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ON A CANOE TRIP UP THE TOBIQUE

Hon. E. A. Smith and Hon. C. W. Robinson Away

Golden Wedding at Taymouth — St. John Interest in Wedding in Fredericton — Hon. Mr. Veniot Busy in Capital.

(Special to Times.)

Fredericton, N. B., July 15—Hon. E. A. Smith, Minister of Lands and Mines and Hon. C. W. Robinson went to Plaster Rock by C. N. R. last night to make a start there on a canoeing trip which will take them to the Tobique head waters and after a portage to the Nepisiguit down which they will go to Bathurst.

Ex-Councillor R. Ludlow Young and Mrs. Young on Wednesday at Taymouth celebrated the golden anniversary of their wedding. A large number of friends and relatives were at their home. Ex-Councillor G. Howard Young of this city was amiong those present.

Florence A., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James McKeil of this city, and Fulton O. Brewer, also of this city, son of Byron Brewer, a member of the Fredericton Post Office staff, were married this afternoon at the residence of the bride's parents in St. John street, the ceremony was performed by Rev. G. M. Young. A wedding luncheon followed. The bride was gowned in chiffon and satin with bridal veil decorated with pearls and was attended by her sister Miss Lou McKeil. Hedley Forbes of Devon was groomsman. Out of town guests included Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Whelpley of Boston, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Akerley, B. E. Gallagher and F. J. Murphy of St. John, Mr. and Mrs. W. McKeil and Miss Nina McKeil of Glenwood. The honeymoon will include St. Stephen, Calais, Charlottetown and other maritime points. Mr. and Mrs. Brewer will reside in Fredericton.

Hon. P. J. Veniot, Minister of Public works arrived here last night and today is busy at departmental business. He has been at his home in Bathurst for some days. Premier Foster and party were his guests recently while on their way to Nepisiguit waters on a fishing trip.

LOCAL NEWS

Hear Miss Katherine Hughes, Opera House, on Thursday evening, 9 o'clock. "The Truth About Ireland."—(Advt.)

Parties motoring to "The Cedars" are requested to telephone in advance to Mrs. W. B. Ganong. 6733-7-19.

Dream for Kennebeccasis, 2 p. m. Saturday. No freight received after 10 a. m. Steamer leaves 8 p. m. Long Reach. 7511—7—17

CADETS.

No. 113 Cadet Corps will meet in school room Charles street 8 o'clock tonight. By order W. H. Vail, instructor.

Teamsters' and Chauffeurs' Union No. 661 meets tonight at 8 o'clock in Union hall, corner Union street and Hazen avenue.

SCHOOL CADETS.

Cadets of Winter street school, 734, to meet at the school 2 p. m., Friday; Alexander school, 819, same day at 10 a. m., for issue of clothing for camp. By order of instructor.

More Mexican Trouble.

Laredo, Texas, July 15—The federal garrison at Nuevo Laredo, the Mexican town opposite this city, was sleeping on arms last night following receipt of a demand for its surrender to anti-government forces.

To Go to England.

Edmonton, Alta., July 15—Mrs. Nellie McClung has been appointed a delegate to the great Ecumenical Conference of Methodism in England next year. She is the first Canadian woman so honored.

Wireless for British.

London, Eng., July 15—Wireless stations 2,000 miles apart will link up the whole British Empire if the government adopts a report of the committee. The report recommends that Africa be first linked up with England through radio stations, then India, Australia and Canada.

Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths, 50 cents.

BIRTHS

CAPSON—At 78 Lombard street, on July 14, to Mr. and Mrs. George Capson, a son.

DEATHS

LUNN—In this city on July 15, Amelia Jane, beloved wife of Wm. F. J. Lunn, in the fifty-fourth year of her age, leaving her husband, two sons and three daughters to mourn.

Funeral service at 2 p.m. Saturday from her late residence, 137 Rothesay avenue.

COLLINS—In this city on the 14th inst., Daniel B. Collins, aged fifty-two years, leaving his wife, one son, and two brothers to mourn.

Funeral from Fitzpatrick's undertaking rooms Friday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. Friends invited to attend.

IN MEMORIAM

TYNER—In loving memory of Richard E. Tyner, who departed this life July 15, 1908.

