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The members of the Water and Sewerage Board will journey to Mispec this afternoon for the purpose of inspecting the Mispec pulp mill, which is city property. The inspection is the result of a motion made by Ald. McGoldrick at the last meeting of the Water and Sewerage Board. The motion was caused by the application of the lessees of the mill property to have their annual rental reduced from $3,500 to $2,600.

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The boring operations in Courtenay Bay are of great interest to a number of persons who gather along the shore while the boring is going on. At low tide the scow from which the borings are made rests on the mud, but at high tide floats. So far the material struck by the drill has been clay, sand and gravel. Material of this kind makes progress rather slow, but the boring will be continued until rock is struck, when operations will be begun again farther out in the bay.

A young squaw who arrived in the city last night from Eastport and who says she is only seventeen years of age, was placed in the police station by Sergt. Campbell for protection. The girl was with two other squaws when she arrived, but becoming tired, she stayed in the ladies' waiting room and fell asleep. When she awoke her companions had disappeared and she did not know where to go. Sergeant Campbell took pity on her lonely condition and she was accommodated comfortably at the police station. The squaws intended to leave for up the river today.

"ALL ABOARD."

Farm Laborers Excursions leave Aug. 11th and Sept. 5th., See general arrangements outlined in advertising columns. Read the posters issued, or call on railway agents.

Things looked rather blue for Constable Erb, of Sussex, in the Scott Act town on Monday evening and only for the timely interference of the Chief of Police he might have received a severe beating. It appears that the constable acted unwisely in taking James Hanley from the Union Hotel to the Doyle pool rooms. A number of men gathered round the constable and compelled him to leave the prisoner and seek refuge. The Chief of Police was called out and after a considerable time matters quieted down. During the affair Hanley did not make any attempt to escape. No arrests have as yet been made but it is expected that some action will be taken immediately.

John Keefe, a laborer, who resides on Pond street, and who was arrested a few days ago for assaulting his wife, has been pronounced insane by the doctors. Keefe, it appears, had caused much trouble in the vicinity of his home on Pond street before his arrest and when his case was tried in court he was found guilty and sentenced to a term in the jail. After being lodged in his cell he commenced to give the turnkeys a great deal of trouole and for a while practically nothing could be done with him. He declared that there was no charge against him and that he should be liberated. His actions and speech indicated a deranged mind.

Yesterday Dr. MacDonald was summoned to examine the prisoner. He was pronounced a fit subject for the asylum and arrangements will be made to have him transferred today.

Mr. Edward L. Rising is visiting the boot and shoe markets of Upper Canada and the New England States.

A large cow moose caused considerable excitement yesterday afternoon when it ran along some of the principal streets of the city and finally dropped exhausted in the grave yard, where it expired.

"The ultimate object of the I. C. R. is to double track the whole system." Such was the observation made to a reporter for The Sun yesterday afternoon by M. J. Butler, Deputy Minister of Railways, who arrived in St. John on the C. P. R. en route from Chester, N. S., to Ottawa.

A grand Masonic fair is to be held in the new hall at Hampton Station on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of next week. An excellent programme has been prepared including minstrel show in the agricultural hall in the village. A fine time is assured all who attend.

BAND AT SEASIDE PARK

There will be a band and fireworks at Seaside Park tonight.

An inquiry into the charges made against Policeman Lawson of Fairville by the Women's Christian Temperance Union of that place was held yesterday afternoon by the Highway Board at the Court House, Fairville. The result was not satisfactory to the W. C. T. U. Nothing could be proven against the officer, for the parties who made the complaint failed to appear and give evidence.

When asked by a reporter for the Sun yesterday when the band stand in the King square would be opened, President Connolly replied that the first concert would be given in the stand tomorrow evening. Neither the electric effects nor the painting will be complete for the opening. The City Cornet Band have been preparing an excellent programme of the latest and best airs, under Bandmaster Williams. It is expected that His Worship Mayor Bullock will be present and address those assembled.

The St. John City Rifle Club will hold their annual cash prize and Morrison Cup match this afternoon on the local rifle range. The match will start at 2 o'clock sharp at the 500 yard mound. It is hoped a large number of the members will be present. The challenge pitcher donated by N. J. Morrison, captain of the club, has aroused the interest of the old shooters who are going to make the match as interesting as possible. The cash prizes will be divided into two classes.

The picnic of the parishioners of St. Peters and Holy Trinity Churches will take place at Torryburn on Tuesday next. Large and efficient committees have the affair in hand and a grand outing is expected to take place. The Sunday School children will walk from the church to the station headed by the City Cornet Band. All the games, sports and races will take place and an excellent dinner and supper will be served on the grounds. There will also be refreshments, soft drinks, etc., on sale. The first train will leave at 10 o'clock and others at 12.30 and 2.30 p. m.

