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TO PAY TEN SHILLINGS DOWN NOW

Birkbeck Bank Will Ultimately Pay Nearly All The Liabilities

MORE THAN 100,000 HIT

Many Depositors Are People of Small Means—Balance Sheet Just Prepared Would Have Caused Another Run — How Queen Mary Will Use Gift

(Canadian Press)

London, June 9—"Lloyd-George finance" is the reason given by some of the officials for the Birkbeck Bank's suspension which will cause the greatest consternation when it becomes generally known to the 112,000 depositors and members.

The directors of the bank promise an immediate payment of ten shillings on the pound, and expect eventually to pay seventeen or eighteen shillings on the pound, but in the depreciated condition of the large amount of securities held by the bank it will take a long time to realize. In the meantime the depositors are likely to suffer the greatest inconvenience, they being for the most part people of small means.

It appears that a run on the bank last November resulted in the withdrawal of $15,000,000 of deposits, very little of which was replaced, and it is supposed that this loss of custom hastened the end. No balance sheet has been issued since March, 1910, and the balance sheet just prepared, had it been issued, would undoubtedly have caused another serious run on the bank.

Pathetic scenes were witnessed outside the bank last night, hundreds of anxious depositors assembling and lamenting their loss, which many declared to be ruinous.

The stock exchange was practically unaffected today by the suspension of the Birkbeck Bank. Consols opened at from 1-8 to 1-4 lower than yesterday, but quickly recovered to yesterday's close. Small knots of anxious depositors had gathered about the bank since daybreak but the crowd when at its largest was probably less than 1,000.

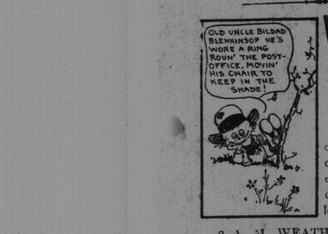
An authoritative statement given out by the directors to the effect that the bulk of the deposits are amply secured had a reassuring effect and it is the general opinion in the city that the suspension will not be as disastrous as first first feared.

London, June 9—The Queen has decided that the "Marys' Gift" of $60,000, which was presented to her, shall be used for the purchase of the insignia of the Order of the Garter in Diamonds and portraits of the King and Prince of Wales.

NEW PASTOR OF BRUSSELS ST. CHURCH GRADUATES AT NEWTON

(Special to Times.)

Boston, June 9—Among the gradnates from Newton Theological Seminary (Baptist), are:— Lemuel Ackland, Acadia University, 1908, Hampshire, P. E. I.; Herbert S. Bagnall, Acadia University, Hazel Grove, P. E. I.; Henry R. Boyer, University of New Brunswick, Fredericton, N. B.; Miles F. McCutcheon, Acadia University, St. John, N. B.; R. McCutcheon is to be the new pastor of Brussels street church, St. John.



WEATHER BULLETIN

Issued by authority of the department of Marine and Fisheries. R. F. Stupart, director of meteorological service.

9 A. M. WEATHER REPORTS.

Temperature Past 24 Hours.

	Max	Min	Dir	Vel.	
Toronto....	74	54	S.	4	Fair
Montreal...	76	62	W.	4	Clear
Quebec....	82	56	S.	10	Fair
Chatham...	82	56	W.	6	Fair
Char'town..	72	52	S.	4	Fair
Sydney.....	80	50	W.	4	Clear
Sable Island	66	50	E.	22	Cloudy
Halifax.....	74	50	S. E.	4	Clear
Yarmouth....	74	56	E.	10	Fair
St. John....	78	56	S.	6	Clear
Boston.....	70	58	N.	4	Clear
New York..	74	62	N.E.	10	Clear

Forenoon Bulletin from Toronto

Forecasts—Moderate variable winds, fine and warm, today and Saturday.

Synopsis—There is a small disturbance south of Nova Scotia but it will probably pass eastward. Weather is fine and moderately warm throughout the Dominion. To Banks and American ports, moderate variable winds.

Saint John Observatory.

