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THE STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B. WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 1907.

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COMMERCIAL

WALL STREET.
NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—Light dealings were conducted in the opening stock market and the price changes were narrow and mixed. There was an advance in Toledo, St. Louis and Western of 5-8 and Rep. Steel of 7-8.

NEW YORK STOCK QUOTATIONS.
Chicago Market Report and New York Cotton Market.
(Furnished by D. C. Cline, Banker and Broker.)
St. John, N. B., Sept. 18, 1907.
Tues. Wed.

Amalg. Copper	61	61	60 1/2
Anacostia	40 1/2	40 1/2	39 1/2
Am. Sugar Ref.	112	112	111 1/2
Am. S. and W.	50 1/2	50 1/2	50 1/2
Am. Car Foundry	37 1/2	37 1/2	37 1/2
Am. Locomotive	52 1/2	52 1/2	52 1/2
Brook. R. P. Co.	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2
Balt. and Ohio	91	91	91 1/2
Ches. and Ohio	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2
Can. Pac.	104 1/2	104 1/2	104 1/2
Colo. F. and Iron	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
Erie	21	21	21 1/2
Kan. and Tex.	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2
Louis. and Nash.	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Missouri Pacific	70	70	70 1/2
N. Y. Central	106 1/2	106 1/2	106 1/2
Ont. and Western	33 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2
Reading	96	96	96 1/2
Republic Steel	20 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2
Pennsylvania	120 1/2	120 1/2	120 1/2
Rock Island	19 1/2	19 1/2	19 1/2
St. Paul	120 1/2	120 1/2	120 1/2
Southern Ry.	16	16	16 1/2
Pressed Steel Car	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
Southern Pacific	88 1/2	88 1/2	88 1/2
Northern Pacific	132 1/2	132 1/2	132 1/2
National Lead	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2
Union Pacific	125 1/2	125 1/2	125 1/2
U. S. Steel	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2
U. S. Steel, P. D.	91 1/2	91 1/2	91 1/2
Total sales in New York yesterday.	61,800 shares.		

CHICAGO MARKET REPORT.
Tues. Wed.
Ct. Op. No. Noon.

Dec. corn	56 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2
Wheat	51 1/2	51 1/2	51 1/2
Oct. corn	51 1/2	51 1/2	51 1/2
May corn	57 1/2	57 1/2	57 1/2
Wheat	105 1/2	105 1/2	105 1/2

MONTREAL QUOTATIONS.
Tues. Wed.
Ct. Op. No. Noon.

Dom. Coal	48 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2
Dom. Iron and Steel	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
Dom. I. and S. p.d.	87 1/2	87 1/2	87 1/2
N. S. Steel	66 1/2	66 1/2	66 1/2
C. P. R.	165 1/2	165 1/2	165 1/2
Que. P. R.	165 1/2	165 1/2	165 1/2
Montreal Power	92 1/2	92 1/2	92 1/2
Rich. and Ont. N.	62 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2
Mackay Co.	62 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2
Tyler H. and L.	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
Tor. St. Ry.	99 1/2	99 1/2	99 1/2
Illin. Trac. p.d.	82 1/2	82 1/2	82 1/2

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.
Tues. Wed.
Ct. Op. No. Noon.

September	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2
October	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2
December	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2
January	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE TRANSACTIONS.
(Furnished by J. M. Robinson and Sons, Bankers.)
Iron Bonds—500,000/100.
American Electric Co.—500/434.
200/434.
H. J. Jan. L. & P. Co.—100/424.
200/424.
Illinois M. & P. Co.—200/424.
Dominion Iron—250/224.
Toronto Ry.—200/100.
McKay Co.—200/64.
Molson's Bank—200/100.
Tobacco Electric Ry.—200/100.
Bell Telephone—100/124.
Dominion Coal—250/64.
T. H. Ry. P. D.—200/100.
Iron P. D.—200/54.
Detroit Electric Ry.—200/64.
C. P. Ry.—200/100.

