

LLOYD GEORGE BRINGS IN BRITISH BUDGET

Great Britain's Estimated Revenue is \$908,580,000 and Expenditures of \$906,170,000--Will Use \$7,500,000 to Fight White Plague--Chancellor Makes a Good Showing.

London, May 16.—Chancellor Lloyd George presented the budget in the House of Commons today. About the only novelty it contained is a proposal to pay members of the House of Commons travelling allowances or any a benefit to all ministers already drawing salaries.

tenure of office, the chancellor declares he had paid off \$130,000,000 of the national debt, while it has been reduced \$350,000,000 since the Liberals had assumed power. The chancellor said he had reached the conclusion that the prospects of a continuance of good trade were excellent as the trade barometer stood "set fair."

WHY DIDN'T HE WATCH



FARMERS WILL FIGHT IN THE FARMERS' BANK CASE

They will Put Up a Strong Case Against the Enforcement of the Double Liability Claim -- Mr. Fielding and Sir Richard Cartwright will be Subpoenaed as Witnesses -- Will Take Case to Privy Council, if Necessary.

Toronto, May 16.—William Laidlaw, K. C., who is handling the Farmers' Bank case for the Halton county farmers, stated today that a strong fight would be put up against the double liability claim.

Messrs. Elliott and Hollinrake, the other leaders in the resistance movement, arrived in Toronto today to confer with Mr. Laidlaw.

The purpose of the Halton victims is to contest the legality of the demands made by the creditors of the bank on the bold assertion that the Farmers' Bank never legally existed.

CARLETON CO. VILLAGE HAS A BAD FIRE

Fire Originating through a Defective Flue did Much Damage in Village of Peel Yesterday Afternoon.

Hartland, May 16.—The village of Peel, about four miles above Hartland, on the C. P. R., was the scene of a destructive fire today which started at noon in Herbert Clark's house owing to a burning flue. A high wind was blowing at the time and the fire extended south along the railway track, destroying Clark's house, about 2,000,000 laths belonging to Craig and Clark, Harry Corey's house, W. W. Melville's barn, Manzer Clark's barn, Archie Hatfield's house, Thos. McCrea's house and barn, and a house and barn on Dr. Macintosh's farm occupied by John Thomas.

THE MEXICAN PEACE TERMS ABOUT READY

U. S. Commander on Border Says Armistice will be Agreed on in 24 Hours--Madero's Demands Heavy.

Washington, D. C., May 16.—President Diaz of Mexico probably will resign in two months, according to a telegram received at the White House tonight from Col. Steever, in command of the U. S. troops at El Paso. The telegram follows: "Prospects for peace brighter today, an armistice will probably be agreed upon in 24 hours. Madero demands four places in the cabinet, one of them secretary of war, and 14 governorships. Mexican government agrees to give him Gobernacion and Justice, and possibly one other, while the secretary of war is to be chosen jointly by the two parties. Madero will likely get ten governorships. Diaz to resign after new governors appointed, probably in two months. This is the latest fairly reliable information I can procure."

THEY WANTED TO BE BRIBED

Three Ohio Politicians are Indicted for Offering to Sell their Votes on Important Legislation.

Columbus, Ohio, May 16.—Senator Edgar T. Crawford of Carroll County and Representative A. Clark Lowry of Lawrence County, Republicans, and Representative Owen J. Evans of Stark County, Democrat, were indicted today by the grand jury for bribery solicitation. Crawford is alleged to have asked \$200 from W. H. Cook of Springfield, secretary of the Ohio Butchers and Growers Association, in connection with trading stamp legislation. Lowry, against whom an indictment had previously been returned, is now charged with soliciting \$1,500 from Opha Moore, secretary of the Ohio Manufacturers' Association, for his vote on the nine hour day for women bill. Evans is alleged to have solicited a bribe of \$500 from John V. Welles of Canton, Ohio, secretary of the Stark Tuganawaw breweries for his vote in one of the city local option bills.

MAY REOPEN QUESTION OF BANK ACCOUNT

More Suggestions as to Source of Hon. Frank Oliver's \$70,000 May Lead to Widening of the Enquiry.

Ottawa, May 16.—The committee appointed by parliament to enquire into the charges against Hon. Frank Oliver will meet tomorrow morning for organization purposes. The committee was appointed to deal with the suggestion made by the Toronto World that the Canadian Northern Railway was responsible for the deposits placed to Mr. Oliver's bank account in Edmonton. Since then, however, other suggestions as to the source of the money have been made in the public press, including an allegation that the money came from the Tuganawaw, and it is probable that the question will be reopened in the House and a motion made to widen the scope of the inquiry to include these other suggestions. It is scarcely likely that anything further than organization of the committee will be accomplished before the adjournment of parliament.

RIOTING IN A MEXICAN CITY

Drunken Rebels Dynamite and Loot Banks in Pachuca, and Terrorize the Inhabitants of the City.

Mexico City, May 16.—Rioting and pillage occurred at Pachuca during the early hours of today following the surrender of the city to revolutionaries. The rebels became drunk and looted the banks. Pachuca is a mining city of 40,000 population, the capital of the State of Hidalgo and is 60 miles northeast of Mexico City. Mexico City, May 16.—The city of Pachuca is quiet this evening, but business is at a standstill. All of the banks have been wrecked though the vaults are still intact. The state records and other governmental documents have been burned. Joaquin Gonzalez, the citizen who has been named provisional governor, by the rebels, has been imprisoned by the government. The rebels stormed the city and succeeded in liberating the prisoner. The governor later was captured in the office of the Jefe Politico, and he now is held a prisoner.