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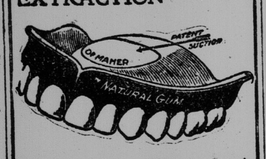

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LOCAL NEWS

MISSING CAR.

A Chevrolet car, the property of the Bank of Nova Scotia, New Glasgow, N. S., was stolen and was recovered last night at Model Farm, according to information received here by the police. The descriptions of two suspects are in the hands of the detective department. The police have also been notified of a car being missing from Boiestown.

CHANCERY COURT.

The case of McGinnie against Allain in the chancery court this morning was given another hearing before Mr. Justice White. This is a case from Gloucester county of an alleged breach of contract arrising out of a sale of land. The case is being continued this afternoon. George Gilbert and H. A. Powell, K.C., appeared for the plaintiff and W. B. Wallace and Hon. J. P. Byrne for the defendant.

VERDICT FOR MR. TURNBULL.

The case of Mc Ginnis, against Allain case of Turnbull against Saunders, for a claim of $1,147 arising out of action by the public works department in taking gravel from Mr. Turnbull's beach, was concluded and the jury brought in a verdict of $647.50 in favor of the plaintiff. Dr. F. R. Taylor, K.C., appeared for the plaintiff and P. J. Hughes for the defendant.

MONTREAL MARKET.

Montreal, July 15—The local market opened strong this morning followed with slight recessions from yesterday's high levels. Spanish lost some of its gain and Sugar eased slightly. Breweries, however, developed considerable strength and gained a point and an eighth by fractional advances. Laurentide and Abitibi and Wayagamack were off slightly. Brompton stood fairly firm around 150. Textile and Quebec were about steady while considerable car preferred came out in the early trading.

ASK ABOUT US.

R. E. Armstrong, secretary of the Board of Trade, has received two letters from big Upper Canadian firms. The first requests that an article of about 5,000 words be sent to them concerning the importance of the port of St. John, what sort of business is carried on here and general particulars concerning the port. This is a large firm with overseas connections. The second letter asks for a statement as to the advantages accruing to St. John from its being a maritime port.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. T. Vincent Earle announce the engagement of their daughter, Leona Vera, to Everett F. McKay. The wedding is to take place in August.

Clarence and Robert Causton, sons of R. O. Causton, 222 Brittain street, are engaged in orchestra work in Sydney and Glace Bay and are greatly enjoying their vacation. Clarence formerly played in the Imperial orchestra, and Robert was a member of the 104th Band overseas.

J. M. Woodman, general superintendent of the C. P. R. New Brunswick district, arrived in the city last night from St. Andrews. He was accompanied by A. C Fraser, superintendent of the C. P. R. telegraph.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ross and family of Detroit, Mich., arrived in the city yesterday, having motored here by way of the Berkshires and Boston. They are the guests of Mrs. Ross' sister, Mrs. F. C. Morrison, St. George street, West End.

Colonel Frank B. Black, president of the New Brunswick Telephone Co., Ltd., is at the Royal.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Stockford of Hampton left today for Moncton, where they will attend a National Division Sons of Temperance banquet, at which Mr. Stockford, grand chief templar of the I. O. G. T., is to be an invited guest.

SONS OF TEMPERANCE CHOOSE OFFICERS

Two New Brunswickers in Number — Mr. Hohenthral Again Worthy Patriarch.

(Special to Times.)

Moncton, July 15—At the National Division Sons of Temperance session this morning reports on district divisions showed six in Nova Scotia, one each in New Brunswick, Connecticut and Massachusetts. The following officers were elected for the ensuing two years:

Most worthy patriarch, E. L. G. Hohenthal, South Manchester, Conn., re-elected for third term.

Most worthy associate—Rev. A. A. McLeod, Dundas, N. B.

Most worthy scribe—Ross Slack, Philadelphia, re-elected by acclamation.

Most worthy treasurer—Wm C. Acken, Metuchen, N. J., re-elected by acclamation.

Most worthy chaplain—Rev. B. H. Thomas, Dorchester, N. B.

Most worthy conductor—Mrs. W. A. Jamieson, Thornton, Ont.

Most worthy sentinel—Jos. J. Green, West Collingwood, N. J.

