

## SPORTING NEWS AND GOSSIP

## THE BIG LEAGUES

**NATIONAL LEAGUE**  
**Pittsburgh 4-New York 2**  
 New York, July 29.—Pittsburgh again defeated New York here today, the score being 4 to 2.  
 Pittsburgh.....20000000—4 8 1  
 New York.....00020000—2 8 2  
 Batteries—Cooper and Schmidt; Peiritt and McCarthy.  
**St. Louis 4-Brooklyn 3**  
 Brooklyn, July 29.—St. Louis took a twelve inning game from Brooklyn 4 to 3 today by bunching five of the eight hits off Marquand in the fourth and twelfth innings.  
 St. Louis.....000300000001—4 8 0  
 Brooklyn.....020001000000—3 18 2  
 Batteries—Packard and Gonzales; Marquand and M. Wheat.  
**Boston 3-Chicago 2**  
 Boston, July 29.—With two out in the ninth, pinch-hitter Bass who joined Boston today from Richmond, singled to left, Herzog singled to center and Taggart's triple, which Plack misjudged, scored the two runs necessary to give Boston a 3 to 2 victory over Chicago.  
 Chicago.....000110000—2 7 4  
 Boston.....0000000102—3 7 2  
 Batteries—Douglas and Kilfiter; Ragan, Northrop and Wilson.  
**Philadelphia 4-Cincinnati 4**  
 Philadelphia, July 29.—Philadelphia defeated Cincinnati in an 11th inning battle for fourth place, score 4 to 4.  
 Cincinnati.....1001000200—4 8 0  
 Philadelphia.....22000000001—5 15 3  
 Batteries—Schneider and Wingo; Hog and Adams.

## AMERICAN LEAGUE

**Postponed Game**  
**Cleveland 79-Cleveland-Philadelphia**, game called second inning, rain.  
**Chicago 1-Washington 0**  
 Chicago, July 29.—Wilbur Good's timely single which followed Schalk's double broke up today's extra inning game in the thirteenth and gave Chicago a 1 to 0 victory over Walter Johnson.  
 Washington.....000000000000—0 8 0  
 Chicago.....000000000000—1 6 0  
 Batteries—Harper, Johnson and Pichlich, Almsmith; Benz and Schalk.  
**Detroit 3-New York 2**  
 Detroit, July 29.—A single by Coffey and triples by Daus and Bush in the fourth inning gave Detroit a 3 to 2 victory over New York today.  
 New York.....100001000—2 8 1  
 Detroit.....100200000—3 6 1  
 Batteries—Merridge and Hannah; Daus and Stange.  
**Boston 3-St. Louis 2**  
 St. Louis, July 29.—Boston bunched three of its seven hits off Southern in the fifth inning and aided by Demmitt's error won today's game from St. Louis 3 to 2.  
 Boston.....100020000—3 7 0  
 St. Louis.....000002000—2 4 2  
 Batteries—Ruth and Mayer; Satterton, Houch and Numamaker.

## INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

**Rochester 4-Binghamton 3**  
 Rochester.....20100001—4 5 1  
 Binghamton.....00000000—3 6 4  
 Batteries—Vance and O'Neill; Webb and Fischer.  
**Postponed Game**  
**Syracuse-Baltimore**, postponed.  
**Jersey City 6-Toronto 4**  
 At Toronto.  
 Jersey City.....12000300—5 11 0  
 Toronto.....10210000—4 5 0  
 Batteries—Walbauer and Breen; Hersche and Fisher.  
**Postponed Game**  
**Newark-Buffalo**, game postponed; two games tomorrow.

## National League Standing.

	Won	Lost	P.C.
Chicago	50	32	648
New York	46	35	512
Pittsburgh	47	42	528
Philadelphia	42	47	478
Cincinnati	41	48	461
Boston	41	52	441
Brooklyn	38	50	432
St. Louis	38	56	404

## American League Standing.

	Won	Lost	P.C.
Boston	57	37	606
Cleveland	52	42	553
Washington	50	43	538
New York	46	43	517
Chicago	43	48	473
St. Louis	41	50	451
Detroit	41	51	444
Philadelphia	37	53	413

## International League Standing.

	Won	Lost	P.C.
Binghamton	52	27	658
Toronto	54	31	635
Baltimore	49	36	576
Rochester	42	35	545
Newark	44	40	524
Buffalo	37	44	457
Syracuse	27	51	346
Jersey City	19	60	241

## TURTLES AND BUFFALOS.

A good game of ball was played on the Barrack Square last evening when the Turtles defeated the Buffalos by a score of three to two. Cromal pitched a good steady game for the winners and was given good support. The battery for the Turtles was Cromal and Nixon, and for the Buffalos Harding, Kingston and Shaw.

