

LITTLE SCHOONER WILL SAIL NORTH WITH COAL FOR PEARY'S SHIP; SCIENTISTS WILL GO

New York, July 3.—Captain Samuel W. Bartlett, of Brigue, Newfoundland, and Herbert L. Bridgman, of Brooklyn, have purchased and are equipping for a voyage to Etah, North Greenland, Peary's base station, the 98-ton schooner Jeanie, of Bay Roberts, N. F., which will sail under the command of Captain Bartlett from St. John, N. F., about July 10. The Jeanie will be the only vessel as far as known, from America, to enter Melville Bay and Smith Sound this season and only one whaler, the Morning, Captain Adams, has gone from Dundee, Scotland. The subjects of the cruise are to deposit coal at Etah for Peary's Roosevelt, upon her homeward voyage from her winter quarters and to bring home Harry Whitford of New Haven, Conn., a passenger on the Erik, last year, who remained during the winter for mink or shooting. The Doctor Frederick A. Cook relief committee of the Arctic and Explorer Clubs has ceased its efforts and turned over its funds. The Jeanie will endeavor to bring Dr. Cook home and will also take north, Leno, the young Neenawan who with a number of his countrymen, came to the United States 32 years ago. Dr. George Bryce of Birmingham, England, has an option on the post of surgeon and medical officer, and two or three sportsmen and scientists will probably accompany the expedition. Calls north bound will be made at Godhavn and Upernivik, and Cape York, and returning the course will be on the western side of Baffin Bay, with calls at the whaling stations in Baffinland and on Hudson's Straits, with the possibility, however, that all plans may be changed by a meeting of the Roosevelt, in which case Commander Peary would assume authority over both ships. Capt. Bartlett is one of the most experienced and successful Arctic navigators, having had command of Peary's Diana, in 1899, wintering at Cape Sabine, and Erik in 1908, and is an uncle of Captain Robert Bartlett, commanding the Roosevelt.

HIGHWAY ACT HAS MUCH TO OVERCOME IN SOME PLACES

Strenuous Efforts in Lancaster Parish to Prevent Its Successful Working— Found Heavy Debt There Incurred Under Old Regime— That Charge Made Against Councillor Cochrane of St. Martins— How Laborers Secure Work on Lorneville Breakwater Through Ticket from Mr. Lowell, M.P.P.

So far the new Highway Act has not had much of a chance in Lancaster Parish. Councillors Curran and Barnhill are in majority on the Highway Board and as prominent supporters of the Opposition have shown no desire or inclination to allow the act to work properly. Besides the passive opposition of two members of the Highway Board the act has encountered difficulties in the shape of a heavy debt, the legacy of two Opposition supporters who controlled the Highway Board for the past two years—Councillors Hooley and Long. This debt, when the new Highway Board assumed control of the roads, amounted to \$1800, a heavy burden for a parish the size of Lancaster to bear. The parish has also an overdraft of \$400 at the office of the county secretary. Some bills which helped to make up the \$1800 debt had been running two years. A bill for about \$1000 of the firm of Randolph and Baker for stone and deal for road and sidewalk construction is one of the memorials of the Councillors Hooley and Long, who were known to be acting under the command of Mr. James Lowell, M. P. P., who is at present actively canvassing for Mr. Bentley, the Opposition candidate in the coming by-election. Forced to Pay Old Debts. When the new Highway Board took charge of affairs in Lancaster it was compelled by circumstances to pay some of the old board's debts. Up to the present time about half of the debt has been paid, the bill of Randolph and Baker being the largest item still unpaid. This effort to remedy the shortcomings of the previous boards has left the Lancaster Highway Board short of funds and this year the roads will suffer in consequence. Councillor Curran Off to Sussex. Curran is attending to his military duties at Camp Sussex and his conferees, Coun. Barnhill, showed his interest in highway administration by ordering work on the Lancaster roads to be discontinued some days ago. Secretary Treasurer Stymest, the third member of the Highway Board, appointed by the Provincial Government, has endeavored to have Coun. Barnhill decide upon some definite course of action but without success. However the work on the roads will be resumed today. Friction among members of parish highway boards caused by the supporters of the Opposition endeavoring to obtain complete control of the roads is not confined to Lancaster. In Simonds, Councillors Donovan and Adams would seem to be doing much to get as poor results as possible out of the act, by opposing and hindering the actions of Mr. McDonald the third member. In St. Martins, the friction did not develop in the highway board, but rather when that board was constituted at the last meeting of the Municipal Council. On that occasion as stated in the Standard's report of the meeting, Coun. Black, of St. Martins, accused Coun. Cochrane of the same parish of misappropriating the sum of \$150 of the funds of the Highway Board. The County Secretary Vincent at the time ruled that the method by which the money was obtained was decided by any man who does not report for work Tuesday morning is liable to be regarded as a striker. About a third of the six hundred and twenty policemen appointed last spring by the Municipal Council, in this emergency, have been sworn in and it is expected by tomorrow the full force will be on duty. The Donahoe Coal Company's officers do not look for a long drawn out struggle, and the general opinion is that the trouble will be all over inside of a couple of weeks. For fifteen or twenty months the trucks have been filled, and between 100,000 and 150,000 tons of coal are banked. 2,000 bents have arrived at Glace Bay from the U. S. and it is understood these will be erected near the collieries, in which the pickets and the scouts of the strikers may live so as to be in close proximity to the works. Mr. Walton Kierstead and Mrs. Norton returned on Saturday from Kingston, where they have been spending a few weeks. Spleen Meeting at Beulah Camp Grounds; Encouraging Reports Have Been Received.

