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THE WEATHER
South to southwest winds.
Cloudy with few showers.

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ONE CENT

PETER PAN IS IN BAD SHAPE

Celebrated Three Year Old Hurt His Leg and Will Not Start in Brighton Derby.

NEW YORK, Aug. 1.—Peter Pan the champion three-year-old of the season and winner of nearly \$60,000 will not start in the Brighton Derby on Saturday. While working over the course he struck one of his forelegs and limped home so badly that his owner declared him out of the race.

AFTER THE BATTLE

Brit and Nelson Talk on the Result of Last Night's Fight.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 1.—After the Brit-Nelson fight last night Brit made the following statement: "I have been going round two years claiming to be a champion, but I never made any cry as is the custom of a defeated fighter. I bide my time and the result you see. I never drew a long breath. I am willing to meet any 133 pound man in the world."

MAMIE FERRISH IS AN OLD HAND

Some interesting developments have come to light in last night's Sheffield street robbery case in which Mr. Lounsbury, of Bath (Me.), alleges that Mamie Ferrish (colored) stole \$400. The Ferrish woman was in court this morning when she pleaded not guilty and was remanded.

MANAGER JONES STILL ON STAND

SYDNEY, August 1.—(Special)—The third day of the Coal-Steel suit opened this morning with General Manager Jones still on the stand. Mr. Jones said he understood from a conversation with Jack Ross that the coal company could not give the steel company the coal it was asking for.

NOT A BAD IDEA

Chief of Police Clark has received a number of letters—among them, one from E. Sprague—relative to violation of the by-law against spitting in "No street." The chief suggests that the police be provided with small cards bearing on one side such words as these: "You are violating the city by-law which prohibits spitting on the street," and on the reverse side, a copy of the by-law. The police could quietly hand these to persons seen spitting on the street and then pass on. This the chief would believe to be much better than publicly calling a violator to task and would serve as a warning against a repetition of the offense.

FINE ARRAY OF TALENT

Among those who will take part in the concert under the direction of Walter H. Belding, in St. David's church school room next Tuesday evening, in aid of the Every Day Club playground fund are: Miss Blenda Thompson, Miss Edwards, Miss Seaton, Miss Carrie Baillie, Miss Mac De Gou, Miss Warden, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert C. Davidson, De Witt Cairns, W. Pheasant, Geo. Taylor, J. Hopkins, G. Brown, Bayard Stillwell, Walker Nixon, A. E. McGinley, D. Arnold Fox and Prof. Wilbur. Music lovers should not fail to reserve next Tuesday evening for this splendid entertainment for so worthy a cause.

WILL APPEAL TO THE SUPREME COURT

Judge Ritchie's Decision in DeAngelis Case Fined All Three

Both Plaintiff and Defendant Are Dissatisfied With Judgment and Will Take Case Higher.

In the police court this morning Judge Ritchie gave judgment in the Harrington-DeAngelis case for fighting. His honor imposed fines of \$20 each on Harrington and DeAngelis, both of whom he adjudged guilty of breach of the peace in the public street, and Antonio DeMatteo, who was found guilty of throwing the cigar cutter, which struck Harrington, was fined \$20 for assault.

NO CHANGE FOR A RECOUNT

Unionist Candidate in Northwest Staffordshire, England, Was Defeated by 7,134 Votes.

MIGHT HAVE CAUSED A BAD TRAIN WRECK

MONCTON, Aug. 1.—(Special)—Charged with placing an obstruction on the I. C. R. track, Albany Gogan last night was arrested at Rogersville by Police Inspector Tingley and taken to Newcastle. On Saturday night a man named Goodwin walking along the track near Rogersville stumbled over a tie lying on the rails. A special freight train coming nearby, which probably has been derailed, had the discovery not been made. Gogan will be tried on Friday.

CUSTOMS RECEIPTS

The customs receipts for the month of July, 1907, show a very substantial increase over the same period last year. Following is a comparative statement:

CZAR AND KAISER

CHRONSTADT, Aug. 1.—Emperor Nicholas left here this morning on board the imperial yacht Standard for a cruise in German waters, where he will meet Emperor William. The Standard is escorted by four warships. The Empress of Russia bade farewell to his majesty here and then returned to Peterhof.