## PORTLANDS WERE DEFEATED

In the junior league series on the Elm street diamond the Royals defeated the Portlands by a score of five to three. Irvine and McConnell were the battery for the winners, and Ring with Conlon were between the points for the losers.

## SWIMMING POOL ENJOYED.

Though the various activities at the Y. M. C. I. are at a low ebb during the present season there is one sport that is being freely indulged in and that is swimming. The large pool is in use daily, and frequently the members show up in parties from sixty to a hundred strong for a cool plunge.

## THE MID-SUMMER GRAND CIRCUIT RACES YESTERDAY

**Free-For-All Pace and Elks' Home 2.05 Pace For \$3,000**  
**Purse the Feature Events At Columbus, Ohio.**

Columbus, Ohio, July 29.—With the free-for-all pace and the Elks' Home 2.05 pace, purse \$3,000, as feature events, the largest Monday crowd in years witnessed the opening card of the Mid-Summer Grand Circuit Meeting here today.

Miss Harris M. did not start in the free-for-all pace which took some of the heat out of the race, but William furnished a surprise when he defeated Single G., his only challenger, the first two heats but finishing second in the third mile when he already had the race won under the three heat plan. William was in rare form and paced the first heat in 1.59 in an easy finish. The other two miles were just a fraction slower than two minutes.

## Free-For-All Pace, Purse \$1,200.

William (Marvin)	1 1 2
Single G. (Geese)	2 2 1
Russell Boy (Edman)	3 3 3
Ben Earle (Coakley)	4 4 4

## Time—1.59%, 2.00%, 2.00%.

## 2.05 Trot, Three in Five, Purse \$1,000.

Hair Reaper (Geese)	1 1 5 1
Esperanza (McMahon)	2 2 4 2
Miss Isabel McGregor (McDonald)	6 4 1 3
Doris Watts (Lee)	4 6 2 4
North Spur (Cox)	3 3 6 0
Expressive Lou (Murphy)	5 5 3 0

## Opera Express was distanced.

## Time—2.06%, 2.06%, 2.11%, 2.07%.

## 2.05 Pace, Three in Five Heats, the Elks' Home Pace, \$3,000.

Director J. (Murphy)	1 1 2 2 1
Little Badie (Cox)	3 2 3 1 3
Mary Rosalind (Vale)	7 7 4 9
Alexander The Great (Ers-kine)	2 4 5 3 0
Radical (Wills)	7 7 4 9
Walter Cochato (Pittman)	6 9 6 0
Barlight, Pointer Queen, Ben Billings, also started.	

## Time—2.04%, 2.04, 2.05%, 2.08%, 2.08%.

## DE PALMA SMASHES RECORDS

Chicago, July 29.—Ralph De Palma was the principal performer in the programme of sprint automobile events yesterday afternoon on the Chicago Speedway.

In addition to winning three of the four races that Brooklyn driver established two world's records in competition.

He drove to victory in the 10-mile race in 5.244, lowering the old mark, 5.33.01, held by Dario Resta, and averaged 100.24 miles per hour.

In the 20-mile dash De Palma easily won, his time being 10.50.25. The old mark was set by De Palma at 10.53.8. His average for the distance today was 110.51 miles per hour.

De Palma also annexed the 30-mile race, his time being 16.54.45, an average of 106.51 miles per hour.

Dario Resta won the opening event at two miles in 1:18. Louis Chevrolet was second and De Palma third.

## THIS EVENING'S GAME

The Acadias and 9th Siege Battery team will play a game of ball on the Barrack Square this evening.

## REXTON

Rexton, July 24.—Mrs. Sutherland and children of Westville, N. S., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. L. O'Brien.

Mrs. Mathewson and children of Ottawa, are spending a vacation in town. They are guests at the Royal.

Mrs. H. M. Ferguson has returned from the Moncton hospital, much improved in health.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Price and children and Mrs. Smith of Moncton, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Price.

Miss Florence Collins of Springfield, Mass., is visiting friends here.

Robert B. Masterton, who teaches in British Columbia, is spending a vacation with his mother, Mrs. William Masterton at Munderville.

