balls which hit him while working behind the plate. His work, however, was generally satisfactory to both teams although the Fredericton players kicked a lot over a decision at the plate when he declared Iott safe. Fitzgerald claiming that he touched his man as he was dashing for the plate.

The box score and summary is as follows:

**Fredericton.**

| | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Keaney, 2b, | 5 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Ganley, rf, | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Duggan, cf, | 2 | 2 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| B. Conley, 3b, | 3 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 0 |
| L. Conley, lf, | 4 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Hoyt, 1b, | 4 | 0 | 1 | 9 | 0 | 1 |
| Fitzgerald, c, | 4 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 2 | 0 |
| Wildes, ss, | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 7 | 0 |
| Harrington, p, | 4 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 1 |
| | 32 | 5 | 6 | 27 | 13 | 3 |

**Houlton.**

| | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Neptune, ss, | 2 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 1 |
| Johnson, cf, | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Iott, 1b, | 3 | 1 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 1 |
| Watt, c, | 4 | 0 | 2 | 9 | 0 | 0 |
| Hughes, lf, | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Martini, p, | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| McElwee, 3b, | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 |
| Hammond, 2b, | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Finnamore, rf, | 3 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| | 32 | 2 | 6 | 24 | 4 | 4 |

By innings—

| | |
|---|---|
| Fredericton | 10013000x—5 |
| Houlton | 002000000—2 |

Summary—Two base hits, Fitzgerald, Watt. Three base hit, L. Conley. Sacrifice hits, B. Conley, Wildes, Neptune. Stolen bases, Ganley (2), Duggan (2), L. Conley. Struck out by Harrington, 4; by Martini, 8. Bases on balls off Harrington, 2; off Martini 4. Left on bases, Fredericton, 7; Houlton, 6. Time of game, 2 hours. Umpire, Duffy.

# TWO GAMES OF BALL THIS AFTERNOON

The attraction for local lovers of baseball today will be a double-header between the Marathons and the Houlton Reds. The first game will be started at 2.30 and it is likely that O'Connor will be sent in to work for the Greeks. For the second game, which will be called on as soon as the first is finished, Winckler will be the box artist.

There will be a new umpire on the job, a gentleman named Rudderham, being due to arrive at noon. The school children of the city will be the guests of the Marathon management at the games.

Houlton is chasing Fredericton hard for first place in the league, and is certain to play a snappy game today. It is believed that the Marathons' streak of hard luck, which was certainly in evidence yesterday, is about due to break and today would be a good time for it to start. At any rate, the Greeks will put their best efforts forward to score a win in both games. There is no doubt that a few victories now would be welcomed in the local camp as all chance of winning the league is not yet lost, if the wins come soon enough.

According to schedule, the Greeks still have 25 games to play, 14 of which are regular scheduled games and 11 postponed games. Of the postponed games there are three coming from Houlton in St. John and two each from Woodstock and Fredericton. The Greeks have three postponed games to play in Woodstock and one in Houlton.

The management of the Marathons have not yet lost hope, is evidenced by the fact that D. B. Donald left on last evening's train for a mysterious trip to the baseball centres of the eastern states. He has his eye on one or two good ones including a pitcher, and will endeavor to get their signatures to Marathon contracts for the remainder of the season. Another pitcher and a hardhitting shortstop would make a great difference in the strength of the Greeks' lineup and this is what Mr. Donald is after. The management is spending time and money to provide good baseball and it is up to the fans to help them out by their attendance. St. John fans are loyal and the loyalty was never needed worse than it is at present. There is yet lots of good baseball weather ahead, and with a couple of new men, the Greeks can yet put up a mighty interesting race for premier honors.

# JEANNETTE-JOHNSON GO CALLED OFF

New York, N. Y., Aug. 22.—The Jack Johnson-Joe Jeannette boxing match set for September 25th at the St. Nicholas A. C., was declared off this afternoon "for the betterment of the sport" by Jesse and Edward McMahon, the promoters of the bout. The McMahon brothers called off the match after a long conference behind closed doors with the state athletic commission.

"There has been some adverse criticism about this match," said Edward McMahon upon leaving the conference, "and the commissioners apparently do not want it to be held. The commissioners don't want Johnson to appear in a match in New York City. That is why we are calling it off—for the betterment of the sport."

Commissioners O'Neil and Dixon denied that there was any coercion brought to bear by them to induce the McMahons to declare off the proposed bout.

The commission decided long ago, said O'Neil, that Johnson could not be permitted to fight here. We believe now, as we did then, that the presence of Johnson in a ring contest in this state would be inimical to the best interests of boxing, the status of which has greatly improved under the Frawley law.