MORE ENGLISH VISITORS

LONDON, Ont., Aug. 1.—(Special)—A party of English journalists touring Canada, arrived here last night on a special train from the east. They were met at the station by a civic reception committee and representatives of the press, after which they were guests at a dinner held at the London club. Today they are being taken around the city in automobiles.

POLICE COURT

In the police court this morning Daniel Dickey, charged with being drunk in the I. C. R. yard, and assaulting Conductor James Buchanan on No. 9 train, between Halifax and St. John, was remanded. Alexander Diggs, Edward Mullin and John Mudge, common drunk, were disposed of in the usual manner.

DISBANDING COREAN ARMY

Japanese Troops Are Commencing to Carry Japan's Proclamation Into Effect.

SEOUL, Aug. 1.—At 10 o'clock last night Japanese troops surrounded the Korean barracks after an imperial proclamation had been issued disbanding the Korean army, composed of 7,000 men. Several hundred Koreans gathered at the Great Bell during a thunderstorm, were dispersed by a company of Japanese soldiers. The outposts from the Korean army barracks are guarded by machine guns. Two thousand of the Seoul garrison will be disbanded and disbanded today. The proclamation disbanding the troops says that the disbanded soldiers will be granted one year's pay. The emperor's body-guard will not be disbanded.

SHOULD BE TREATED AT PUBLIC EXPENSE

British Medical Association Considering New Plan for Treatment of Sick.

LONDON, Aug. 1.—In convention at Exeter the British Medical Association has almost unanimously supported a resolution advanced by a member that sick persons should be treated at public expense. The points were made that the physician's work is now done under conditions involving the petty worries of fee collection, the stress of competitive commercialism and the sweating of the profession by hospitals, friendly societies and similar organizations. The increasing number of cases treated at voluntary or state institutions was a phase of the movement.

SHOULD GUARD TROLLEY WIRES

One of Fire Underwriters Says St. John is Very Lax in This Regard.

A member of the board of fire underwriters in commenting on the fire in Woodstock last night caused by the electric and telephone wires becoming crossed, said that the local insurance men were to have had a meeting yesterday to discuss the matter of defacing wiring in the Carleton county town, but for reason the meeting was postponed. He went on to say that St. John was scarcely better than Woodstock as regards electric wiring. There is no inspector of wiring and no guard wires are placed above the electric trolley wires as should be done. It would be an easy matter, this man claimed, for fires to be caused here by telephone wires falling on the trolley wires. He thought there should be a law to compel the street railway company to protect their trolley wires from contact with any other wires. In other cities of any size or importance, he said, there was a law compelling the railway people to properly protect their wires.

WOODSTOCK, Aug. 1.—(Special)—The total loss of the Baird Company by fire last night was over \$15,000. The insurance totaled \$13,000, divided as follows: Atlas, \$500; Canadian, \$1,000; Traders' Phoenix of Hartford, \$2,000; Commercial Union on fixtures, \$2,000; Norwich Union, \$2,000; Montreal, Canada, \$1,500; German-American, \$500; Western, \$2,000.

"At a meeting of the town council this morning many speeches were made about the trouble on the wires that caused the death of Fireman McKenney and a heavy fire loss to the Baird Company. It was unanimously decided that the town council be requested to employ an expert engineer at once to inquire into conditions.

THE TIMES NEW REPORTER

CIVIC PROGRESS. The iron rods and branches supporting the three lamps at Reed's Point have been painted. The lamps themselves will be cleaned next summer. To do it all at once would disturb the serenity of the neighborhood. Year after next an effort will be made to remove the stones and properly grade the incline leading down to the steamer wharves, which is the first thing that attracts the attention of tourists when they come ashore. Snapshots of the place as it is at present appears first be taken, as it has not changed materially since Champlain's time, and the photographs will be placed in the corner stone of the Champlain monument, which may also be laid next year—if we have luck.

STUPID NEW YORKERS.

Mr. Peter Binks is of opinion that a delegation of St. John aldermen should be sent to New York to point out to the editor of the Herald with his ear to the ground, to catch the latest rumblings from Canterbury street, St. John.

POLICE REPORT

The officer on the beat on Canterbury street reports numerous fairies floating around the Sun office every night.