LONDON, Sept. 18.—American stocks in London steady about parity. London market quiet with good feeling.
LONDON, Sept. 18.—12 p. m.—Call, 16 1/2.
LONDON, Sept. 18.—2 p. m.—Exchange, 4 1/2-4 1/2. Consols, 81 1/2-81 1/2. Amalgamated, 61 1/2. Atchafalaya, 16 1/2. B. & O. 21 1/2. Ches. and Ohio, 34 1/2. G. W. 9 1/2. C. P. R., 165 1/2. Erie, 21 1/2. Erie p.d., 47 1/2. Ill., 15 1/2. Kansas and Texas, 34 1/2. Louis. and Nash., 10 1/2. Norfolk and Western, 31 1/2. Northern Pacific, 124 1/2. C. E. N., 10 1/2. O. W., 23 1/2. P. A., 12 1/2. R. G., 9 1/2. R. I., 19 1/2. S. R., 16 1/2. S. P., 8 1/2. S. T., 12 1/2. Union Pacific, 124 1/2. U. S., 23 1/2. U. S. S., 16 1/2.

LIVERPOOL, Sept. 18.—Spot cotton, increased demand, prices steady. Middling up 4. Put up steady. Steady to 7 1/2 up. At 12 30 p. m., firm, 9 to 10, from previous close.
Earnings—Canadian Pacific, second week September, increase \$22,000, from July 1st, increase \$2,000,000.
N. Y. & C. W. July, net decrease, \$14,000, surplus after charges, decrease \$12,750.
No closing of steel mills at present. But some shut downs expected later.
Norfolk and Western Can. show an earning capacity of about 10 per cent. on common.
Soe earned 17 7/10 per cent. on common in past fiscal year.
Strong demand for stocks in loan crowd, especially New York Central, Penna., Steel and Reading.
According to evidence in Federal inquiry Standard Oil earned in eight weeks \$100,315,824 and paid out in dividends \$28,359,402.
Nipissing Mines Co. declared regularly dividend of 3 per cent., payable October 1st, this calls for payment of \$100,000 to cover this payment the directors of Nipissing Mining Company, the operating concerns declared a lump sum dividend of \$100,000, which is payable to the holding company, the Nipissing Mines Co. As of date Sept. 17th, Nipissing cash and cash assets totalled \$805,569 as compared with \$775,000 on July 1st.
MINNEAPOLIS, Sept. 18.—President Lowry says: "I will soon bring before the Twin City directors the question of

an increase in dividend rate. Next quarterly declaration is due on October 1. I doubt whether the present is a good time to increase dividends. If the increase in our dividend comes in, the early part of next year the stockholders should be satisfied. The company's earnings should be between 3 and 10 per cent. on the common.
"Strength in Nor. Pacific is due to the fact that the directors of the Burlington motor is believed to be approaching completion. Notwithstanding general denial, the probability is that the dividend will be distributed amounting to \$20 a share, and according to present status of the dividend may come this fall.

MONTREAL, Sept. 18.—The regular semi-annual dividend of 3 per cent., making 7 per cent. for the year has been declared on Ogilvie Flour Mills Common.
A meeting of the Dominion Iron and Steel Company directors has been called for Friday in Montreal.
NEW YORK—Anacostia dividend expected to be acted upon today. The Havana P. Co. declared a regular quarterly dividend of 15th, books close on Sept. 29th.

LONDON, 230 p.m.—Markets are quiet and uninteresting but tone is steady. The Jewish holidays have the usual effect of restricting dealings. American securities are quiet. There has been buying of U. S. Steel shares. Copper stocks were firm and Rio Tinto's are 1-4 higher at 7 1/2.
LIVERPOOL, 2 p. m.—Futures firm 8 to 13 net advance.

Sept. 18.—The sustained advance of price yesterday for the face of the market has created a more confident feeling in speculative circles. Traders were encouraged by the evidence of support for the copper shares in the face of declining metal prices and the likelihood of a reduction in the dividends of Amalg. copper and Anacostia was robbed of its terror by the prediction that even if these predictions were realized both stocks would still be attractive, current levels, 10 1/2.

The aggressive strength of the Northern Pacific shares was accompanied by rumors that an extra dividend would be declared at the next meeting of directors, but in certain quarters it was asserted that the strength had more to do with the probable partition of the Northern Pacific of the Great Northern holdings of Burlington stock.

It was surmised that the proposed merger of subsidiary companies with the Great Northern might include also the taking of the Northern Pacific holdings of these shares at a good price and that the Northern Pacific stockholders would probably reap the benefits immediately. The immediate prospects for the stock were good.

LAIDMAN & CO.
Sept. 18.—The City has declared a regular quarterly dividend of 1-1/2 per cent. on preferred stock, payable October 1st, books close September 23rd.

