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There are so many snags being offered at these stores now that it is hard in this small space to specify. We told you yesterday of our regular 75c. to \$1.25 shirts which we were selling at 50c. and 75c. In addition we have Suits and Pants at Bargain Prices.  
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12.00 Suits for \$9.85  
\$15.00 Suits for \$11.45  
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Tailoring and Clothing, 199 to 207 Union St.

TRYING TO IDENTIFY  
SUSPECTS IN BOSTON

Police are Now Holding Six  
Suspicious Persons

Some of Whom May Have Been Mixed up  
in the Wholesale Shooting of  
Tuesday and Wednesday.

BOSTON, Mass., July 25.—As the aftermath to the shooting of Jamaica Plain last Tuesday and Wednesday nights, when two men were killed and a dozen others injured, and one of the three or four bandits was shot dead in Forest Hill cemetery Thursday morning by a hundred Boston policemen, the police of the Jamaica Plain division are holding six suspects, some of whom, with the possible exception of one, has been positively identified as being concerned in the affair.

The police tonight are following up a clue that the dead yegg, who is thought to be Giuseppe Gutman, formerly lived in Winchester and lately moved to Ruggles street, Roxbury.

The Italian arrested at the South station on Wednesday has been identified by one or two of the patrons of the saloon snafu up Tuesday night, as one of the men concerned in that affair.

No one has been found, however, who would identify as having been concerned in the shooting, Hugh McDougall, who was arrested in Forest Hill cemetery Thursday morning; Pasquale Sessa and Francesco Alfiero Spicciotto, of Dedham, who were arrested in the Needham woods today; an Italian who was arrested at the corner of Heath street and Huntington avenue today, and had anarchistic papers on his person; or a youth giving the name of A. Weiss, aged 17 years, of New York, who was arrested late in the day.

The police are keeping close watch of the Lithuanian colony in Jamaica Plain, where it is claimed the desperadoes changed some of their nicknames before escaping and where it is thought the bandits may have had friends.

25 WOMEN HELD FOR  
ORGIES IN CHURCH

Seven Men, Scarcely Dressed, Also Face  
Court in Brooklyn

NEW YORK, July 24.—Thirty-two devoted devotees of the Church of the First Assembly of Christ, twenty-five of whom were women, were taken from the cells of the Vernon avenue police station and lined up today before Magistrate Higginbotham. They were members of the new religious sect who had been arrested near midnight on Tuesday after detectives had broken in upon what they allege to be weird religious rites that were being carried on behind locked doors of their church.

All of the women who had been gathered in during the raid and who, the police say, were not sufficiently clad when arrested, had been permitted to arrange their toilets, but the seven men were not permitted when they got to court.

The thirty-two enthusiasts filed in headed by "Bishop" Elizabeth Robinson, carrying a large Bible. A very few of the women were young and pretty. Magistrate Higginbotham singled out Mrs. Elizabeth Robinson, the "bishop." The two charges against the "bishop" were read. Then Higginbotham arraigned three other members of the party on the second of the charges, that of outraging public decency. The arraignments of Policeman Seims, who had witnessed through a window the rites of the sect, and of the Rev. Malachi Gabriel, who had attended the church, were read.

"When the 'bishop' picks up, 'We have a right to practice our religion as we please,' said she. 'All of these statements are falsehoods.' 'Why do the men strip to their under-shirts and the women take off their skirts?' asked the Magistrate.

"The men take off their coats because that is necessary to drive the devil out," she answered. "There used to be times when people prayed to God in their nakedness," commented the magistrate, "but they can't do it now, in Brooklyn, at least." He set bail at \$500 for "Bishop" Robinson, and fixed the same amount on the charges against three others.

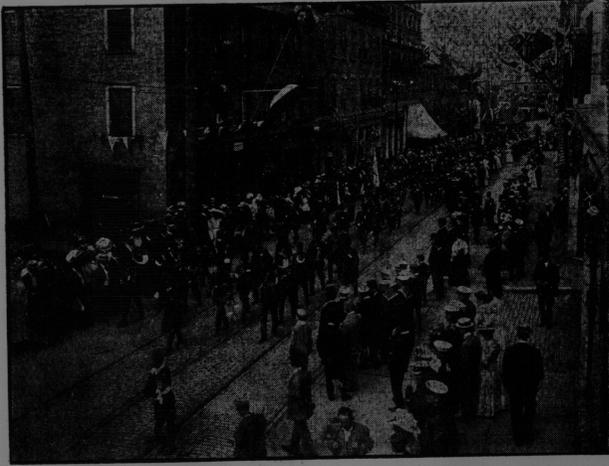
MEXICAN TROOPS AND  
INDIANS HAVE A FIGHT

TUCSON, Ariz., July 25.—In a desperate battle between Mexican troops and Apache Indians last Tuesday, at the Immaculate Ranch, near Bartolo, Colorado, a mining camp in the altar district of Sonora, nineteen Indians and two soldiers were killed and five soldiers wounded, according to a report received last night.

TWO HUNDRED KILLED OR  
WOUNDED AT TABRIZ

TEHERAN, July 25.—A heavy cannonade, it is reported, has been going on at Tabriz. According to a view received here the casualties number 200.

The Quebec Tercentenary.



The Society of young Catholic French Canadians doing honor to Champlain.

PRESS COMMENT IS GENERALLY FAVORABLE  
TO THE DECISION IN THE MARATHON RACE

LONDON, July 25.—If the beginning of the Olympic games showed some lukewarmness in the United Kingdom, the morning papers today amply reflect the enormous interest and enthusiasm aroused by the strange scene witnessed in the stadium yesterday. There is but one voice, however, in the whole-hearted tribute to the greatest of the American victors, together with the fullest sympathy for the pitiful fate of Dorando.

BRITISH AND UNITED STATES GOV'TS  
CONTINUE THE MODUS VIVENDI

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 24.—A continuation of the present modus vivendi governing the Newfoundland fisheries and the rights of American fishermen therein has been agreed on as a result of correspondence between the state department and the British foreign office. By this means friction over the acts of American fishermen in Newfoundland waters will be avoided pending a settlement of the whole question before the Hague tribunal. None of the rights of the subjects of either government are impaired by this action.

WILD MAN WHO LIVED  
ON GRASS IS CAUGHT

Frightened Women Near Patterson, N. J.  
—Said to be Harmless

PATTERSON, N. J., July 24.—Under surveillance in the jail here today was a man who for the last two weeks has been spreading terror among the residents, and especially the women of Midvale, near here. He was arrested by Constable Cook.

FAMILY LOSTS THREE  
CHILDREN IN 4 DAYS

Mother Very Ill, Father out of Work;  
Two Babies Buried Together

BRADDOCK, Pa., July 24.—Three deaths have occurred within four days in the family of John Markovitch. Two of the children were buried yesterday afternoon in one grave in North Braddock, while the mother is lying seriously ill at her home.

FOURTEENTH HUSBAND  
SOON SEEKS DIVORCE

Wealthy Farmer Disappointed in Wife  
Obtained by Advertising

OMAHA, July 24.—Mrs. Phoebe Townsend, of Dodge, Neb., is being sued for divorce by her fourteenth husband, Anthony Townsend, to whom she was married last January.

FOUGHT OVER A GIRL  
ONE MAN WAS KILLED

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., July 25.—Albert E. Robertson, a well known young pharmacist, was shot and killed last night by Albert V. Thompson. The trouble is said to have arisen over a young woman to whom both men were last night and Thompson challenged Robertson to fight with pistols.

COPENHAGEN, July 25.—It is reported that the Danish and Swedish governments have agreed upon an offensive and defensive military alliance.

ONCE TRIED TO STEAL  
ONE MILLION POUNDS

Man Involved in Fraud on Bank  
of England Now Anti-Gambling Missionary.

Mistake in Spelling and Another  
Slight Oversight Spoil Well-Laid Plans.

LONDON, July 25.—A brisk, alert old man of 73, of slight build, with a gray military moustache, passes the Bank of England on business nearly every day.

His identity is unknown save to a few. He is Edwin Noyes, the only survivor of the four men who committed what is known as the "Great Millions Pound Forgery."

Thirty-five years ago, in company with Austin and George Bidwell and George Macdonnell, he was sentenced to imprisonment for life for the crime by which bankers were defrauded of more than a hundred thousand pounds. The plans of the gang, which were almost successful, contemplated a haul of more than a million pounds sterling.

After serving twenty years in prison Edwin Noyes and his companions were released on ticket-of-leave. The brothers Bidwell died in America. George Macdonnell was killed in San Francisco, and Noyes is now the only link with the past.

The home secretary has just canceled Noyes' ticket-of-leave, and he has returned to London a free man. He has put the past completely behind him, and is now engaged in a mission from America to forestall the rush of American gamblers who come at this season in shoals to prey on Londoners.

Noyes is now an active spirit in the International Anti-Gambling Association, founded by John P. Quinn, the former prince of gamblers and card sharps.

The balance of his life, Noyes states, he intends to devote to rescuing men from the folly of gambling, which was his ruin.

BANK OF ENGLAND PLOT

"Austin Bidwell was one of the cleverest and most daring men of his time," Mr. Noyes said last night. "He said to me: 'I have planned to "touch" the Bank of England for a million of money. The vaults are open to those who are bold enough to try.'"

"An elaborate system of forged letters of credit and bills of exchange was planned. Austin Bidwell was the 'pennman,' and false letters of credit were readily cashed at banks in Berlin, Dresden, Bordeaux, Marseilles and Lyons.

"An account was opened at the Bank of England by Bidwell in the name of F. A. Warren, and his credit was at that time never questioned. A slight mistake in spelling the word 'indorse' with a 'v' in a bill drawn on Buenos Ayres led to questions, and only £10,000 instead of £200,000 was realized from South America.

"The plans could still have succeeded, for South America had no cables in those days, and it was forty days by ship before warning could be given.

"By that time £100,000 had been paid the 'Warren' account at the Bank of England. Then another tiny mistake ruined all. A forged bill of exchange drawn on a city firm required two indorsements—one only was provided.

FIVE MINUTES TOO LATE  
"I had been to the Bank of England land one morning and drawn £10,000 in notes and gold, and about midday I returned for more money.

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THE STAR ST. JOHN N. B., SATURDAY, JULY 25 1908

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LOCAL NEWS

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To cure a headache in ten minutes use Kumfort Headache Powders, 10 cents.

Miss Mary Conlon of Marble Cove won the \$5 in the drawing at the Cedar Theatre last night.

Stitch in time saves nine. Have your clothes cleaned, repaired, pressed at McPartland's, the tailor, Clifton Block, 71 Princess St. Phone 1518-11. 21-7-2

Don't wait too long about having your furniture repaired. The best time to get it done is right now. Stasiak, 71 Princess street.

Ladies you are invited to call and taste free of cost at Mr. Chas. R. Wason's Drug Store, the "Lucerna," delicious, nutritious Swiss Chocolate, just received from Switzerland. 81

There will be a band at the Victoria Roller Rink tonight and large numbers of persons are expected to be present and enjoy the fine skating. The afternoon matinee are being largely attended.

The Natural History Society will hold a field meeting at the summer home of T. Percy Bourne, Red Head, this afternoon. Bookbinders will leave the museum at two o'clock sharp.

J. P. Pierce fell in a faint last night on King Square. For some time water was applied as a restorative, and a large crowd gathered near the spot. The man finally recovered and was taken to his home on Main street.

A meeting of all who take an interest in athletics will be held shortly. Leslie Boyd president of the Montreal A. A. A., who is at present in London at the Olympic games, is expected to be present and will address the gathering.