DEATH AND DESTRUCTION LIE IN WAKE OF CYCLONE WHICH SWEEPED SOUTH SASKATCHEWAN

Special to The Standard. Winnipeg, July 4.—Despatches show that the cyclone which swept southern Saskatchewan adjacent to the Manitoba boundary, wrought more damage than was at first thought. In the Gainsboro district three persons were killed, and nearly half a hundred injured. Near Carleton Place several homes were completely destroyed and a little child was killed. The dead are: Chas. Hackett, son of Charles Hackett, Mrs. Raymond, near Carleton Place and the son of the postmaster at St. Antoine postoffice. Several of the injured are in a critical condition. There are three other children of the Raymond family, A. Gasquet and his two children, A. Gasquet, J. T. Taron, T. Gault, M. Beaudette, and his four children; F. Beaudette and seven children. T. Dawson and family, three members of the Hackett family and a man named Eugene Goss. Buildings were demolished and scattered over the prairie and farm implements carried long distances.

HAS RESIGNED FROM CHURCH IN LEWISVILLE

Special to The Standard. Moncton, N. B., July 4.—Rev. F. S. Bamford has tendered his resignation as pastor of the Lewisville Baptist church to take effect not later than October 3rd. Mr. Bamford came here from St. John three years ago and has been very successful in the work. H. C. Davidson, time keeper, who retired from the Intercolonial after 37 years' active service was waited on Saturday by employees of the mechanical department and presented with a highly flattering address, accompanied by a purse of gold. The address was signed on behalf of the employees by J. J. Walker, mechanical accountant. Seven were baptised in the First Baptist church today and 17 in the West End Baptist as a result of the recent evangelistic services. Rev. A. A. Ridout, of Fredericton, preached most acceptably in the First Baptist church morning and evening.

LIVELY RACE PREDICTED BY PRESIDENT

New York, N. Y., July 4.—Before leaving New York tonight for Detroit, President Ban Johnson, of the American League, predicted that his organization would have one of its usual lively races for the pennant. "While Detroit now seems to have a commanding lead," said Mr. Johnson, "the Athletics are coming fast, and Manager Mack says that if Detroit is the only team he will have to beat to finish first, some of the new games for the world's championship will be played in Philadelphia. The St. Louis players, who mostly are veterans, have just started to thaw out, and McAleer has a splendid chance to fight his way back to the first division. The injuries to Lajoie will prevent the Cleveland club from showing its true form for a while. I consider that four American League teams have good chances for the pennant. I would rather not be quoted on the names of these teams."