RECENT DEATHS.
MRS. W. H. ARNOLD.
The death occurred at noon today of Mrs. Arnold, wife of William H. Arnold, Inspector of the Dominion Fire Insurance Co. Mrs. Arnold had been ill for only a short time and her death comes as a sad blow to her many friends throughout the city. The sympathy of the community are extended to her bereaved husband and children in their great misfortune.

Mrs. Arnold was the daughter of the late John and Elizabeth McKay. She is survived by three brothers, James O. McKay, John A. McKay and Edwin K. McKay. One sister, Miss Etta McKay, and three young children, Edwin LeRoy, George and Jean also survive.

HENRY PIER.
HAMPTON, N. B., Sept. 18.—Henry Pier, Esq., died here on Tuesday afternoon. He was for many years a justice of the peace and carried the mails to Midland up to a few months ago. He was aged about 60 years. He was twice married, his first wife being a Miss Tremblay, of Annapolis. His second wife was Miss Emma Jones, of Annapolis, who died in June, 1905. He leaves one son, George T., and one daughter, Miss Ruth C., both of whom reside at home, also two brothers, Grant Pier of Hampton, and William Pier, of Springfield, and three sisters, Mrs. Seth Pier and Mrs. Charles Scribner of Springfield, and Mrs. James Bravely, of Passamaquoddy.

KILLED AT SHERBROOKE.
SHERBROOKE, Que., Sept. 18.—William Lindsay died in the hospital last evening as a result of injuries which he received yesterday afternoon in the yard at Sherbrooke. He had just come out of the freight shed and was crossing over between a side track and the main line. While he was watching a freight train shunting he fell and his head struck the top of the freight car. He was taken to the hospital and died at 10 o'clock.

BANK ROBBER WAS TODAY FOUND GUILTY.
MONTREAL, Sept. 18.—Robert Heston was found guilty by a jury this morning of having broken into the Provincial Bank at St. Croix, Que., on July 10th last and stealing \$3,000.

He was sentenced by Judge Tremblay to the term of the session. Heston was recommended to the court on account of his elderly years. He was arrested in Montreal with \$340 in Provincial Bank bills on him for which he could not give a satisfactory account.

The funeral of Mrs. Julia A. Langley was held from her late residence, 23 Kennedy street, this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Rev. D. Hutchinson officiated. Interment was in Fernhill.

DR. PUGSLEY ELECTED BY ACCLAMATION

Proceedings at the Court House This Afternoon.

St. John's New Representative Addresses the Electors—A Fairly Large Attendance.

The nomination for the election of a representative of the city and county of St. John in the Dominion Parliament opened at noon today at the Court House. At a few minutes past twelve the nomination papers of William Pugsley were filed by Walter H. Treisman, barrister at law.

The signatures attached to Dr. Pugsley's nomination were as follows: Wm. H. Treisman, Joseph Allison, Thos. McAvity, Thos. Gorman, John Sealy, Robt. Thompson, Jas. Knox, J. J. Knowlton, John Seale, H. J. Rankin, Fred. A. Foster, John E. Moore, B. Allan Scholter, Michael Ryan, Geo. H. Nixon, Henry Gallagher, A. O. Skinner, B. R. Macaulay, T. Collins, M. J. Nugent, Jos. Finley, F. E. Williams, W. E. Vroom, H. D. Troop, F. R. Schofield, A. W. Adams, A. H. Shaw, Patrick Mooney, W. B. Bowman, E. H. McAlpine, John W. Smith, W. G. Scully, Harrison, McKinnon, W. E. Scully, H. E. Estabrook, Edw. Lantulum, Geo. McKean, Peter McIntyre, Geo. H. Flood, Walter E. Foster, T. B. Robinson, Wm. Doherty, A. P. Barnhill, Geo. A. Knodel, A. M. Rowan, John Flood, R. C. Elkin, C. Sydney Smith, A. B. Cain, Henry Hilgard, Geo. Robertson, F. E. Sayre, D. J. Purdy, Henry Maher, J. V. Russell, Jas. Coll, Hugh H. McNeill, Wm. E. Scully, A. P. McAvenny, Timothy O'Brien, T. H. Bullock, Jas. Ready, Robt. C. Rudolph, C. H. Brennan, Thos. Rippey, H. J. Coates, Jas. S. Gregory.