GREAT BRITAIN WILL HAVE TRADE AGENTS IN CANADA

Five Correspondents to be Appointed to Report to British Government on Matter of Trade in Dominion.

Montreal, May 16.—That five imperial trade correspondents whose duties will consist of reporting to the British government, through the British trade commissioners' office here, upon trade matters in the Dominion of Canada, have been appointed is the announcement made by Mr. E. Griggs, British trade commissioner for Montreal. Mr. E. A. Saunders, secretary of the Board of Trade at Halifax, is to be maritime province representative among them. The object of this move is the furtherance of friendly trade relationships between the mother country and the Dominion. Mr. Griggs leaves today for England in the interests of the British Canadian trade affair.

HON. W. C. H. GRIMMER LEAVES FOR BOSTON TO SEE SPECIALIST

The Surveyor General will Undergo Treatment--Valuable Trees Burned near St. Stephen.

St. Stephen, May 16.—Hon. W. C. H. Grimmer, Surveyor General, left last evening for Boston to consult specialists. Dr. W. M. Dolanstedt accompanied him. The Surveyor General has suffered for over a week from a severe attack of gall stones. The Old Hill homestead at Milltown, occupied by Robert and Roland Hill, was badly damaged by fire which caught on the roof soon after noon today. A strong wind prevailed and the fire was very threatening for a time, the St. Stephen department being called to the aid of the Hilltown firemen. The loss by fire and water will amount to over \$1,000, but is covered by insurance. A fire supposed to have been set by a C.P.R. locomotive, broke out this afternoon on the Valley Road about five miles from town. Fanned by a strong wind it spread rapidly, but the men fighting it expect to have it under control before morning.

A NEW RECORD FOR RAPID AIR FLIGHT

Aviator Attained Height of 1000 Feet in Less than Five Minutes--Will Try for Distance Record.

Bony, Department of Marine, France May 16.—A new record for rapidity of ascension was made today by Lieut. Menard in his new army aeroplane "Tour de France," which he was trying out in the view of the aviation commission of the army. Menard attained a height of 1,000 feet in four minutes and 40 seconds. He will leave tomorrow on a tour of France, and will take a passenger in an attempt to lower the world's distance record. The tour is planned to cover 2,000 miles.

PROVINCES IN FOR EARL GREY TROPHY

His Excellency Suggests Provincial Musical and Dramatic Competitions with Best in Grand Dominion Contest.

Ottawa, May 16.—His Excellency the governor general attended a meeting at Rideau Hall, the executive committee of the Earl Grey musical and dramatic trophy competition. It was decided, in view of the success which has attended these competitions for the past five years and on the suggestion of Earl Grey, that trophies shall be awarded by the committee for provincial competitions in future years and that the best of the provincial companies shall compete for the federal trophy. Three federal trophies are now prepared, one dramatic, one orchestral, and one for chorus. The next federal competition will probably be held in Ottawa, and it is hoped that His Royal Highness the Duke of Connaught will be present.

BEIJING WILL BE THE THIRD CITY

Greater Berlin will have Population of Close to 3,500,000--Next to London and New York.

Berlin, May 16.—The Prussian Diet today adopted the greater Berlin bill, which will combine the capital and the suburban municipalities forming a metropolitan area with a population close to 3,500,000. This union will move Berlin from the sixth to the third position among the great cities of the world in point of population. The city would rank next to London and New York.

THE SEARATE DEBATES THE VALLEY RAILWAY

Senator Thompson Vigorously Defends Proposal in Reply to Attacks by Senator Power, of Halifax, who Sees in Construction of Road Added Trade for St. John.

Ottawa, May 16.—In moving the second reading in the Senate of the bill to authorize Canada to lease the Valley Railway of New Brunswick, Sir Richard Cartwright stated that the proposal was somewhat unusual one. The province proposed to build a line of railway down the Valley of the St. John river from Plaster Rock to St. John and the Dominion government was to lease it. The road had not yet been built, but the passage of the bill was a preliminary to construction. "The experiment is an interesting one and all parties will be delighted, I am sure, if a railroad can be operated anywhere in that part of Canada for sixty per cent. of the gross earnings."

Senator Thompson in reply said the Intercolonial was now running into Fredericton, and that was a good reason for arranging for the operation of the northern section. So far from that part of the country being gridlocked with railways there were 140 miles not served by a railroad. This is an untapped productive and prosperous portion of the country, which was at one time served by steamboats and stage coaches. That service had been wiped out by the construction of a railroad 25 miles back which had taken part of the business. When the national Transcontinental was projected New Brunswick did not think this road would have to be built in this way. The project was to build the National Transcontinental down the valley of the St. John river from Grand Falls to Woodstock. Instead of this being done, the influence of Nova Scotia had pulled the National Transcontinental out, away from a route down a fertile valley containing 50 to 60,000 people and had run it through a wilderness, across the height of land where there was not a single inhabitant, and over a route which rivalled the Eiffel tower for dizzy treacle work. The road would go through the hills over thousands of feet of roadbed, hundreds of feet high and with all this there had to be a pusher grade on what should have been a level line. These were some of the reasons which lead the province and the Dominion to unite for the purpose of rectifying a grave mistake and giving railroad service to one of the most prosperous portions of Canada. The bill was given a second reading.