The time ball on customs building is hoisted half its elevation at 12.45, full elevation at 12.59, and drops at 1 p. m. Standard time of the 60th Meridian, equivalent to 5 hours Greenwich mean time.

Local Weather Report at Noon.

Friday, June 9

Highest temperature during last 24 hrs, 78
Lowest temperature during last 24 hrs, 56
Temperature at noon 66
Humidity at noon.. 74
Barometer readings at noon (sea level and 32 degrees Fah), 29.94 inches.
Wind at noon: Direction S., velocity 7 miles per hour. Clear.
Same date last year: Highest temperature, 60; lowest, 47. Fine.

D. L. HUTCHINSON,
Director.

CONSERVATIVES PRESS FLEMMING

Delegation Travel to Hartland and Urge Acceptance of Federal Government Plan for Valley Railroad

(Special to Times.)

Hartland, N. B., June 9—Last evening J. L. White, William Perry, T. J. Carter, and Senator Baird, all of Victoria county, Conservatives, and the Victoria county members came to Hartland and had a long interview with Acting Premier Flemming urging upon him the acceptance of the federal government plan of operation of the Valley Railway.

This was in pursuance of a resolution passed at a meeting in Andover on Wednesday evening. The committee had nothing to give out regarding the result of the interview.

ATTACHES TO THE U.S. AMBASSADOR AT THE CORONATION

London, June 9—King George has appointed Baron Sandhurst as civil attache, and Lieut Col. Bernard R. James, formerly British military attache at Washington, and Captain C. G. G. Sowerby, the British naval attache at Washington, as military and naval attaches respectively to John Hays Hammond, while acting as the United States special ambassador to the coronation.

Baron Hamilton of Dalzell, was originally chosen as civil attache to Mr. Hammond but the continued illness of Earl Spencer made it necessary to continue Lord Dalzell as acting lord chamberlain to his majesty.

"EXPENSE MONEY" FOR AMATEUR ATHLETES BEING LOOKED INTO

New York, June 9—(Canadian Press)—The amateur athletic commission has decided to move vigorously against the alleged abuse of the "expense money," privilege on the part of a few prominent amateurs, and James E. Sullivan declares that if reasonable proof can be obtained suspensions will follow. Some of the suspected athletes are declared to have demanded appearance money from athletic promoters.

Chairman Sullivan's statement says that the matter is before the National registration committee for investigation.

ANOTHER CHANGE IN CANADA'S TEAM TO THE BISELEY MEET

Ottawa, June 9 — (Special)—Another change in the Bisley team is announced by R. Bird-Shistle, secretary of the D. R. A. who today received a letter from Major W. L. Ross, of Hamilton stating that owing to business reasons he would not be able to go to England.

Corp. George Mortimer, of the 8th. Royal Rifles, Quebec, and formerly of Ottawa, will take his place.

SPAIN IN MOROCCO

Madrid, June 9—(Canadian Press)—Premier Canalejas informed the Chamber of Deputies last night that Spain's projected military operations at El Para in Morocco were not inconsistent with the treaty of Algeria or other agreements. It was necessary, he said, for Spain to restore and preserve order in that part of Morocco. It is understood that the government plans the occupation of Tetuan, Morocco because Spanish subjects have been killed or maltreated by rebellious tribesmen.

London, June 9—Special despatches from Tangier report that the French troops entered Mequinez on June 4, after a desperate battle. The pretender Mulai-El-Zin, and his cabinet, the despatches say, are prisoners. Heavy losses occurred on both sides.

In both the Teutan and El Arash regions Spanish interests are endangered. The French government is endeavoring to dissuade Spain from these military movements.

Paris, June 9—The French government is concerned over Spanish activities in Morocco especially at a time when France having attained the relief of Fez, intends to withdraw her troops after re-organizing the Sultan's army and having accomplished the pacification of the country. Spain seemingly is determined to extend her zone in Morocco which is now limited to Melilla and Couta and their environs.

M. O. Geoffray, the French ambassador at Madrid is representing to the Spanish government the untimeliness of further military enteprise in the troubled country since some power might declare that Morocco was being dismembered and so the powers were no longer bound by the Algeciras agreement but are free to act according to its representation.

