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Better than a $45 Phonograph Wm. Steele, Valleyfield, Que., writes: "Your Machine is the best of its kind I have ever heard. I get better music out of it than any $45 instrument around here."

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Wouldn't Trade It for a $35 One Fred Peters, Sinclair, Man., writes: "It's a dandy. My neighbors are surprised at the way it talks. A man here has a $35 machine but mine can beat his out by a long way. I would not trade for the $60 one if I could."

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MARVELLOUS EXPLOITS OF AUSTRALIAN MEDIUM.

Strange Story of the Production of Ancient Relics at a Spiritualistic Seance in Melbourne.

MELBOURNE, Nov. 18.—A story just published here regarding spiritual materialization and the production of ancient relics reads like a page from the "Arabian Nights."

The relics produced—so it is stated—as if the elements of time and distance were eliminated have been refused by the president of the Stanford University, California, and this has led to Thomas Welton Stanford, of Melbourne, brother of the founder of the institution to give some account of how he obtained them.

The Stanford family, it is claimed, are devoted spiritualists, and it is stated the Melbourne brother some four years ago discovered at South Yarra a laundryman named Charles Bailey, much spoke of for his cures, when in a state of trance.

Mr. Stanford arranged for a series of seances in his own house. At the first, Bailey, Mr. Stanford states, and others present confirm him, materialized a shower of real metal. Jungle sparrows from India, chirping in their nests were asked for, and three seconds later were plumped down within the sitting circle. Antique coins of priceless worth were instantly produced from far distant regions. Mr. Stanford asked at one sitting that a live ibis be brought from Egypt, in ten seconds it was on the table before him.

Some one else asked that the astral body controlled by Bailey should fetch a fish from the sea; instantly a fish a foot and a half long, entangled in weeds, still dripping with salt water was before him. A sceptic called upon Bailey to produce a bread called "chaputi," made in India which goes bad twenty-four hours after cooking. Immediately the bread, still hot from the oven appeared.

To translate the many parchments and papyri relating to the early Egyptians and Jews the spirit of Dr. E. Robinson, the renowned Oriental scholar and professor of Syro-Chaldaic literature in the Theological Seminary, of New York, who died in 1864, was called on. An Egyptian scarab, deposited on the table at one seance by Bailey's astral double, represents a sacred beetle of the time of Ramesis the Great. At any rate it was brought from Thebes four thousand years ago, so the story runs.

SENATOR DEPEW BEFORE THE INSURANCE INQUIRY.

NEW YORK, Nov. 17.—With the end of the morning session today, Senator Armstrong's legislative committee on insurance investigation finished a week replete with interesting developments and fraught with significant testimony. More sessions have been held than during any other week and the witnesses have been the most important. James Hazen Hyde, former vice-president of the Equitable Life Insurance Society; E. H. Harriman, former Governor B. B. Odell, jr., of New York, and Senator Chauncey M. Depew, were heard. When the session opened today it was expected Senator Thomas C. Platt would be called. He is wanted to testify as to the collection of contributions to political campaign funds from the insurance companies, Mr. Odell having testified yesterday that Senator Platt collected all campaign moneys up to last year. It is now expected that the senator will be heard early next week, possibly on Tuesday when the sessions will be resumed.

ANOTHER YARMOUTH BANK CASE

In the county court yesterday the case of the Bank of Yarmouth vs. Lloyd S. Belyea was heard. In this case the defendant alleges that he ordered boats costing $36 from the Redding Company at Yarmouth, bue never received the goods, but did receive a bill and draft for the amount. He accepted the draft but when the goods did not come he refused to pay it. The bank's liquidator, W. E. Stavart, sues upon the draft. J. D. Phinney, K. C., of Fredericton, who is acting for Mr. Belyea, asked for an adjournment until next term to get evidence. This was granted. A. A. Wilson, K. C. and H. H. Pickett, appeared for the plaintiff.

NEWS OF SPORT.

British Sailor Had an Easy Victory over the Yankee Opponent in New York.—The Gong Prevented a Knockout

Football Today.

THE RING

THE ENGLISHMAN WON.