OPIMUM FOUND IN MONTREAL

Seventy-five Parcels of Drug Seized by Vancouver in Bond, Seized by Officials--Arrests will Follow.

Montreal, May 16.—Following the apprehension of Yee Deck Chung, of this city as he was about to leave town this morning for having with him a 10 pound can of opium which he was about to smuggle into the United States, D. J. O'Grady, customs inspector had a careful investigation made of all suspicious looking packages consigned here from the west, and discovered 75 pounds of the drug, which was found in a box sent from Vancouver in bond. The consignment has been held up until the federal authorities have been communicated with as to it is not known whether it is legal for the local authorities to confiscate a shipment passing through here in bond. It is not known whether the drug was originally smuggled into Canada from China or whether it is the product of some of the western coast factories which were ordered to shut down some time ago. For some time past officials in the baggage department here have noticed the large number of packages arriving from Vancouver consigned to local Chinese, but as many Chinese have been coming to Montreal lately, and as their belongings are packed in all kinds of boxes, little attention was paid to this. Information from Pittsburg where the plot was first discovered, shows that the Montreal press messenger who was arrested there who had been acting as the agent for dealers in the drug has given valuable information to inspectors Fikins which will lead to the apprehension of several people in New York. Mr. Fitzgibbon of the United States customs department arrived in the city today and will confer with Vice-Consul German and the local authorities as to the best plan to be adopted to stamp out the traffic.

SHORT OF CASH KILLS HIMSELF

L. J. R. Daley Cut His Throat in Montreal Boarding House--He was a Native of Quebec.

Montreal, May 16.—Financial troubles are thought to have derailed the mind of L. J. R. Daley, 25, of Quebec for his committed suicide by cutting his throat in a rooming house in St. Denis street. He was alive at 2 o'clock this morning, but at 7 his body was found. Several times last night he went down stairs and asked the landlady about a cheque. He wanted to know if somebody had called bringing a cheque for him. He was nervous and apparently distressed and the last time he went up stairs, he declared he could not stand it. He only took the room yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The body was taken to the morgue to await instructions from relatives in Quebec. He lived at 192 St. Marguerite street there.

FOREST FIRES IN PENNSYLVANIA

Pittsburg, May 16.—The forest fires continued to burn fiercely today in Northwestern Pennsylvania, and in portions of Maryland, and West Virginia. At Ridgeway, Pa., despite the light being made by 4,000 men the flames are spreading. In West Virginia, from Kingsville to Coalton, the flames have swept everything before them. Bellington is surrounded by fire and the people have suspended all work and are combatting the flames. Customs Inspector Murphy, of New York having investigated the conditions here, returned to New York today. No further stores of opium have been discovered here despite a rigorous search but from documentary evidence in the hands of the authorities, it is known that large shipments have come here all of which could not as yet have been either used or smuggled across the border.

FORGERS ARRESTED

Liverpool, May 16.—Erlia Stooche and Chio Alexis, Bulgarians, who are wanted in America on a charge of forgery, and grand larceny, were arrested here today upon the arrival of the Lusitania upon which they were passengers. The men were committed in the Bow street court for extradition. Stooche had in his possession a large sum of gold.



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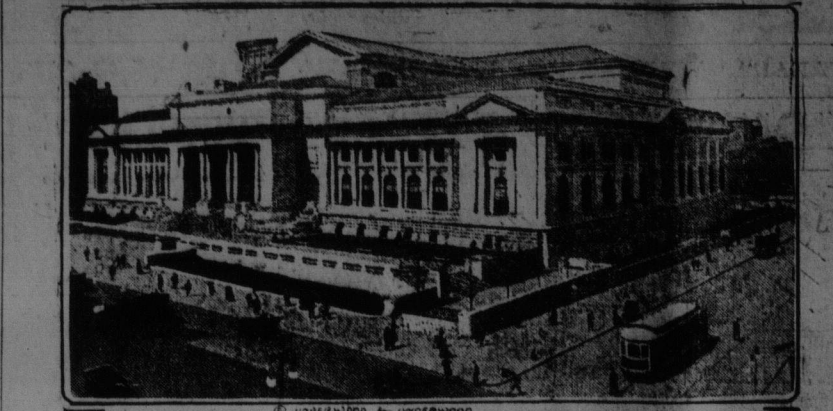
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### Umbrellas Are Re-Covered

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## NEW LIBRARY COST \$21,000,000--26 TIMES THE PRICE OF ALL THE BOOKS IT CONTAINS



New York, N. Y., May 16.—It has cost \$21,000,000 to build New York's new public library, now ready for use. The beautiful white structure of marble standing on ground worth \$10,000,000 at Fifth avenue and Forty-second street, is the most striking of all the beautiful buildings along the world-famed thoroughfare. It occupies 290 feet on Fifth ave., covers a portion of Bryant park and is surrounded by a terraced garden.

Work was begun on the building in 1899. It has been roofed over since 1906 but the task of completing the interior was tremendous.

The reading room, the largest in the world, is 294 feet long, 77 feet wide and 50 feet high. There are 210 smaller rooms.

The library owns a million and a half volumes but the new building will accommodate three and a half million volumes.