The German note which was represented as being sent to France calling attention to the limitations of the Algeciras agreement, apparently has not been received here.

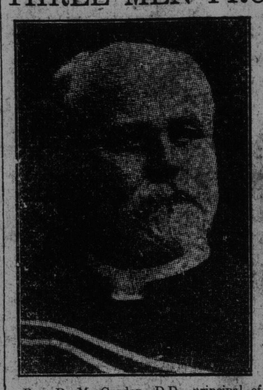
VOLCANO STARTED UP WITH EARTHQUAKE

Guadahjara, Mex. June 9—The volcano Colima became active on Wednesday when the earthquake shocks were felt and yesterday was emitting smoke and lava. The towns of Tonila and San Andrez were badly damaged by the disturbances. Portions of them being destroyed. A relief train has been sent to the scene.

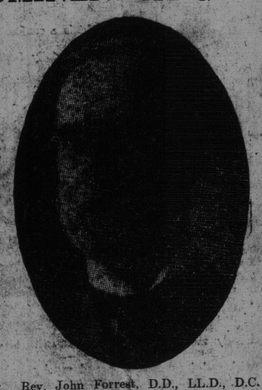
FAILURE WILL HIT TEACHERS AND OTHERS

Toronto, Ont., June 9—(Canadian Press)—In the failure of Dr. T. A. Slocum, Ltd., manufacturers of psychine, it is expected that the creditors will realize little. In addition all the school teachers and others who have bought stock and have only partially paid up, will be forced to pay the balance due on the shares.

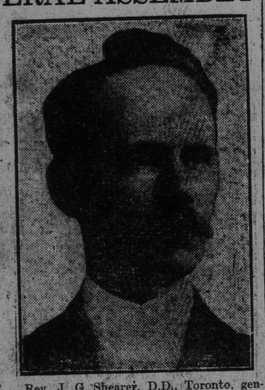
THREE MEN PROMINENT AT GENERAL ASSEMBLY



Rev. D. M. Gordon, D.D., principal of Queen's University.



Rev. John Forrest, D.D., LL.D., D.C. L., of Halifax, president of Dalhousie College, retiring moderator.



Rev. J. G. Shearer, D.D., Toronto, general secretary of the Moral and Social Reform Council of Canada.

THREE WERE DROWNED IN ONTARIO LAKE

Canoe Upset by Squall — Clergymen's Body Found Hanging to Tree at Health Resort

(Canadian Press)

Sudbury, Ont., June 9—Archibald Tutt, aged 31; Jael Hunter, aged 26, and George Girard, aged 20, were drowned in Lake Penagon on Monday. They were crossing the lake with Thomas Chambers and another man in a canoe when a squall sprang up. The heavily laden canoe filled with water. The men clung to it but the three sank.

Chambers and the other man managed to hang onto the submerged craft and drifted ashore after being in the water about two hours.

Elmira, N. Y., June 9—The body of Rev H. S. Magee of Toronto, was found hanging to a tree by an attendant of the Gleason health resort, located on East Hill, near this city, where he had been staying. No reason for the act can be ascertained.

Rome, June 9—Signor Marra, an Italian aviator, while flying in an aeroplane at the aerodrome here yesterday, fell from a height of 390 feet and was instantly killed.

A Toronto special to the Times says:—"Rev. H. S. Magee, field secretary of the temperance and moral reform department of the Methodist church, died suddenly at Elmira, N. Y., where he went to regain his strength having suffered a nervous breakdown. He is known all over Canada."

ELOPERS ARE SEPARATED BY ORDER OF COURT

Husband Convicted of Perjury But Will be Given a Chance to Live Right

Woodstock, Ont., June 9—(Canadian Press)—James Young, a local man who ran off to Ingersoll with a girl in her teens a few weeks ago was brought back with his young bride and compelled by the court to live apart from his wife, who went to live with her parents.

It was charged that he had sworn falsely to the girl's age and yesterday he was tried for perjury and was found guilty. The magistrate suspended sentence on condition that the marriage be solemnized in the regular way, that he work steadily from now on, that he support his wife and that he provide bonds to the amount of $500 for his future good behavior.