CROPS IN MANITOBA ARE LOOKING WELL

Special to The Standard. Ottawa, Ont., July 4.—The following is a copy of a telegram just received from the Department of Agriculture: "Crops throughout Manitoba looking very well. Will average a shorter growth than crops in Saskatchewan and Alberta, due probably to later sowing. Now growing rapidly. Weather very favorable. At Brandon Experimental Farm crops are in excellent condition and well advanced."

MR. MORRISSY'S EYES ARE MUCH IMPROVED

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, N. B., July 5.—Leo McEwan, of Fredericton Junction, a C. P. R. brakeman, died in Victoria Hospital today of complications following the second operation for appendicitis. He was 23 years old. The remains were taken to Fredericton Junction on the C. P. R.'s first train this afternoon and will be interred there. Hon. John Morrissey, chief commissioner of public works is expected here tomorrow afternoon to attend the meeting of the Government opening on Tuesday. This will be the first time he has been able to attend to official business since the closing of the session of the Legislature, owing to trouble with his eyes.

CHINAMEN WILL LIKELY QUIT COBALT

Special to The Standard. Cobalt, Ont., July 4.—Suffering was intense last night among many of the homeless who preferred to spend the night sitting beside the remains of their belongings to taking refuge in shelters provided. The relief train arrived from Toronto at ten this morning, and conditions are much better for tonight. The feeling against the Chinamen is becoming more intense, and this morning two celestials nearly lost their lives at the hands of some infuriated Syrians who lost their effects in the fire.

ANOTHER VICTORY TO HIS CREDIT

Paris, July 4.—Verdun, Baron Maurice de Rodthchild's chestnut colt, which last Sunday won the Grand Prix de Paris, added another victory to his credit today when he captured the Prix du President de la Republique in a stirring contest over the Maisons-Laffitte course. W. K. Vanderbilt's Seaside II, which won the stake last year, finished second today, beaten by two lengths and a half, with J. Lieux's Moulin la Marche, third. The track was guarded by troops in the expectation of a hostile demonstration by the jockeys, who are now on strike, but with the exception of an attempt to prevent the removal of the horses from the special cars which came from Chantilly, which was easily frustrated by the police, there were no incidents of a disagreeable character.

CAUGHT FEVER IN TORONTO; LADY GREY ILL

Special to The Standard. Ottawa, Ont., July 4.—Her Excellency Lady Grey and Captain Newton A. D. C. are ill with scarlet fever at Government House. Both patients are making favorable progress. The disease was contracted during Lady Grey's visit to Toronto on which she was accompanied by Captain Newton. It developed on the return journey on Thursday.

BELIEVE HIS NECK WAS BROKEN

Exeter, N. H., July 4.—Austin C. Conley, the 16-year-old son of Plumber Inspector Dennis H. Conley, of Haverhill, Mass., met his death today while stealing a ride on the Boston Portland express. It is believed that young Conley leaped out from between the cars and had his neck broken when he struck an obstruction.

NEW YORK ATTORNEY DEAD

Boston, Mass., July 4.—George H. Brannis, a New York attorney, died

MADMAN IN CELL ATTACKS FELLOW PRISONER WITH FORK; IS OVERPOWERED IN HARD FIGHT

Facing a man of extraordinary size, who was yelling and roaring like a raging bear, and foaming at the mouth, and with a long fork ready to stab its prongs deep into his prospective victim, Dennis Sullivan, last evening, without any means of defence, and apparently having a possible chance of escaping, stood in an awful predicament. Krist Johnson, a native of Norway and a man of excellent physical build, who was six feet high and about twenty years of age, had been in the cell for some time at Chipman, came to the city last week and was soon in the hands of the police. On Saturday morning he entered Philip McGuire's liquor saloon on Mill street and asked for a drink. Mr. McGuire refused to sell him liquor as he was already intoxicated. Accordingly the Norwegian threatened to beat Mr. McGuire. He was later arrested. At the time his mind was thought to be unsound. On Saturday afternoon he was taken before the magistrate and remanded to jail. "Turkey Clifford," thinking it best to be in his right senses placed him in the same cell as Dennis Sullivan, who is held on a charge of stabbing Officer Perry. All Saturday night the big Norwegian raved like a crazy man, and even continued his raving the following day. Sullivan thought that the man was crazy, but harmless, and so both remained together. Dr. Christie Summoned. Dr. James Christie was sent for about noon yesterday and gave the man some medicine which was effective in sending him to sleep for four hours. On awakening he was again supplied with the medicine and once more he fell asleep. American Aid Tonight. The City Cornet Band will give a band concert this evening in the King Square band stand. The programme will consist entirely of American songs unless some person should come in touch with them in an endeavor to trespass on the Coal Company's property. Won't Recognize Them. Tomorrow Mr. Duggan will issue a proclamation stating that the Dominion Coal Company is determined that it will not recognize the U. M. W. of America and as the company now has an agreement with its workmen through the P. W. A. Association to continue the rates and conditions of employment now in existence until 31st Day December, 1909, it will continue to mine and ship coal with the aid of the P. W. A. men, who are loyal to their undertakings. The company agrees to extend all protection in its power to persons and families of men who continue to work. The company also gives notice to employees that