NEW YORK, Nov. 17.—A three round boxing exhibition between William E. Cokayne, a royal marine from Prince Louis of Battenberg's flagship Drake, and middleweight champion of the British navy, and Jack Reine of the battleship Iowa, said to be the champion in his class in the American fleet, took place tonight in Tom Sharkey's gymnasium. The British marine was easily the best man. He was said to weigh 157 pounds. The American was said to weigh 154, but beside his burly antagonist he looked slight.

In the first round Cokayne drew blood. The gong saved the American from a knockout in the second, and he was on his knees taking the count when the gong closed the third and last round. No decision was given by Referee Sharkey, but he said the cup for which the men fought would go to Cokayne as having made the best showing.

The hall was packed. None of the higher officers of the fleet was present. There appeared to be no betting, as the unknown quantity of the American made his fellow countrymen cautious with their money.

The following is from Hearst's New York Evening Journal. The comparison is interesting:

Of the two fleets in this harbor, one is American—so that the argument he advances has little strength. In case of war, one of the two fleets would be fighting for New York—and if the two fleets would beat the other, let him make some experiments with the two prize-fighting sailors he has brought with him.

In his fleet are two men handy with their fists, Dan Kirby and J. Cochrayne. The benighted English sollars and their Prince think that these men are actually fighters. So they are—in England.

If Battenberg wants to know why America gets ahead, and why the English fleet—or any other fleet—could not destroy New York, let him put his two husky English sailors against any one of several Americans one-half their size.

Prize fighting is brutal, much to be lamented, but——

We have here some lightweight and featherweight fighters—little fellows that Battenberg could pack away in his dressing bag. If he could have one of those American midgets argue with one of his heaviest sailors, he would learn what the curious American climate does to men.

CURLING

MEETING OF THE NOVA SCOTIA CLUB.

HALIFAX, N. S., Nov. 17.—The second annual meeting of the Nova Scotia branch of the Royal Caledonia Curling Club was held in Truro today. W. P. Cunningham of Antigonish was elected president, T. F. Grant of New Glasgow first vice-president, and Captain Murray of Truro second vice-president. It was decided to make no change in the system of playing for the senior trophy. For the junior trophy the clubs are to be divided into two groups, the eastern to comprise Antigonish, New Glasgow, Pictou and Westville, and the western Truro, Amherst, Halifax and Yarmouth. Each club in a district is to play the other clubs, and the district winners are to play off on neutral ice.

HOCKEY

FREDERICTON, Nov. 17.—A meeting of those interested in hockey was held this evening and a club formed, to be known as the Fredericton Hockey Club, with colors of grey and blue.

The Trojan Hockey Club therefore is a thing of the past.

W. T. Whitehead, M. P. P., was elected president; R. A. Morrison, treasurer; J. D. Black, secretary; Dawes Gillmor, G. Guy Morrison, C. F. Allen, managing committee, with the secretary and treasurer members ex officio.

Another meeting will be held soon to make further arrangements for the season's play. It is expected that a good deal of interest will be taken in hockey here this winter, and the Fredericton club will probably be the strangest the capital ever sent out.

BASKET BALL.

JUNIOR BASKET BALL LEAGUE.

Portland Y. M. A. boys in the Junior Basket Ball League scored another victory last night, defeating Mission School team 25-16. The points were made by the following players: For Mission, Brown 8, Holmes 4. McDonld 4; for Portland Y. M. A., Howard 10, Hastings 6, Hayes 9. The line up of the team was:

Mission.		Portland.
	Forward.	
McDonald..		Hastings
Holmes		Howard
	Centre.	
Brown		Hayes
	Defense.	
Desbrisay		Leitham
Burnham		Vincent

The standing of the league to date is as follows:

	Won.	Lost.
Portland Y. M. A.....	2	0
Y. M. C. A...	1	0
Mission..	1	1
Trinity	0	1
St. Luke's	0	2

ST. PAUL'S WON.

St. Paul's defeated the G. L. C.'s at basket ball last evening. Score, 11 to 2. J. McGow refereed.

FOOTBALL.