SCORES DROWN AS THEY LEAP FROM BURNING STEAMER

Blagovish-Tchensk, Asiatic Russia, June 9—(Canadian Press)—The Amur River steamer Muravienf Amurski was destroyed by fire last night. The passengers jumped into the river and scores of persons were drowned.

CHANGE PARDONED

Boston, June 9—On the absolute ground of "innocence" Governor Foss, on the unanimous recommendation of the executive council has pardoned John H. Chance, a life prisoner at the state prison. Chance was convicted on Sept. 11, 1899, for the killing of Charles L. Russell, a clerk employed in the drug store under the United States hotel. Arthur Hagan, now in the west, was indicted with him but was acquitted. Hagan recently made a confession to Chief Inspector Dugan of the Boston police that Chance had nothing to do with the crime.

TEN MILLION DOLLAR COMPANY PROPOSE TO BUILD SHIPS AT SYDNEY

Three Hundred Acres of Land There Have Been Purchased For a Site

Canadian and British Capital in the Company of Which Sir Henry Pellatt is Chairman—Plan Fast Line of Steamships to Cross Atlantic

(Canadian Press)

London, June 9—Grant Hugh Brown, of New York and Toronto, has organized the British-Canadian Shipbuilding and Dock Company, with a capital of $10,000,000, all of which has now been subscribed. Sir Henry Pellatt of Toronto, is the chairman. The board of directors includes Lieut. Governor Gibson of Ontario and Sir Charles Ellis, chairman of the John Brown Company of Clydebank, builders of the Lusitania.

The site of the new shipbuilding yards, docks, and slips is to be at Sydney, N. S., where more than 300 acres of land have been bought. Mr. Brown said:—"The site is ideal. The harbor is excellent and near the centre of cheap steel and coal. We shall be able to build the biggest class of dreadnoughts should Canada ever decide to construct them. We also have armor, electric light and refrigerating plants. We plan to have a fast line of ships between Canada and England, as Sydney and Fishguard are only 2,000 miles apart."

"Sir Henry Pellatt's great desire is to see the fastest mail line between Canada and Great Britain get the contract for carrying the mail and hopes to construct three vessels of the improved Mauretania-Lusitania type, able to go twenty-six knots. If we are successful in obtaining the Canadian Government's contract, which will be for more than $15,000,000, the mere sending of a cablegram to Sydney will start operations at once.

Under agreements between Canada and Nova Scotia, the Sydney Company will receive an annual subsidy of $170,000 for thirty-five years.

"The shipyard will have eleven building slips, eight of which will be able to take in the biggest dreadnoughts. The dry dock will be 1040 feet long by 110 feet wide, the plant as planned will be one of the largest in the world. It is estimated that the plant will cost $6,000,000.

JACK JOHNSON UNDER WEATHER ON OCEAN VOYAGE

First Day Too Much For Him But He Gets His Sea Legs and Gives Boxing Exhibition

On Board the Steamship Kron Prinz Wilhelm via Wireless to Cape Race, June 9—It was not until late yesterday that Jack Johnson was able to emerge from his stateroom and become a part of the life on the ship. Despite his protestations that he was "a good sailor" Johnson felt very uncomfortable while the big liner was moving northward along the long island coast. Today, however, he is making up for lost time.

After a session with the appliances in the big ship's gymnasium Johnson gave a boxing exhibition with his sparring partners which was witnessed by all the male and some of the female passengers. The big fellow showed the effects of recent training and seemed in condition to enter the ring again at a moment's notice.

There is no race prejudice manifested among the passengers, most of whom regard the Galveston negro as a source of entertainment for the voyage all the way across.

DEMONSTRATION AGAINST CHRISTIANS SUPPRESSED

Fez, Morocco, June 5—By way of Tangier June 8—The non-arrival of General Moniers' column led to a recurrence of disorders at Mequinez with an anti-Christian demonstration and looting. The outbreak, however, was quickly suppressed. Mulai-Elozin, who rules the populace with a strong hand caused scores of the rioters to be imprisoned. Fears had been felt for the safety of the missionaries, Rev. Mr. Enyert and his wife, who are at Mequinez but the latest reports were that they were safe.

