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ONE CENT

Granite Iron Preserving Kettles

Table with columns: Size, Price. Rows: 2 Quart, 4 Quart, 6 Quart, 8 Quart, 10 Quart, 12 Quart, 14 Quart, 16 Quart.

Tin Kettles, all Sizes.

W. H. THORNE & Co. Ltd. Market Square, St. John, N. B.

THE BUSY HAT CORNER

The Young Man who wishes to wear an up-to-date Derby buys "Anderson's" Champlain \$2.50...

ANDERSON & CO., 55 Charlotte Street.

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CHILDRENS WASH SUITS

We have marked down the balance of our stock of Children's Wash Suits at prices that will close out the Entire Stock in a Few Days...

Blouses and Shirt Waists at Clearance Prices

American Clothing House,

11-15 Charlotte St., St. John.

The Royalty Derby

FOR MEN WHO KNOW. Embodies fit, style and workmanship. Price, \$2.50.

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RAZOR STROPS!

WE CARRY THE BEST MAKES The Unasas at \$1.25 is the best value ever offered. It sharpens better than HONE and gives a perfect Edge.

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Have You Seen the Suits In Harvey's Windows?

This is just a small sample of the many rare Suits Bargains that you can find inside. This big August Sale offers bargains in Clothing, Tailoring and Furnishings.

J. N. HARVEY

Tailoring and Clothing, 199 to 207 Union St

LOOKS LIKE A FAILURE IN AN EMPTY TEND DISPUTE

Joint Meeting of Fish Association and Weirmen Arranged at St. George, But the Eastport Men Were Not on Hand at One O'clock.

ST. GEORGE, N. B., Aug. 6.—The East Coast Fish Association, of Eastport, Me., in their efforts to disrupt the Fishermen's Union, and all other means having failed, are sending out circulars among the fishermen in a plain attempt to deceive them and the public...

Dear Sir:—Replying to your letter of the 2nd inst. I am instructed to say that the executive committee of the Charlotte County Weir Owners and Fishermen's Union, will be most happy to comply with your request to meet your committee...

At noon today the executive of the Union were at St. George ready for the meeting, but at that hour none of the Fish Association executive had put in an appearance.

During the latter part of last week telephone communications passed between President Capen of the Fish Association and Secretary Frauley, of the weirmen's union, as a result of which the association sent an official note to the union secretary in which it was stated that a committee from the association would be pleased to meet the members of the union at either Eastport or St. Andrews at any time that may be agreeable to you.

In reply to this communication, Secretary Frauley, of the Weirmen's Union, said it would be impossible to get the Union together to meet the packers' committee but the members of the executive committee would be ready to confer with them and that a meeting of the executive was called for at St. George for that purpose on Thursday, at 10 o'clock p. m.

As both parties profess a willingness to have their differences amicably adjusted it ought not to be difficult to arrange a basis of settlement at this conference. Both sides may have to make concessions, but where an important industry like the sardine industry is so seriously affected, neither side should stand on too much ceremony.

Manager Roth of the Jollette said: "The woman's face is one of the most beautiful I ever saw in a motion picture. The finding of a wife in the manner which Mr. Halstrom has just completed is a decidedly new one on me."

"I received a telegram from the company that made the picture that the woman Mr. Halstrom claims as his wife is living in Philadelphia, but is at present posing for characters for a series of pictures at Baltimore."

FREDERICTON RAGES ARE POSTPONED

FREDERICTON, N. B., Aug. 6.—Heavy rain prevailed here all morning, and consequently the trotting park association have found it necessary to call off the races scheduled for today, until tomorrow.

CHICAGO, Aug. 6.—As a result of a wager, Fred. McLeod, professional golfer of the Ontario Country Club, at Lake Fort, last night made the 18 hole course in 83 strokes, aided only by the dim light of a half moon. He made the first nine holes in 38 and was going at a fast clip until the 14th hole was reached. Then the moon went behind a cloud and the rest of the course was finished in the dark. McLeod used iron clubs throughout, driving with a putter to make the ball go straight and using a midiron through the fair greens. He laid nearly all his approaches dead and did not lose a ball. The wager was that he could not make the first nine holes in better than 45.

Did the Eighteen Holes in Eighty Three Strokes in Darkness.

GOLFER WENT OVER THE LINKS BY MOONLIGHT

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896,588 TROOPS IN MIMIC WAR

Kaiser Preparing Mighty Army for Manoeuvres.

Main Interest Centres on Tactics Which Will Take Place Close to the French Frontier.

BERLIN, Aug. 6.—The publication of the orders for the army manoeuvres in the fall of this year, in which nearly a million men will be engaged in various parts of the country, has aroused the most extraordinary interest in civil, as well as in military, circles.

The strength of the army is to be increased for the time being by no fewer than 287,42 men from the reserves, who, with the standing peace army of 688,868 men will bring the total under arms at the end of August up to 976,288, who will fight tactically against each other, corps by corps. Cavalry, artillery, infantry motorists, balloons, field telegraphists and telephonists, cyclists and all the branches of the service which look after supply and transport, intelligence and communications are to undergo searching tests.

The exercises which attract most attention are naturally the imperial manoeuvres in Alsace-Lorraine, as this will be the first time since the war of 1870 that manoeuvres on such an extended scale will have taken place so near the frontier.

The 15th and 16th army corps will these days be engaged in a series of tactical and strategic instructions under the immediate eye of the Emperor.

Each of these corps is to be made up of three divisions of infantry and a division of cavalry, with the regimental force of artillery. The infantry regiments are to consist of three battalions of 40 men each, two of these regiments will form a brigade, two brigades a division, and three divisions an army corps, so that each corps will possess 28,800 infantrymen alone, while the staff will have at its disposal for emergencies a reserve infantry regiment and a reserve battery of artillery. The cavalry division attached to each corps comprises ten regiments.

