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The members of the 62nd Band will meet on Wednesday evening, June 2nd instead of this evening. By order.
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The schooner Nina Blanche recently docked up near Chance Harbor has been purchased by Elmer Richards and others and will be converted into a pilot boat.
The junior section T. of H. and T. will meet this evening at the residence of Mr. Cyril T. Hanson, Millford Road. All members of other sections invited to attend.
Among the arrivals in the city on Saturday was Fred E. Boothby, general passenger agent of the Maine Central Railway, and it is understood that one of the objects of his visit was to look into the service between St. John and Boston during July and August in connection with the C. P. R. trains to and from Montreal.
On Thursday next at noon James Walter Trice, of Salisbury, will be married to Miss Amy Nichols Scovill, eldest daughter of G. G. Scovill, ex-M. P. of Belleisle Creek. The ceremony will take place in St. Jude's Church, Belleisle Creek, and will be performed by the bride's brother, Rev. G. Fred Scovill. The couple will spend their honeymoon in the west.
John Keefe and A. P. Barnhill, K. C. the Canadian members of the St. John River Commission, leave for Van Buren tomorrow to inspect the log jam and inform themselves as to the local conditions. Definite arrangements for another meeting of the commission have not yet been made but it is probable that the United States commissioners will join their colleagues at Van Buren and that a session may be held before the return to St. John.
There was a good sailing breeze on the river yesterday and a number of the yachtsmen enjoyed the day. One yacht in charge of a half dozen young men became disabled in Grand Bay and was taken in tow by S. P. Geroy with his steam yacht Lolita and taken to the disabled sloop's moorings at Mill-Hilgrove. The young yachtsmen were very thankful for Mr. Geroy's assistance as it was drawing on towards night and they were in a rather awkward predicament.
That the city is to embark upon an advanced program, and a permanent street construction is now fairly well assured. Recently it was given out that Germain street would be paved during the coming summer and Saturday it was learned that Union street will also be experimented with. While it is thought that a concrete pavement of some sort will be used on Germain street, it has been definitely fixed that the macadam will be the pill that Union street will be required to swallow.
It is thought that a large number of citizens will be in attendance at the Board of Trade rooms this afternoon for the purpose of taking part in the organization of the St. John Association for the Prevention of Tuberculosis. A large number of invitations have been sent out setting forth the purposes of the association and asking for the general support of its aims. That these will not fail in their mission is eminently assumed and the interest with which the men active in the movement are girding themselves for the fray bespeaks volumes for the success of the campaign.
Rev. David Lang and Rev. A. A. Graham will leave this evening for Hamilton where they will attend the meetings of the Presbyterian General Assembly. Rev. James Ross, who is also one of the commissioners, will not leave until this afternoon—whether he can go or not. S. R. Jack, one of the elders appointed a commissioner, will leave this evening. Rev. Mr. Graham will be away from the city for a month and during his absence the pulpit of St. David's church will be filled by Rev. Dr. Isaac McDonald of Burns Church, Mossa, in the Presbytery of London, Ont. Rev. Dr. Campbell will preach in St. Andrew's church next Sunday.
ANOTHER POSITION.
Harold Cosman, of this city, has been selected from the Public Service Offices of the Currie Business University to fill the position of accountant for MacKenzie Crowe & Co., Bridgetown, N. S.

LONGBOAT DEFEATED A FOUR MAN RELAY
W. K. Vanderbilt's "Oversight" Won Big Stakes at Paris—Martin Sheridan's New Mark With Discus—Yacht Captain's Narrow Escape