REMOVE EXEMPTION FROM MIRAMICHI PULP MANUFACTORY

Chatham Town Council Also Takes Action on Other Financial Matters—The Exhibition

(Special to Times)

Chatham, N. B., June 9—At a special meeting of the town council last night the recommendation of the finance committee that, as the principal condition under which the Miramichi Pulp and Paper Company secured exemption from taxation was that it should manufacture pulp in the town, was not now being complied with, the company having gone into liquidation and closed its mill, therefore the council should order the property of the company at present exempted to be valued and assessed by the town assessors was unanimously adopted.

The assesors were ordered to be notified accordingly.

The putting into effect of this order will entail considerable additional burden on the company with corresponding advantage to the town's finances.

The council also decided to enforce payment of outstanding taxes at once in the interest of the town's overdrawn account. An application from the Miramichi Exhibition Association for general exemption from taxation was refused, but the taxes for 1910 were remitted and free light promised for the forthcoming exhibition.

Reciprocity and the South

New York, June 9—(Canadian Press)—President Taft wound up a strenuous day in this city with an address last night in the Hotel Astor at the banquet of the Cotton Seed Crushers Association. He enlisted the co-operation of the members of that association in urging senators from the south to vote for his reciprocity measure, urging that the removal of trade barriers would greatly increase the cotton seed oil trade and give the southern truck gardners a larger market.

THE TIMES' NEW REPORTER

DISCIPLINE RESTORED.

To the great relief of the citizens, discipline has been restored in the fire department. Hereafter, at a fire, when an order is to be given, the chief will retire two blocks, advance slowly one block, send for a messenger, put the order in writing, warn the messenger not to speak when it is delivered, and then wait for a reply. If the reply is satisfactory the chief will once more enter the fire zone, and, if the building has not been destroyed, will salute and stand to attention until ordered to go home.

DELIGHTFUL OUTING.

The moonlight excursions on the Ludlow last night were greatly enjoyed, especially the near view of the C. P. R. operations at the head of the harbor. It is hoped that she will go down the harbor tonight, toward the beacon, and that there will be a band on board. Persons who desire to cross the harbor in a hurry may engage a tug or motor boat.

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BULLETIN NO. 110.

Salem, Mass., June 9—The commander of the Newport cast his weather eye seaward this morning and observed that there was "danger on the deep." Then all hands turned in for breakfast.

MORE TEN-SPOTS GONE.

Mr. Peter Binks says that winning baseball pennants in the columns of the newspapers doesn't fill the void in his betting pocket; and the broad grin they are wearing in Fredericton, Woodstock, Calais and other country villages almost makes him shed tears.

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THE CITY BEAUTIFUL.

It is held by some who have given much study to the subject of civic taxation that the fact that grass refuses to grow on two sections of the Germain street boulevard is proof positive that Nature abhors a vacant lot.

FEAR PASSENGER VESSEL IS LOST

Mattresses Floating off Newfoundland Coast Suggest Disaster—Investigation Being Made

St. John's, Nfld., June 9—(Canadian Press)—Fishermen from the southwest coast report finding a number of stout mattresses afloat off the fishing grounds. Although no other wreckage has been sighted they believe that a passenger carrying vessel has been wrecked in the neighborhood. The government is investigating.

USES STOCKING TO END HER LIFE

Edith Terry Wanted to Marry Man Younger Than Herself and Her Parents Objected

Greenport, L. I., June 9—(Canadian Press)—Because her parents objected to her marrying a younger man, Miss Edith Terry of Orient choked herself to death with a stocking.

Miss Terry was 39 years old, her fiance was 29. After spending most of the day with him yesterday she went home, stuffed her ears and nose with cotton, made a slip noose of a long lisle stocking, put it around her neck and pulled it tight until she fell unconscious. She died soon after she was found by members of the family.