Most worthy patron—William A. Tice, Toronto, re-elected by acclamation.

25,100 Miles to Education.

Belvidere, N. J., July 15—Every school day John Dimar traveled thirty-two miles from his home at Hope to the nearest high school and return. Mathematicians of his class figured that to receive his education he traveled 25,100 miles.

William Lawlor of Fredericton, who since his return from overseas has been first teller in the branch of the Royal Bank of Canada there, has been promoted to the position of manager of that bank at Harvey Station.

GOOD THINGS COMING TO THEATRES OF ST. JOHN

OPERA COMPANY WELCOME AGAIN

Beginning of Short Season of Gilbert and Sullivan — Some Notes About the Principals.

The Boston English Opera Company will be welcomed at 6 o'clock this evening on arrival from P. E. Island to present a short season of Gilbert and Sullivan gems at the Imperial, opening with the tuneful and sprightly Mikado. Joseph Sheehan, who was not in the last P. E. Island performance, reached the city yesterday and is being heartily greeted.

Since leaving here the company has continued to win honors in the three maritime provinces. Mr. Geis has left to resume engagements in the United States and Mr. Dunham, who was a grand opera director, has been succeeded by Max Fichandler, whose forte is the musical direction of the lighter works, such as those in the Gilbert & Sullivan repertoire to be offered here. He is a very fine musician.

Miss Shear ended her engagement with the company a short time ago and her place as Annabelle in Robin Hood was well taken by Miss Margaret Gilbert, who also has been singing Inez in Il Trovatore and will be Zorah in Ruddigore, Friday night's bill. An advance hint about the Mikado says that Mr. Fein, who did some clever comedy work in the last engagement here and whose genius was shown in the exceptional stage arrangements, is to play Ko Ko in the Mikado and gives a sterling performance. These and all the other principals and the excellent chorus and orchestra are sure of a hearty welcome again in St. John.

A POPULAR BILL AT OPERA HOUSE

Last Chance for Patrons to See Big Feature Acts Replete with Mirth, Music and Aerial Thrills — New Programme for Friday.

The popular mid-week bill at the Opera House will be concluded this evening and, judging from the popularity of the various feature acts, large audiences will be in attendance. Stuart and Neff, in their great tramp laughfest, are sure to please all with their comic songs and sayings. The Murray Girls have been making a big hit with their musical comedy revue songs and dances, while McGowan and Cheney, in a high class vocal and piano offering, have been well received. The Aerial Shaws with their daring feats have been holding undivided interest and Chief "Eagle Horse" has proven a popular attraction. There is also another episode of "Daredevil Jack," featuring Jack Dempsey, champion heavyweight pugilist of the world.

The new programme for tomorrow will be as follows: Final episode of "Lightning Bryce"; Tobin, a comedy entertainer; Ferris and Bell, in comedy songs and breezy chatter; The Fieldings, in a sensational swimming and diving underwater novelty; Chas. Lawrence, late of the Elsie Janis Overseas Revue, in an original offering; Fred Andrews and Company, in a wonder act, "Nature turned topsy-turvy."

TICKETS FOR THE OPERA OPENING TONIGHT

There are still choice seats to be had for the opening of the Gilbert & Sullivan opera season opening this evening in the Imperial. "The Mikado" has always been a favorite in St. John and in the capable hands of the Boston English Opera Co., is certain of the highest possible quality treatment. The curtain will rise promptly at 8.30 and patrons are asked to be seated by that time as late-comers tend to upset the temperament of the audience and of the performers.

LATE SHIPPING

PORT OF ST. JOHN.

Arrived July 15.

Coastwise—Schr. Valdare, 95, Trahan, from Bear River, N. S. Gas. schr. Souvenir, 81, Outhouse, from Digby, N. S.

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Coastwise—Schr. Valdare, 95, Trahan, for Bear River, N. S.; gas schr. Souvenir, 81, Outhouse, for Beaver Harbor, N. B.; stmr. Ruby L., 51, Baker, for Margaretsville, N. S.

MORE THAN 25,000 AUTOS IN BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Victoria, B. C., July 15—There are now in operation considerably more than 25,000 automobiles in British Columbia. Plates running up to 27,000 are now being issued at the Victoria licensing office and Vancouver is working on a series culminating with 30,000.