A team of horses while coming down King street yesterday afternoon overturned the carriage attached and the occupants were thrown for some distance onto the car tracks. A man and woman were in the carriage at the time and both received a bad shaking up, but neither was injured.

ASEPTO SOAP POWDER

SWEETENS THE HOME.  
Don't bother with soap when you scrub. Asepto Soap Powder does it easier and it sterilizes. 5 cts. per package.

A surprise party was held at Mrs. Smith's residence on North street last night and a number of young people attended. Music by local talent, was furnished during the evening, after which a pleasant repast was served. The party broke up about twelve o'clock.

**BAPTIST.**  
Reformed Baptist Church, Carleton place, Rev. M. S. Trotter, pastor—preaching at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Memorial services for Miss Titus and the pastor's farewell. Communion service at the close.

Burner Howard will be the speaker at the temperance meeting in the Every Day Club tomorrow evening at 8:30 o'clock. There will be good music. Mr. Howard is much interested in the club's playground and has tendered a handsome prize for the athletes making the most points in the season's sports.

Great bargains for Monday at the "Summer Clearance Sale" being held at F. W. Daniel & Company, Charlotte St. It is a special purchase of 600 yards of French Venetian Cloth in good full colors and to be sold at a very small price. Then there are lines of ladies' white undershirts, white lawn waists, silk coats, dress skirts, belts, gloves, etc., all at great cut in prices during this sale. See advertisement page five.

**COOLING, DELICIOUS, REFRESHING.**  
Part of the day's pleasure is missed if you do not drink "Salada" Tea food. It satisfies the thirst. Everyone likes it. 63

**\$5,000 FARM LABORERS WANTED.**  
An unprecedented crop is about ready for harvesting in the West with months of steady work at good wages. Cost of tickets from New Brunswick and Nova Scotia points \$12.00 and \$13.00. From P. E. Island, \$12.00. Wait for particulars or excursion. In the meantime get ready.

**EVERY DAY SPORTS.**  
It has been decided to have the 225 yards as well as the 100 yards dash at the Every Day Club sports next Thursday evening, and omit the hop, step and jump. The events will therefore be: 100 yards and 200 yards dash, mile run, mile relay race, high jump, running broad jump, 225 yards under, 440 yards for boys 11 and under, and a sack race. There will also be races for boys 12 and under and 10 and under, for prizes collected by a lady interested in the club's work. Some out of town entries are expected for these sports, and as usual the club's band will attend and play.

WOMAN HELD UP IN LONELY SPOT BY INSANE MAN

**Mrs. Humphrey's Thrilling Adventure STOPPED ON TRACK Man Insults Her and Tries to Catch Her But She Manages to Escape**

Mrs. Humphrey while walking along the Shore line track near Sealside Park Thursday night on her way to her summer cottage at Duck Cove was confronted by a rather dangerous character and subjected to great annoyance. The man seemingly meant to do her harm and might have succeeded had she not managed to escape.

It seems that Mrs. Humphrey, who had been in the city on private business, started to walk home from the park along the railway track. In a dismal spot near a thick wood she noticed a man walking along the track towards her. She did not like the appearance of the man and grew somewhat nervous, but made up her mind to pass him. Upon approaching her, however, the man addressed her in an insulting way and attempted to catch hold of her. She screamed and jumped away but he followed after her, repeating the words he had previously used and seemingly intent upon doing her harm. Mrs. Humphrey finally succeeded in evading the man and hurrying on home informed her husband of what had taken place. Mr. Humphrey at once placed the matter in the hands of Officer Gully of the park police, who started at once to find the man. From information received from people who had seen the man described by Mrs. Humphrey the officer discovered that the guilty person was an inmate of the provincial lunatic asylum who is allowed his freedom during the day but reports at the institution at night. When the insane man was brought before Mrs. Humphrey she identified him as the one who had insulted her. He was not placed under arrest, however, on account of his insanity.

There is said to be some doubt whether the man really intended to do harm to Mrs. Humphrey, but according to her story to the police there can be no doubt that his intentions were bad.

Rev. J. F. Withcombe of Ohio left by the Prince Rupert yesterday morning for Digby. While in the city he was the guest of S. M. Wetmore, secretary of the S. P. C. A., Carleton heights. Mr. Withcombe was here on a holiday reviewing old acquaintances. For a number of years he was rector of St. Jude's church, West End.

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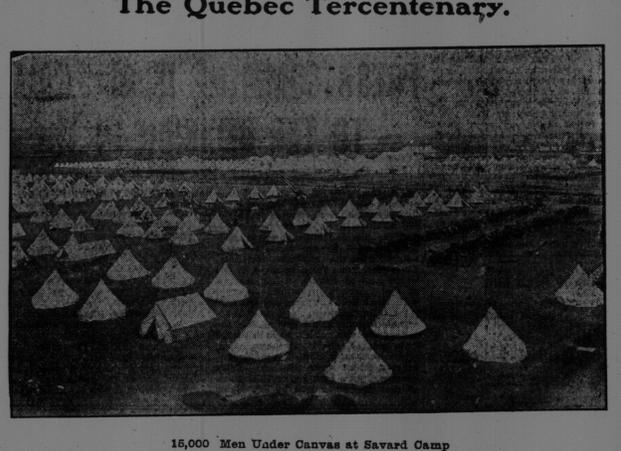
Heretofore these Companies have had a complete monopoly of the business, whose stock is not on the market for sale at any price.

EXPERT ENGINEERS, PROSPECTORS AND BUSINESS MEN agree to a man upon the bright future of our Property: all state that it will make ONE OF THE RICHEST AND MOST PRODUCTIVE ABESTOS QUARRIES IN QUEBEC. Many of them have backed up their opinion by ordering large BLOCKS OF D'ISRAELI ABESTOS STOCK. Such powerful approval should convince the most skeptical.

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15,000 Men Under Canvas at Savard Camp

FALLS TO HER DEATH WHILE HANGING CLOTHES ON A LINE

While hanging clothes on a line from the window of a shed in the rear of her home, 50 Durham street, yesterday afternoon, Mrs. William Powers fell to the ground below, a distance of about twelve feet, sustaining injuries which later caused her death. Mrs. Powers had hold of the clothes line, which was on a pulley attached to the window, when the rope suddenly broke. The weight of the clothes on the line pulled her through the window and she fell to the ground below. No one saw her fall, but it is believed that she landed on her head, for when assistance came from the house she was lying unconscious and a bad bruise was discovered near her eye. Dr. McIntyre was summoned at once, but the woman did not recover her senses and died about fifteen minutes after receiving the injury. Dr. McIntyre states that the cause of death was concussion of the brain resulting from the wound received on her head.

The deceased was the widow of the late William Powers and leaves two

daughters, Mrs. (Capt.) H. Ferris and Miss Ella Powers, to mourn her death. She has four sisters and two brothers, John and Harris of Southampton, Mrs. J. F. Estabrooks of this city, Mrs. J. W. Estabrooks of Boston; Mrs. Fred Moore, Woodstock, and Mrs. Chas. Scott, Temperance Vale, New Brunswick. She was 72 years of age, and up to the time of her death was active and enjoying good health. She has two nephews in the city, William Powers and Fred T. Powers, undertaker.

During the latter part of her life she was well known as a nurse and was also a prominent member of the Main street Baptist church.

Before marriage her name was Miss Emma J. Akerley. She was born in Southampton.

The funeral will take place on Monday from her late residence, 50 Durham street. Service will be held at 2:30 p. m. and the funeral will leave the house at 3 o'clock. The body will be taken to Fernhill cemetery for interment.

BEST DISPLAY EVER SEEN IN PROVINCES

Fireworks Display at Expo. Will be on Scale of Elaborateness

The executive of the Exhibition Association held another meeting in their rooms, King street, yesterday afternoon. A. O. Skinner presided and there was a large attendance of members present.

The committee reported that the bolters, engines and machinery were being put in excellent order and that this branch of the show would exceed those of former years.

The fireworks display at the exhibition this year is in charge of the Hand Firework Company of St. Catharines, Ont. This feature of the big show will be the grandest of its kind ever seen in eastern Canada. Scenes never attempted before will be put on and all will be done absolutely with-

TOURIST HAS A NARROW ESCAPE

E. Timmons Loses His Balance and Nearly Falls Into Whirling Rapids

Yesterday afternoon Ed. Timmons, who is spending a week in St. John viewing the sights, narrowly escaped falling over the rocks near the Suspension bridge, into the whirling rapids below. Mr. Timmons was in company with two other men at the time, and all were viewing the reversing falls from the top of the rocks. Several times Mr. Timmons was warned by his companions to look where he was going, but not heeding their advice he stepped out on a ledge which is hanging over the water at a great height. The other two men walked away a distance and were looking towards Fairville when they heard Timmons yell and upon looking around he was seen hanging over the side of the rock and clinging to another which jutted out above it. He had lost his balance on the rock and falling forward narrowly escaped going over the side, down to the water below.

His companions hurried to where he clung and he was soon pulled back from his perilous position to one of safety. Regarding his escape, Mr. Timmons told The Sun last night that he was not hurt at all by the fall, but received a fright which would never be forgotten.

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"The biggest 5c worth I ever received."  
"You're foolish to give such a show for 5c."

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Are You an Elk Moving Dummy  
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The HAPPY HALF HOUR

Last Night

THIS WILL BE THE

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## CONFERENCE AT VIENNA ON DUELLING

"The concourse of Austria has been stirred against the duel. A conference is now sitting in Vienna charged with devising some means by which outraged honor may be soothed and set to rights without murderous assault," says the Freeman's Journal. If the Congress at Vienna carries its peaceful point, Austria will lead the way in Continental Europe towards a decency that to many seems a dream.

"Italy, Spain, Russia, Greece are all given to the duel. In Germany, though the despised civilian is not allowed to smirmer an Intelligens, a nobleman must, if he be challenged or if he be insulted. The University student is still proud of his distinguished gaiters and he did not carry on his face the marks of his boyish bravery he would get a poor welcome into any society and have a very hard time in the camaraderie of his profession.

DUELLING IN FRANCE

"In France, a premier recently was second in a duel to one of his subordinates, a cabinet minister. It is true, that in France there has long been simmering an Intelligens, a nobleman with the existing code of honor. Men with serious things to do in life find it hard that because they have been insulted they should be forced to spend a morning in being shot at. It is true that as a rule a French duel is not a duel for life, but men are often wounded seriously enough.

"It is hard for us to understand how grave men can meet solemnly to discuss ways and means of avoiding a thing which has come to seem to us so criminal. If it be serious, as to be a matter for police and prisons. When

two men wearing broadcloth are angry with each other in Paris they go out in great state with guns and doctors to the Big-Whore or to a private park; friends are summoned to see the contest; there are motor-cars in long lines outside the field. When one of the combatants is touched, blood drawn, he goes to bed, the others to lunch.

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Others never yet has been admitted by any French police any physical contest among members of the Lower Orders—that is, not a duel; it has never been admitted as a duel. In duelling countries you have to be a gentleman, and you are allowed to take avenging shots at your enemy. And many men use the duel as a means of confirming a gentlemanly that is to say, their doubt; many journalists are known to have made all their social danger by way of the bloodshedding of the silly pretence of bloodshedding of the field of honor. And, with all this, all Europe fights duels. Surely humanity has still some way to go before it can boast of having shed barbarism and taken to civilized good sense.

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## A SUMMARY OF STRANGE STATISTICS

It is no novelty, this bill at present before the British Parliament for the prohibition of the sale of feathers of wild birds, and to show they were not the property of the Audubon Society, a number of big millinery establishments raided, and their proprietors fined. One firm had to pay \$300, and two others \$150 each.

The Government of India has taken a similar step, and some years ago, issued an order forbidding the export of wild birds' skins and feathers. Ten years ago, India exported nearly 200,000 worth of feathers abroad in a single year.