WINE TROUBLES IN FRANCE TAKEN UP IN PARLIAMENT

Fierce Attack Upon Government Today Following Victory of Latter Yesterday

Paris, June 9—(Canadian Press)—The question of the delimitation of the champagne district was brought to the front in the chamber of deputies yesterday and the first attack of those opposed to delimitation ended in a victory for the government by a vote of 294 to 181. The attack took the formof a motion submitted by Paul Maunier, representing the department of Aube, that the government suspend for further consideration the decree signed by President Fallieres which ratified the plan drawn up by the council of state whereby the whole champagne region was to be divided into two zones.

M. Caillaux, minister of finance, in the name of the government declined to accept the motion. The chamber, he said, had the right to discuss the government's acts only when accomplished. The decree did not come under that head until it had been promulgated and its discussion in the chamber would establish a dangerous constitutional precedent.

The vote, it is considered, turned on the purely constitutional point of delimitation and the situation with reference to the wine growers has not been modified by it. Interpellations which will be submitted today in the chamber on the subject, will develop a debate on the entire principle of delimitation and it is expected that the government will be subjected to a much fiercer attack than it resisted yesterday.

LOCAL NEWS

TO BROW HEAD.

Steamer Hardanger, Captain Hall, sailed today for Brow Head for orders.

THE NEWPORT.

Alderman Smith, chairman of the ferry committee, has not yet received word of the departure of the Newport from Salem.

STREET OBSTRUCTION.

Isaac Bab, reported for encumbering Watson street, w. e., with an express wagon, was before Magistrate Ritchie in the police court this morning, and was allowed to go on condition that he have the wagon removed.

OTTAWA OFFICIAL HERE.

James Johnston of the Public Works Department, Ottawa, arrived in the city on the Montreal express this morning and is registered at the Royal. He will leave for Halifax tomorrow to look after some work in connection with the department.

POLICE COURT.

In the police court this morning William Watson was fined $4 for being drunk. Peter McAnulty, aged 70, who was arrested yesterday on vagrancy charge, was allowed to go on condition that he return to the Municipal Home.

NEW YACHT.

A handsome new yacht, built by Logan Brothers, of the Straight shore, for Dr. H. C. Wetmore, was launched this morning. The name of the boat is the Wanderer. She measures thirty-five feet over all. The boat is fitted out handsomely and will be a valuable addition to the already large fleet of river pleasure craft.

CONSERVATIVE OFFICERS.

At a meeting of the Conservative executive last night in the Ritchie building, with a good attendance, officers were elected as follows: President, W. H. Thorne; vice, J. B. M. Baxter, K. C.; 2nd vice, R. W. Wigmore; 3rd vice, Capt R. Carson, of St. Martins; secretary, J. S. Starr Tait, and treasurer, J. R. Stone. adjournment was made for a fortnight.

LUMBER SHIPMENTS.

American schooner Georgie Pearl, Captain Berryman, sailed for Scituate, Mass., today with 181,704 s feet of spruce boards loaded at Fredericton. American schooner W. E. & W. L. Tuck, Captain Haley, cleared today for City Island f. o. She had a cargo of 1873 m of spruce laths. American schooner Helen G. King, Captain Gough, cleared today for Salem with 133,244 s feet spruce plank and 20,156 s feet scantling shipped by Stetson, Cutler & Co.

THOUSAND DEAD NOW REPORTED

Earthquake in Mexico Said to Have Caused Fearful Destruction

VILLAGES WIPED OUT

Scores of Them Destroyed—Volcano Near Pacific Coast Is In Violent Eruption and Earthquake Section Is Centered There—Help for Sufferers

Mexico City, June 9—(Canadian Press)—Greatly alarmed over the reports filtering into the city from various sources that more than a thousand persons were killed, twice that number injured and scores of villages destroyed by Wednesday's earthquake, the government officials today took steps to investigate and aid the sufferers.

The centre of the disturbance is said to be the volcano Colima, near the Pacific coast. Extinct for years it is now reported in violent eruption. In Zapotian, a large portion of the city was destroyed and many reported killed and injured. Tonila, Platanar, San Andres and the surrounding country are reported practically wiped out, with many deaths.