AFRICAN HUSTLER ON A VISIT TO MONTREAL

John S. Egan Won Distinction as Driver of an Armored Train During the Boer War.

MONTREAL, Aug. 6.—Rachety Jack, of South African fame, is in Montreal. He was the driver of the armored train No. 7 which got the name of Irish Kate from the soldiers who came through some of the hottest fighting of the war, and on one occasion had 11 out of 22 killed, but never lost an engagement. His freeman was killed and he had to stoek as well as drive. He was given a medal and fifty pounds for the incident. He has also been assistant to Bourdon who drives the engine which carries the King's train in England.

PROVINCE, RAILWAY AND CITY UNITED

In Scheme to Rebuild the Aboldeau at Marsh Bridge—Railway Engineer Will be Here Shortly.

It is expected that preparations for restoring the aboldeau at Marsh Bridge will be under way shortly. At the recent meeting of the government it was decided that the work would be left in the hands of the St. John engineers with John E. Wilson looking after the government interests. The matter was next taken up with the I. C. Railway and a reply was received this morning from Mr. Burpee, the railway engineer, that he would come to St. John any time on a day's notice to confer with the city engineers regarding the plans for construction.

CARDINAL GIBBONS IS QUITE ILL IN ROME

ROME, Aug. 6.—Cardinal Gibbons was taken ill at Castle Gandolfo with intestinal trouble. He was driven into Rome and has been obliged to take to his bed. His temperature at present is 101. The cardinal arrived here from New York July 29 and had an audience with the pope Aug. 1. He went to the villa of the American college on August 2.

DIED WHILE TRYING TO SAVE THEIR PROPERTY

BLACKSMITHS WENT ON STRIKE IN TORONTO

C. P. R. Situation There is Quiet—Reports Show No Excitement Anywhere.

There has been no marked change today in the situation regarding the strike on the C. P. Railway as far as the local end of the strike is concerned. Wm. Downie, divisional superintendent, this morning said that the railway was getting along all right but refused to discuss the matter further.

The C. P. R. is in a better position regarding the handling of their Montreal express trains than with respect to the Boston trains. When the Montreal express reaches St. John it is handed over to the I. C. Railway whose employees have to look after it. On the other hand, the employees at the local terminus will not touch the Boston train, and the C. P. R. foreman has to attend to all the work on these trains himself.

As long as the C. P. R. gets along without employing non-union labor the strike will be confined to those who are now out. If the road endeavors to get outside help to replace the strikers it is rumoured that some of the other railway unions are liable to go out on a sympathetic strike.

MONTREAL, Aug. 6.—The chief question being discussed today is whether the telegraphers and the trainmen will go out and stop the movement of the wheat crop. It is not certain what the telegraphers will do but the trainmen will take no action. They feel that they would not have public sympathy did they delay the marketing of the grain.

As to how many men are out there is a great difference of opinion. The C. P. R. says about 1500 out here but the men claim that there were about 800, all claiming to be good mechanics. The telegraphers claim that they had the company where they wanted them as while there were sixty locomotives in the shops the company would find that 70,000 feet of lumber was destroyed. It is impossible to get an estimate of the standing timber destroyed. A telegram received from a private source places the loss at Fernie at \$3,000,000.

McGRATH'S SECOND TRIAL FOR THEFT OF A MAIL BAG

The second trial of Euclid McGrath, charged with stealing a mail bag between Carleton and Tracadie on March 29th last, was begun in Bathurst on Tuesday morning. Judge McLatchey presided. The prosecution was conducted by Clerk Harrington, assisted by J. P. Byrne, while County Treasurer Landry appeared for the prisoner. The evidence was much the same as in the first trial in which the jury disagreed. Yesterday afternoon the addresses of counsel were concluded and adjournment made. The judge was to charge the jury on the opening of the court this forenoon. No verdict has as yet been reported.

MRS. WM. S. WILLIS.

The unexpected death of Mrs. Wm. S. Willis, of Seelye street, took place at eleven o'clock last night. Mrs. Willis had not been feeling well during the day but had been strong enough to go to visit some neighbors. At night her daughter entered Mrs. Willis' room and found her unable to speak. Her death occurred very shortly afterward and was pronounced due to a paralytic stroke. The disease was in her 57th year. Before her marriage she was Miss Rachel Brown of this city. She is survived by her husband, one brother, J. Harvey Brown of this city; three sons, Wm. H. of Montreal; Howard, of Nio, Me.; and Frank, of McAdam, and three daughters, Miss Bertha, of Seattle and Misses Mattie and Jessie, at home.

ROBBERY IN A TAILOR SHOP AT CHATHAM

CHATHAM, Aug. 6.—Thieves broke into W. L. T. Weldon's tailoring shop last night and stole \$150 to \$200 worth of suit lengths and made up clothes. Mr. Weldon cannot at present estimate the exact amount of his loss. Entry was made through a cellar window and a hatch in the ground floor, several boards being pried off to effect an entrance. Police were in the vicinity but made no noise. Weldon has issued a warrant for the arrest of a stranger who was in the store yesterday and whom his suspects of the robbery.

NEW DIRECTORY.

The local telephone company has commenced the distribution of the new directory. The new book is a neat looking volume, bound in a red cover. It is larger than previous books and contains several new features. One of these is a blank page in the front of the book for numbers the subscriber calls frequently. Another valuable feature is a classified directory in the back of the book showing commercial subscribers grouped according to their business or profession. In addition there is a list of pay stations, instructions to subscribers and general information. The work of covering the whole city will take some time and it will be several days before the books are all delivered.

LATEST WEATHER REPORT RAIN