I. C. R. BAGGAGE MAN BADLY BEATEN

A Burly Englishman Assaulted John Forbes

MONCTON, N. B., August 1.—(Special)—An Englishman, who, it is alleged, made an attack on I. C. R. Baggage Master John Forbes at the depot here this morning about one o'clock. The stranger, who is a big, strapping fellow, struck the baggage master and jumped upon him and would undoubtedly have inflicted more serious injury had not station officials arrived on the scene. The Englishman called at the baggage room and asked to have his baggage checked to Boston. As is customary, he was asked to show his ticket, which he refused to do. He was then informed by Baggage Master Forbes that his baggage could not be checked, whereupon he attacked Mr. Forbes, striking him a blow in the eye, which was cut and badly discolored. He knocked Mr. Forbes down and jumped on him, beating him about the face and head. By this time Mr. Merrill had hurried to the baggage room and took the man away. He took him to the waiting-room and then went in search of a policeman.

“TOUCHED” THE CORNER STONE

Slick Thieves Believed to Have Stolen 95 cents from Under Corner Stone of New Y. M. C. A. Building.

It was stated this morning that a number of youths eager for booty, visited the site of the new Y. M. C. A. building last night, pried up the corner stone which was laid yesterday afternoon, and forcing open the lid of the copper box containing the documents and ninety-five cents in cash, abstracted the money and then made themselves scarce. Contractor Maxwell, seen this morning, said that the corner stone had been prised up, evidently with a piece of plank, and that the first two men getting into the box were cut and badly wounded. It is impossible to believe, says the paper "in the face of the Casablanca massacre, that Germany will longer oppose drastic action of the kind and nothing less will meet the grave exigencies of the situation."

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SNEAK THIEF STEALS \$14

Two Somerset Street Families Relieved of That Sum in Short Order.

As the result of a sneak thief's visit on Saturday last, two Somerset street families lost \$14. The losers are Mrs. Mary Jeffrey, who keeps a general store at No. 24, and Mrs. John A. Irvine, of 82. Mrs. Jeffrey is the largest loser, \$12 being taken from her store. Mrs. Irvine's son had \$2 taken from a vest that hung in the hall of the Irvine home. Mrs. Jeffrey was visiting in Boston at the time, the store being in charge of her daughter, and on arriving home on Monday fell very badly over her loss, which she can ill afford. On Saturday afternoon about 2 o'clock some customers came in and paid accounts, which amounted in all to \$12. This money was put in a cup which she stood on a barrel behind the counter. After the customers had departed she went to a room in the rear. In spite of the fact that the door between was open and that Miss Jeffrey returned almost immediately, the money had vanished.

NEWS FROM FREDERICTON

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EUROPE MUST INTERFERE NOW

French and Spanish Subjects Killed in Morocco

TANGIER, Aug. 1.—Dr. Morall, who arrived here last night on a German steamer which brought a number of Jews and refugees from Casablanca, is the bearer of a report to the French charge d'affaires here, showing that the slaughter of Europeans in Casablanca was the outcome of a policy of war preached by the Arabs for the extermination of Europeans. The Pasha of Casablanca pointed out that the work was being done with the sanction of the Sultan, whereupon the chiefs replied that the Sultan was no longer their ruler, as he obeyed the Europeans. They began to incite natives against Europeans in the town. On Tuesday morning the natives began their attack by stoning a European, and when the man tried to flee he was surrounded and hacked to pieces. This was the signal for a general attack and as soon as the danger became known the French and Spanish residents rushed to their respective consulates for protection. During this fight at least eight were murdered.

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UNION OF THE PROVINCES

Dr. Silas Alward's Opinions on Maritime Union—A Practical View.

In seconding the vote of thanks to Dr. Falconer at Tuesday's Canadian Club luncheon, Dr. Silas Alward spoke eloquently in support of maritime union, strongly approving the sentiment expressed by the distinguished president of Toronto University. He first referred to the wonderful change that had taken place since confederation of the provinces. At first we had no idea or just conception of the great country of the northwest. In 1869 when Hon. Joseph Howe was returning from the then Fort Garry he met Wm. McDougall crossing from Manitoba to the country of which he had been appointed governor, and Hon. Joseph Howe said to him, "You had better return, I wouldn't give a farm in the Cornwallis Valley for the whole of the northwest." Continuing Dr. Alward spoke of the great change since these vast provinces had been formed in that lone land. Now British Columbia and these provinces, twenty-eight representatives were sent to Ottawa. Under the census recently taken in Alberta and Saskatchewan there would be a grand total of thirty-four representatives, while the representation of the maritime provinces amounted to thirty-five, only one more than the representation from British Columbia and the Northwest.

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