YALE-PRINCETON GAME TODAY.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Nov. 17.—Banners of Yale blue, with here and there a color splash of the orange of Princeton, and throngs of lively, cheering graduates and undergraduates upon the city streets, were the most striking evidence tonight of the fact that this was the eve of the annual football contest between the two universities. A score in double figures is expected by Yale, but as it is a college tradition that Princeton always plays her best game against the blue, the undergraduate body seems to be prepared for anything. A few bets with Yale giving odds of two to one were reported in cafes, but actually very little money was in sight. Close observers point out that the careers of the two teams have not been similar this season. The only point of contact for the purpose of comparison in the opinion of many is the Columbia game, in which Yale scored 53 points and Columbia only 12, although it had been claimed that Columbia did not play against Yale with the same strength as she did against Princeton. Yale has been consistent in winning her practice games and has not yet had her goal line crossed, while Princeton fell before the onslaught of Dartmouth's eleven and has been scored on by other teams. It is because of the somewhat remarkable showing of Yale, with a team which, owing to its light weight, has been unable to use to any extent the heavy tackle plays of the past years, that the sons of Eli are so full of confidence of winning. Both teams have been playing the so-called "open game," Yale to a more pronounced extent than her rival, in which end and quarter back runs have been frequent. Most of Yale's ground gaining during the season has been by runs outside of tackle, a feature which always adds zest to the sport as viewed from the bleachers.

The Princeton team stopped over in New York tonight, but members of the vanguard from that college who have reached here report that every man is in prime shape. Trainer Mack of Yale says that every man who has been prepared for the Princeton game is in good condition. Yale feels that its best football is needed to win, and the best that is in Princeton is not only promised but is expected.

ATHLETIC

COLUMBIA WANTS A TRAINER.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—Columbia University is still on the hunt for a trainer for the track team and is surprised that good men are so hard to find.

Several graduates have been approached on the subject of trying a graduate coach for the team, but as in football there is only one man capable of taking hold of a track team with any chance of making a success.

Maxwell W. Long, holder of the world's record of 47 4-5 seconds for the 440 yards, and one of the greatest runners ever turned out by any college, is that man, but as Long is now well established in business there is no possibility of him taking the job.

The only "grad" who has a chance to secure the place is Charles Eldrige, of the class of 1879. Eldrige won the mile walk in the inter-collegiate championships in '77 and '78, and rowed in the four-oared Columbia boat that won at Henley.

WRESTLING

TWO GOOD MEN.

Young Hackensmidt, the Russian, speaking of his bout with George Schnable (the Butcher Boy) at St. John, in the York Theatre, Nov. 21st., says of the young champion that he is considered to be one of the greatest wrestlers that have yet come before the public of the old world and by many is considered to be within the next few years the world's champion. Besides being wonderfully clever, with very few exceptions, he is also considered one of the strongest men not only in Germany, but in the world.

It may be interesting to mention in connection with the above that the Russian himself is one of the men that has anything on the "Butcher Boy" in the matter of what may be called brute strength. Young Hackensmidt is acknowledged to be the strongest man in the world for his size and weight. One look at his photograph shows a muscular development that is simply amazing in a man of his height. Following are the measurements of Young Hackensmidt:

Age, 26; weight, 197; height, 5 ft. 9 in.; chest, 46 in.; waist, 34 in.; upper arm, 17 1-2 in.; forearm, 15 in.; thigh, 23 1-2 in.; calf, 17 in.

PILOT BLAMED FOR BAVARIAN WRECK.

QUEBEC, Nov. 17.—In the Bavarian disaster, the official investigation ordered by the marine and fisheries department opened this morning in the Quebec Court House, under the presidency of Chief Justice Routhier, who had associated with him as assessors Commander Spain and Mr. Pennel, the latter a junior lieutenant from the British second cruiser squadron.

The witnesses heard were Capt. Brown, master of the ship, and W. Phillips Haines, chief officer. Both deposed that the weather was clear with the exception of snow flurries which did not amount to much. The lights could be plainly seen on both shores, and when they passed Bellechasse they could see St. Thomas light and also the Crane Island light distinctly, and as they approached Grosse Isle they could see the lights on that island very distinctly.

The cause of the accident in their opinion was an error of judgment on the part of the pilot, who thought that he was further north than he really was and also to his over-cautiousness in navigating the vessel.