### IT DON'T WORRY JOHNSON.

Chicago, Aug. 22.—"That does not worry me," said Jack Johnson tonight when informed that his contest with Joe Jeanette, scheduled to be decided in New York, September 25, had been called off.

"That means that I won't fight again. I simply wanted to fight Jeanette to show certain people that I wasn't all in," asserted the champion.

### That Summer Letter.

Louisville Courier-Journal—"Genevieve, pardon me if I am too curious."

"Go ahead."

"What is that literary work to which you devote yourself from time to time at odd moments? Are you passing your vacation writing a book?"

"Oh, no. That is a letter I started to my fiance in June. I ought to finish it and mail it before August rolls around."

### His Condition.

"So Dick found himself cut out by Jack."

"Yes. And he's quite cut up."

# BASE BALL IN THE BIG LEAGUES

## AMERICAN LEAGUE.

At New York—
Chicago .. .. .. 000001404—9 13 1
New York .. .. 100020001—4 10 2
Taylor, Walsh and Schalk; Warhop and Sweeney.

At Boston—
Cleveland .. ... 000000000—0 2 3
Boston .. .. .. .203031000—9 10 9
Kaler, Walker, Mitchell and Carrish, Adams; Collins and Carrigan.

### First Game.

At Philadelphia—
St. Louis .. .. .000000100—1 6 2
Philadelphia .. .. 100000001—2 7 1
Hamilton and Krichell; Brown, Bender and Egan.

### Second Game

St. Louis .. .. .. .000000100—1 8 1
Philadelphia .. .. .100000110—3 5 2
Baumgartner and Alexander; Plank and Lapp.

At Washington—
Detroit .. .. .. .420002010—9 13 3
Washington .. .. 003200010—6 9 2
Mullin, Willett and Kocher; Hughes Vaughn and Henry.

### American League Standing.

| | Won | Lost | P.C. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Boston | 80 | 36 | .690 |
| Washington | 72 | 45 | .615 |
| Philadelphia | 69 | 46 | .600 |
| Chicago | 58 | 57 | .504 |
| Detroit | 56 | 63 | .471 |
| Cleveland | 52 | 64 | .448 |
| New York | 40 | 74 | .351 |
| St. Louis | 37 | 79 | .319 |

## NATIONAL LEAGUE.

### First Game.

At Pittsburg—
New York. .. .. .100000001—2 6 2
Pittsburg .. .. .001101000—3 10 2
Matthewson, Crandall and Meyers; Camnitz and Gibson.

### Second Game.

New York. .. .. .020201030—8 13 0
Pittsburg .. .. .100001301—6 16 1
Marquard and Meyers; Hendrix, Cole, Warner and Gibson, Simon.

At Cincinnati—
Philadelphia. .. .000000003—3 4 0
Cincinnati .. .. .001000000—1 9 0
Seaton, Finneran and Dooin; Benton and Clark.

At Chicago—
Boston. .. .. .. .00000023—5 7 1
Chicago. .. .. .201304520—17 17 4
Hess, Kroh, Brown and Kling, Brody; Cheney and Archer, Cotter.

At St. Louis—
Brooklyn. .. .. .004000032—9 15 1
St. Louis .. .. 300000101—5 10 3
Yingling and Erwin; Steele, Grier and Wingo.

### National League Standing.

| | Won | Lost | P.C. |
|---|---|---|---|
| New York | 78 | 33 | .703 |
| Chicago | 75 | 38 | .664 |
| Pittsburg | 67 | 45 | .598 |
| Philadelphia | 54 | 57 | .486 |
| Cincinnati | 53 | 62 | .461 |
| St. Louis | 50 | 64 | .438 |
| Brooklyn | 42 | 72 | .368 |
| Boston | 32 | 80 | .286 |

## INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE.

At Rochester—
Providence .. .. 010010000—2 8 3
Rochester .. .. 002021300—8 12 4
Covington and Street; Keefe and Blair.

At Toronto—
Newark .. .. .000000200—2 14 1
Toronto .. .. .200003000—5 12 1
McGinnity, Dent, Barger and Smith; Maxwell and Graham.

At Buffalo—
Jersey City .. .. 400010000—5 9 2
Buffalo .. .. .330010010—8 13 1
Niehaus and Wells; Ewing and Mitchell.

### International League Standing.

| | Won | Lost | P.C. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Rochester | 74 | 47 | .612 |
| Toronto | 72 | 49 | .595 |
| Baltimore | 59 | 57 | .509 |
| Newark | 61 | 62 | .496 |
| Jersey City | 58 | 65 | .472 |
| Buffalo | 54 | 62 | .466 |
| Montreal | 56 | 68 | .451 |
| Providence | 48 | 72 | .400 |

# N. B. TENNIS ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the New Brunswick Tennis Association was held at Rothesay yesterday afternoon when the following officers were elected:

President, W. A. Harrison, St. John; vice-president, Rev. Geo. Wood, Chatham. The honorary secretary will be the secretary of the Sackville club who has yet to be chosen.