The area of destruction, according to the best advices available is rectangular, with the northern boundary less than fifty miles from this city and the southern part taking in the lower part of Guerrero.

A strange feature of the activity of the earthquake was that its greatest severity seemed to be felt in rings around the Colima volcano between which were belts that were almost immune from damage. The immediate vicinity of the volcano suffered heavily after which there was a zone fifty miles wide which was unharmed. Then came another damaged section.

McAVITY TEAM WIN FROM M. R. A'S IN COMMERCIAL LEAGUE

In the Commercial Baseball League game last night the T. McAvity & Sons Ltd. team defeated the M. R. A Ltd. nine by a score of 13 to 12. Myers started in to pitch for the winners but was replaced by McAvity. Girvan pitched for the losers and had three strike outs to his credit. He allowed three bases on balls. The game lasted six innings and although the score was big, the game was fairly interesting. The following is the summary:—

T. McAvity & Sons.

	AB.	R.	H.	T.B	P.O	A.	E
Everitt c....	4	2	3	4	3	0	0
Myers, p, 2b ...	3	4	2	3	1	4	3
Howard, 1 b ...	3	2	0	0	6	0	0
Howe, l.f., 3b. .	4	0	1	1	0	0	2
Noddin, 3b, l.f..	3	0	0	0	0	0	1
Kelly, 2b, p, r....	1	1	0	0	4	1	0
Murphy c.f....	3	1	0	0	0	1	0
Littlejohn, s.s.,	2	1	0	0	1	0	0
McAvity, ff. p. .	2	2	1	1	0	0.	0
Total	25	13	7	9	15	6	6

M. R. A. Ltd.

	AB.	R.	H.	T.B	P.O	A.
F. Smith 3b. . .	1	3	0	0	0	0
Rootes c.	4	3	1	1	4	1
Morrissey, 2b. . .	4	1	2	2	4	2
Killen, l.f.	4	0	0	0	0	0
Orr, 1 b..	2	0	1	1	5	
Coram, r.f.. . . .	3	0	0	0	0	
E. Smith s.s.. . .	3	2	1	1	1	
Holman, c.f. . .	2	2	1	1	1	
Girvan, p	3	1	2	3	0	
Total . .	23	12	8	9	15	7

Score by innings:—

	1	2	3	4	5	
T. McAvity & Sons.. . . .	2	2	0	3	6	—13
M. R. A. Ltd..	3	4	2	0	3	—12

Summary—Marathon grounds, June 8: Two base hits, Everitt, Myers, Girvan; stolen bases, Everitt (two), Myers (four), Howard, Kelly, McAvity, F. Smith, Rootes, Morrissey, Orr; bases on balls, off Girvan, three, viz: Howard, Kelly, McAvity; off Myers, four, viz: F. Smith (four), Orr, Holman; off McAvity, one, viz: F. Smith; struck out by McAvity, two, viz Coram and Girvan; by Girvan, three, viz: Everitt, Kelly and Littlejohn; hit by pitched ball, Myers Kelly and Littlejohn; wild pitch—Girvan, 2; passed balls, Everitt, three; umpire, D Connelly; scorer, Stubbs.

CLAIM OF $1,349 AGAINST ESTATE OF THOS. HASTINGS

In the probate court today in the matter of the estate of Thomas Hastings there was return of citation to pass the accounts of Leonard P. D. Tilley and John Thornton, the executors. The accounts having been passed the court then took up claim of Jas. L. Hastings for board for the deceased at Wickham, and care of him during his illness, amounting to $1,349. The executors having disputed the claim, they and the claimant leave the decision to this court.

The case was still before the court on adjournment at 1 o'clock until this afternoon. M. G. Teed, K.C., is proctor for the executors; Dr. W. B. Wallace, K.C., and J. A. Sinclair, proctors for the claimant.

SODA FOUNTAINS IN C. P. R. DINING CARS

Toronto, June 9—(Canadian Press) — The C. P. R. is considering installing soda fountains in their trans-continental dining cars.

THE BATTLE LINE.

S. S. "Himera," Capt. Bennett, bound for Rio Janeiro, sailed from La Plata today.