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**NOTICE TO MARINERS**  
NOTICE is hereby given that the light on the South West Ledge, near the island of Long Point, is reported out. It will be relighted soon as possible.  
GEORGE H. FLOOD, Agent Marine & Fisheries Dept. St. John, N. B. Sept. 15th, 1910.

A country lass travelled into the city the other day in order to procure some cloth to make her dolly a dress. When handed the package she asked the cost. "Just one kiss," said the merchant and she went.  
"All right," was the reply, "Grandma said she would pay you when she came in tomorrow."  
Visiting Relative—"How aristocratic you father looks with all that grey hair!"  
The Naughty Son—"Yes, and he's got me to thank for it, too!"

**SPORT NEWS OF A DAY; HOME AND ABROAD**

**Local Games.**  
Some good baseball is in store yet before the season closes. The St. Peters and Clippers will play two games next week, on Wednesday on the Every Day Club grounds, and on Saturday on the Shamrock grounds. Arrangements have been practically completed for bringing here the fast Waterbury team, champions of the Connecticut State League to face a team from the St. John Clippers and St. Peters.

**Coakley Put Out of Organized Baseball**  
Andy Coakley, the ex-Chicago National pitcher, who is well known in the anti-time province, has been ejected by the National Commission and today get back into organized baseball until reinstated.

A dispatch from (Cincinnati says)—"Pitcher Andy Coakley, formerly of the Chicago Nationals, Louisville, Elmira, N. Y., and other professional baseball teams, has been placed on the ineligible list of organized baseball by the national commission. The ban is extended to include the Patterson, N. J., team of which Coakley is a member.

The action followed complaints that the New York American and National League teams had played exhibition games with Patterson, an examination of the records showing that Coakley had been suspended by the national association of minor league clubs. Whether he will be restored to good standing is for that body to decide.

**Eastern League.**  
At Toronto—Montreal, 2; Toronto, 1.  
At Providence—Baltimore, 4; Providence, 4 (10 innings).  
At Rochester—Buffalo, 4; Rochester, 10.

**National League.**  
At New York—Pittsburg, 3; New York, 11; second game, Pittsburg, 6; New York, 1.  
At Boston—First game, St. Louis, 7; Boston, 5; second game, St. Louis, 5; Boston, 4.  
At Philadelphia—Chicago, 7; Philadelphia, 5.  
At Brooklyn—Cincinnati, 7; Brooklyn, 2.

**American League.**  
At Cleveland—Washington, 0; Cleveland, 3.  
At St. Louis—New York, 9; St. Louis, 3.  
At Chicago—Boston, 2; Chicago, 4.

**The Turf**  
Syracuse, N. Y., Sept. 15.—At the state fair track today The Harvesten, the great brown horse owned by August Uhlheim, of Milwaukee, piloted by Ed Geers, broke his own and the world's record for trotting stations of 5.02 by stepping a mile, paced by a runner, in 2:01.4.

**Memorandum Races.**  
Horse races were held on the Memorandum track yesterday for the first time in some years. In the three minute class, Von Stuben, J. P. Dehmutz, Moncton, was the winner. In the 2:17 Leonard Willson, E. Trites, Salisbury, captured the event. The green race was won by Sallie E. LeBaron, Buck, Dorchester.

**Football**  
Harvard Squad Return.  
Cambridge, Mass., Sept. 15.—Ruddy and Coppery completed after two weeks camping on Fraser Island, the Harvard football squad returned to the city today. The boys of the new rules firmly impressed, and ready for the line up on Monday on Soldiers field. They will not require to report for practice the last two days of this week.

"Buster" Dewey, who was with the squad in Maine, has been appointed coach of the freshman eleven for this fall.

While the work at the island was not hard, the coaches have been able to arrive at an estimate of some of the men who will try for positions and materially assisted in the working out process. For although Harvard will have a team of veterans this season, so changed are the rules that the status of the squad must be measured by different standards.

**FUND TO AID FAMILY OF DICKENS**

**His Centenary Will be Observed Two Years From Now**  
**BUY A PENNY STAMP**

**Plan to Sell Them in Bookstores All Over the World—The Great Author and Facts About His Work**

(Toronto Mail and Empire.)  
It was in 1812 that Charles Dickens saw the light and his centenary, therefore, is two years distant. Plans for his celebration, however, are well advanced and one bright idea by which it is hoped to make the event memorable is being widely discussed. Three children and seventeen grandchildren of the great novelist survive today, most of them living in humble circumstances. So far reduced are they that a government pension of £25 a year has been provided for three of the grandchildren. Some of the others are described by a writer in the Strand as earning "precarious livelihood" and the suggestion has been made to raise a fund of several thousand pounds for these children and grandchildren of Charles Dickens.