The invitation of the Sackville club to hold next year's tournament on the seven new courts now being laid out for Mount Allison University was accepted.

It is expected that the winners of the Nova Scotia Tennis Association tournament will play the New Brunswick winners at Rothesay on Tuesday, August 27th, for the interprovincial championship.

# AVERAGES OF THE BIG LEAGUERS

While the American league's batting list shows no change in ranking of the hitters, yet the famous trio, Cobb, Speaker and Jackson, are holding their places this week by reduced averages. Cobb fell for a loss of six points last week, Speaker dropped eight and Jackson nine. Zimmerman of Chicago ran away from his rival in the National league. Sweeney, of Boston, separating the distance between them by 24 points. Meyers and Doyle, both of the Giants, are closing up on Sweeney at a rapid rate.

Speaker has made a good start on his second hundredth run, although he will hardly be able to equal Cobb's record of last season of 147 runs. Cobb will undoubtedly negotiate his first century run for the season this week. Bescher holds fast to the National league lead by an improved margin of five points.

TY COBB.

Milan of Washington already has the leading honors in base stealing attached to his name for the season. Even if he should be laid up by accident his 22 steal margin could not really be overtaken by Speaker or Collins, who are occupying a tie for second place. Bescher in the National league is also having a lonely race leading Doyle by 12 steals.

### .300 or Better Hitters.

(American.)

| | Bat. Ave. |
|---|---|
| Cobb | .413 |
| Speaker, Boston | .391 |
| Jackson, Cleveland | .379 |
| Baker, Philadelphia | .346 |
| Wolter, New York | .344 |
| Collins, Philadelphia | .343 |
| McInnis, Philadelphia | .342 |
| Pape, Boston | .333 |
| Cree, New York | .330 |
| Griggs, Cleveland | .323 |
| Lajoie, Cleveland | .319 |
| Gandil, Washington | .318 |
| Gardner, Boston | .315 |
| Cady, Boston | .315 |
| Laporte, St. Louis, Washington | .313 |
| Crawford, Detroit | .309 |
| Stahl, Boston | .308 |
| Turner, Cleveland | .305 |
| Murphy, Philadelphia | .302 |
| Milan, Washington | .301 |
| Pratt, St. Louis | .300 |
| Ford, New York | .300 |

National.

| | |
|---|---|
| Zimmerman, Chicago | .382 |
| Sweeney, Boston | .358 |
| Meyers, New York | .354 |
| Doyle, New York | .351 |
| Donnelly, Boston | .342 |
| Konetchy, St. Louis | .335 |
| Donlin, Pittsburg | .335 |
| Huggins, St. Louis | .332 |
| Marsans, Cincinnati | .326 |
| Daubert, Brooklyn | .326 |
| Mensor, Pittsburg | .326 |
| Kling, Boston | .323 |
| Kelly, Pittsburg | .323 |
| Crandall, New York | .322 |
| Lobert, Philadelphia | .322 |
| Simon, Pittsburg | .321 |
| Byrne, Pittsburg | .318 |
| Wheat, Brooklyn | .316 |
| Wagner, Pittsburg | .313 |
| Merkle, New York | .311 |
| Miller, Chicago | .311 |
| Wiltse, New York | .308 |
| Titus, Boston | .308 |
| Gowdy, Boston | .302 |
| Magee, Philadelphia | .302 |
| Evers, Chicago | .300 |
| Paskert, Philadelphia | .300 |

### Leading Run Getters in American League.

| | |
|---|---|
| Speaker, Boston | 103 |
| Cobb, Detroit | 96 |
| Baker, Philadelphia | 92 |
| Collins, Philadelphia | 91 |
| Jackson, Cleveland | 85 |
| Bush, Detroit | 84 |
| Milan, Washington | 78 |
| Rath, Chicago | 74 |
| Foster, Washington | 74 |
| Hooper, Boston | 71 |
| Moeller, Washington | 71 |
| Gardner, Boston | 70 |

### Leading Run Getters in National League

| | |
|---|---|
| Bescher, Cincinnati | 85 |
| Doyle, New York | 80 |
| Carey, Pittsburg | 79 |
| Paskert, Philadelphia | 75 |
| Snodgrass, New York | 74 |
| Byrne, Pittsburg | 74 |
| Schulte, Chicago | 73 |
| Titus, Boston | 71 |
| Zimmerman, Chicago | 70 |
| Konetchy, St. Louis | 70 |
| Campbell, Boston | 66 |
| Huggins, St. Louis | 64 |

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