PARIS, May 30.—W. K. Vanderbilt's "Oversight" won the Prix Lupin (Produce stakes) at Longchamps today. The distance was ten and one-half furlongs.
TERRE HAUTE, Ind., May 30.—Tom Longboat defeated a four-man relay team at Athletic Park today in a twelve mile race in 1:32, taking the world's record for that distance by barely a minute.
QUINCY, Mass., May 30.—Starry Henderson, skipper of the yacht "Whisper," was captured while cruising in Quincy Bay today and had a narrow escape from drowning. He was seen clinging to the bottom of his boat by members of the Squantum Yacht Club and William and Walter Field, and Clifford Bean went to his rescue in a power boat. Captain Henderson was nearly exhausted when rescued but revived soon after reaching the club house.
NEW YORK, N. Y., May 30.—Martin Sheridan, the American A. C. champion discus thrower, threw the discus 144 feet at the New York post office clerks' games held at Celtic Long Island, but owing to the absence of a steel measuring tape, the record will not be recognized by the officials of the Amateur Athletic Union. Last Sunday Sheridan threw the discus 138 feet, 11.4 inches, making a new record.
EXETER, N. H., May 30.—Although Phillips-Exeter Academy has won a majority of the dual track meets with Phillips-Andover since their inception and took last year's meet, she hardly looks for a win Monday when her athletes go down to Andover.
Exeter is weak in the field this year and hardly hopes to overcome the handicaps even with a strong string of fast sprinters and middle distance runners. In a summing up of the meet, Coach Conner, allowing Andover the benefit of doubtful events, believes Exeter may hope for 46 points and allows Andover 59.

HARVARD AND CORNELL CREWS MEET TODAY
ITHACA, N. Y., May 30.—The Cornell and Harvard crews rested in their quarters today in preparation for the race on the lake. The Cornell crew rowed. Graduates and hundreds of others have already arrived to witness the contest.
The two crews had the best practice of the week last night, both going out on their four mile course and sprinting the back stretch. The Harvard crew seems to be in better trim on account of its long practice, but the Cornell men are rowing like the leaders of the Courtney style and appear in good condition.
Harvard will have a light practice tomorrow morning, but Coach Courtney will let his men rest until the race which will be started immediately after the Pennsylvania-Cornell baseball game in the afternoon, if the wind is not too strong. A race between the Harvard-Cornell freshmen eight will follow.
Judging from conditions today, the weather tomorrow promises to be ideal. Either one of three courses along the east side of the lake, all in full view of the observation train, may be used.

SVANBERG CAPTURES THE INTERNATIONAL MARATHON
CHICAGO, May 29.—John Svanberg, the Swedish champion, won the International Marathon Derby today against a field of eight of the world's best long distance runners. The champion's time was 2 hours, 45 minutes and 11.5 seconds. This was more than 8 minutes slower than Henri St. Yves' time in the New York Marathon. St. Yves led the race today until the fifteenth mile was passed and then he was forced to drop out of the race on account of a blistered foot.
St. Yves was 50 seconds ahead of Svanberg. The Swede passed him in a sprint and St. Yves fell. It looked as though Svanberg had tripped the Frenchman, but St. Yves explained after he limped off the track that he could not have run any further anyway.
Johnny Hayes finished second in 2:52:18. Fred Appleby, the Englishman, finished third in 3:01:15.
Tom Longboat dropped out of the race after the fourteenth mile. He explained that he felt the effects of an old sunstroke and did not dare run any more.
The others who finished in order were: Mat Maloney, fourth; Simpson, the Canadian, fifth; and Alex. Tibbest, the Chicago amateur who turned professional for this race, last.
The crowd poured on to the track and carried the winners away on their shoulders.
James J. Jeffries tied the pistol. The track was eight laps to the mile.
Early Saturday morning Richard Magee's barn at Nauyasvevuk was totally destroyed by fire. Mr. Magee is a railway mail clerk and cannot get the cause of the fire. The loss is considerable, as the contents of the barn, including farming implements, carriage and a horse, were destroyed. The horse was a valuable one and was only hired by Mr. Magee from Short Brothers' stable on Union street.