**Buy a Penny Stamp**  
The proposal is that Dickens lovers all over the world should contribute a penny stamp in token of their gratitude to him. The stamps will be put on sale at bookstores all over the world next year, and will be sold at a penny apiece. Every man who owns one of Dickens' books will be invited to purchase a stamp and stick it on the book. The money thus collected will be handed by the Dickens Fellowship, and a fund provided for the twenty beneficiaries. It is estimated that there are 25,000,000 copies of Dickens' works extant, allowing for loss through wear and tear. It is quite plain, therefore, that if a stamp were attached to each of them the sum of \$500,000 would be raised, but if only a portion of this amount was obtained, there would be enough money to support the Dickens survivors in some degree of comfort to the end of their lives.

**Publishing Privileges**  
Speaking of the proposed gift, the London Times refers to it as "conscience money" while others speak of "deferred royalties." The point is that in Dickens' case the copyright laws were not nearly so favorable to the author as they are at present. His works were pirated to an extent that was never before or since equalled.

Even in England his earnings were not so generous as they are now, while in the United States anyone who had a printing press could turn out his books and pocket the entire proceeds. It has been said that from the entire sale of his works in the United States Dickens received practically nothing.

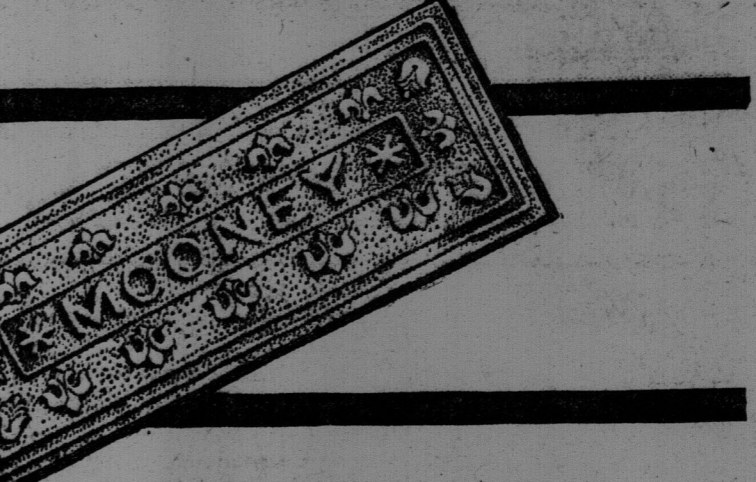
Even today unauthorized editions of his books continue to flood the market and publishers are helping to build up fortunes on Charles Dickens' genius without making the slightest acknowledgement of financial or otherwise, to his heirs.

**For One Story, \$5,000**  
It is not quite accurate to say however, that Dickens made nothing out of the sale of his works in the United States. He had a publisher in Boston named Fields, and there is on record a letter in which he writes to Mr. Fields, in which he thanks the accuracy of an interview in the New York Tribune on the subject of piracy.

"For twenty years I am perfectly certain that I have never made any other thing out of the reprinting of my books in America than the good-humored remark, 'that if there had been international copyright between England and the States I should have been a man of very large fortune, instead of a man of moderate savings, always supporting a very expensive public position, nor have I ever been so ungenerous as to disguise or suppress the fact that I have received handsome sums for pirated editions.'"

**Robbed By Newspapers**  
The truth is that Dickens suffered more from piratical newspapers than from unscrupulous publishers of books. These papers did not scruple to rather freely edit his books, cutting out passages which did not approve, inserting others, changing names, and otherwise garbling the matter. Dickens felt bitter over this outrage and wrote: "I am bent on striking at the piratical newspapers with the sharpest edge I can put upon my small axe, and hope in the next session of parliament to stop their entrance into Canada."