CLOTHED BY LAW

"Summary" laws—that is, laws about clothes—have been unknown in England for many years. In the reign of Henry VII. it was enacted that a duke should not be allowed to wear a suit of cloth of gold or silk, while a knight had to be content with six, and commoners with an even less amount, irrespective of individual bulk.

In 1584 another law forbade all below the rank of alderman to wear silk upon their hats, under a penalty of \$50. Charles IX. of France was even bolder enough to interfere with the attire of any of his nobles. In 1581 he forbade the ladies to use any "bands of embroidery, stitching, or fringes of silk, excepting only a bordering the width of a finger, or at the most, two borders with chain stitching."

GOVERNOR SHOCKED

But the French king of three and a half centuries ago was, after all, not so rash as the Roumanian Minister of Public Instruction, who recently issued an order forbidding the use of corsets by any of the girls attending the Roumanian Government schools. The head mistress was made responsible for the carrying out of the rule, but the result has not been all that the minister fondly hoped. The girls have set the edict at defiance, and they are, it is said, secretly backed up by most of their teachers.

In most countries there are laws forbidding women to go abroad in the streets attired in men's garments. But, unfortunately, few modern men are so easily shocked as the Governor of the American territory of Oklahoma.

Visiting a girls' school he found the girls playing basket ball attired in bloomers. He at once declared that the mode of dress must be stopped!

LONG SKIRTS BARRED

At Omaha, and one or two other German health resorts, the municipal authorities have been waging war against long skirts and dresses with trains.

## ACCIDENT REVEALS ART TREASURES THEIF

Three Men Who Looted Louvre Galleries Tracked as Result of Quarrel

PARIS, July 24.—By a lucky chance the police have discovered the individual who stole a number of statues, including one of Iris, from the Louvre Museum.

A detective, quite accidentally, overheard a dispute between a man and woman in which the latter threatened to denounce her companion as the author of the robberies in question. The officer followed the man to his home in the Rue Cadet, and a few inquiries established the fact that he was a habitué of the criminal of the name of Julian Cruau. He was arrested, and readily admitted his connection with the theft. He denounced as his accomplices a cousin named Emile Cruau and a Belgian named Leon Vavasaur.

The first expedition he informed the examining magistrate, took place in October, 1906. At 3 o'clock one afternoon, clothed in long overcoats with caps, they entered one of the galleries in the Louvre looking on the river. Vavasaur and Emile Cruau advanced towards the monumental chimney-pieces while he himself kept a lookout. After a little while the two came back and all three left. The booty, which was a statuette of Iris, was taken to a barber's shop in the Rue de la Glaciere. Emboldened by their easy success they returned a few days later to the Louvre and took another statuette from the next gallery, under the very nose of an attendant, who was dozing as an armchair.

The day after Vavasaur tried to break open a case containing antique jewelry, but the skeleton key used proved to be a lock.

By this time the thefts had been discovered, and a hue and cry raised, so Vavasaur took the stolen objects to bury them in the woods at Clatrat. Warrants were issued and Emile Cruau was soon arrested. As for Vavasaur, all efforts proved useless until he was discovered accidentally in custody on a charge of stealing legs of mutton at the Central Market.

The statuette which Emile declares had been packed up and deposited with an old clothes dealer has not been traced.

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THE STAR, ST. JOHN N. B., SATURDAY, JULY 25 1908

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ST. JOHN, N. B., JULY 25, 1908.

MR. BORDEN'S TWO CENT FARE.

It is noticed that Mr. W. F. McLean, Conservative member for South York, did not vote with his leader, Mr. Borden, on the latter's motion calling for an investigation and report by the railway commissioners into the possibility of establishing a two cent, par-mile passenger rate on Canadian railroads.

Mr. McLean evidently realized that the opposition leader's suggestion was merely a scheme which, if accepted, would result in the indefinite postponement of reduced passenger rates. The policy of the Liberal government as applied in the last dozen years has been to make conditions as favorable as possible for the railroads.

In order that no objection may be made to the reasonable regulations enforced by the government, Parliament has now all the information necessary along this line and a readjustment of either freight or passenger rates is a matter of policy rather than one of statistics.

Mr. McLean contends, and with some truth, that wherever passenger rates have been cut down to two cents per mile by parliament or legislature there has been an increase in traffic sufficient to prevent any loss by the railroads.

But along with this it must be remembered that these two-cent rates have been put into effect in very thickly populated districts. In England there are five hundred and sixty persons to the square mile, in the State of New York one hundred and twenty-six. In Ontario as it existed before the recent boundary extension there were about ten; in Quebec there were less than five; in New Brunswick twelve; in Nova Scotia twenty-two; in Prince Edward Island forty-seven; Manitoba four; British Columbia one person for every two square miles, and in the new provinces and unorganized territories one person for ten to twenty square miles.

Railroad traffic conditions in Canada would thus be very different from what are found in Britain and in the eastern United States. The increase in passenger traffic would probably not be sufficient to repay the railroads for the decrease in receipts created by reduced rates. There would of necessity be a higher schedule for freight. As freight traffic comprises three-quarters of the revenue of the railroads and affects far more people than the passenger rates do, it is apparent that in order that the greatest good may be done the greatest number, the efforts of parliament should be towards the lowest possible freight rates.

This is the idea of the Liberal government. It is not exactly in line with Mr. Borden's views, and is widely different from the opinion expressed by Mr. Borden. Moreover, the proposal to hold an investigation, at the present time, even if such an investigation would be considered necessary, is without reason.

Everyone knows that during the last year owing to the general depression, railroad business has fallen off very considerably as regards both passenger and freight. If an investigation were to be held now it would be found that the railroad could put up very strong arguments against any reduction. Mr. Borden knows this and knows that such an investigation would postpone indefinitely whatever action may be in contemplation of the government. His amendment was consequently rejected. Mr. McLean appreciated the result of Mr. Borden's mistaken suggestion, and promptly opposed the amendment. So far as can be seen the only result has been to increase the feeling of enmity between the leader of the Opposition and the member from South York.

BOUNDARY EXTENSION. During the session of parliament which closed on Monday one of the more important matters dealt with in the Commons was the extension of the boundaries of the Province of Manitoba, Ontario and Quebec. The desire for more land may be natural with the first named, but Ontario and Quebec have already had more territory than they knew exactly what to do with, and in these eastern localities it is somewhat difficult to comprehend just why they have been so anxious for more. The larger part of the old Province of Quebec was little better than a wilderness and practically no attempt was made at administration. In Ontario conditions were not quite so bad, but still there have been large sections of that Province very thinly settled and practically beyond the present lines of civilization. By the action of parliament, Manitoba, which originally comprised 75,000 square miles, has received 100,000 additional, or considerably more than twice what it already possessed. Ontario, which had 200,000 square miles, has been given 148,000 more; while Quebec, the largest of all, has had 465,000 square miles added to its original area of 219,000. Altogether, parliament has distributed among these three provinces no less than 794,000 square miles, or an area equal to more than six and a half times the total of England, Ireland and Scotland.

If some way could be discovered by which the 49th parallel might be continued to the Atlantic as the boundary, and New Brunswick given what is now Northern Maine, Canada would make up for a serious mistake of the past.

The Quebec Tercentenary.



Army Medical Corps at Levis.

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SATURDAY SERMONETTE

"SHE DOES NOT KNOW HOW TO A HUSBAND."

In this city of seventy-five thousand there are about four thousand seven hundred and twenty-one of her. She did not know how to use him when he courted her. If she had not been so much in love she would have used him better, but being very deeply in love with herself and not the least bit in love with any one else she used him badly. There was not a day until she was married that she would not have thrown him over for any one else who had more money and brighter prospects. He could have laid up some money out of his salary if courting her had not been so expensive. She was a sensible (not sensual) and had a passion for chocolates, ice cream, sodas, theatres, driving, dressing, dancing, etcetera. As he thought he was very much in love with her and was afraid of losing her—afterwards she had yielded to her tearful entreaties to board, not to keep house and to board in a more expensive place than he could afford.

After the honeymoon had waned she was sorry she had married and foolishly told him so, and then he was sorry he had married her—and he never got over his sorrow. After that he kept control of his expenditure and she was like the little of the field, "she toiled not, neither did she spin," nor sew on buttons. She never helped him earn a dollar or save one. She never cheered him as he worked, she never smiled and laughed, or greeted him with cheery talk, but she whined and found fault after a few years began to nag and nag until at last the drip, drip of the dropping drops of water wore out his nerves and he only way he could get any peace and keep from nagging back was to make his beautiful home simply a sleeping place. He lived mostly at his club when not in his place of business. He almost satisfied her demands for extravagant living. He gave her diamonds and pearls and automobiles, and would have given her his love if she had known how to use a husband. But she never had any children to his sorrow and her joy.

He had often pictured his home coming as children men who are fond of children do—and if he could have heard the laughter of children in his home and seen a child running to the gate to meet him he would have gone home with a light step and a happy heart, but now as he neared his home his feet would get more leaden and his heart would sink at the thought of no greeting unless it was a fault finding one.

That woman is a type of many women in our cities, towns, villages and out in the country who do not know how to use a husband. The number of men who do not know how to "use a wife" are much larger, for women, as a rule, are better than most men, but a man cannot make as large a purgatory as a woman can. He is out of the house the most of the time and the woman is in it the most of the time.

The wife who does not dress for her husband, who thinks any old wrapper is good enough for him does not know how to use a husband.

The wife who brings all the petty trifles of the home and spreads them out before him as he comes from his business, troubles which are as "sunlight to her moonlight" ones does not know how to use a husband.

The wife who finds fault with her husband, even in a hundred ways, before others do not know how to use a husband.

The wife who tells, even to her own family, her husband's faults, ought never to have had a husband, for she does not know how to use one.

Phadders

WOMAN AND LOVER ON TRIAL FOR TREASON

Accused of Trying to Secure for France Secret of Germany's Smokeless Powder.

KIEL, July 24.—Friedrich Petersen and her lover, a German non-commissioned officer, were examined today before a court-martial here on a charge of treason.

The utmost secrecy is preserved, as in all such cases, but it is believed that the authorities suspect Petersen of having attempted to obtain for the French government a knowledge of the constituents of German smokeless powder.

Fr. Petersen was born in Hamburg, where her parents kept a small inn, but has the appearance of a Parisian. She is 44 years of age, but looks much younger.

She was employed as a governess, when suspicion was aroused by the liberal supplies of money which she received.

Fr. Petersen declares her innocence and denies that she went regularly to France to receive \$25 a month for espionage. It is known, however, that she had meetings with French agents.

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"MERRY WIDOW" HAT BANNED BY POLICE

Cannot be Worn in Paris Theaters Without Incurring Penalty of a Fine.

PARIS, July 24.—So far as the Paris theatres are concerned the "Merry Widow" hat of huge dimensions is doomed. From today it may no longer be worn in the stalls or dress circle of any Paris theatre, nor any other hat that shuts out a view of the stage from those in the rows behind.

The Theatre Commission, under the presidency of M. Leprieu, prefect of police, met, and in consequence of numerous scenes in various Paris theatres during the past season, owing to women wearing large hats and refusing to remove them, decided that the wearing of hats of excessive dimensions should be prohibited in theatres under penalty of a fine.

The presiding judge in the Humbert-Main case, which attracted a large number of fashionably dressed women to court, attempted to solve the hat difficulty the other day by dividing the court into two parts—one on one side men, on the other women. The masculine portion of the audience made no objection, but the protests from women, because only those in the first row could see anything were so energetic that the judge had to abandon the ingenious idea.