While several bathers were enjoying themselves in the waters of Courtenay Bay yesterday afternoon a large sea dog appeared in their midst and sent them scurrying in all directions. The animal is thought to be part of a group which was seen some days ago. The animal was very large and had a savage appearance which frightened the bathers and put an end to their sport.

One of the bathers attempted to chase the sea dog away, but without success, and others were supposed to have been in the neighborhood, but could not be seen. The appearance of sea dogs is somewhat unusual and several intend visiting the place today to catch a glimpse of their visages.

MOONLIGHT EXCURSION

Lodge Portland S. of E. will hold their moonlight excursion tomorrow evening on the steamer "May Queen."

8 CENTS APIECE FOR RATS.

Jamaica Using Them to Kill Their Brethren by Spreading Disease.

KINGSTON, Jamaica, Aug. 4—The health authorities here have established a rigid quarantine against Santiago de Cuba, where yellow fever is reported.

The Government of Jamaica is paying 8 cents a head for live rats. The rats are inoculated with a virus and then given to citizens to turn loose in their houses in an endeavor to kill off other rats, to which disease is communicated by the inoculated animals.

TORONTO WOMAN'S PLEA GAINS BROTHER'S LIBERTY

Was Serving a Life Term in Minneapolis Prison for Manslaughter Committed Two Years Ago.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Aug. 4—The State Board of Pardons has granted a pardon to Alexander McEwan, sentenced to life imprisonment from Minneapolis in 1906 for manslaughter. He kicked Frank O'Grain to death in a resort following a quarrel. A sister's plea was responsible for McEwan's release and the elloquence of it so impressed the members of the board that they announced issuance of pardon almost immediately.

Three times had Mrs. J. E. Bell traveled from Toronto to intercede for her wayward brother, and when the announcement came that her efforts had been rewarded she almost swooned. In tones, eloquent and pleading, she told of how her father, hearing of his son's crime, had suffered a stroke of paralysis and died and his mother was now bedridden and wishing for one last look at her boy.

"Pardon him," she asked the board, "and he will never bother you again. He will leave the State." On condition he leaves the State the board granted the pardon.

McEwen served with credit in the English army, but falling in with evil companions, resigned his commission and came to the United States. He was a magnificent specimen of manhood and an excellent musician. Considerable mystery surrounded the killing and McEwan was sent to prison more because of his record than from any actual knowledge that he was fully responsible for the victim's death. The trial judge petitioned the board for clemency.

WHAT'S THE MATTER WITH THE LUDLOW?

Tonight the ferry committee begins its investigation of the accident which recently happened to the ferry steamer Ludlow in which both the boat and the East Side ferry floats were damaged. Ald. Baskin, chairman of the ferry committee, moved for the investigation at Monday's meeting of the Common Council. This action is the result not merely of the most recent accident but of a series of more or less serious accidents in which the Ludlow has been concerned.

The investigation will not be behind closed doors unless the members of the committee so desire it. The witnesses who will be examined are the members of the Ludlow's crew at the time of the accident. Captain J. J. McCaffrey and Engineer Fred. J. Lewis will be important witnesses. In former cases of a similar nature members of the crew concerned in the accidents have been suspended. In the present instance there have been no suspensions.

GENERAL'S LEPER WIFE BECOMES A MANIAC.

Goes Insane After Examination When Told of Her Condition.

BISBEE, Ariz., Aug. 4—General David K. Wardell and his wife, the leper, whom he spirited from the contagious ward of the county hospital, at Los Angeles several nights ago, are quarantined on a mountain side near Tombstone.

General Wardell and his wife arrived at Tombstone on Friday from Maco, Ariz., where they went from Los Angeles. Late last night Dr. Greene, the county physicians, said that Mrs. Wardell was a maniac, having lost her reason following the examination at Los Angeles, when her physicians told her she was afflicted with leprosy.

Mrs. Wardel's mother, an old resident of Tombstone, is said to have died from leprosy there many years before.

PEIRCE—BELDING.

A quiet wedding took place yesterday afternoon at 270 Germain street, the home of A. M. Belding, editor of the Evening Times. His second daughter, Florence A., was united in marriage with George H. Peirce, of Athol (Mass). The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Gordon Dickie. Only immediate relatives were present. The bride was given away by her father.

Immediately after the marriage Mr. and Mrs. Peirce left by the steamer Calvin Austin for Boston, enroute to their future home in Athol. Mrs. J. Eugene Parker, sister of the bride, left by the same steamer with her infant son, Ronald, returning to their home in Athol.

ALUM.