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ATHLETES WANT TO JOIN A. B. SOCIETY
Movement Launched Saturday
MEETING HELD
All Favor Formation of Society to Control Local Athletics

At a meeting in the Y. M. C. A. rooms on Saturday evening the first move in the formation of a new Brunswick society of control athletics and sport in general was taken. Representatives attended from the leading athletic societies in the city and the gathering was a most enthusiastic one. Several of the gentlemen present expressed views on the matter and a resolution was passed whereby a organization of a provincial association. However, before the complete formation of such a society could be made other provincial towns must be consulted.
The meeting was called to order about 9:05 o'clock. The following were in attendance: D. B. Donald, Frank White, John Bradbury, Marathons; P. L. Grierson, Algonquins; A. W. Covey and J. Humbert, Every Day Club; Charles McCormick and E. J. Mahoney, St. Peter's; A. W. Robb and E. J. Robertson, Y. M. C. A.; William Gillespie, A. Howe, J. McBride and D. Ritchie, Clippers.
On motion, A. W. Robb was elected to the chair and D. B. Donald, secretary.
Mr. Robb explained the object of the meeting. He stated that three years ago the Cape Breton Amateur Athletic Union was formed and affiliated with the M. P. A. A. at Halifax. Mr. Robb had personally filled the office of secretary treasurer of the Cape Breton Association.
When he left there, the union had 300 men and probably the number had increased to 500 by the present time. The organization which it was proposed to form here, besides registering athletes would have the power of suspension, sanction and other prerogatives of a controlling body. Asked if some situations might not arise which could not be handled by the Breton Union he said that the Cape Breton Union had a right of suspension if they had more facts than the union, which was the case in the case of the Cape Breton Union. Mr. Robb stated that he was confident the M. P. A. A. could not refuse to accept a new Brunswick club. Messrs. White, Donald, McBride, Covey, Gillespie, Mahoney and Bradbury were asked to send delegates to the formation of a new Brunswick union, affiliated with the M. P. A. A. under the C. A. U. with a strong recommendation that all the men now under suspension or professionalized be reinstated and that the secretary be authorized to communicate with the outside clubs, asking their cooperation in this matter.
On motion it was decided that the secretary should be instructed to communicate with outside clubs and request them to send delegates to the formation of a new Brunswick union, with power to act to a meeting to be held in this city on June 7.
The secretary was further authorized to communicate with the secretary of the M. P. A. A. A. asking that everything possible be done to raise the suspension of provincial athletes.
During the course of the discussion the question of raising the suspension of provincial athletes was thoroughly discussed. Some of the delegates at the meeting were the professionals and amateurs playing together, while one or two preferred the exclusion of professional athletes in contests with the amateurs. No doubt the playing of both classes could be handled systematically should a new Brunswick organization be in control.
There was also considerable discussion as to the raising of the suspension of provincial athletes. However, the general feeling was that the new union would be affiliated with the M. P. A. A. A., as the latter body is at present affiliated with the C. A. U.

THREE DROWNED OFF MASS. COAST
QUINCY, Mass., May 30.—Two unknown men believed to have come from Brockton, were drowned in Hull Gut early today by the capsizing of a rowboat they had engaged for the day and in which they were towing about off Hull's Neck.
One man was drowned and five others narrowly escaped a similar fate by the capsizing of the South Boston sloop Lillian A. off Thompson's Island in Boston harbor late today.
The drowned man was Raymond Limburg, a cigar maker of South Boston.
The residents of Ben Lomond are not dissatisfied with the free mail delivery service and none have refused to pay the three dollars they contracted for as the Standard of Saturday would have the public believe. On the other hand from all those enjoying the service come an expression of satisfaction and the appreciation with which is greeted the efforts of the department in putting the system upon an up-to-date basis is general and unstinted.