In addition to this library there are 32 branch libraries provided by a Carnegie fund of \$5,000,000, and 18 more are to be constructed.

With \$22,000,000 in use for library buildings alone, it will be seen that reading in New York is a luxury. It costs almost 26 times the value of the books to house them. When maintenance and operation of the libraries is added it is estimated that it costs about 30 times the price of the book to keep it on hand for public reading.

### LATE SHIPPING

New York, N. Y., May 16.—Arrived—Schr's Annie Crowell, Ingram Docks, N. S.; Caledonia, Musquodohoi, N. S.; G. M. Cochrane, Bridgewater, N. S.

Vineyard Haven, May 16.—Arrived—Schr Loyal, Halifax, N. S.

Rockland, Me., May 16.—Arrived—Schr Peter G. Schultz, New York.

Norfolk, Va., May 16.—Sailed—Str Nordstjemen, Three Rivers and Montreal.

Delaware Breakwater, May 16.—Sailed—Schr Monama, St. John, N. B.

New York, N. Y., May 16.—Sailed—Schr's Unity and Helen Montague, Campbellton, N. B.

Vineyard Haven, May 16.—Sailed—Schr Conrad S. St. John, N. B.

Portsmouth, N. H., May 16.—Sailed—Schr's Almedia Milley, St. John, N. B., for New York; Ravola, Windsor, N. S. for New York; St. Bernard, Parrboro, N. S. for New York; Rhoda Holmes, Sand River, N. S. for New York.

### FAVORS EXTENSION OF ALBERT RAILWAY

Moncton Board of Trade Adopts Resolution and will Forward it to H. R. Emmerson—Officers Elected.

Special to The Standard.

Moncton, May 16.—The annual meeting of the Board of Trade was held this evening when the following officers were chosen:—Hon. C. W. Robinson, president, re-elected; J. E. Masters, vice-president; Thomas Williams, secretary-treasurer; council, J. H. Harris, F. W. Sumner, E. C. Cole, R. Clark, M. Lofie, F. E. Whipple, J. A. Marven, A. H. Jones. The board is in a very healthy condition having a membership of 167, the largest in its history.

Railway matters came in for considerable attention, and a resolution was adopted favoring the extension of the Salisbury and Albert railway to Moncton in one direction, and to Herrington Cove in the other. It was decided to send a copy of this resolution to Hon. H. R. Emmerson, and a committee was appointed to lay the matter before the government if necessary. An important statement was made by President Robinson that the high government railway officials favored the taking over of the Moncton and Buctouche railway and its extension to Richibucto, and the closing down of the Kent Northern, which at present runs from Kent Junction, on the I. C. R., to Richibucto. This would also mean the taking over of the Kent Northern by the government, but the idea is to effect economy in the management, as there is better local traffic on the Kent Northern.

At the annual meeting of the Moncton Amateur Athletic Association to-night the following officers were elected:—President, J. G. Wray; vice-president, W. N. Rippey; treasurer, A. Duro; secretary, C. M. Lockhart; assistant secretary, J. D. McBeath; managing committee, C. B. Trues, A. C. Selig, Robert Mackay, H. J. Grott, Neil McBeath.

The first sporting event of the season will be the annual baseball match with St. Joseph's college on Victoria Day.

### STANDARD OIL MEN MAY BE PROSECUTED

Washington, May 16.—Attorney General Wickersham may consider criminal prosecutions of the officials of the Standard Oil Company. It was learned today that some of the officials of the government hold that there is opportunity for such a proceeding under the decision given by the Supreme Court yesterday.

CONFIRMATION IN SUSSEX CHURCH.

Special to The Standard.

Sussex, May 16.—A very large congregation attended the confirmation service in Trinity church this evening when Rev. Canon Neals presented to confirmation—14 girls and 16 boys. Some of these were from Trinity church and the others from the Church of Ascension at Apohaqui.

The Bishop preached an interesting sermon, taking his text from the parable of the Sowers.

H. D. Buchanan, who was operated on for appendicitis on Saturday by Drs. Burnitt and Pearson, is doing well.

Mrs. Richard Battey who underwent an operation at the hospital is reported to be improving.

### A STORM IN A TEA CUP.

London, May 16.—Frank Lascelles, master of the festival of the Empire pageant, in an interview today, with reference to the structure in the Canadian parliament because of the omission of the Battle of Chateaugay, said that it was a storm in a tea cup. The abandonment of the scene, he asserted, was not due to the fear of American feeling, but the result of the conclusion reached by the Canadian committee that the episode was not typical of Canadian life.

### \$200,000 HOTEL BURNED.

Stroudsburg, Pa., May 16.—Fire today destroyed the Montanese, the largest hotel in the Pocono mountains. The loss is estimated at \$200,000. The hotel which was located near the Delaware water gap, had a fashionable following. The cause of the fire is unknown.

### KING DINES THE KAISER.

London, May 16.—The King and Queen today gave a large dinner party at Buckingham palace in honor of the Emperor and Empress of Germany.

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Per Rev. Dr. Flanders: E. Ramsay, Deber, N. B. . . . 1.00

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Mr. Byron Coutthard . . . 50

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Mrs. W. Richards . . . 1.10

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### STREET RAILWAY COMPANY EXTENSION IN THE COUNTY

Municipal Council will Hold Special Meeting to Consider Application—Other Matters will be Considered.