Alum should never be absent from any household. It has a very good effect if applied to bleeding wounds, as it checks the loss of blood. Boiled in milk in small quantities it is good for toothache. It must be held in the mouth, not swallowed. For bleeding of the mouth or tongue a wash in cold water in which alum has been dissolved is very effective.

MAJOR-GENERAL LAKE INSPECTS ARTILLERY

The general inspection of the 3rd New Brunswick Regiment, Canadian Artillery, took place last evening, General Lake, the inspector general, being the inspecting officer. The regiment was inspected as a battalion and each battery as a company.

At 8.30 the regiment, under the command of Lt. Col. Baxter, was drawn up in line on the Barrack Square ready to receive the inspector general. The band of the 62nd St. John Fusiliers performed the band duty of the inspection, the band of the Artillery being absent in Boston with the Knights of Pythias. The 3rd Artillery was very much under strength owing to the fact that the technical inspection of the regiment had taken place some time before and a great many of the artillerymen are out of the city on holidays. Shortly after 8.30, General Lake, accompanied by Lt. Col. Heward, R. C. D., Colonel White, D.O.C., and Lieut. Col. Ogilvy, D.S.A., arrived and were received with a general salute. The inspecting officer then proceeded to the right of the line and went through the regiment inspecting the physique of the men and the arms and uniforms. During the inspection the band played the usual inspection march.

The Artillery then formed quarter column, wheeled to the left and marched past in column. The return was in quarter column, after which the regiment was put through some battalion movements. The remainder of the evening was spent in inspecting the three batteries.

During the latter part of the inspection the band of the Fusiliers took up a position in the drill hall, where it played several selections much to the pleasure of the large crowd that had gathered for the inspection.

ST. JOHN TENNIS PLAYERS IN THE MONTREAL CONTESTS

MONTREAL, Aug. 4—Inches was the most successful of the St. John players in the tennis tournament today. He remained in the novice singles competition by scoring an easy victory over Haig of Montreal, and in the double, playing with Ross of Ottawa, beat a local pair in a close game.

McAvity of St. John was defeated in the all-Canadian singles. The courts were in good shape today, but towards the close of the play the light was very bad. Boys of Barrie Sherwell and Suckling of Montreal have shown the best form so far.

Following are the scores of the games in which St John men played:

All-Canadian singles: Sherwell, Montreal, beat McAvity, St. John, 6—2, 6—0. Open doubles: Ross, Ottawa, and Inches, St. John, beat Wickes and Evans, Montreal, 6—3, 4—6, 6—4. Novice singles: Inches, St. John, beat Haig, Montreal, 6—2, 6—2.

BASEBALL.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

At Brooklyn—St. Louis, 0; Brooklyn, 3.

At New York (first game)—New York, 4; Cincinnati, 3 (12 innings.) Second game—New York, 4; Cincinnati, 1 (game called after first half eighth, darkness.)

At Boston—Boston, 4; Pittsburg, 1.

At Philadelphia—Philadelphia, 4; Chicago, 2.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

At St. Louis—New York-St. Louis, postponed, New York team delayed behind a wreck.

At Cleveland—Washington, 5; Cleveland, 7.

At Chicago—Boston, 4; Chicago, 1.

At Detroit—Philadelphia, 3; Detroit, 4.

EASTERN LEAGUE.

At Guelph, Ont.—Toronto, 1; Jersey City, 14 (7 innings, rain).

At Baltimore—Baltimore, 4; Rochester, 3 (10 innings.

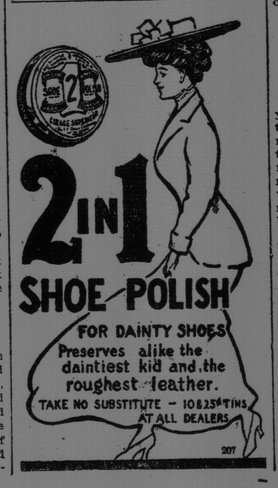
At Providence—Montreal, 9; Providence, 1.

YACHTING

The quarterly meeting of the Royal Kennebecassis Yacht Club was held last evening. Few matters other than the regular routine business were brought up.

One new member, George H. Hilyard, was elected.

It was decided that the fleet hold a Labor Day outing to either Brown's Flats or Devil's Back. The boys will start on Saturday and return on Monday or Tuesday.



SALUTARY SETBACK FOR THE SOCIALISTS

Effect of Recent Labor Riots in France

General Confederation of Labor Committed a Premeditated Revolutionary Act.