New Oil Wells in France.

Paris, France, July 15—French interests in the world quest for petrol has been quickened by the discovery of two important oil wells in the frontier department of Haute Savoie. One find is expected to yield 20,000 gallons a minute.

Seven Trips Around World.

London, July 15—Augustus Topping died at Luton, aged eighty-three. He spent nearly fifty years of his life at sea, sailed around the world seven times, and was wrecked five times.

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MISS KATHERINE HUGHES.

Miss Katherine Hughes, Canadian journalist and authoress, will address a public meeting this evening in the Opera House on The Truth About Ireland. The chair will be taken at 9 o'clock. All citizens are invited to attend. Admission is free.

SALVAGE CORPS MEN'S OUTING

A pleasant time was spent yesterday afternoon at Dean's Hotel, Lorneville, by No. 2 Salvage Corps and Fire Police, when a baseball game and field sports were held near the hotel. The corps left No. 5 station in automobiles yesterday afternoon about three o'clock, and after a pleasant drive arrived at the grounds. The first on the programme was a baseball game between Captain MacRae's team and Captain Cunningham's, in which the former won, 5-4. A fat man's race was won by H. G. Harrison; three-legged race, by C. Sullivan and F. W. Hamm; wheelbarrow race, C. Sullivan and W. Brown; broad jump, Captain MacRae; 100 yard dash, F. W. Hamm first, and H. Gault second; tug-of-war, Captain Cunningham's team. A special race between Captain MacRae and Captain Cunningham was held, in which Captain Cunningham won. The greasy pole contest was won by Captain Macaulay. After the games the party went to the hotel, where a sumptuous repast was served and prizes were presented. Speeches were made by the winners, and the party returned to the city about 11 o'clock, after a good day's outing.

MAY MAKE THE FLIGHT TOMORROW OVER ST. JOHN

Halifax, N. S., July 15—It is expected that the hydroplane which is to fly from Halifax to Quebec via Fredericton will attempt the flight tomorrow.

UNANIMOUS FOR THE MERGER

Halifax, N. S., July 15—Following adjournment of the Dominion Steel Corporation meeting today, Roy M. Wolvin, president of the company, gave out a statement in part as follows:—

"I am more than gratified at the splendid spirit of unanimity evidenced at the meeting this morning. The vote polled, 298,000 shares, is the largest represented at a general meeting since the inception of the company, and there was not one dissenting voice."

THE PROHIBITION VOTE IN YORK

Fredericton, N. B., July 15—Declaration proceedings in the prohibition plebiscite were held this morning. The official returns showed a majority of 2,834 for prohibition and a majority of 2,268 against wines and beer. Fredericton's majority for prohibition was 263 and against beer and light wines 96.

Marconi's Teacher Dead.

London, July 15—The death of Professor Augusto Righi, aged seventy, is announced in Bologna. Senator Marconi was his pupil, and it was in his laboratory that Marconi began the study of Hertzian waves.

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NAVY LEAGUE'S MISSION

Says Rear Admiral Everett, H. M. S. Calcutta: — "The link which the Royal Navy constitutes between the Dominions and Colonies and the mother country can only continue to bind us closer through the efforts of the Navy League."

PROPORTIONAL REPRESENTATION IN WINNIPEG

Analysis of Results of Recent Election

Three Lessons Drawn by A. E. Parker, an Authority on the System — Explanation of How It Works.

(Canadian Press.)

Winnipeg, Man., July 15—There are three lessons to be drawn from Winnipeg's recent test of proportional representation, in the opinion of A. E. Parker, editor of Canadian Finance and himself an authority on "P. R." They are: (1) Candidates now know that it is dangerous to risk an election deposit under the P. R. system if they are not sure of reasonable support from the electors. (2) Voters know that the figure 1 is not sufficient on a ballot and realize that their choices should be equal under ordinary conditions to at least the number of the candidates to be elected. (3) Voters know that P. R. is practicable and produces equitable results.

Mr. Parker in his journal analyzes carefully the features of the election, and declares that it was "an absolute triumph for the advocates of proportional representation." He proceeds to set out in detail the method of counting the ballots and draws his conclusions.