At 2 o'clock, no other nominations having been filed, Sheriff Ritchie cast the necessary ballot and declared Mr. Pugsley elected.

Dr. Pugsley received an enthusiastic reception from the large audience which had gathered in the courtroom. He would embrace the opportunity, he said, to extend greetings to the citizens of St. John for their great kindness in making him a candidate, and for the confidence they had placed in him. It was an evidence, he said, that they have confidence in him, and that they believe he will be able to serve their interests. He would put forth every effort in their behalf.

He has been called to the great position of Minister of Public Works in that capacity he will have to devote careful attention to the affairs of the city. He will not forget the people of this constituency. Our Dominion, continued Mr. Pugsley, has a great debt to the people of the city. We have a wealth of agricultural resources second to none in the world, particularly in the case of the Maritime Provinces. The rapid growth of the country makes the responsibility of the government a heavy one.

We of St. John are particularly interested in the question of transportation. He will use his every effort to help solve this problem and he hoped the grain output of the west and all other Canadian exports and imports would be carried safely and cheaply upon Canadian soil and through Canadian ports.

He referred to the fact that members of the Conservative party and their supporters had made charges of fraud in electoral matters against the government. There was, he thought, too much quibbling about small matters in this regard and he neglected the questions and issues of the day. He spoke disparagingly of the tactics of Hon. R. L. Borden and charged that the government was unworthy of a man holding the great position which that gentleman occupies.

THE OZAR ESTABLISHES A NEW BODYGUARD
Regiment of Men Chosen for Their Fidelity Will Surround Him—An Awful Record of Punishment.

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 18.—For the further protection of his own person, Emperor Nicholas has ordered the creation of a new regiment of Life Guards, composed of specially selected officers, non-commissioned officers and soldiers, drawn from regiments throughout the entire Russian army on the recommendation of the commanders of the various corps, who are to be held strictly responsible for the good behavior of their appointees.

The members of this new regiment will be chosen individually, will be required to have manifested exceptional trustworthiness, and devotion to the throne, and will be placed under the orders of the commander of the imperial palace.

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 18.—The police statistics for the month of August record the carrying out of 31 sentences of death, the assassination of 319 persons, of whom 107 were government officials and 202 were citizens, and the wounding of 173 people in various encounters.

Thos. Dean, the city market victualer, has secured the first mouse to reach the city this season. Mr. Dean has two fine animals which were shot near Tracy street yesterday.

The circuit court met this morning. Judge Leamy presiding. The case of Turner vs. the Tracadeo Lumber Co. was taken up. One witness was examined when court adjourned until 2 o'clock this afternoon.

THROWING AWAY CHANCE FOR HARBOR IMPROVEMENT

(Continued from Page One.)

Ald. Kelley asked if the government would assist to the extent of \$25,440 if the city were to pay \$40,000 for a dredge and perform the work itself. Dr. Pugsley said he thought the government would agree if the city thought such a scheme feasible. He again urged, however, that the work be not delayed.

To Ald. Pickett Dr. Pugsley said the dredge fielding could not dredge close up to the wharf as it was not adapted for clearing work, owing to the dipping being in the middle of the dredge. It is intended for work in the channel.

Ald. Pickett then moved that a vote of thanks be tendered Dr. Pugsley for attending the meeting. He said that while the city paid Dr. Pugsley a commission in the dredge fielding it was a favor and pleasure to have the minister come and explain matters in a way that could not be done otherwise.

Ald. Lewis seconded the motion, which was carried unanimously.

Dr. Pugsley thanked the members and assured them that it was his desire to work in concert with them at all times and carry forward a policy already laid down by the government. He was not inaugurating a new policy in the extension of public works but was carrying out a policy already laid down by the government. He had great faith in St. John and its capabilities. The harbor was able to do a large part of the winter work of Canada. He then said he would have cast upon him the duties of looking into the harbor and the winter work of the harbor and he would not be local in his view. If he could enable the city to help St. John achieve its goal of becoming one of the great winter ports of Canada then he felt he would not have worked in vain.

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Major Sears thought the work should be done at the contract price of \$132,440 and no lump sum stipulated. Ald. Kelley agreed with the mayor.

Ald. Baxter said he did not propose to put himself on record as voting for doing the work by the yard as by this means the price might go beyond \$132,440 and the city would have to pay anything in excess of that.