A special meeting of the Municipal Council will probably be held next week to deal with the report of the committee appointed to consider the application of the St. John Street Railway for permission to extend its tracks along the Old Westmorland road to Lee's brickyard, and also to the rear gate of Fernhill. The report of the committee was ready at the regular meeting of the council held recently, but owing to pressure of business was not dealt with. By the agreement made with the committee the Street Railway has undertaken to pay over to the Highway Board of the Parish of Simonds a sufficient sum to keep the highway in repair, to make regular connections with its city service and grant transfers to all parts of the main system and vice versa. In case of heavy snow storms the company undertakes to operate sleighs from the main line to Mount Pleasant avenue, Crouchville.

There are a number of other matters laid over from the last meeting which it is proposed to take up at the special meeting. Coun. J. M. Donovan has his annual report on the work of the chain gang ready, and it will contain several recommendations regarding the advisability of securing a farm to put the prisoners to work on, which may lead to quite a discussion, if not to any definite action.

The question of revising the system of taxation along the single tax idea, taking taxes off of industry and improvements, in one of the subjects on the order paper, and it is expected it will cause some discussion, as some of the members of the council have recently been gathering information as to the way the land tax has operated in Western cities.

### PUGILISTS ARE NEVER SATISFIED

It is pretty generally agreed that they "never come back" in this strenuous sporting life, and the same holds good in various other lines of endeavor. But, if they ever come back, very few athletes and performers quit the public gaze while at their best. Who, for instance, can recall an unbeaten, retired champion of the prize ring? There was not a heavyweight champion since Sullivan's time—and John L. himself is included in the list—who did not declare after each successful fight that he was out of the ring for good; that he would permit others to compete for the honors he had held. Yet, with the exception of a light weight named Norton, who flourished nearly forty years ago, The Old Sport in Philadelphia Inquirer cannot recall an undefeated champion at any weight. Jeffries threatened to be the exception to the rule so far as heavy weights were concerned, but he fell to the glitter of the glittering gold, and instead of being the glitziest of all time, as he would have been had he declined to meet Johnson, knowing that he was physically incapable of coping with him, he will always be held in contempt by the sporting public for his miserable part in the monumental barney at Reno on the Fourth of July last.

Corbett, it will be recalled, pretended to retire, and transferred the title to Peter Maher, after Steve O'Donnell, of Australia, had demonstrated that he was about the biggest quince that ever got hooked up in the fighting game, but the Gentlemanly One forgot all about his resolutions when he thought he saw a chance to pick some easy money with Fitzsimmons. What Fitz did to James is now a matter of history. Fitz himself assured The Old Sport at Coney Island before his first fight with Jeffries that after he had licked the big boiler maker he was going to retire. Fitz got as much coin for losing that fight as he would have had if he had not retired afterward, did you? On the contrary, he went right at his merry old game until his tools played out, and practically closed his fighting career at the Washington club in Philadelphia in a miserable exhibition with Johnson. And the history of the big fellows is practically the history of the champions at the lighter weights.

A new arrival in beautiful white Milan hats of fine texture and graceful modish design is attracting considerable attention at Marr's, whose advertisement appears on page 2. These, with Marr's popular black straw sailors, should form part of every feminine wardrobe. The Marr people are also showing some recent importations in dainty silk ribbons and floral millinery trimming.

### THE ROYAL SOCIETY MEETING IN OTTAWA

Prominent Men from all over Canada Present at Convention which Opened Yesterday—Reports Received.

Ottawa, May 16.—The thirtieth annual session of the Royal Society of Canada opened this morning in the Carnegie Library. The annual report being received, several resolutions were passed and new ones made. Prominent men from all over the Dominion are present, with Prof. James Wright of Toronto presiding. The meeting will continue until Thursday. Motions were passed retiring with their titles, Rev. Dr. H. Penhall-K. Laffan and Prof. D. H. Penhall-K. Laffan. It was also decided that the Royal Society should place a suitably inscribed tablet in the interior of the Memorial Tower at Halifax to commemorate the establishment of representative government in Nova Scotia. Another resolution expressed the society's interest in the establishment of a world system of state owned cables touching only British territory. The matter of reform of the calendar was referred to as a subject that would commend itself to governments, but no resolution was made. The appointment of committees of the British Association for the advancement of science and the Royal Society is resolved. The treasurer's report showed receipts of \$6,193 and an expenditure of \$5,231. The formation of new sections of the society will be brought up later on in the sessions.

### REMOVING LUNATICS FROM TORONTO JAIL

Hon. W. J. Hanna is Working on a Plan to Relieve the Present Overcrowded Condition of Prison.

Toronto, May 16.—Hon. W. J. Hanna, Provincial Secretary, is making a special effort to relieve the crowding at the Toronto jail by removing the lunatics confined there. All the women in this class have already been taken away and it is hoped that most of them will be provided for elsewhere soon. "We are dividing them among two or three institutions already ready crowded," said Mr. Hanna, "getting them in on the principle adopted on a crowded street car, that there is always room for one more." We will not be able to give permanent relief until more room is provided.