P. R. was used in Winnipeg only in the provincial election, the contests in the remainder of the province being conducted under the old system. The whole of the Winnipeg area was grouped into one constituency and ten seats in the legislature were allotted to it. Forty-one candidates were nominated, consisting of ten Liberals, ten Conservatives, ten Labor nominees and ten Independents. This super abundance of candidates was the cause of considerable trouble to the election officials and the counting staff, and turned out to be somewhat costly to those candidates who lost their deposits. The Manitoba election act provides that any defeated candidate who received first choices less in number that 25 per cent. of the quota shall lose his or her deposit of $200. Under this regulation twenty-five candidates lost their deposits, and the government profited to the extent of $5,000. The candidates affected consisted of: Independents, eight; Liberals, five; Labor nominees, five; Conservatives, seven.

Under the P. R. system the voter has only one vote, but that is transferable. When marking the ballot the voter places the figure 1 opposite the name of the candidate whom he wishes to see elected. That figure 1 is called his first choice. He continues to place numbers opposite the names of candidates he favors, the figure two against one, the figure three against another, and so on. The figure two denotes his second choice, the figure three his third choice, etc.

The first task of the counting staff was to tabulate the number of first choices given to the respective candidates, and to segregate the ballot papers in separate bundles according to the candidates for whom they were given.

When the first count was completed it was found that 47,427 good ballots had been cast. The quota was then ascertained by dividing this number by one more than the number of seats to be filled, adding one to the result. This meant that to secure election at this stage of the proceedings, a candidate had to have at least 4,312 votes. Two candidates were elected on the first count and a third candidate was elected on the second count. The fourth candidate was not elected until the 31st count, the fifth was elected on the 32nd. count, the sixth and seventh on the 33rd count and the remaining three on the 37th count.

The Independent candidates were entirely eliminated from the contest before it ended, plainly demonstrating that a candidate must be supported by a fairly strong group of votes before his election can be secured. There were 6,362 votes cast for eleven Independent candidates on the first count, but not one of these candidates benefited sufficiently from the subsequent counts to secure election. In the ordinary form of election those who voted for these independents would have wasted their votes, but under P. R. the votes were simply transferred to the next choices marked thereon. As a result of the various transfers the Liberal candidates received approximately 2,500 votes and the Conservatives gained approximately 1,400 votes and labor received more than 500 votes more than was shown in the original count. It will be noted that the independents vote went principally to the Liberal and Conservative candidates when it was distributed.

The final result demonstrates the fairness of proportional representation as a method of elections, says Mr. Parker. The labor vote represented a little more than 40 per cent of the total vote and labor elected 40 per cent of the members. The Liberal vote represented nearly 40 per cent of the total vote and the Liberals elected 40 per cent of the members. The Conservatives were supported by voters representing a little less than 20 per cent of the total vote and they elected 20 per cent of the members.

Advocates of proportional representation declare that P. R. gives absolute freedom of choice to the voter; that it encourages independence on the part of the voter. An outstanding instance of this was given in the transfer of the surplus of Dixon, the labor candidate. Dixon received 11,586 votes, being 7,274 more than he needed. As a result, Dixon's ballots were re-examined to ascertain the 2nd choices marked thereon. The result was as follows: 2nd choices for Labor candidates, 10,075; 2nd choices for Liberal candidates, 368; 2nd choices for Conservative candidates, 310; 2nd choices for Independent candidates766; Non-transferable, 67. This clearly shows that more than, 1,400 voters who originally voted labor marked their second choices for non-labor candidates.

Another instance is found in the result of the elimination of Jacob, a Liberal candidate, Jacob's votes totalled 2,347, and they were distributed as follows: ninety-one votes went to Labor candidates; 147 votes to Conservative candidates; 1770 votes to Liberal candidates; 188 votes to Independent candiates and 151 votes were non-transferable. The forgoing showed that more than 18 per cent of Jacob's votes went to candidates other than Liberal candidates.

The transfer of votes credited to Christie, Conservative candidate, at the time of his elimination, resulted as follows: 33 votes went to Labor candidates; 145 to Liberal candidates; 1354 to Conservative candidates; 157 to Independent and 37 were non-transferable.