**A Despatched Postcard**  
When Dickens died he left a moderate fortune, and the sale of his library and collection of mementoes added considerably to it. A writer in the New York Sun is therefore, moved to enquire, "What has become of the money? The answer is that it is gone. That it was not wisely spent is quite probable, but unfortunately this is common of all fortunes that disappear. The salient point is that Dickens worked hard all his life, that he brought into the world a fund of joy that will never be entirely dissipated, and that some of those whom he loved are in need. No more need be said in favor of the stamp fund.



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**Hyde Estate \$2,009,653**  
New York, Sept. 16.—James Haas Hyde son of Henry B. Hyde, founder of the Equitable Life Insurance Company, has asked Surrogate Nicol for a judicial settlement of his father's estate, and the surrogate has set the case for October 19 for a hearing.

The elder Hyde, who died a few years ago, owned a handsome country home at Babylon. He left considerable property, all of which went to the widow, Annie F. Hyde, and to the son, James Haas Hyde. According to papers filed in the surrogate's court, the present value of the estate is given as \$2,009,653, and it is for the purpose of liquidating the estate that the son has asked the surrogate to set a date for a hearing.

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**REPORTS THE WHEAT CROP NOT GOOD**  
(Toronto Telegram)  
Winnipeg, Man., Sept. 12.—James Caruthers, well-known Manitoba grain merchant who is here on his return from a trip through the prairie wheat country, was decidedly pessimistic last night, when asked for an opinion on the crop. He thought the total yield had been very much over-estimated, for, though in some districts the returns were better than he had expected, in others the crop was a total failure. A great deal of it had been damaged by recent rains and frosts, while perhaps not affecting the quantity, must damage the quality and knock down the grades. In fact, he considered that the No. 1 northern of the crop of 1910 had already all come in, and that the rest would not grade higher than No. 2.

Another thing against the Manitoba crop this year from the exporter's point of view, was the enormous Russian crop of good grade.

The Johnny—"I think I shall write to your father and ask him if I may marry you. What sort of a letter would you advise me to send?"  
The Girl—"I should write an anonymous one as if I were you."

**AMUSEMENTS FOR OURSELVES AND OTHERS**  
THE UNIQUE  
Everyone who attended the Unique theatre yesterday, if he or she possessed a spark of patriotism, could not but help applaud and cheer the offering of "O'Canada" by Mr. Sherman. With the stage prettily dressed in a miniature setting of bustling, maple leaves and colored lights that danced merrily on the various colors, the effect was noted by many to be one of the prettiest seen on a local stage for a long time. Everybody is familiar with the song, and it was in capable hands. It will be long for the balance of the week.

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**C. P. R. FIGURES FOR THE YEAR IN DETAIL**  
The Annual Report of Sir Thomas Shaughnessy—Road Carried More Than Eleven Million Passengers

The annual report of Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, president of the C. P. R., just issued in pamphlet form, contains some figures which have not hitherto been published.

The working expenses for the year amount to 64.83 per cent, the gross earnings and the net earnings to 35.62 per cent., as compared with 60.92 and 30.08 respectively, in 1909.

Sales of agricultural lands during the year aggregated 975,000 acres for \$14,468,564, being an average of \$14.84 per acre. Irrigated land brought \$20.50 per acre, so that the average of balance was \$12.78. The company will spend \$8,500,000 on the eastern section of the irrigation block to provide water, the work to extend over three years.

Out of the total earnings for the year of \$84,389,400 passengers brought \$24,812,020, freight \$20,158,887, sleeping cars, express, etc., \$9,228,836, and mail \$7,741,745. The number of passengers carried was 11,722,891, against 9,784,450 the year previous. Tons of freight carried jumped in the year from 16,549,616 to 20,451,268.

The balance sheet shows that the company's assets reach the total of \$226,250,280. The company operates a total mileage of 15,225 miles on land and on two oceans.

Interesting features of the report are to be found in the various statements dealing with the traffic. There has been a steady increase in the amount of freight carried and in the number of passengers using the company's lines. A striking feature is that the earnings per ton per mile of freight forwarded show a yearly increase of a cent for the past three years, rising from 75 cents in 1908 to 77 cents in the year the report deals with. On the other hand, there is a slight decline in earnings per passenger per mile, dropping from \$1.89 in 1908 to \$1.83 in the current year.

The total number of tons carried was 20,551,368, an increase of almost 25 per cent. over the previous year. The number of passengers carried reached a total of 11,722,891, in comparison with 9,784,450 carried during the previous year.

There are 435 foreign employees on the pension roll, of whom 167 are more than seventy years of age.

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