TURKISH GOV'T OPPOSES BIBLE DISTRIBUTION.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Nov. 18.—For many months past the British and Foreign Bible Society has had to complain of the hindrances which are placed in the way of its work by local officials in various parts of Turkey. Its colporteurs have been prevented from going about their work in Monastir, Mosul, Baghdad and many other places. The worst cases have occurred at Castemunt and Scutari, in Albania, where the colporteurs have been waiting six months or more for their licenses to be renewed, without which they cannot travel. The British embassy has made frequent representations on this subject; but as soon as one difficulty has been settled another has arisen, until it would seem as if the Turkish government has made up its mind to cripple the activity of the society. In reply to the latest representations of the embassy the porte has acknowledged that the colportage of the Scriptures ought to be freely permitted, but claims the right to refuse to allow it in towns and districts where the circumstances are exceptional, and insists that every colporteur shall find a resident in the locality to go bail for his behavior. The Bible Society objects to these restrictions, especially to the last; for it exercises great care in the selection of its agents, and does not think any guarantee further than its own to be necessary. The kindred American society is subject to similar annoyances, and protests similar to those of the British embassy have been made by the United States legation.

NEW MAN FOR TORONTO FACULTY.

Brilliant Graduate Join the Staff of His Alma Mater.

The provincial cabinet, at a meeting held yesterday afternoon, filled the vacancy in the staff of Toronto University, left vacant some months ago by the resignation of S. Morley Wickett, by appointing Prof. S. J. McLean, Ph. D. (Columbia), to be associate professor of political science. The post is a new one, Mr. Wickett having ranked only as lecturer, while the salary paid is higher than that received by Mr. Wickett.

Prof. McLean has had a most successful scholastic year, having shown himself to be one of the most brilliant graduates of Toronto University. After his graduation in 1894, he attended Chicago and Columbia universities, holding a fellowship in each and gaining his degree of Ph. D. at the latter seat of learning. He later occupied the chair of political economics at the University of Arkansas, and was for a time associate professor of political science at Leland Stanford University. For two years he acted in an advisory capacity with Hon. A. G. Blair's commission to enquire into railway rates, while later he was appointed by the United States government to report on the transportation problems of the Pacific coast. He has written a number of pamphlets on political science and kindred subjects.

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ARRESTED ON CHARGE OF BLACKMAIL.

CHICAGO, Nov. 17.—Wm. S. McSwain and Wm. Cole, his brother-in-law, were arrested today charged with attempting to blackmail J. Ogden Armour and other members of Armour & Co. for $40,000 in connection with the beef trust investigation by means of letters which they are alleged to have stolen from the files of Armour & Co.

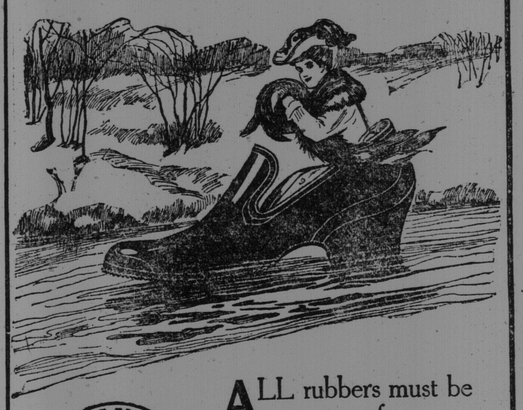
McSwain was employed by Armour & Co. for four years as a stenographer. Three weeks ago, it is said, McSwain went to Armour & Co. and threatened to hand the letters over to federal officers unless Armour & Co. paid $40,000. Mr. Armour refused to listen to the proposal.

With the hope of leading McSwain and his companion into a trap, several meetings were held between McSwain and Attorney Rosenthal of the packing company. McSwain finally agreed to give up the letters for $15,000. A meeting was arranged with him at the Auditorium Hotel. When McSwain and Cole appeared at the hotel this afternoon they were arrested by detectives.

WITH ADVERTISERS.

Tonight a clearance sale of women's three-quarter winter coats at remarkably low prices. Reduction sale of many stylish hats. Special values in blankets and comfortables. See advertisement. F. W. Daniel and Company, page 7.

A few years ago there was a man in Devonshire who had six or seven very corpulent daughters. When asked how many children he had, his answer was generally something of this kind: "I have three boys and about thirteen hundredweight of girls."



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