Two men, who went to one of the boulevard theatres recently and were greeted by the mammoth hats of two women in front from seeing the play, adopted a novel form of protest. They went out and returned accompanied by a couple of men with the enormous broad-brimmed sombrero hats worn by market porters. The newcomers took the two seats, keeping their hats on. A tremendous uproar ensued, and peace was only restored by the arrival of the police commissary.

JUST GOT IT OUT. "Why in the name of goodness," exclaimed an ancient acquaintance, "do you keep taking out your watch? Go and catch a train!"

"Well, no," answered the other. "To tell you the truth, I haven't seen my watch for a long time."

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BIRTHS. KELLY—On July 24th, to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph J. Kelly, Somerset street, a daughter.

LINGLEY—At the home of W. A. Cunningham, Central street, Summerside, on July 2nd, to Mr. and Mrs. Harry L. Lingley, of St. John West, a son.

CROSS—In this city, July 24th inst., to Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Cross, a daughter.

DEATHS. FITZGERALD—In this city, W. E. on the 23rd inst., Richard Thomas Fitzgerald, son of James and the late Mary A. Fitzgerald, aged 14 years and 7 months.

Funeral from 47 Duke street Saturday morning at 8.30 a. m., to the Church of the Assumption. Requiem high mass. Boston and Walton opera please copy.

MORRISSEY—In this city on the 23rd inst., Margaret, widow of Patrick Morrissey, aged 72.

Funeral on Saturday at 2.30 p. m. from the residence of her son-in-law, James Barry, 121 Waterloo street.

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Dietaior of Teheran Introduces Drastic Methods That Prevail in the Czar's Empire.

BERLIN, July 24.—The special correspondent of the Berliner Tagblatt at Teheran telegraphs under yesterday's date: "The Russian colonel of Cossacks, Liakhoff, whom the Shah appointed as military governor when he placed Teheran in a state of siege, published a proclamation prohibiting the use of firearms under a penalty of severe punishment. Injuria offered to soldiers will also be rigorously punished. The activity of the 'dictator' extends even to measures for cleaning the streets, the sale of bread and meat and the location of cab ranks. The 'dictator' commands create widespread popular resentment. It is rumored that the Cossack brigade will shortly be strengthened to 25,000 men."

"Taxes and sugar taxes are intended to provide the necessary revenue, and for their levy Russia has given her assent in conjunction with England. Russia entered an energetic protest against similar taxes when they were recently proposed by Parliament for general financial objects."

"The Shah has now removed his chief antagonist, Prince Zill-es-Sultan, from the governorship of the province of Shiraz, and named Asaf-es-Saltaneh as his successor. The new Cabinet is not yet named. As the parliamentary elections will not take place for three months, it is believed that the Shah will employ the time in effecting new treaties with Russia."

"During the prevailing crisis unlimited money flows into the Shah's hands. The chief of telegraphs has given him about \$20,000, while the Shah, without applying to the minister of finance, appropriated about \$15,000 from the custom house."

WHEN NOT TO SMOKE. It is quite certain that much may be done to diminish the risk of tobacco amblyopia by paying attention to certain points of personal hygiene. For instance, a rule should be made never to smoke upon an empty stomach, but as far as possible only after meals. It is absolutely bad to smoke before dinner and equally bad to smoke late at night to keep awake at one's work. It should also be forbidden to chew the cigar between the teeth, as many smokers are wont to do.—Hospital.

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48c. Child's Grey Canvas Laced Boots, leather soles and toe caps; sizes, 5 to 10. \$1.18 Women's Dongola Laced Boots, kid tips, military heels, nice shaped last, silk top facing. Easily worth \$2.00; all sizes.

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68c. Boys' Grey Canvas Laced Boots, leather soles and toe caps; sizes, 1 to 5. \$2.48 A small lot of Men's \$3.50 and \$4.00 Patent and Tan Calf Oxford Shoes. Don't miss these.

78c. Men's Grey Canvas Laced Boots, leather soles and toe caps; sizes, 6 to 10.

Waterbury & Rising's Comfort Foot Powder, a splendid article for sore, tired and perspiring feet. Sale price, 5c. Big 3 Shoe Polish in black, regular 10c size. Sale price, 5c.

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There can be no question about the quality, the sterling worth of the clothing we are offering in this sale. So when prices are cut as we have cut them, the combination is complete—high quality and low prices are blended in the most satisfactory way.

We ask your careful and immediate consideration of these facts: (1) We have here clothing made by several of Canada's largest and most reputable manufacturers—sole control of 20th Century Brand, Fine Tailored Agreements. (2) For reasons that are evident to everyone we must largely reduce the stock which is on hand near the end of the season. (3) To reduce it QUICKLY we are willing to sacrifice profits—and more than profits—willing to make most liberal price concessions.

\$22.00 SUITS NOW... \$15.00 \$30.00 SUITS, NOW... \$18.00 \$18.00 SUITS, NOW... \$13.50 \$15.00 SUITS, NOW... \$11.25 \$12.00 SUITS, NOW... \$8.00

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CHAMBERLAIN MAKING STRIDES TO HEALTH

Best Cure at French Resort Brings Him Renewed Vigor and Cheerfulness.

PARIS July 24.—There is every reason to believe that residence in Aix-les-Bains has produced a steady improvement in Mr. Chamberlain's health, as shown by his more regular outdoor exercise. He is invariably accompanied by Mrs. Chamberlain and a valet who rides beside the coachman. As a former habitue of Aix, Mr. Chamberlain is familiar with most of the beauty spots in the neighborhood and contented himself with a couple of hours' carriage jaunt along the lake shore under the shade of the leafy avenues. His face bears an expression of tranquil enjoyment as he gazes at the vast expanse of lake mountain and valley. Apart from the daily drive and the manipulations in the bathing establishment he spends most of his time in his private apartment at the Hotel

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Bernesean where Miss Hilda Chamberlain reads the newspapers to him. Sometimes he strolls along the balcony, with its view of the bewitching panorama. Every week adds alertness to his gait and cheerfulness to his physiognomy. Mrs. Chamberlain's devotion to her husband is a touching spectacle as she adjusts his cushion to his requirements, protects him from draughts when he sits on the terrace after lunch listening to the band and occasionally asks for a particular melody to his taste. Now and again he may be seen in conversation with distinguished visitors such as Lord and Lady Dartmouth, but few, if any, visitors are received in the private apartment, it being tacitly understood that he is here to enjoy rest and quiet—a desire which every one is anxious to respect.

MOTHER'S BOY. The star pupil arose at the school entertainment to declaim his piece. "Lend me your ears!" he bawled. "Ha!" sneered the mother of the opposition, but defeated pupil, "that's Sarah Jane Bagge's boy. He wouldn't be his mother's son if he didn't want to borrow something."

Great Bargains for Monday AT THE SUMMER CLEARANCE SALE

600 Yards All-Wool French Venetian to Be Sold at 50c. Yard. Colors: Navys, Browns, Greens, Reds, Wine, Black.

A Large Assortment White Lawn Waists at Sale Prices.

In Mantle Department will be found many bargains in pretty Lawn Waists. They are laid out in lots and are all perfectly fresh stock. Sale prices, \$1.00, \$1.38, \$1.98.

A Chance on Fine Black Silk Coats—Good-bye Price for Monday.

If you would like to have a Silk Coat don't miss this opportunity, it won't come again. \$14.50 Black Taffeta Coats, sizes 38, 40; now \$8.95. \$14.50 Black Taffeta Coats, sizes 36, 38; now \$7.25. \$16.50 Black Silk Coats, size 36; now \$9.95.

\$1.40 Ladies' New Leather Belts—Sale Tuesday—A Special Bargain.

A line of pretty embossed Leather Belts. A special for this sale. Come in tans, navy, black. Sale price 29c; worth 50c.

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Fine White Undershirts with embroidery or lace flourishes and insertions. To be sold Tuesday, not before that day. See our window. Worth up to \$1.85; sale price \$1.19 each.

Ladies' Dress Skirts at Great Bargains to Ease Stock.

Many excellent Skirts in this sale. All perfect goods sold to ease stock. Skirts, up to \$5.00; sale \$2.95. Skirts, up to \$6.00; sale \$3.95. Skirts, up to \$7.50; sale \$4.95.

Ladies' Long Silk Gloves. Elbow length Silk Gloves, in champagne, navy, grey, cardinal, pink. Regular 75c; sale price 50c.

Ladies' Chamois Gloves. Natural Color Chamois Gloves, 2 pearl buttons. Regular 85c; sale price 50c pair.

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SOME OF THE METHODS OF KILLING COMPETITION

It is, of course, a trite saying that monopolies make millionaires, but in these days of rapid advancement, when almost any trade may be destroyed by a sudden invention, it behooves those who have the complete control of any industry to take every precaution that their strongholds are not stormed. The diamond industry is a case in point. By gradual amalgamation competition has been killed, so that the merchants can fix any price they like, and whoever desires precious stones must pay that price. It seems very comfortable for the monopolists, but these fortunate persons have their moments of anxiety. Perhaps they may hear rumors of the discovery of a fresh mine which will make diamonds so common that prices will fall to little more than nothing. At other times scientists will produce an artificial method of manufacturing precious stones. In that case the monopolists will swear round the alleged inventor, and if there is anything in it pay a big price to stop him.

WOULD DESTROY INDUSTRY. And what it means will readily be understood, when it is stated that an artificial manufacture of diamonds would destroy an industry which makes one hundred million dollars a year for its proprietors. Fortunately for these millionaires, so far no one has withstood tests applied to his invention; but it is well known that sooner than create a panic the mine owners have bought up several inventions in connection with diamonds. By these means even the suspicion that they had anything to fear has been killed at birth.

For many years now users of the typewriter have been demanding a noiseless machine. Manufacturers have been equally unanimous in declaring that such is an impossibility, yet it is said that the noiseless typewriter has been invented, but that the monopolists in this particular industry have bought the patent rights, and are keeping them secret until the present huge stock of machines is cleared off.

KILLING COMPETITION. There may be some reason in this, because it is estimated that the machinery of the great American trust, at its present price, cost over \$20,000,000, and that if the improvement of the silent typewriter were adopted the great part of this enormously expen-

sive machinery would be rendered obsolete at once. Of course, the great fear of this Trust is that someone in England may solve the silent typewriter problem, and at one stroke not only kill the monopoly, but render every machine in use out-of-date and cumbersome. Consequently the Trust has its representatives in every city of importance throughout the world and should there be a whisper of any improvement affecting this industry the American agent makes sure of getting a look at it with a view to purchasing the complete rights. In this way competition is killed.

EDISON'S REVENGE.

It is said that Edison invented the incandescent mantle in order to retaliate upon a gas company which cut off the gas from the inventor's house, because he had, absent-mindedly, of course, forgotten to pay the bill. It was a heavy penalty to make the gas company pay for that single innovation has cost them hundreds of thousands of dollars. At the same time it must be said that the gas manufacturers are lucky in that no one has succeeded in rendering electric light cheaper.

Edison is at present engaged upon a series of inventions dealing with the automobile. If he is successful the present huge stock of cars may have to be sold off as mere wood and steel; but the pioneers of the latter industry assert that the American will not desert them. The chief difficulty is the cost of petrol, indeed the whole ques-

tion of cost, in proportion to speed, is one that has prevented the popularizing of automobiles. Companies with large stocks of cars on their hands will endeavor to prevent any new invention being sprung upon the market too soon for them, and many small improvements have been bought, held over for a year or two, and then the stock having been disposed of—are added to the cars and labelled "this year's models."

AN OIL ROMANCE.