Ald. Pickett thought that while all wanted to save as much as possible for the city, it was better to have the engineers satisfied the minister that the work would cost \$84,400 and for this the city would have to pay the work done for that bulk sum, as the engineers had fully informed themselves of the amount and he had done. Ald. Baxter's motion was carried.

The board then adjourned and a meeting of the council was called for the 20th inst. Mr. Pugsley moved that the council accept the recommendation of Ald. Baxter which had just been presented and that the council be authorized to do the work by the yard as by this means the price might go beyond \$132,440 and the city would have to pay anything in excess of that.

Engineer Peters then raised the question of rock in the line of dredging. He said that the dredge was not equipped to handle the contractor does not excavate it but that would be an altogether separate undertaking.

The matter was in favor then of adjourning the meeting and discussing with the minister this new phase of the work, as he did not want the city to become liable for a big bill of expense in excavating rock in case a large quantity of rock was encountered.

There was considerable discussion about the matter in the midst of which Ald. Hamlin signified his intention of moving that the council be authorized to do the work by the yard as by this means the price might go beyond \$132,440 and the city would have to pay anything in excess of that.

Ald. Lantulum thought the matter being in dispute, it was better to adjourn the meeting and discuss the matter with the minister. Ald. Kelley concurred and Ald. Hamlin remained. As the meeting was adjourned the departure of an alderman would break up the meeting.

Ald. Kelley said he was ignorant of what the Board of Works had been doing and thought the matter should be rushed through. He complained that none of the aldermen-at-large were members of the Board, that it was difficult to obtain any information regarding the action of the Board in West Side matters. He did not intend to vote until he had received intelligent information regarding the proposed work.

The engineer having said that rock was present on the site, Ald. Kelley felt the Minister should be again heard from. Ald. Kelley said that to find out what the Board was doing he was compelled to "nose around," but he received no information officially. He was asked for as far as the recommendation from the Board was concerned that "the amount of \$24,400 be struck out and \$125 per cu. yd. as a measure of cost, be added in lieu thereof."

Ald. Kelley later moved that the Council adjourn until eight o'clock this evening.

Ald. Baxter said the matter was a simple one. If so much was paid for the removal of mud and stone was met with, there was no reason why the members should refuse to have the mud removed simply because the party offending had not offered to remove the rock as well.

Ald. Hamlin then burst forth with the remark that Ald. Kelley's motion had been that of a child. He felt the aldermen were called to the meeting to transact business and asked why business was not transacted. No one vouchsafed an answer, so His Worship put Ald. Kelley's amendment to the amendment which was declared lost.

Ald. Kelley then left the room abruptly and the meeting was broken up as there was no quorum. The Mayor said he would adjourn the meeting to a date as was asked for by two or three aldermen. He later decided to call a meeting at eight o'clock this evening.

Miss Murphy and Miss Cunningham, of this city, leave today for Montreal, where they will visit friends for a few weeks.

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION.
WANTED—General girl. Apply MRS. NORMAN SANCTON, 171 Princess Street, St. John, N. B.
WANTED—Experienced waist maker. Apply 6 Peters street. 18-9-4

WEDDINGS

SIMPSON—PATTON.
A very pretty wedding was celebrated in Trinity church this morning by Rev. R. A. Armstrong, rector of the church, when Miss Laura C. Patton, youngest daughter of Thomas Patton, was married to Thomas E. Simpson, of this city.

The bride, who was unattended, was given away by her father. She wore a travelling costume of navy blue broadcloth and had trimmed with Copenhagen blue. The wedding was a quiet one, only immediate friends and relatives being present.

After the ceremony the young couple left on a trip to Montreal, Toronto and Niagara Falls. They will reside on Summer street.

The bride received many presents from her numerous friends in Trinity church, in which she is an active worker.

Mr. Simpson, who is a traveller for Messrs. Hall and Fairweather, was presented with a set of silverware from the firm, and pieces of cut glass from the other members of the staff.

McMULKIN—HARPER.
This morning a wedding at Chipman which will interest a large number of St. John people, especially residents of North End, the marriage of Willard McMulklin, son of Capt. John McMulklin of North End, to Miss Mabelle Harper, daughter of John Harper, the well known Queens county lumberman. The ceremony will take place at the residence of the bride's father at Chipman.

The ceremony will be performed by Rev. D. McD. Clarke, of Chipman, after which the newly married couple will leave on a trip to Upper Canada, and will reside at Upper Canada, where Mr. McMulklin is engaged in building a large number of saws and also doing an extensive lumber business.