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At Residence. PARLOR BY AUCTION. I AM INSTRUCTED to sell at residence of the late Mrs. S. T. Golding, No. 149 Princess street, on Monday morning, May 22 at 10 o'clock. THE ENTIRE FURNISHINGS of house, consisting in part, Kitchen Range and Utensils, Oak Extension Table, Sideboard and Chairs, Parlor Furniture in Tables, Sofas, Easy and other Chairs, Pictures, Curtains and Poles, Brass and Enamel Beds, Mattresses and Springs, Bedding, B. R. Sets, Tables, almost new, Carpet Chambers, Parlor Dining, Bedroom, Hall and Stair Carpets, Cots and a large assortment of other household effects. F. L. POTTS, Auctioneer.

**IN THE SUPREME COURT, KING'S BENCH DIVISION**

In the matter of "The Winding Up Act" being Chapter 144 of the Revised Statutes of Canada, 1906, and Amending Acts, and in the matter of A. E. Hamilton Limited. Upon the hearing of the petition in this matter the Court DOTH ORDER that notice be given to the creditors contributory, shareholders and members of the said company A. E. Hamilton Limited, that a winding up order has been made in this matter and that on Friday, the nineteenth day of May A. D. 1911, at the Judges Chambers, Piquette Building in the City of Saint John in the Province of New Brunswick, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon, an order will be made appointing a liquidator or liquidators of the said company AND IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that publication of a copy hereof in a daily newspaper published in the City of Saint John in the issues thereof published on the fifteenth day of May A. D. 1911 and from thence until the nineteenth day of May A. D. 1911, shall be sufficient notice to the creditors, contributory and shareholders and members of the said company. Dated the Twelfth day of May, A. D. 1911. E. McLEOD, Judge of the Supreme Court. J. H. A. FAIRWEATHER, Solicitor for Petitioners.

**TENDERS FOR Fairville Sewerage.**

The Municipality of the City and County of St. John invites tenders for the following: Construction of Sewerage System in that part of Fairville draining Eastward by way of North Street to the River St. John. Construction of Sewerage System draining Westward into Septic Tanks. All of which is required to be done in accordance with the plans and specifications to be seen at the Office of the Engineer, No. 74 Carmarthen street, in the City of St. John. A cash deposit must accompany each bid, the amount being as stated in each specification. The Municipality does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender. All tenders must be addressed to the County Secretary, No. 108 Prince William street, who will receive bids until 4 p. m. of Tuesday, the 23rd day of May, A. D. 1911. No bid will be considered unless on the form specified and which will be furnished upon application at the Office of the Engineer. GILBERT G. MURDOCH, Engineer. J. KING KILLEY, County Secretary, St. John, N. B., 10th May, 1911.

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SEALED TENDERS will be received at the office of the Common Clerk, room No. 3 City Hall, addressed to him and marked "Tender for Supplies," up to 2 p. m. of Tuesday, the 30th day of May inst. for the following supplies, viz.: Department of Public Works. 1,200 bbls. Gas Works Coal Tar. 50 tons Trinidad Lake Asphalt. 200 loads Bank Sand. 50 cords Hardwood. 4,000 sq. yds. Spruce Paving blocks. Department of Water and Sewerage. 200,000 Bricks. 500 bbls. Cement. 1,000 ft. 12" Terra Cotta Pipe. 2,000 ft. 8" Terra Cotta Pipe. 250 ft. 6" Terra Cotta Pipe. 30 12"x8" Terra Cotta Joints. 30 9"x6" Terra Cotta Joints. CASTINGS. 30 tons Special Castings. 50 Main Stop Cock Vault Covers. 50 Sewer Manhole Tops. 30 Catch Basin Frames. 50 Catch Basin Valves. 300 Service Stop Cock Boxes. 120 sets Lead Collars. All of which are to be according to specifications or samples to be seen in the office of the City Engineer, room No. 5 City Hall, and to be delivered in such quantities and at such times and places inside the city limits as may be ordered in writing by the City Engineer. A cash deposit equal to five per cent. of the estimated full value of the contract at price named in tender will be required. The City does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender. No tender will be accepted unless on the form supplied by the City Engineer. The City reserves the right to increase or diminish the quantities by 20 per centum above or below those estimated, and such increase to be at price tendered. ADAM P. MACINTYRE, Comptroller. WM. MURDOCH, City Engineer, St. John, N. B. May 12, 1911.

**Bank of Montreal**

Notice is hereby given that a Dividend of Two-and-one-half per cent. upon the paid up Capital Stock of this Institution has been declared for the current quarter, and that the same will be Payable at its Banking House in this city, and at its Branches, on and after Thursday, the First Day of June next, to Shareholders of record of the 15th May. By order of the Board. E. S. CLOUSTON, General Manager, Montreal, 28th April, 1911.

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**Goolds Ring Those Wedding Bells Again**



Philadelphia, May 16.—The children of George Goold, multimillionaire New Yorker, have apparently arranged a regular matrimonial schedule. Immediately after the marriage of one, the next in line announces his or her engagement, which in turn is followed by another sister or brother

**A JOLLYBOBBLES VEIL BIGGEST HAT IN THE WORLD**



The Merry Widow hat of happy memory was a pigmy compared with this monstrosity, the creation of a Berlin milliner. Only one girl has the nerve to wear it. She is Alice Gerald, an actress of the Posener Stadt theatre. It is said to be the largest hat in the world.