PARIS, ug. 4.—The labor riots which occurred Thursday at Villeneuve, St. George's, took the form of an open revolt when the followers of the General Confederation of Labor committed a premeditated revolutionary act. So far from promoting the aims of the ultra-Socialists, it will undoubtedly lead to a salutary setback for them. The government will handle the matter with determination, and it will have the support of the country. There is not a man in France fitter than M. Clemenceau to take the situation in hand. The General Confederation of Labor, if it is not suppressed entirely, will certainly have its pernicious activity curbed. tIs suppression will entail fresh legislation, which is possible. Meanwhile events have served to irrevocably fix a gulf between the Republican majority and the extreme Socialist wing, which, both in the Chamber of Deputies and in the press, acts as the agent of the revolutionary confederation.

DEATH SENTENCE IS COMMUTED

OTTAWA, Aug. 4—At this afternoon's meeting of the cabinet council the sentence of death passed upon an Englishman named Barette, of Prince Albert, for the murder of his step-son last spring was commuted to life imprisonment. Barette, while in a frenzy of rage, had snapped a pistol at his wife but the weapon missed fire. His little step-son then ran in between his mother and step-father, and the latter in trying to brush him aside, discharged the pistol, killing the boy.

When arrested he was tenderly nursing the child who had his arms around the horror stricken man and begged the law officers not to take father to jail.

ST. PIERRE MAN IS MURDERED BY SAILORS

HALIFAX, Aug. 4.—News comes from St. Pierre, Miq., that on Saturday last a man named Lucien Larrieux, a boarder at the house of a widow named Poirrier, was robbed and murdered by three sailors from the French brig Mareloir. The story is that the sailors found Larrieux asleep in his room and in robbing him woke him up, and while in the act of raising they stabbed him. The men escaped and Larrieux died in the hospital. One of his assailants was described by Larrieux as having a long beard.

FIRE AT FREDERICTON

FREDERICTON, Aug. 4.—The fire department was called out this afternoon for a fire in Hurley's barn, George street. When the firemen arived the flames had gained considerable headway, and for a time it looked serious. The loss is estimated at about $400 and is fully covered by insurance.

In the pool betting tonight on the races Northern Spy, Miss Letha and Louise E. are the favorites in the 2.15 class, while in the 2.25 the betting is made in sets.

John Rodkin of Kingsclear this afternoon hooked a large salmon at Hartt's Island, opposite Springhill. This is the second catch of the season.

SALE OF TORONTO NEWS

TORONTO, Aug. 4.—The sale of the Toronto News, as announced tonight causes much talk in the city. Many people think the paper will be controlled by the Conservatives and made a Tory organ. The announcement says that J. W. Flavelle, the chief owner, has sold out his share to the company of which J. S. Willison, the present editor will be president, and the policy of the paper will continue unchanged.

FATAL MISTAKE OF NURSE

BROCKVILLE, Aug. 4.—Carl Lee, a young man eighteen years of age, died today as the result of a fatal mistake made by a trained nurse. He had been threatened with typhoid since coming from Quebec, where he had gone as a member of the forty-first regiment of this town. The nurse in giving him medicine by mistake administered carbolic acid. He died in three minutes.

HAULED DOWN ROYAL BANNER.

Can Only be Flown When the King is Present.

LONDON, Aug. 1.—When the Duchess of Albany during the week visited the Dover pageant, a Royal Standard was run up over the hotel where she lunched. Presently, an admiralty official called at the hotel and ordered the standard hauled down, informing the management that an order had been issued that the Royal banner could only be flown when the King was present. Consequently, the King's sister-in-law finished her lunch under the Union Jack.

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Part 2.

Damon granted a respite. Pythias pledges himself for his friend's safe return. Pythias refuses freedom rather than betray his friend. Damon's farewell to his wife and child. Damon's race to save his friend from the executioners. The power of friendship. Dionysius pardons Damon.

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ANOTHER RECORD OUTPUT

HALIFAX, Aug. 4.—July was another record breaking for output from the collieries of the Nova Scotia Steel and Coal Co, being over 3,000 tons greater than for the previous month. The figures follow: Sydney No. 1, 21-153; No. 2, 3,097; No. 3, 24,495; No. 4, 1,387; No 5, 9,236. Total 59,318 tons.

SEARCHING FOR MISSING VESSEL

OTTAWA, Aug. 4.—The Marine Department has sent the customs steamer Gladiator to search for two missing fishing vessels which were driven off St. Paul Island, near Sydney, C. B., in a recent storm and have not since been seen.

NICKEL TO DAY

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Prof. Titus sings When The Harvest Moon Is Shining on The River. Harry LeRoy sings In Memory.

GOOD FOR VESSEL OWNERS

KINGSTON, Aug. 4.—Shippers of Canadian grain, in anticipation of a very lively fall, are offering big prices to vessel owners to handle the Northwest wheat from Fort William to Montreal. Charters have been closed at figures as high as 7½ cents per bushel.