ALBRIGHT—ERB.
A pretty though quiet wedding was celebrated at Leinster street Baptist church at six o'clock this morning when Miss Florence Vermorel Erb, daughter of Isaac Erb, became the wife of Henry Francis Albright, formerly of St. John, who is engaged with a Portland, Me., concern.

The bride wore a travelling suit of blue cloth with black picture hat. She was given away by her father.

The young couple were the recipients of many rich and costly gifts. Among these was a clock, which the bride's father for a substantial amount.

Rev. W. Camp was the officiating clergyman.

Mr. and Mrs. Albright left by train at 7:00 for Portland, Me., where they will spend a fortnight. After that they will leave for the upper States. Mr. Albright will spend the winter in pursuit of his profession of landscape photography.

WADSWORTH—TODD.
ST. STEPHEN, N. B., Sept. 18.—The marriage took place this afternoon of Miss Frances Todd, daughter of the late E. B. Todd, of St. John, and Herbert Wadsworth, Jr., of Calais.

The marriage took place at half-past three o'clock at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Todd, St. Stephen, in the presence of a large number of invited guests. The bride was supported by her uncle, Mr. Frank Todd, and attended by Mrs. George Wilson as matron of honor. Mr. Robert Wadsworth, brother of the bridegroom, acted as best man.

The assistants were Messrs. George Downes, Charles Todd, Fred P. McNichol and Dana Washburn, as ushers; Misses Downes, Young and Nichol and Master Cleveley McNichol as bridesmaids; ribbon bearers, and Misses Gretchen Vroom, Margaret Black, Ethel Sullivan, Esther Todd, Miss Mary, Alma Sullivan, Rhoda Young, Queene Nell, Annie Eaton, Belle Woodcock and Ethel Macdonald.

The happy couple left on the evening train for an extended wedding tour.

THANKSGIVING DAY WILL BE OCT. 31ST

OTTAWA, Sept. 18.—An order-in-council has been passed fixing Thursday, October 31st, as Thanksgiving day.

At a cabinet meeting today the regulations for the new mint were adopted. This is a branch of the royal mint of Great Britain and the coins to be turned out will be the same as those now in use, namely fifty cents, twenty-five cents, ten cents and five cents and the one-cent copper.

Mr. Ishii, the Japanese envoy, had an interview with Sir Richard Cartwright this afternoon.

Mr. Ishii agreed that a friendly arrangement should be arrived at to restrict Japanese immigration to between 500 and 600 yearly.

Mr. Ishii was the guest of honor at a banquet tonight given by the Japanese Consul General Hesse. The premier and crown ministers were present.

There will be no game of baseball on the Shamrock grounds this evening, but the F. M. A. and St. Peter's teams will meet tomorrow afternoon at 5:30 o'clock.

ROMANCE OF A PRINTER'S ERROR

Love-Match That Came from a Misspell Name—London to Lagos

(London Daily Mirror.)
A most romantic story had its sequel on Thursday last in the marriage of Mr. Archibald Douglas, Director of Education of Southern Nigeria, and Miss Hawker, daughter of the Rev. George Hawker, pastor of the Camden-road Baptist chapel.

The wedding was the happy result of a mistake; it was due to a misprint in the spelling of a name in a London newspaper.

A few months ago one of the daughters of the Rev. George Hawker, an athletic sixteen-year-old school girl, saw from her front-doorstep a couple of men musing a lady, who lives next door to the paragon in Anson-road, Holloway.

The little lady saw her neighbor's purse snatched and, to her horror, saw a blow delivered by one of the two robbers. Instead of fainting Miss Vera Hawker gave chase to the men, who, after the assault, made tracks for obscurity.

The men separated. The young school girl steadily pursued one of them, and having run him down, appealed to a chance pedestrian with the result that the thief was captured. He ultimately received five years' penal servitude.

MISTAKE OF A LETTER.
The account of the plucky action of the young girl was published in every paper in England. One London daily paper gave the name of the girl as Vera Hawker, instead of Vera Hawker.

Addressing her as Miss Vera Hawker, Mr. J. A. Douglas, Director-General of Education in Southern Nigeria, wrote asking whether she happened to be the lady he knew years ago.

The little schoolgirl treated the letter as a joke. She showed