**THE DIVORCE COURT.**

Fredericton, May 16.—In the absence of Judge McKeown, the registrar this morning adjourned the divorce court sine die. The cases now pending will be taken up at the July sittings, which open here on July 4th. It is expected that a number of cases will then be heard. The attorneys engaged in the Galloway suit have announced to the court that the parties have become reconciled, and the judge accordingly will be requested not to deliver any judgment. One of the cases to be heard at the coming July sittings is that of Chapman vs. Chapman, from the County of Westmorland. On the order of the Judge, the Registrar this week issued a commission to take the evidence of witnesses in South Dakota.

More Big Features at Nickel. The steady stream of first class entertainment continues at the reliable Nickel. Today is the second change of programme in the week and the pictures are all of an exceptionally high order. The leading film is an Edison entitled, "The Price of Victory," being a superbly set-up and finely enacted story of the Napoleon wars with Herbert Prior, the eminent English player in the role of the little Emperor. The Biograph Co. have a fine picture in "A Knight of the Road," a tale of California where the company is actually working these days. The comedy element in this film is delicious. Pathé Freres of Paris contribute one of their wonderful colored spectacular stories of old Roman days, "The Justice of Claudius" and there will be some interesting manoeuvres by the British Indian Army. The magnificent Puritan Mixed Quartette will conclude their bill which includes "Sweet and Low" and "Bally," and tomorrow will be heard in a splendid setting of Elibert Nevin's "The Rosary," also an up-to-date medley which introduces "Good-Bye Brown Eyes." "Way Down in Alabama," "Somebody You Know and I Know Too," "Cuddle Up Closer," etc. Miss Elvise Wallis will sing tomorrow seems to be sweetened down the valley towards the Oak Bay road.

ROLAND HILL'S HOUSE AT MILLTOWN BURNED. St. Stephen, May 16.—Weather dry and windy; four fire alarms this morning and as many yesterday. A serious fire in Milltown has destroyed the residence of Roland Hill, but now seems to be under control. Woods fires are running back of Milltown and a large one that sprang up beside the C. P. R. track near Moore's mills after the train passed this morning seems to be sweetened down the valley towards the Oak Bay road.

**WON'T THIS REDSKIN HAVE ONE BIG SPREE AT THE CORONATION?**

**Kitselas Indian Chief With \$8,000 Tucked Away in His Jeans, Starts to See the King Crowned.**

Vancouver, B. C., May 15.—Far from his haunts along the Skeena, there arrived in Vancouver Chief Weddihald, of the Kitselas tribe of Indians. For many years he has been up-country, but now he is going to the Coronation in London. He has \$8,000 in good Canadian money for the purpose of making the trip and by his many jaunts around this city, evidently does not care a hang for expenses. He leaves by the C. P. R. Chief Weddihald has gifts to offer the Great White Father, one being the totem of his tribe, carved in black slate by the best craftsmen of the tribe. Then there is a beautiful banner of buckskin, with a copy of the tribe's totem burned as a border on one side and a bunch of maple leaves in the upper opposite centre. This will be engraved with the names of all the Indian chiefs attending the coronation from Canada in a formal way which will be attended to when the chiefs meet in Ottawa.

Knows King George. The chief reverently referred to the late King Edward and showed a reply he had received from the equerry in waiting to his message of condolence when the sovereign died. Expanding his chest beyond normal he said: "I know King George; he is just the same as my brother. I know Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Frank Oliver, superintendent of Indian department. I was introduced to them last October. I know Earl Grey. I met him in Prince Rupert in 1908." Chief Weddihald is short and heavy set. He is 39 years old and a widower. "I will get another wife before long," he said. Asked how a white girl would suit him, he replied, "Well, perhaps I might take a chance." Regarding the trip across the Atlantic he feared he would be very sick. Then he joyfully said: "But, then I am going to see King George, and this sick sickness won't kill me, so what do I care?"

**HOMESEKERS' EXCURSIONS.**

The Grand Trunk Railway has issued a circular authorizing all agents in Canada to sell Homeseekers' Excursion tickets to points in Western Canada. This is interesting information for those desiring to take advantage of these excursions on certain dates from April to September, 1911. The Grand Trunk Railway is the most interesting, taking a passenger through the populated centres of Canada, through Chicago, and thence via Duluth, or through Chicago and the Twin Cities, Minneapolis and St. Paul. Ask Grand Trunk Agents for further particulars.

**OBITUARY.**

Mrs. George Earle. Mrs. Young Swanton, of Waterloo street, received a telegram yesterday from Cambridge, Mass., announcing the death of her sister, Mrs. Geo. Earle, there on Monday. Mrs. Earle was a former resident of this city, living for several years in Brussels street. She removed to the States a couple of years ago and had resided with her son in Cambridge. She is survived by her husband, George Earle, of this city; two daughters, Mrs. William Robinson, of Perry's Point, and Mrs. S. Mitchell, of Cambridge, and two sons, William and George, of Cambridge. Three brothers and one sister also survive. The brothers are Abraham and Edward Greig, of this city, and William Greig, of Public Landing. The sister is Mrs. Young Swanton. The body will be brought here for burial.



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## THE DOWNWARD PATH.

It is strange and we may say unnatural that Canada, the principal Dominion of the Empire, and bound to it by ties of loyalty and trade interest, should by this freak reciprocity, cut herself off from full sympathy and co-operation therewith. And yet since Mr. Fielding set out upon the path Washington-ward in 1910, the evidences of that separation have been continuous. By capitulation to President Taft's demand for concessions to the United States as the price of escape from the unjust surtax threatened by that nation, and by the promise enacted by the President and given by Mr. Fielding that these primary concessions should be followed by negotiations for further extensions, Mr. Fielding committed the first blunder or worse. It was a blunder if he did not foresee the necessary consequences; it was worse than a blunder if he did foresee and welcome them.