Miss Ronch of Sussex, is demonstrating fruit-canning in the public hall here.

Fred Richard and Arthur Elward of the Siege Battery, Partridge Island, returned yesterday after a visit to their homes here.

Rexton, July 20.—Mrs. Thomas Foster has gone on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. James Crawford in Shilo, Kings County.

Mrs. Robert Beattie has gone to Sussex to visit her brother, Stephen Orr.

Arthur Elward and Fred Richard of the Siege Battery at the Partridge Island, are visiting their homes here.

Rev. R. B. Fraser, who has been

## CONSCRIPTION OF FARM LABOR NOW?

**If Sufficient Help Cannot Be Obtained, Dominion Government Will Be Asked To Draft Labor, Says Hon. Mr. Tweeddale.**

Fredericton, July 29.—There is five times as much grain in the ground in New Brunswick today as ever before in the history of the province, and the farmers have started in to do their share. Statistics made up some weeks ago by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics showed the wheat acreage increase of 44 per cent. in this province, and notwithstanding serious drawbacks in certain parts of the province owing to frost and hail, the result is very encouraging.

The provincial Department of Agriculture, fearing that there will be a shortage of labor to harvest this crop, intend to open employment bureaus in the leading centres throughout the province.

"If we cannot get the labor with which to help the farmer to get his crops in, we will ask the Dominion Government to conscript labor," said Hon. J. F. Tweeddale, speaking to The Gleaner today.

The question is serious. Sixty per cent. of the grain used by the Allies, as well as that used by ourselves, has to come from Canada this year. Nearly all the provinces have increased their area this year. Many young men have been drafted into military service, and on some farms only the feeble old men are left. The provincial department hope, in some way, to get farm help, and at any rate will try its best. Then it will try and work out some scheme in co-operation with the Dominion Government.

## WRECKAGE FOUND OFF BAY OF FUNDY

Capt. D'Entremont Reports Sighting Dory, Sail, Hatch, Etc., Eighty Miles From Seal Island.

Special to The Standard. Yarmouth, N. S., July 29.—The schooner Down, Capt. Dennis D'Entremont, arrived at Yarmouth, reports the finding of wreckage eighty miles west of Seal Island on Sunday. The wreckage consists of a dory sail and seats, a vessel's hatch and chain box marked "Monarch."

There is a Gloucester, Mass., fishing schooner of that name known here. There have been no winds in this vicinity for several weeks sufficient to cause a wreck at sea and such vessel has been reported ashore.

Eighty miles west of Seal Island (Cape Sable) is about midway between the southern end of Nova Scotia and the entrance of Penobscot Bay, on the Eastern Maine coast.

WASHING THE CAT.

I never shall forget the day that Papa washed the cat. I've had just lots and lots of fun, but never fun like that.

Puss looked so dirty Papa thought she ought to have a scrub.

And so we got a towel and soap and put her in the tub.

At first she didn't struggle much, just made some scary cries.

Till Papa started scrubbing and some soap got in her eyes.

Then she began to fuss and claw and put with all her might.

I never would have thought a cat could put up such a fight.

Hold her! Hold her! Papa, holler: don't you let her paws get loose; I tried hard to keep her quiet but it wasn't any use.

She had about a dozen feet or so it seemed to me.

For fast as I'd get hold of one she'd get another free.

She muzzed the room up awful and made both of us a mess.

Till she broke away and scooted like the limited express.

Round the hall and through the kitchen, leaving in a trail of wet.

Out underneath the porch she ran as fast as she could get.

Mamma scolded us like forty, said we should have more sense.

And told us we had better go and sit out on the fence.

Or hang ourselves to the yard across the clothesline in the dry.

And said if we tried it again she'd whip us good and hard.

—From the Milwaukee Free Press.

## NEWS OF SPECIAL INTEREST

## FLORAL MATINEE

Quite a novelty in the way of an attraction was introduced in the Hayden-Gibson Theatre at Woodstock, which is under the management of S. C. Hurley.

Prizes were offered the ten children who brought the best arranged bouquets of wild flowers. The prizes were children's membership pins in the Navy League and to others theatre tickets were given. Nearly four hundred children were at the matinee and the beautifully arranged bunches of flowers were displayed upon the stage at the evening performance. Later the flowers were sent to cheer the patients in the hospital.