The means whereby the Standard Oil Company obtained complete dominion over the oil-fields of America form a romance of industry. Oil-fields were purchased by the score, and whenever opposition was met with the concern presided over by Rockefeller adopted characteristic means to secure the capitulation of the enemy. Frequently this opposition took the shape of a local company, which preferred to work its own springs. In that even the Standard Oil Company built a depot and sold oil at a price that was always below that of the rival firm. Frequently the monopolists have actually given away the oil, but this only occurred when the resistance to be overcome was too strong.

It is not surprising that the Standard Oil Company never suffered defeat, and how well these methods eventually repaid them is evident from the position the Rockefeller hold amongst the richest men in the world. Improvements in rifles and artillery have been frequent of late, but it is generally a state that steps in to monopolize a particular invention.

SECRET OF GOVERNMENT.

France, by careful management and lavish expenditure at the right time, has secured a submarine that no other nation can rival, though everyone has made the attempt to discover the secret. The British Dreadnought is still a mystery to foreigners, certain details in the construction of this monster battleship being the exclusive and se-

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cret—property of the British Government. A far different kind of monopoly concerns the grocery trade. There are a couple of famous sauces on the market whose recipes are priceless. To prevent the secrets being revealed, the firms in question never allow any of their employees to know the whole of the recipe. Piece by piece it is worked by men in different departments. Consequently it is impossible for any one worker to sell the recipe to a rival firm.

Then there is the great anti-diphtheria mystery. Dozens of persons have claimed to have discovered the secret; but hitherto, the original company have been able to demonstrate that the secret is still theirs.

more often both in that very locality of the city. They are always ready to lend a willing hand at the hose or, if occasion requires, risk their lives by going a little closer to scorching an angry death. The fire chief said today that he had expected many more fires than had actually occurred, for with so many thousand visitors in the city it was quite reasonable to expect a few more fires.

DWELLING HOUSE BURNED AT QUEBEC

First Fire of Any Consequence Since Festival Began. QUEBEC, July 24.—The first fire of any consequence that the Quebec fire brigade has had to cope with during the celebration to date occurred last night, when a two-story residence was almost completely gutted. The building was situated at the corner of Royal and St. Marie streets. During the efforts to save some of the furniture a soldier from the camp at Seward Park was injured. Private Smith, of the 14th Regiment of Kingston, Ont., was helping in the removal of a piano when the heavy instrument fell over, so striking him that he suffered fracture of two ribs. He was removed to the field hospital at Seward Camp.

The city has most fortunately been almost entirely free of fires so far during the gay festivities, and with nothing more serious than last night's conflagration. Many small fires have, of course, broken out, but the timely work of the firemen have soon conquered these. Sailors and soldiers have been of some considerable assistance to firemen during their visit, for no matter where a fire occurred there are sure to be found either soldiers or sailors and

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WILL BLOW UP VESSEL RUN DOWN BY YACHT. NEWPORT R. I. July 24.—The schooner Menawa, which was struck by the president's yacht, Mayflower early Wednesday morning, is floating beam up in Long Island Sound. The naval tug Chickadee, which went in search of the derelict, today found her about seven miles south southwest of Faulkner's Island, Long Island Sound. Late today the torpedo boat Gwin was sent out, with a large supply of gun-cotton, with orders to destroy the derelict, which is considered a menace to navigation.

HUGH McDONAGH, the street car conductor held at the Charles street Jail, Boston, on a charge of being implicated in the murders which are terrorizing Jamaica Plain, is a young man hailing from Nova Scotia. McDONAGH is 22 years of age and has been in the employ of the Elevated Railway Company for some time. His rooms directly across the street from the Forest Hills car barn with which he is connected.

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## SPORTING MATTERS

### EXCITING FINISHES MARK RACES AT MOOSEPATH PARK YESTERDAY

#### El Galo Captures 2.17 Trot and 2.20 Pace, Prince Alfondy Second—The 2.12 Trot and 2.15 Pace Goes to Louise E., Northern Spy Second—Time in Each Race Not as Good as Expected

Yesterday's races were postponed, drew a record-breaking crowd to Moosepath Park and while the events went through in short order, there being no division of winning heats, both classes were marked by beautiful trotting and exciting finishes. The field of horses was equal to anything previously seen on the track in such classes, while the entries for tomorrow guarantee excellent sport. El Galo and Louise E., both from across the line, were winners, and indeed the United States horses carried off the most of the honors. The attendance was estimated at fourteen hundred, remarkably large for Moosepath. The track was in perfect condition and the weather all that could be desired. Five cars left the depot at two o'clock, but there were enough people on board to fill three other cars if they had been available. Today's attendance will, it is expected, be much larger. Only five heats were necessary to decide yesterday's events, one heat in the 2:17-2:20 class having been won by El Galo on Wednesday. The time was not particularly fast, in view of the favorable conditions.

Two heats, the second and third of the 2:13 class were closely contested.

**THE 2:12 TROT, 2:15 PACE.**

As one heat of the 2:17 trot 2:20 pace had been run off Wednesday, the starter yesterday first called the 2:12 trot 2:15 pace. In this there were six entries and six starters, Lady Bingen hunched the pole. They got away well bunching on the second score and Northern Spy quickly took the lead. Before the half was finished, Miss Letha had passed the grey gelding, and held the lead to the finish, without any serious difficulty. Warren entered a protest—which was not allowed—against Miss Letha.

**AN EXCITING HEAT.**

The second heat was one of the most exciting ever trotted on Moosepath. At the first turn Northern Spy by a fine burst of speed took the lead, with Miss Letha only half a length behind. The latter at the quarter had by steady work crawled to the front, and for practically the whole race was a tight struggle between these two beautiful greys. Seemingly they paid little attention to any but each other, and only on the home stretch did they notice Louise E. creeping up. Louise had taken the outside edge at the course and foot by foot closed the four lengths separating her from the leader. The last hundred yards was a general spurt, but Louise passed under the wire a neck ahead, with Northern Spy second and Miss Letha third. In spite of the honors, but was unable to keep ahead of Miss Letha and Louise. The latter, which had been last of the group, forged to second place at the last turn, and amid ringing cheers came down the stretch at a tremendous clip, passing Miss Letha and winning by two lengths in what was one of the most exciting finishes of the day. Louise E. took first money, Northern Spy second, Miss Letha third, and Lady Bingen fourth.

**THE 2:17 TROT, 2:20 PACE.**

The first heat of the 2:17 trot, 2:20 pace, on Wednesday resulted in a win by El Galo, with Prince Alfondy second and Meadowdale third. The second heat yesterday was started on the fifth score and with Cecil Mack far in the rear. El Galo in this race proved too fast for any of the others, and then took first position, pulled up and about as he pleased. He followed Prince Alfondy until nearly the half, then took first position, pulled up and held second until the three-quarters, when he again moved to first position, maintaining this to the finish.

The third heat was a parade for the entire distance, scarcely any changes in position being made, excepting between El Galo and Prince Alfondy, who had tussled about in the lead. Alfondy put up a fine race, but El Galo

did not seem to be forced in winning. SLIGHTLY THE FASTEST.

This third and final heat, uninteresting excepting as an exhibition of pretty trotting, was slightly the fastest of the race.

El Galo took first money, Prince Alfondy second, Guy F. third, and Meadowdale fourth.

**SUMMARY:**

2:17 Trot, 2:20 pace: Purse \$300.  
El Galo, b. g., 2:21-4, by Chantrelle, M. L. Brison (Hayden) 1 1 1  
Prince Alfondy, b. k., 2:21-4, by Alfondy, M. L. Brison (Raymond) 2 2 2  
Guy F., b. g., 2:19-4, by Francisco, M. L. Brison (Ebrison) 4 5 3  
Meadowdale, b. g., 2:20-4, by Tarrbrook, H. A. Gibson (Stewart) 3 6 5  
Hiram Abrahm, Frank P. Fox (Fox) 3 6 3  
Wheeler, b. g., 2:21-4, by Buchanan, G. G. 2:21-4, by Taunton, F. Boutiller (Boutiller) 5 7 7  
Cecil Mack, g. m., 2:21-4, by Dispute, Phair and Allen (Raymond) 8 8 8  
Time by quarters: 35-1-4, 1:09-1-2, 1:44-1-2, 2:20-3-4, 3:3-4, 1:11-2, 1:46-1-4, 2:20-1-4.  
The last quarter of the last heat was the fastest of the whole race.  
2:12 Trot, 2:15 Pace: Purse \$300.  
Louise E., b. m., 2:14-4, by Gov. Goodwill, Frank P. Fox (Goodwill) 1 1 1  
Northern Spy, g. g., 2:16-4, by Dispute, Phair and Allen (Raymond) 2 2 4  
Miss Letha, g. m., 2:15-4, by Dispute, Phair and Allen (Raymond) 3 3 2  
Lady Bingen, b. m., 2:14-4, by Bingen, Springhill Stables (Warren) 4 5 6  
Dr. Band, b. g., 2:15-4, by Ira Band, M. L. Brison (Reiland) 4 5 6  
The Sweetheart, g. m., 2:15-4, by Strongwood, Pine Tree Stables (Hayden) 6 6 2  
Time by quarters: 34-1-2, 1:08, 1:45, 2:17-2, 3:1-2, 1:09-1-2, 1:45, 2:19-3-4, 3:1-1-4.

### SEVEN CANADIANS LANDED IN THE BISLEY HUNDRED

Regarded as a Great Honor

BEST MEN IN EMPIRE

Morris Wins the Strathcona Cup for Highest Average

BISLEY, July 24.—Canada has seven men in the final stage of the King's prize, the most coveted prize in the rifle shooting world.

The second stage was fired today, and the scores of the Canadians are as follows, the first seven going into the hundred who will start in the final stage tomorrow:

Name	1st Stage	200	600	Total
Spittal	101	101	101	303
Freemore	97	97	97	291
Morris	97	97	97	291
Jones	96	96	96	288
Steele	96	96	96	288
Smith	95	95	95	285
Brown	94	94	94	282
Lesak	94	94	94	282
Pope	93	93	93	279
Bayles	92	92	92	276
Meines	91	91	91	273
Upton	90	90	90	270

Through an error in cable Escott was given a score of 97 and classed in the second stage. This was not correct. His score was 87, as at first called.

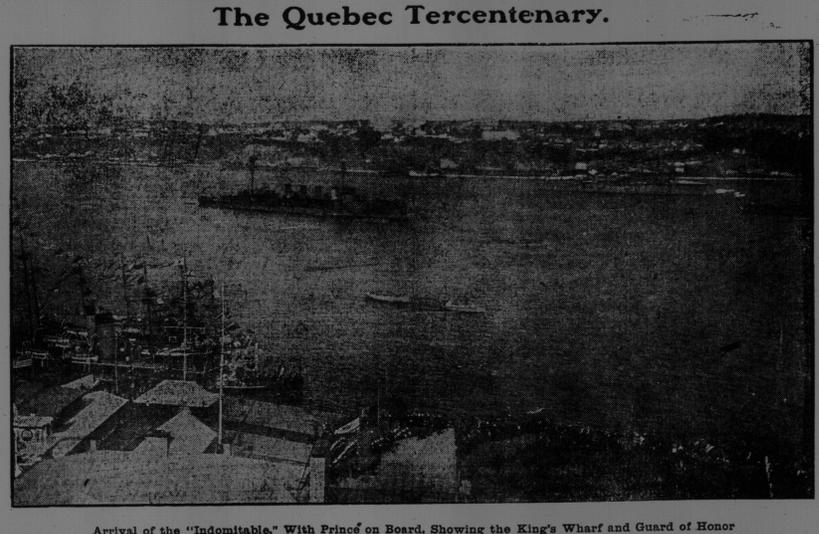
That seven Canadians got into the

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Arrival of the "Indomitable," With Prince on Board, Showing the King's Wharf and Guard of Honor

Bisley hundred is a great honor. The usual entry for the King's prize runs from 2,800 to about 3,000, and these are the best shots gathered from all over the Empire. For Canada to have seven in the first hundred is a showing that any Canadian should be proud of.