From the foregoing it will be seen that nearly 20 per cent of the Conservative votes left the party when the transfer was made.

In the last count 1,867 ballots were non-transferable, or in other words, exhausted. This means that 1,867 voters lost their votes because they did not mark sufficient choices on their ballots. Many of them were content with just marking the figure 1. With forty-one candidates it was necessary to mark at least ten choices on the ballot, and those who did not do that ran the risk of having their ballots used up—each of the candidates marked theiron having possibly been either elected or defeated.

TENDERS will be received up to 12 o'clock noon July 19, addressed to the undersigned committee at the Boys' Industrial Home, East St. John, "for extension of water service, etc.," to that institution.

Specifications may be seen on application to other members of the committee.

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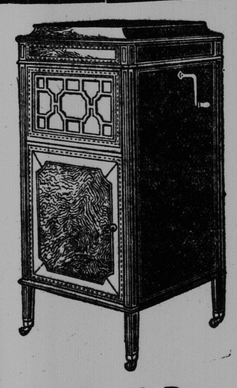

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CONDEMN PUBLICATION OF LIQUOR ADVERTISEMENTS

Among the resolutions submitted to the Grand Division, Sons of Temperance, at Moncton on Tuesday afternoon by a special committee and adopted, was the following:

"To the members of the Grand Division, your special committee delegated to submit an expression of this Grand body, beg to report as follows: We deeply deplore the attitude and policy of a number of papers in New Brunswick, who have allowed degrading advertisements to appear in their columns, antagonistic to the highest interests of the prohibition party, and would call upon this Grand Division to express its disapproval in every possible way. Your committee would express its highest admiration to the management of such papers, who steadily refused to publish such advertisements, even at a great loss of revenue."

EMPLOYMEN BRANCH FOR BOYS AND GIRLS.

Winnipeg, July 15—An innovation which will have a far-reaching effect on the future workers of western Canada is being initiated by the Manitoba branch of the Dominion Employment Bureau in the proposed establishment of a special employment branch for boys and girls. This branch will act primarily as an advisory bureau in regard to training boys and girls for future employment, and will also handle the actual placement of workers. Supervision of the juvenile workers in their occupations with a view to directing activities in the proper channels is also advocated.

Saves Mother, Kills Father.

Norwich, Eng., July 15—Charged with the murder of a brutal father Hector Macdonald Darbridge, nineteen, was found guilty of manslaughter and sent to prison for six months. The father had been convicted fifty-five times of drunkenness. He had threatened to kill his wife.

RESOLUTE FIRST OVER THE LINE

(Continued from page 1.)

Forging ahead on the starboard tack the yachts carried mainsails, stay sails, foresails and baby jib topsails. Three minutes after crossing the line Resolute tacked to port and headed toward the Jersey shore, while the challenger stood seaward on the starboard tack.

Shamrock at 12.05 was seemingly unable to catch Resolute. At 12.10 a rain squall drenched both yachts and nearly killed the breeze. Resolute pointed higher but Shamrock footed a trifle faster. The rain squall hid the yachts from sight from shore a few minutes after the start. As the rain ceased falling the light south western breeze brought in a milky fog bank which completely concealed the course. One downpour succeeded another, flattening out the sea, so that it was as smooth as a mill pond.

The yachts apparently were making poor time.

Vivid lightning flashes in the sky and the torrential rain drove passengers from the decks of excursion boats to the cabins below. At 1.08 o'clock rain was falling with the intensity of a cloudburst and visibility at sea was limited to a few cable lengths, thus making it dangerous for the boats should they come close together.

With the last downpour came a heavy squall of wind from the west which caused the yachts to stagger in the sudden flow.

Some yachtsmen believed the race commission might call today's contest off in view of weather conditions.

At 1.05 p. m., with both yachts standing off shore on a starboard tack, Resolute was more than half a mile in the lead and slightly to windward. The wind breezed up again to six knots at this point in the race.

8 to 5 Resolute.

New York, July 15—(Canadian Press)—Wall street brokers this morning reported that the Resolute still remains the favorite at the odds of 5 to 8, but betting was light.

When Folks Quit Coffee because of cost to health or purse, they naturally drink INSTANT POSTUM "There's a Reason"