## GIRLS SELL TICKETS

(Manitoba Free Press.) Woman's emancipation is proceeding apace. Across the International boundary they are being trained as ticket sellers. This should make the war-tax easier to endure. It ought to be a real pleasure to hand over the necessary "doughnuts" to a bewitching maiden, who accepts them with a smile; much better than to pay tribute to the average unsympathetic male person we have been accustomed to.

The girls may, of course, insist on mirrors and manicure sets being furnished; but what of that; few tickets are so overlastingly busy as not to permit an odd moment now and then for necessary repairs.

CABARET SHOW AT THE LYRIC A HUGE SUCCESS.

If you wish to thoroughly enjoy yourself, don't miss the big Cabaret show that the "King Musical Company" are featured in the first half of this week. In a season of exceptional bills in amusement excellence, this week's bill will stand comparison with the best and thorough attractiveness that this popular priced organization have done since their opening at the Lyric.

Very good numbers were put over effectively by the principals, Mr. Charles Bangor, "How do do it," Mr. Arthur Snow and Mr. Joe Donovan, Miss Lillian Leslie, Miss Haskell, Miss Ruth King. The latter was heard in a splendid recitation called "Life." The beautiful electrical effect used, and the special settings were

much admired. There is a matinee every day at 3 o'clock. Two shows in the evening, 7.30 and 9 o'clock.

## OLD TIN CANS FIGURE IN MILADY'S COSTUME

Few women who are proud of the fact that they wear hostery, underwear and dresses made of silk, realize that old tin cans contribute from twenty to three hundred per cent. in weight to the glossy silks worn by them. The price of silk has increased enormously and to enable them to sell heavy silks at a price that will yield a reasonable profit and yet be within the means of the average purchaser, the manufacturers resort to the practice of weighing the silk with tin tetrachloride, derived from old tin cans. Five thousand tons of tin were used for that purpose in 1917. Don't throw away the empty tomato cans!

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## Announcement

The practice of calling upon the telephone operators for information as to the time of day has grown to a point of interfering with the efficiency of telephone service.

For such information 1500 calls are made daily in St. John alone, and the total number throughout New Brunswick is much larger. The bulk of these calls come naturally at times when it is most difficult to handle them.

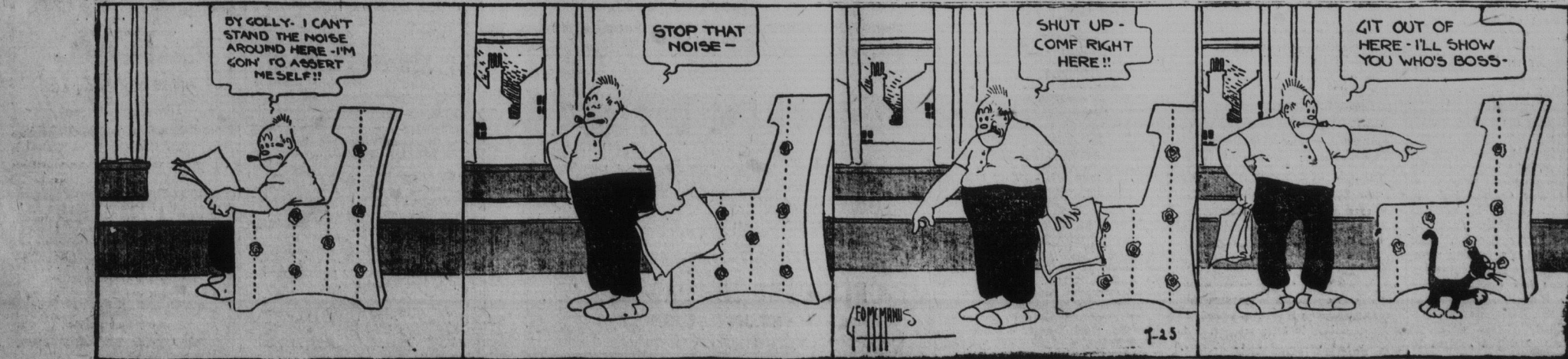
Also the practice of asking night operators to call subscribers in the morning has grown. These calls average over 100 per morning.

Service efficiency now demands that the work of the operating force should be relieved of unnecessary burdens, and that all energies be directed toward the furnishing of effective telephone service, and to that alone.

Prompted by these considerations, the practice of giving the time of day and calling subscribers in the morning will be discontinued beginning AUGUST 1, 1918.

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