The highest score of all those shooting is 105, and the highest Canadian score is 102.

There are two scores of 105, two of 104 and four of 103, so that Spittal is one of the first eight men in the hundred.

The scores of the Canadians in the Gregory, seven shots at 200 yards, were:

Mortimer, 105  
Row, 105  
Jones, 105  
Steele, 105

Those who won prizes are as follows: Mortimer, 2nd, £10; Row, 10th, £2; Jones, 17th, 23 shillings; Steele, 49th, £1.

In the King's 200 yards, the prizes won by Canadians who failed to catch a place in the final were: Lesak, 26th, £4; Bayles, 77th, £4; Pope, 81st, £3; McInnes, 202d, £2; Upton, 207th, £2.

Birmingham small arms range prizes awarded at 600 yards in the King's were won by: Morris, 9th £1; Lesak, 12th, £1; Smith, 15th, £1.

London small arms range prizes at 600 yards were won by: Spittal, 5th, £1; Mortimer, 15th, £1.

The highest place among the Canadians in the grand aggregate was the Strathcona cup, which is valued at \$200. Spittal was 9th, winning £3; Jones, 19th, £2; Morris, 42d, £2; Crowe, 49th, £2; St. George's, first stage—Haystead, 162nd, £2; Adjutant King, 76th, £2; Upton, 175th, £2.

The highest place among the Canadians in the grand aggregate goes to Sgt. Morris, and he therefore wins the Strathcona cup.

Mr. Spittal of Ottawa was second and carries off the Canada Club gold watch.

Louis called end third firing, rain; no score.

At New York—New York, 2; Pittsburgh, 1.

At Boston—Cincinnati, 3; Boston, 2.

#### AMERICAN LEAGUE

At Cleveland—Cleveland, 6; Detroit, 4.

#### EASTERN LEAGUE

At Buffalo—Buffalo, 2; Providence, 4.

At Toronto—Toronto, 4; Baltimore, 3.

At Montreal—Montreal, 6; Newark, 3.

At Rochester (first game)—Jersey City, 4; Rochester, 1.

At Rochester (second game)—Rochester, 6; Jersey City, 5.

Connecticut League Games.

At New Britain—New Britain, 4; Holyoke, 7.

At Bridgeport—Meriden, 7; Bridgeport, 6.

At Springfield—Springfield, 3; New Haven, 4.

At Hartford—First game: Hartford, 2; Waterbury, 1. Second game: Hartford, 3; Waterbury, 0 (forfeited).

New England League Games.

At Fall River—Lawrence, 4; Fall River, 2.

At New Bedford—New Bedford, 1; Lowell, 4 (twelve innings).

The "Now or Never" of Chesley street defeated the "Thunder Bolts" of Lower Cove last evening by a score of 7-4. The battery for "Now or Never" was Nelson and Sullivan; for "Thunder Bolts" McCracken and Walsh.

The feature of the game was Sullivan's home run. "Now or Never" challenge the "Thunder Bolts" to play them for \$10 on any night and on any grounds.

excite wonderment and admiration. Last evening white-clothed ladies and summer-clad gentlemen kept wending their way to the big picture house as late as ten o'clock. Today the show starts at noon and continues until 10:30 p.m. The programme includes the dramatic, "The Story of the Boots Told," "The Patriot," and a very pretty domestic drama, "The Story of the Boots Told." Mr. Gurney's new song, "Hymns of the Old Church Choir," was a distinct hit last night, and Miss Foley is receiving unstinted plaudits for her finished rendering of the ballad, "Everybody Loves Me But the One I Love." This afternoon and tonight the programme will be especially attractive.

#### CROWDED HOUSES AT THE

#### UNIQUE.

In spite of the exceptionally fine weather and the numerous outdoor attractions, the Unique Theatre was packed to the doors last evening with an audience who witnessed what is beyond question the best picture ever shown in this city. This great picture is called "The Shadow of a Crime," and the first scene is taken from real circus life. A young country girl attending a circus in her home town falls passionately in love with a bareback rider, although she has never met him. The sheriff recognizes him as a man wanted in New York state for murder. After the show they attempt to arrest him, but he had gone away everything behind him except the ring costume which he was wearing. Fate leads him to the house of the young woman who is in love with him, and as the sheriff is pressing him hard she hides him in the barn until they have searched the house; then, giving him a suit of her father's clothes, she announces her intention of going away with him. The man tries to point out the folly of such a course, but she will not listen and they finally depart together. They are overtaken and arrested and about to be sentenced when the judge receives a telegram saying that a young convict has confessed the crime for which the circus man is being tried. Two other new pictures, "Daisy Flance" and "The Troubles of a Cost," both of them excellent comedies. Loveliness of music should not fail to hear the Miss Holmes, the pleasing mezzo-soprano of London, Ontario, is singing by special request, "Take Me Around Again," and Will Harrison, lyric bass, of Halifax, "Happy Half Hour."

#### SERIOUS RUNAWAY IN A BUSINESS SECTION

#### Pluck of Driver Prevents Animal from Running Into Crowd

#### Into Crowd

What might have been a serious runaway accident, but for the pluck of the driver, Gordon Campbell, occurred yesterday afternoon.

Mr. Campbell, who is a teamster for Charles Bustin, was driving down Germain street, when at the corner of King and Germain streets the trace broke and the horse, a high spirited clipper, . . . 0 2 0-2 3 6

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#### BASEBALL.

#### NATIONAL LEAGUE

At Brooklyn—Chicago, 2; Brooklyn, 1 (11 innings).

At Philadelphia—Philadelphia, 5.

#### AMUSEMENTS.

#### PRINCESS OPEN TODAY.

The Princess will open today with a first-class programme of moving pictures. The Training of British Bluejackets, showing how the men are trained and drilled on a man-of-war. Are You an Elk? is one that is sure to please all members of secret societies, with the clean comedy in it.

Moving Dummy, a farce comedy of a dummy which has been buried hundreds of years and comes to life again. There will be a special matinee today for the children when Cinderella, the fairy story the children like to see and hear about. Each child attending the matinee today will receive free a package of choice candy.

#### CAPTIVATING SHOW AT NICKEL TODAY.

For pure summertime amusement, without sensationalism or cheap tawdriness the Nickel has a show today that will be enjoyed to the very limit by the hundreds of men, women and children sure to attend. The Hans Anderson fairy tale "Tinky, the Clever Princess," is truly a refreshing picture-number after a long absence of this kind of film and its gorgeous colorings.

#### FOLLOWED HER MOTHER'S EXAMPLE.

#### AND KEPT DR. FOWLER'S EXTRACT OF WILD STRAWBERRY IN THE HOUSE.

Mrs. W. J. Wilson, Tesler, Sask., tells of her experience in the following words: "I wish to tell you of the good I have found in Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry. Last summer my little girl, aged two years, was taken ill with Summer Complaint, and as my mother always kept Dr. Fowler's in the house, when I was a child, I seemed to follow her example, as I always have it also. I at once gave it to my baby as directed and she was at once relieved, and after a couple of doses were taken was completely cured."

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#### MAY NOT SELL LOTS AT PRINCE RUPERT THIS YEAR

VANCOUVER, B. C., July 24.—A hitch has occurred between the Grand Trunk Pacific and the provincial government in consequence of which it is doubtful if any Prince Rupert lots will be sold this year. The Grand Trunk Pacific asks for 17,000 feet of water front in a continuous line, while the government says this is all there is. Under the agreement the government is entitled to every fourth lot in the town site, and demand that this apply to the water front also. The result is a deadlock.

#### FISHERMEN RESCUED IN THE 'NICK OF TIME

HALIFAX, July 24.—Completely exhausted, having been without food or water for two days, two Gloucester fishermen, Neil Hawley and Alfredo N. Hawke, both of the American schooner Senator, who strayed from their vessel in the fog on the banks, were picked up by the Spanish training ship, Nautilus and brought to Halifax today. They are now being cared for aboard the ship, and will be turned over to the United States consul tomorrow.

FRIDAY and SATURDAY BARGAINS

In Men's Department

MEN'S \$14.00 PROGRESS BRAND SUITS... Sale Price \$9.98
MEN'S \$10.00 CANADIAN TWEED SUITS... Sale Price 5.98
MEN'S \$8.00 RAINCOATS... Sale Price 4.98

Shoe Department

LADIES \$4.00 TAN BAL... SALE \$2.98
LADIES \$4.00 TAN BAL... SALE \$2.98
LADIES \$2.00 OXFORDS... SALE \$1.43

Final Closing Sale of Ladies' Coats and Costumes

10 PANAMA SUITS, Blue, Black and Brown. Regular \$25.00 and \$30.00. To clear at \$12.00 to \$15.00
7 BROADCLOTH SUITS, that sold from \$30 to \$35; To clear at \$7.00 to \$13.50
15 MIXED TWEED SUITS, that sold from \$14.00 to \$20.00. To clear at \$7.00 to \$10.00

Don't Pass the Ground Floor for Goods Must be Sold to Make Room for Fall Stock

500 Pairs of Corsets to be Sold at Manufacturers' Prices

P. C. B and I, and D. and A. CORSETS, worth \$1.25, sale price... 88c
P. C. B and I, and D. and A. CORSETS, worth \$1.00, sale price... 75c
P. C. B and I, and D. and A. CORSETS, worth 75c, sale price... 55c

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Cynthia's Wedding Gown

By ANNE RICHARDSON TALBOT

(Continued.)

Mrs. Newton could not resist the opportunity. She put on her spectacles and held the dress up to the light, feeling its texture with critical fingers. But she was not to be appeased. "I'm ashamed of ye, Cynthia," she said. "I'm ashamed of ye, at your age, thinkin' so much of what's vanity of vanities, and that ain't sayin' Miss Cynthia. There had not been a hint of romance in her work-a-day life, but she was a woman, and her dreams were of love and youth. At last she fitted the dress to the pretty creature who was to wear it. When she covered the soft white neck and arms with the modest bodice, and saw the flower-like face look out above her handiwork, she saw also the possibilities of her own past youth. The making of this dress had brought to her a delight which even her mother's caustic tongue and the care brought by the old woman's falling were powerless to mar.

unfished gown. She mounted to the cold chamber where it was laid away and took the rose-scented folds from the drawer. As she did so she perfume brought a vague soft memory of summer-time and youth. She gathered the bundle in her arms and went swiftly down the stairs again, as if she distrusted her own strength of purpose. She lit another lamp, and seated herself at her work. At first it seemed irksome, but by degrees she enjoyed her labor, and presently it carried her away from the dull room, the eerie noises of the night, into the realm where the fairy prince may come even to those whose fate it is never to meet him in the flesh. From that day Miss Cynthia began to take a new interest in life. She dreaded the time when she must give up her wedding dress. It had become to her the essence of all things beautiful and bright, for it was the first thing of beauty in which she had ever dared to enjoy an unreserved pleasure. Yet the faintest stitches cannot take forever. The day came when Miss Cynthia was forced to relinquish her handiwork, and her dreams to one who had a better right to them. "It's been a power of company," she said, as she laid it lovingly on the owner's arms. "Seems as if I shan't know how to 'git long without it—'but land—what an' maid like me has got to do with clo's?"

fields. Habit was still so strong that she excused herself by frequent visits to her mother's grave, out in the bare and rugged pasture, yet even here spring was coming. The new short grass was green and the blue-jays flashed in and out among the bushes. Among the grave stones the young ferns were picking up their woolly heads and the buds were large upon the wild apple trees above them. In the distance the sea was very blue, and the sky, blue still, was flecked with downy little clouds. It was on one of these almost stolen pleasure trips that Miss Cynthia at last awoke. "I guess the dress begun it," she said. "And the green things and the blue-ys has finished it. Everything seems to be enjoyin' itself, and the Lord Almighty don't seem to have anythin' to say against it. If He don't, I don't know anythin' that has a right to, an' I'm goin' to take what pleasure I can git. 'Til He thinks I've had more'n is good for me."