NELSON KNOCKS OUT DICK
Saturday's Fight One of the Most Savage Ever Seen in a Frisco Ring—Fight Fairly Even Up to the Thirteenth Round After Which Nelson Took the Lead

COFFROTH'S ARENA, San Francisco, May 29.—Battling Nelson of Illinois knocked out "Dick" Hyland of California today in the 23rd round of a scheduled 45 round bout. The contest was one of the most savage ever seen in a local ring. The fight was fairly even up to the thirteenth round, after which Nelson took the lead. Hyland was knocked out by a left hook several times in the two preceding rounds.
TIME CALLED AT 3:10.
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Round 1—They rushed into close quarters. Nelson drove two short arm rights to the body and a moment later sent another hard right to the Californian's stomach. Hyland whipped his right at Nelson's jaw and they exchanged short arm jabs to the body. Nelson forced his map against Hyland's chest. Nelson drove two short arm rights to the face and a left chop to the jaw with great force. Nelson swung a powerful right, catching Nelson flush on the jaw, but the champion only smiled.
Round 2—This was Nelson's round. He opened by landing on his opponent with a right and left to the body and two solid right punches to the body. Nelson then delivered some pile-driving rights with great force. Nelson and they clinched. Hyland swung his right over the kidney. Nelson swung right and left with great force. Nelson retaliating with a stiff punch to the jaw. Nelson then devoted his attacks to the body and landed several punches.
LOATH TO BREAK.
Round 3—The men were loath to break and had to be importuned repeatedly by the referee. They fought fiercely at close range, during which Hyland was sent down, more with a push than a punch. He came up at the speaker's call and fought Nelson to a standstill. Nelson sent his man to the floor again with a fearful right to the jaw. Nelson's jaw and stopped. He came up glassy-eyed. Nelson landed a right and a left to the jaw with merciless precision. Hyland tottered on the ring, dazed and ready to quit when the gong rang.
Round 4—Hyland came up looking much better than he had been. He was sharply for an opening. Finally a right left caught the Californian on the jaw and a moment later two rights were sent to his stomach. He fought back gamely, but looked a beaten man. Finally a right hook sent him to the floor for the count of eight. He arose, only once more to be sent to the floor with a succession of rights and lefts to the jaw. "Hold on to him" came the injunction from his corner. This order again saved Hyland from defeat. The gong ended the round with the local lad almost out.
Round 5—Nelson went at his man determined to end matters once if possible. He rushed Hyland against the ropes and then into the centre of the ring. Hyland's knees began to sag and it required no effort for Nelson to send him down for the count of seven. Stepping back suddenly, Nelson hooked his left with all the power at his command, catching Hyland in the pit of the stomach and the Californian dropped. Before Smith grabbed Nelson by the shoulder, motioned him to his corner and declared the contest at an end. Hyland was lifted from the floor, where he lay prone, and carried to his corner.
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LACROSSE SEASON STARTS
MONTREAL, May 30.—The lacrosse season was opened here on Saturday, when in a match which went extra time, the Toucoures defeated Montreal by 4 to 5.
Blubb—Mrs. Bugins is always complaining that she has so little to wear.
Blubb—Well, I saw her at a ball last night and she seemed to be wearing it.

SHOT HIMSELF IN THE LEG BY ACCIDENT
BUFFALO, N. Y., May 30.—Alfred Shrub, the English distance runner, easily defeated William Sherring of Marathon, in a fifteen mile race at baseball park this afternoon. The race was run on a six lap track on the turf. Shrub won by over three laps or half a mile in 1:35:05.
Sherring finished the first and second miles a yard or two in front of the Englishman, but after that never looked dangerous. There was a game struggle for supremacy in the third mile when Shrub went out to get a lead. Sherring followed him in every sprint, but the feet-footed Englishman steadily drew away, finishing the third mile 200 yards in the lead. The time for this mile 5 minutes, 3 seconds, was the fastest of the race. Shrub made it a full lap in the third round of the fourth mile and started another in the ninth. In the fourteenth mile he gained a lap and finished with a sprint a little over half a mile ahead of Sherring.

MARGARETHA FLOATED.
A despatch from Pictou yesterday says that the steamer Lady Sybil succeeded Saturday night in taking the Norwegian ship, Margaretha, off the shore at Bally's Cove, near Cape John Pictou, where she went aground in the sale of last Monday night. The Lady Sybil towed the Margaretha to Pictou Harbor. Divers will examine her bottom and she will then go to Belle Verte, if all right, and load for the coast of England.

AMUSEMENTS
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