ACTED LIKE MANIC WITH FORK IN HAND

He woke up later and about 6:30 ate his supper along with Sullivan. About seven o'clock after the meal had been disposed of, Johnson commenced to act like a maniac. He roared and shouted in his native tongue for he cannot speak a word of English, and clutching a fork in his hands made a desperate attempt to kill Sullivan. Some persons who were in the corridor notified Mr. Clifford of what was going on and he immediately went up stairs with the key, to free Sullivan from the madman. Was in a Furious Rage. By this time Johnson was in a furious rage and foaming at the mouth. Sullivan was told to watch his chance to escape and the door was partly opened about 8:30, but Johnson was close at his heels. It was not without the most strenuous efforts of four or five men that the man was pushed inside and the door closed. For fifteen or twenty minutes the man was along in the cell, tearing the walls with the fork and ripping off plaster until the cell was in a most wretched condition. In the meantime Mr. Clifford had been to the police station and returned with Officer Joseph Scott and Night Detective Lucas. They watched their opportunity and succeeded in throwing Johnson to the floor. He was then handcuffed. Dr. Christie said last night that the man was a thorough athlete and did not appear as if he had used liquor to excess. Dr. Christie said that the man would be insane this morning and if there is no possibility of his recovery he will be immediately removed to the asylum.

COAL OPERATORS STRIKE ALMOST SURE TO BEGIN TOMORROW

Special to The Standard. Sydney, N. S. W., July 4.—Mr. G. H. Duggan, second vice-president and general manager of the Dominion Coal Co., in an interview tonight said there was not the slightest probability of the Coal Company accepting the request of President McDougall, of the U. M. W., for a conference on Monday, and therefore the much heralded strike will be looked for Tuesday morning. Mr. Duggan denies the assertion made by Mr. McDougall that the fences about the collieries have been fitted with live wires for the express purpose of keeping striking workmen from committing possible damage to property. The wires have been fitted with electric bulbs and the service was installed with the single purpose of giving better lighting facilities. The wires are eight feet from the ground and out of all danger

SERVICES AT CAMP SUSSEX YESTERDAY

Special to The Standard. Sussex, N. B., July 4.—Rain again interfered with drill on Saturday afternoon and no parades of any kind were held, but a special lecture was delivered to the officers during the afternoon and brushed every detail throughout the night, but this did not interfere with the performance of the duties, the picket patrolled the town and the main guard muffed up in long great coats, took up their beats. The troops were early astir this morning making careful preparations for church parade. This parade brings out the finest uniforms in the possession of all ranks. The troops industriously polished and brushed everything which was to be worn on parade. Rain threatened the camp in the forenoon but not a drop fell till after the parade was dismissed at 9:30. At 9:30 a. m. every corps in camp dressed themselves in their parade garments. At 9:45, to the music of their regimental bands, they marched on the brigade markers. The troops were formed up in quarter column forming three sides of a square. On the open or unoccupied side of the square a gun carriage was placed from which the chaplains read the service and preached the sermon. Conducted The Service. A large drum with a kettle from top draped with Union Jacks made a very pretty pulp. Rev. Canon Neales, chaplain of the 74th Regt., assisted by Rev. Mr. Lynds, chaplain of the 8th Hussars, conducted the services. The 74th regimental band furnished the music, a large number of benches were placed in the open air for the use of visitors of which there were a large number. The ground was covered with vehicles of all descriptions, filled with people who came into camp to attend church service. After service rain began to fall in showers every few minutes. At 12 o'clock noon Col. Robt. White, camp commandant, attended by his large staff of officers, made a thorough tour of the entire camp. The commandant spoke in able terms of the general condition of the camp. The 74th Regt. furnished duty and picket guard tonight. Guest Donville of Lothesay is a guest of the 8th Hussars today. Gen. B. J. J. M. P. P. Apollon, was present at the church parade.