When she reached home that afternoon the place looked gloomier than ever to her. Her first act was to throw open the windows and push back the creaking inside shutters, letting in the evening air and the glow of the setting sun. Then she prepared her evening meal. She spread upon the table her best linen and china, and brought out certain delicacies as if in ratification of her determination. After a time, however, the excitement died away. She grew a little listless in her loneliness. "I wish Mary Miles' dress was here for company," she sighed, and then fell into a brown study. A little later she roused herself to delve into secret places for the small amount of ready money she had on hand. All the next day Miss Cynthia was friendly visits. Now she sang as she worked, and, as surely as the magnet draws the steel, drew to herself suffering and the joyful too, each to find in her a new-born comradeship.

When Susie Pole was to be married the secret of the gray silk was revealed. For her there was no apparent possibility of elken fiery, and Susie was young, pretty and very human. She took her disappointment and her old white gown to Miss Cynthia. The little dressmaker's face broke into a delightful smile. "Susie, will you wear my wedding dress?" she asked, and while the girl stood speechless, there was spread before her the counterpart of the gown which had graced her companion in the spring. "Why, it's—it's Mary's dress!" she gasped. "No, it ain't Mary's," exclaimed Miss Cynthia, jubilantly. "It's mine." "Your's!" the girl hesitated. "Why, I didn't know you were thinkin' of gittin' married!" "An' it ain't likely I be, Susie, an' that's why I'm a-goin' to let you wear my wedding gown. That's what I did it for—it's for you an' them like you—an' it's a style that ain't a mite likely to go out."

For this territory, was through the parish today, in connection with his duties. TO TAKE OVER PROPERTIES PORTLAND, Me., July 24.—The trustees of the Portland water district today authorized the City Trust Company of Boston to put out public proposals for a temporary loan of \$1,000,000 for the purpose of acquiring the properties of the Portland Water Company and the Standish Water and Construction Company. It is understood that the trustees of the water district anticipate that they will be able to take over the properties of its water companies about August 10. SCH. REBECCA HUDDALL COLLIDES WITH STEAMER. NEW LONDON, Conn., July 22.—Schooner Rebecca W. Huddell, Capt. Ward, bound from St. John, N. B., for New York, was in collision in Long Island sound during the early morning hours with the steamer Bunker Hill. The steamer towed the schooner to the mouth of this harbor, where she was taken up by the tug R. M. Waterman and kept in port. The Bunker Hill went on and what damage she suffered has not been learned. The Huddell lost all of her headgear.

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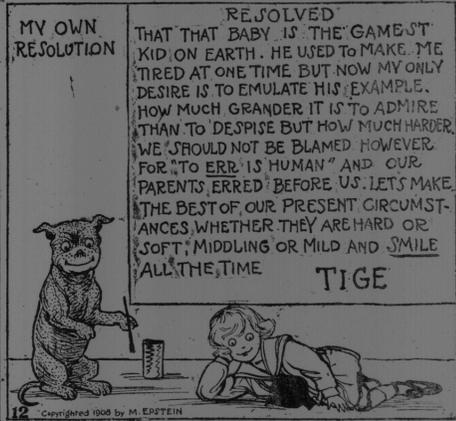
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The Quebec Tercentenary.



View of Quebec from Iles de la Cote, 1632.



Esplanade and Fortification in 1632.

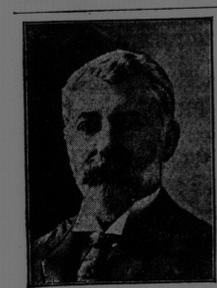
CANADA'S SURPLUS FOR THE YEAR \$19,413,054

Half a Million More Than Mr. Fielding Estimated. All Expenditures Except G. I. P. Paid Out of Revenue.

Total Revenue for the Year Was Over \$96,000,000.

Revenue for Year Shows a Falling Off Due to a Temporary Depression of Trade.

OTTAWA, July 24.—The finance department has handed out a final statement of the revenues and expenditures for the last fiscal year ending March 31. The total revenue was \$96,000,000, and the total expenditure on consolidated funds account was \$76,586,946. The surplus of revenue over ordinary expenditures is therefore \$19,413,054, or nearly \$20,000,000 more than was estimated by Hon. W. S. Fielding in his budget speech last March.



HON. W. S. FIELDING.

Canada paid out of revenue last year all the ordinary expenses of government and all expenditures on capital account, other than on the National Transcontinental, and even on this about \$4,000,000 was applied from revenue. The net debt at the close of the fiscal year was \$27,260,252.

ATTEMPT TO SAVE THE WALTZ. BERLIN, July 22.—The First International Dance Congress opened here today with delegates from seventeen countries present. One of the most important objects of the congress is to prevent the disappearance of the waltz, which it is declared is threatened with extinction.

WITTE AND RUSSIA. Believed That Country's Former Idol Will be Recalled.

Witte Not Enamored of Constitutionalism, But Says it is Needed.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 15.—The man who but a short while ago was the idol of the Russian masses, hailed as the hero of peace, and the savior of blood and tear stained Russia, the man who is more than any other responsible for the change that has come over Russia, for the so-called Constitution and the Duma—Count Sergius Witte—is not only no longer at the helm of the Russian government, but as his attitude toward the Amur Railroad question has shown, he stands almost alone even in the Council of the Empire. Nevertheless a strong feeling prevails everywhere that Count Witte's day is not yet done, that he will be recalled who are in a position to know believe that the ship of Russian affairs as steered at present cannot much longer evade the rocks.

A prominent Russian statesman, in speaking of Witte, said:—A mighty mind like Witte's cannot be downed for a long time, especially amid Russian official mediocrities. Even in falling he never loses himself, and he is bound to rise again.

Count Witte at his home on the Kamennostrovsky Prospect. His large study, furnished with carved, massive furniture, holds a collection of paintings and engravings of the rulers of Europe. A fine print of President Roosevelt occupies a conspicuous position. Above Mr. Roosevelt's picture is an etching of Lord Salisbury. Tsar Nicholas II, is there in different poses on the right of Witte's desk. A large painting of Alexander III. is on the left side, and the wall in front of his desk is almost entirely covered with the Count's ancestors. His huge desk was heaped with various books, and before him lay a copy of the speeches delivered at the Imperial Council on the Amur Railroad question.

Count Witte has aged considerably since his visit to America, and at first sight he gives the impression of a very old man. But as he speaks his eyes brighten up, the presence of a master mind is felt, and only at times when he spoke of death a note of hopelessness was faintly heard; showing the ephemeral nature of human greatness and power.

My first question was about the Duma. BEST DUMA YET. "The third Duma is the best we have had thus far," answered Count Witte slowly. "It is perhaps not intelligent enough, not sufficiently experienced, but it is better to have a Duma like this than to have no Duma at all."

AGAINST CONSTITUTION. "That is quite true, I am responsible for it," answered Count Witte. "This is a matter for the future historian. But let me explain to you what prompted me to decide that such a step was the only adequate one. Personally, I am opposed to such parliaments and constitutions. I do not like

all this talk—these disputes, these discussions these arguments. I am not a specialist in this line. Perhaps it is because I am a little too old, but I cannot adapt myself to the taste of the reading public. To me the younger Russian writers appear like order-while-you-wait which the public likes. These young men are suffering from the disease of the day. I am speaking of such writers as Gorky and Andreyev. Of course, Tolstoy is the greatest artist in the world, but his philosophy is absolutely childish. We read his native treatises on economic questions with interest, but everything he writes. Our younger writers are going through a period of decadence.

"How do you account for the decline in Russian literature during the past few years?" I asked. "How would you account, for instance, for the fact that the crops in France are sometimes good and sometimes poor? How would you account for the fact that we have Napoleon now? If we must account for it, we must account for it in Russian literature, even as the decline of the literature of other countries—for this decade has of late become the characteristic feature of almost all European literature—is due to the loss of the sense of technical development and growth. In my younger days perhaps 800 of every 1,000 men were busy with the mechanical arts. Nowadays it is quite different. I have just been playing with my greatest invention, an all-around mechanical device. I can remember when I was a child in Caucasia—the emotion I experienced when I first saw the device, the emotion I never ever created there."

"A flash of youthful brightness lit his face for a while. "No, no," he added after a pause; "you can't account for the decline of our literature even by the failure of Napoleon, no Washington now."

FUTURE OF RUSSIA. "What of the future of Russia? Do you think that the present situation will remain unchanged for some time, that there will be no fresh outbreaks?" "Russia was great and powerful, but I think that in time it will be no greater than it ever was. A country that is recovering from such a horrible, disastrous, stupid, criminal war as we had in a country with a future. There will, of course, be outbreaks from time to time. At times the waves of discontent will rise mountain high, and then they will sink again. For some time to come there will be a periodic rising and falling of the waves. And this indicates life. A smooth surface would be a sign of death. I cannot say definitely how soon this bright era will commence. Nor can I say that it will be during the war. Perhaps in fifteen years. Perhaps in five years. Perhaps even still sooner."

FREDERICKTON GIRL WINS GOOD PRIZE. In One of the New York Life's Popular Contests.

PAN-SLAVIC CONVENTION. "I understand that there is at present a Pan-Slavic Convention in Prague. What are your views as to the effects made in the direction of a federation of all Slavic nations?" "I regard this movement as of very slight importance. All that was characteristically Slavic in our religion and culture has been submerged in Western European culture, so that there is no longer anything distinctly peculiar to Slavic nations. The time when nations were actuated by ideals is past. Now nations are guided solely by their egoistical interest, not by ideals. The tendency among the Poles to join the Slavic federation and cling even to Russia is due simply to the setback they have received in Germany. But

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NASIS RELEASED AND SICILY'S GLAD.

Confined Ex-Minister Permitted to Undergo Imprisonment in His Own House.

ROME, July 24.—Signor Nunzio Nasi, the ex-minister of public instruction, who since his condemnation by the Senate for gross misappropriation of public funds had been allowed, on the score of delicate health, to undergo his imprisonment in his own residence in Rome, has been liberated. This form of imprisonment has provided a veritable martyrdom to the guards of carabinieri selected to watch over the ex-minister, as well as to the distinguished families residing in the same block of flats. Besides the guards on the staircase, two more in the courtyard below and a double patrol on the public path fronting the residence. Surpris inspections frequently took place by day and by night, to ascertain whether the police regulations were strictly observed. Sometimes the solitary guard on the stairs was found to have fallen asleep in discharging his monotonous duty, and was given a day's confinement on bread and water. The ex-minister will shortly travel to Trapani, where his Sicilian constituents are preparing a grandiose reception. There were enthusiastic public demonstrations in many parts of Sicily in honor of the released prisoner. The day's confinement on bread and water. The ex-minister will shortly travel to Trapani, where his Sicilian constituents are preparing a grandiose reception. There were enthusiastic public demonstrations in many parts of Sicily in honor of the released prisoner. The day's confinement on bread and water. The ex-minister will shortly travel to Trapani, where his Sicilian constituents are preparing a grandiose reception. There were enthusiastic public demonstrations in many parts of Sicily in honor of the released prisoner.

RUSSIAN LITERATURE.

