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DIES AFTER INJURY IN CLASS BATTLES

College Student, Keeping a Broken Rib a Secret, Entered Second Encounter.

BACK EVANGELINE BOOTH.

Chicago Elks Protest Against Her Removal as Salvation Leader.

DRUG ADDICT DRAWS CROWD Police Say Man Thought He Shaving With Broken Glass.

New York, Oct. 4—Having removed nost of his tattered clothing, a man who described himself as Robert Burns, 30, and having no home, was arrested at the corner of Seventh avenue and Forth-

eighth street, by Policemen Cahill and McGarvey after his actions had attracted a crowd. The police say the man, evidently mentally unbalanced, thought he was giving a demonstration of how to shave himself with a plece of broken bottle.

At the West Forty-seventh street station, he admitted, according to the police that he was a cocaine addict. He was sent to Bellevue Hospital for observation by Dr. Cohen of Flower Hospit aliafter he had told the ambulance surgeon that he was a secret agent of the government, working on steamships as a spy.

TRAVELS 240 MILES ON A HIGH BICYCLE

Loses 23 Pounds, Falls Four Times and Causes Horses to Try to Climb Trees. Chicago, Oct. 4—William Mechan, who left Indianophs a week ago on a bigh bicycle to attend the opening session of the American Electric Railway Association convention here, arrived at the outskirts of Chicago after a two-hundred-and-forty-mile-trip.

Save for the fact that he lost twenty-thre pounds in weight, fell four times from his fifty-seven-inch seat elevation, walked twenty miles through fresh gravel, and caused several horses to try to climb trees, the trip was without insident.

More than 2,000 delegates to the convention had arrived tonight. Sessions start Tuesday.

WOMAN SENDS 42,000 CENTS TO PAY GREENWICH TAXI BILL

Greenwich, Conn., Oct. 4—A wealthy woman residing in a fashionable section of Greenwich, moved to her windr home in New York city, leaving a bill of \$420 owing the Greenwich Cab Company for taxi fares. A representative of the company had visited herestate here on two occasions in an effort to collect the bill before she left, but was unsuccessful.

The other day the woman sent a taxicab from New York to the cab company's office here with a large box containing 42,000 one-cent pieces. With it she sent \$1 to pay for the taxi that had made the two trips to her home here for the purpose of collecting the money, and her photograph, under which was written "O la, la."

It took four men to carry the keg into the Putnam Trust Company office and place it in a private vault.

BERLIN PAPER THIEVES STRIP CITY OF POSTERS

Berlin, Sept. 13—(Associated Press by Mail)—Billboard strippers constitute a new type of thief on Berlin's police blotter. Due to the increased value of wastepaper, the plundering of street advertising has set in.

The thieves work at night, and so far have confined their activities mainly to the round poster pillars which dot the city's thoroughfares, adorned with varicolored bills advertising theatres, restaurants, dance halls, etcetera. One young man was found to have torn down fifty kilograms of old paper and stored it at home for future sale.



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Many rich finds have been made. The gold is in large nuggets and lies in gravel but a few feet deep. With the coming of first stampeders the hlacksmith shop was found split open by a good sized spruce tree. The general store housed bats and owls, while most of the other temporary shacks had wood, one of Alaska's 'ghost cittes,"

Anchorage, Alaska, Oct. 4—Girdwood now promises to bewhich flourished in the early gold days, come a big growing town.

Lady Roberts Chapter.

The opening meeting of Lady Roberts chapter was wheld at the residence of Miss Leslie Skinner. Support to the Municipal chapter was voted and it was decided to continue contributions of biscuits to the Free Kindergarten. Elspeth MacLaren was appointed to look after a committee to take charge of a rummage sale. Six nominations from the west St. John rink had another successful session last night. The City Cornet Band provided an another successful session last night. The City Cornet Band provided an another successful session last night.

Royal Standard.

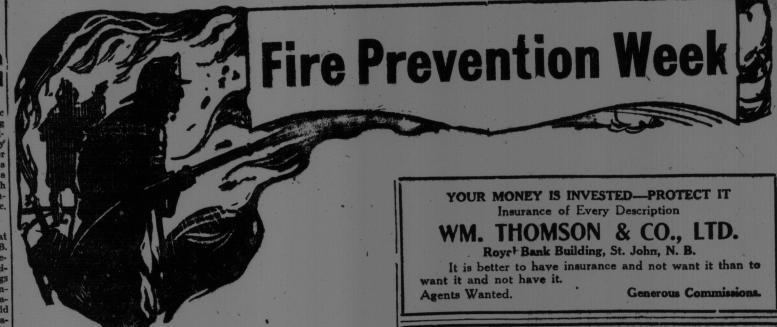
The Royal Standard chapter met at the residence of the regent, Mrs. C. B. Allan, in Sydney street, with the regent presiding. Reports of the Municipal and Provincial chapter meetings were given and Mrs. Cortland Robinson, the chapter's delegate to the National chapter meeting gave a splendid report of that convention. The educational secretary reported that at the school closings prizes had been given to four pupils in Victoria school and a picture of the Prince of Wales had been presented to the Westfield school. The chapter voted \$100 towards the War Memorial to be erected in St. John.

Windsor Chapter.

Windsor chapter met at the home of Miss Gladys Shaw, in Manawagonish road, with the regent, Miss Eva Newcombe, presiding. Plans were made for holding the annual tea and sale in December and it was decided to continue to contribute to the support of the Victorian Order of Nurses for another year. After the business meeting a social hour was enjoyed and the hostesses were Miss Helen Drinan, Miss Gladys Shaw and Miss Edna Shaw. Valcartier Chapter.

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Valcartier chapter met at the residence fo Mrs. F. Miller, in Canterbury street and the vice-regent, Mrs. Kenneth Campbell, presided in the absence of the regent. The chapter decided to continue its support of the Victorian Order nurses and the teacher in the East St. John hospital. It was also agreed that a flag chart should be presented to the King George school and a library given to a school in a country a library given to a school in a country district. The sum of \$25 was voted to the health centre in St. John. Plans were made for the Hallowe'en bridge which is an annual event.



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gramme during the evening and there was a large patronage of all the attractions. The fair will close on Saturday and that night there will be a special offering of three prizes for the door tickets, one of \$25, one of \$15 and the third of \$10. The prizes last night were won as follows: Door, a bag of flour, won by William Irvine; gentlemen's air gun, D. A. Duffy; bean toss, Mrs. J. T. McCormick; ten pins, A. Leonard; ring toss, R. Goldie;

bagatelle, Walter Scribner; excelsior, regard to the sale. It was decided Mr. Stinson, and devil-among-the-tailors, F. Emerson. of the ice cream booth at the Cathedral high tea next menth, and all arrangements were made for assisting in tagging for the Victorian Order appeal. Mrs. E. J. Ryan was appointed convener for tagging.

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