BROWNED IN FIVE INCHES OF WATER

Special to The Standard. Chatham, July 4.—Edward Caproll, aged 40 years was taken suddenly ill with an epileptic fit this morning while doing his regular chores around the farm at Napan, owned by Mr. George Seare and fell face downward into a puddle of water about five inches deep. He was seen lying there by Michael Seare, the son of Dr. Marven Seare who lifted him out. Dr. Marven was sent for from Chatham. But lying in such a helpless state he had taken so much water into his lungs that he died before the doctor arrived. The deceased was born at Bellefleur, Ireland, and has been with Mr. Seare for seven years. The coroner went out and viewed the body, but decided that an inquest was unnecessary.

PUNCH WILL BE THE THING IN THIS MATCH

New York, July 4.—Eastern prize ring followers and in fact, the casual boxing public are for the pro-revolution boxer today on the coming fight between Stanley Ketchel, the "Michigan Lion," and Bill Pappo, for the middleweight championship tomorrow afternoon at the Edison Street Arena, San Francisco. This will be a slugging match in which the punch will be the thing and science will play little part. The match is carded for twenty rounds but not one person in a hundred believes it will go the limit. Word was received from California tonight that Ketchel would easily make the required 168 pounds and that he would be at strong as the coming when he set after Jack O'Brien in Philadelphia and beat him so badly in two rounds that the referee stopped the fight thinking that O'Brien would be killed. The "Michigan Lion" will enter the ring a favorite in the betting at about 2 to 1.

LEAVING FOR STE. ANNE DE BEAUPRE

Tomorrow morning the annual excursion to St. Anne de Beaulieu will commence. When it is expected that a large number of sufferers and cripples will leave the city for the Shrine of Ste. Anne de Beaulieu with the hope of returning cured. There they will offer up their prayers and thanksgivings and about six hours will be spent at the shrine. The train will be in the vicinity of four hundred from Cape Breton alone, and a large number will go from various parts of Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island. All those coming from these places will be in charge of Rev. Father Manhouquette of Arichat, N. S. Over a hundred excursionists will go from Moncton and will be accompanied by Rev. Fathers Savage, of Moncton and Rev. Father Conway, of Hampton. The Moncton train will be joined by the train leaving with the St. John people. Rev. Father Savage, who is the actual promoter of the excursion expects a most successful trip, as everything has thus far succeeded beyond his most sanguine expectations.

CAME FROM FREDERICTON IN MOTOR CANOE

Two young men of Fredericton, Messrs. Sterling Harrison and Harold Walker arrived in the city yesterday afternoon after a two days' trip in a motor canoe from the provincial capital. The two left Fredericton at three o'clock Friday afternoon and reached Millidgeville at one o'clock yesterday afternoon. They expect to start on the return trip on Wednesday. Messrs. Harrison and Walker encountered bad weather almost throughout the entire trip, and were repeatedly drenched by waves. On one occasion their craft buried her bow in a wave and was nearly swamped. Owing to stress of weather the canoe lay up at various points along the river—Ore-

MR. HUGH M'CORMICK HOME AGAIN

Mr. Hugh McCormick reached home on Saturday from Boston, where he has been for some time under treatment in the Carney Hospital, which he visited with a view to undergoing an operation. It was found there, however, that the world famous skater's condition did not call for it. Mrs. M. J. Condy, Mr. McCormick's niece, accompanied him home. Mr. McCormick, Lower Gagetown, Brown's Falls and Westfield. Yesterday morning a sudden change in the wind gave them a quick run from Westfield to Millidgeville.