Speaking of Russian Literature, Count Witte said: "I am not a specialist in this line. Perhaps it is because I am a little too old, but I cannot adapt myself to the taste of the reading public. To me the younger Russian writers appear like order-while-you-wait which the public likes. These young men are suffering from the disease of the day. I am speaking of such writers as Gorky and Andreyev. Of course, Tolstoy is the greatest artist in the world, but his philosophy is absolutely childish. We read his native treatises on economic questions with interest, but everything he writes. Our younger writers are going through a period of decadence."

BY CLEVER TRICK BRIGANDS MAKE HAUL.

Guests at Baron's Dancing Party Held Up and Robbed by Bogus Carabineers.

ROME, July 24.—Baron Remondini was giving a banquet to his friends at Brindisi Castle, in the San Vito Norman district, on the night of the week, when a gentleman dressed in hunting costume, appeared at the house and stated that he was tired and hungry. The Baron straightway asked him to join the banquet, and the guest at once took part in a small dance. Suddenly six mounted carabinieri, headed by a sergeant, appeared, and, in a moment, calling the Baron aside, said that he knew that the famous brigand, Suma, the terror of the San Vito district, was within, and, pointing out the strange guest, declared him to be the notorious brigand. The Baron, thankful at escaping danger, asked the carabinieri to stay and have supper and then join the dance, which they did. In the middle of the proceedings, however, the carabinieri suddenly drew revolvers and threatened all present with death unless they at once delivered up all their money and jewelry. There present eventually yielded up about \$20,000 worth of valuables.

CRESCENTS WON FROM MARATHONS.

HALIFAX, N. S., July 24.—Five hundred persons saw the Crescents defeat the St. John Marathons on the Wanderers' grounds this afternoon by a score of 23 to 4.

TODAY IS BLOUO DAY.

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Again last night at the Blouo Senor Chauvin held the large audience spell-bound with his double mystery. The Senora, after being placed in the sealed bag in the trunk, which was heavily locked and sealed, made her escape before a person could count three and upon the opening of the trunk the bag taken out and unsealed to the amazement of everybody the Senor appeared. This is a truly wonderful piece of magic and one which all should see. But among the other wonderful things is the talking hand. This hand, the original of the famous play and is seen in six acts. Mr. David Higgins' rendition of that "Death of a Clown" was worth the price of admission itself. In all, the show now on at the Blouo far surpasses any yet put on in this city at the price.

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HEAD OF RAILWAY WORKERS IN TOWN.

Robert P. Neil Will Address Big Mass Meeting Tomorrow.

Robert P. Neil, the international grand president of the Brotherhood of Railway Employees, arrived in the city yesterday. He will hold a mass meeting for railroad men, union and non-union, in the Foresters' Hall, Charlotte street, at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. At this meeting J. W. Clark of Montreal, first vice, will speak. The meeting will be principally on matters connected with the Brotherhood. While in Canada, Mr. Neil will adjust all local schedules in Montreal, which will be his headquarters. He expects to be in the provinces about six weeks.

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### LOCAL NEWS

Pigeon's blue serge suits for men and young men are the greatest values of the season—\$9.75 to \$12.75.

The Artillery Band will meet at their room on Sunday morning at ten o'clock in plain clothes and with instruments.

Mrs. I. E. Fitzgerald will receive at her residence, 174 King street east, on Wednesday and Thursday, July 29th and 30th.

Registrar J. B. Jones announces that there were fourteen births during the week. Nine were males. There were seven marriages.

Rev. Dr. George Kierstead, who is supplying Victoria Street Baptist, and Rev. Gideon Swin, of Waterloo street Baptist church will exchange pulpits tomorrow morning.

Master Elvin Cameron, son of Capt. Cameron, of the schooner Wilfrid C. of St. John, met with a painful accident this morning while receiving a mail at VanWart's ice house on Campbell street while getting some tea to take down to the schooner. The mail cut him painfully on the nose and he came near losing an eye.—Gleaner.

Provincial Secretary Fleming is here on departmental business and is incidentally getting the shipments of school books to be sold at the greatly reduced prices started off to the vendors. The first delivery was made yesterday, when 2,000 scribbles were turned over to B. J. Griffiths, one of the local vendors. The first requisition for books which was received came from Coun. Skene at McAdam. Shipments to vendors are now being made ready and will be sent out by C. P. R. and I. C. R. in the course of a day or two.—Gleaner.

It is expected that the new river steamer for the route between Fredericton and Woodstock will be constructed at St. John. There has been some talk of building the boat here, but it has been thought that St. John would be the most convenient as the machinery would have to be put in there. The boat will be a stern wheeler and will likely cost close to \$10,000. A meeting of the company being organized by Mr. Robert Scott, of Fundries, will be held in a short time, having been delayed a little.—Gleaner.

It is expected that next week application will be made in the York County Probate Court to have Mr. Maclock Coy appointed administrator of the estate of the late Miss Catherine Coy, who died recently at Montreal. The late Miss Coy left an estate valued at about \$10,000, consisting largely of real estate in the city. There are in all twenty-one heirs to the estate and on account of it being difficult to obtain the addresses of several of the heirs, who are believed to be living in the United States, there has been some delay in applying for letters of administration for Mr. Coy, who is a solicitor for the deceased. One of the heirs to the estate is the grandmother of the Marchioness of Darnley, who resides in England.—Gleaner.

Mr. Guy C. Dunn, the well known railroad engineer and formerly in charge of the engineering work in this province for the Intercolonial Railway, was at the Queen Hotel last evening and went out to Cross Creek today to look over the site there. Mr. Dunn recently gave up his position in the government employ and he is now the engineer in charge of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company's interests in this province. It is his intention to open an office in St. John in the near future and he will have a small staff working with him. Mr. Dunn's family, who have many friends here, are now in Ottawa but will return to St. John in a short time.—Gleaner.

### PERSONAL

Mr. C. Allison Hallett will leave by the evening train for Montreal after a very pleasant visit with Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Treuman and Mrs. Hallett, at Moncton.

Mr. Wm. B. Scarcliff, Asst.-Supt. of the London Life, leaves on this evening's train for London, Ont., where he will be joined by Mrs. Scarcliff and children. Together they will visit Detroit, Niagara and Toronto, returning to London to enjoy the holiday week with the London Old Boys.

Mr. and Mrs. William Dunlavy, of Montreal, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A. Alexander, 45 Golding St.

Miss Johnston, of London, Eng., who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Hipwell, for the past year, left for Montreal last evening to take steamer for home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Lockhart and the Misses Lockhart, of St. John were passengers to the city by the Victoria yesterday. They brought a horse and carriage with them and have arranged to drive home.—Herald.

### POLICE COURT.

In the police court this morning two drunks were dealt with in the usual way.

Wm. Melanson was charged with being drunk on Chesley street, and charged by Frederick Melanson with wilfully breaking a window in his house. The prisoner was fined \$3 or one month for the drunkenness, and \$20 or two months for breaking the window.

Harold Eccleston and Robert Griffin were charged with deserting from the steamer Manchester Commerce on the 2nd. They were remanded.

James Moore, a small boy, was charged with throwing stones on Brussels street and breaking a window in Mrs. Belyea's shop. He was allowed to go on a promise to repairing the window.

One of the drunks was an old woman who was remanded until her daughter can be communicated with.

### TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION.

WANTED—As Principal, from 1st day of September next, qualified Grammar School Teacher. Address J. H. PEAT, Secretary of School Trustees, A'dover, Victoria County. 25-1-2.

### LITTLE LINCOLN GIRL FOOLED HER PARENTS

Fourteen Year Old Beulah Wilson Skipped Out and Married David Grass.

FREDERICTON, July 24—Mr. and Mrs. James Wilson, who reside at the Victoria Mills, this city, received quite a rude jolt last evening on learning that their fourteen year old daughter, Miss Beulah Wilson, had run away and had become the wife of Mr. David Grass, of Lincoln, who is her assior by about sixteen years. They had not the slightest idea that the marriage was to take place, otherwise they would have taken steps to prevent it. Although it is against the law to issue a marriage license where the girl is under age, without the consent of her parents, it seems to have been done in this case, and it is the intention of Mr. Wilson, possibly, to sue out why it was done.

The nuptial knot was tied yesterday afternoon by Rev. Dr. McLeod, of this city, who appears to have accepted without question the bride's statement that she was eighteen years of age. When Mr. Wilson learned of the marriage last evening he proceeded straightway to Grass' home at Lincoln and demanded that his daughter or rather his child, be restored to him. Grass, however, claimed that he was legally married to her, and refused to give her up. Mr. Wilson threatened him with the law, but the bridegroom refused to scare worth a cent, and clung to his blushing bride. Just the same Mr. Wilson before retiring from the scene, told Grass what he thought of him in pretty plain language.

Mr. Wilson expressed great indignation over the affair. He said that both he and his wife were taken completely by surprise by the announcement of the marriage. His daughter had only known Grass about two weeks, and he never had the remotest idea that she intended marrying him. Had he been the least bit suspicious, he would certainly have taken steps to prevent the union.

When Mr. Wilson seemed to be greatly worked up over the affair, and talked of instituting legal proceedings against Grass, and also the clergyman who had tied the knot.

### "WHERE, OH WHERE, IS MY LITTLE BOAT GONE?"

The Sad Wail of a Member of the R.K.Y.C.—Mystery Surrounds a Novel Monument in a Lonely Graveyard.

One of the members of the R. K. Y. C. who was on the river on the recent cruise, left behind him a monument that will, for a time at any rate, perpetuate his memory among the residents on one section of the river. The yachtsman took with him on the cruise a little cat boat to use in excursions away from the yacht. During the earlier part of the cruise he got a great deal of comfort out of the use of the boat. One night the boat mysteriously disappeared. Efforts to locate it were unavailing and the rest of the cruise had to be finished minus the cat boat, while the yachtsman bemoaned his loss and wondered where his boat had gone to.

His wonder as to where the boat had gone was only equalled by the mystery which it caused at the place at which it arrived. For the next Sunday when the people of a certain district turned out to attend church service they found a monument that was new to them.

Perched high on a flat tomb stone was a natty little cat boat. The seat was set and was flapping mournfully in the breeze. On the side was painted in his letter: "In loving memory of ———" giving the name of the one time owner of the boat.

There is a deep dark suspicion in some minds that certain members of the Yacht Club knew how that monument was erected.

### MR. STOREY SAYS PAGEANT WAS GRAND TO BE SEEN

John K. Storey, who returned last night from Quebec, is very enthusiastic about the Tercentenary celebration which he witnessed while away. Mr. Storey, talking to the Star this morning, said he has crossed the ocean a dozen times but never had he seen anything approaching this.

He arrived just in time for the arrival of the Prince of Wales, which he witnessed from a good position. He was much impressed by the immense guard of honor which lined the streets through which the Prince passed.

On Thursday morning he witnessed the review on the Plains of Abraham of 18,000 infantry and 2,500 mounted troops. The troops took an hour and a quarter to pass the reviewing stand.

In the afternoon Mr. Storey witnessed the presentation of the civic address of welcome to the Prince and then the historical pageants. This, as Mr. Storey expressed it, contained all kinds of people, natural Indians and folk in fancy costumes. "It was grand to be seen," he said. Mr. Storey was greatly struck by the order maintained by the immense crowds. While in Quebec he did not see a drunk or disorderly person on the streets. When asking in-formation from strangers he was frequently answered with a shrug of the shoulders, which indicated to him that he was up against a Frenchman.

The crowd of visitors overtaxed the capacity of the hotels and Mr. Storey feared that if it had not been for the tented city he would have had to spend the nights on the streets.

Mr. Storey summed up his impressions of the celebration in the words: "It was a sight long to be remembered."

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