The concessions then which weakened the Preference to Great Britain in favor of her greatest trade rival, both in positive reduction, and in the increased competition from the twelve most favored nations, which succeeded to all these reductions, and without making Canada any return. It also weakened the consideration in which the preference idea was held, not only in Canada but throughout the Empire. If the idea was so lightly held by the Government of Canada that the policy founded thereon could be changed at any moment or lessened in effect at the demand of an outside country, its prestige was diminished and confidence in its future was disturbed. Then without consulting Parliament, Mr. Fielding gave Holland, Italy, and Belgium the benefit of our intermediate tariff rates, and removed the surtax from return therefor, and the whole four received an advantage over Great Britain as compared with what they formerly enjoyed. In these transactions the preference policy was further pared down, and the preference idea further subordinated and belittled.

The British Government joined with ours in a trade commission, to report after full examination upon the possibilities of extended commerce between Canada and the West Indies. Distinguished men were placed on the commission. They visited the principal cities in Eastern Canada and the West Indies. They reported unanimously in favor of a preferential trade arrangement between these two parts of the Empire. Two Canadian ministers were members of that commission and joined in the report. Since that every one of the West India Islands, except Jamaica, has approved the report, and expressed a desire to consummate an arrangement. The Canadian Government has done nothing. It has gone seeking after strange gods, and the fires upon the home altars are no longer fed. Worse still, to the strange gods a sacrifice has been offered, which practically precludes the renewal of the preference fires on Canadian or West Indian altars.

Since 1900 negotiations have been going on between Canada and Australia, the only portions of the Empire which have no mutual preference. Political disturbances and frequent changes of party operated as retarding influences, which prevented what both countries wished for in the way of reciprocal preference. In 1910, however, the situation cleared and the Australian Premier expressed a keen desire to come to terms, and is now on his way to London with both goodwill and power to conclude an arrangement with Canada, there to be represented by the Premier.

But again this mad freak of Mr. Fielding's menaces all prospect of arrangement. Mr. Fielding has sacrificed the possibilities of preferential trade between Canada and Australia, by his agreement with President Taft. He has on the one hand opened up what he calls the 50,000,000 market, and arranged for free or reduced entrance therein for most of what Canada could supply to Australia, and, on the other, he has by the terms of that same pact given free or reduced entrance into Canada to the very products that Australia can send here. There is, therefore, little inducement for Canada, and still less for Australia to pursue the matter further.

Lastly, and more important and far-reaching than all, Canada now goes to the highest assembly of the Empire, the Imperial Conference, bound hand and foot to Mr. Taft, and an anti-Imperial trade policy. "We have pledged our faith to President Taft," said Mr. Fielding in the House of Commons, and therefore irrespective of the merits of the pact Canada must pass it or be guilty of bad faith between nations.

"We have pledged our faith to Mr. Taft," Sir Wilfrid must tell the Imperial Conference, and we can therefore listen to no scheme of practical Imperial preference. He must go further and say: "President Taft has explained the purpose of the Reciprocity pact. This is his latest declaration: 'The forces which are at work in England and in Canada to separate her by a 'Chinese wall' from the United States and to make her 'part of an Imperial Commercial band reaching from England around the world to England again by a system of preferential tariffs, will derive an impetus from the rejection of this treaty, and if we would have reciprocity with all the advantages that I have described, and that I earnestly and sincerely believe will follow its adoption, we must take it now or give it up for ever.' I have pledged myself to assist him in effecting this purpose. I am asking my Parliament to support me therein, and I am hurrying back as soon as I am through this Conference and Coronation to use all my powers to get the endorsement of Canada for President Taft's policy."

Have we exaggerated in the least? Can any one say that this is not the cold hard fact, robbed of all rhetoric and vapory flowers of speech? Canada is not free as she stands in the Imperial Conference, among her Imperial sisters and before the Imperial Mother. A strange sultor has beguiled her with fair promises and led her into strange ways. Verily the descent to Hell is easy, but the bitterness and humiliation thereof, most unfortunately be suffered by others than the misguided men who so light-heartedly entered the downward path.

## IN HIS OWN COIN.

The Honorable Frank Oliver is getting hit back in great style by the Edmonton Capital, which appears to speak for the recalculators in that portion of the province of Alberta. The Capital, in an article, headed "Rotten Sophistry" deals with the defence made by Mr. Oliver in the Parliament, thus:

And this, then, is the reply of Honest Frank Oliver: That the public has no right to know where he got the immense sums of money which appear on the credit side of his bank account.

Look the idol over and see the feet of clay. How the mighty have fallen

Yesterday a blustering, blustering, bombastic, belligerent fire-eater whose swagger and swing was a swash-buckling boast that he could look every man in the eye and tell him to go to hell.

Today a cringing, skulking, hypocritical, smug-faced coward, taking refuge behind the rotten sophistry that it is nobody's business but his own where a public man gets money.

Who now are the liars, the thieves, the burglars and the falsifiers?

Does Oliver expect the world to believe that if his bank account is a record of honest transactions he would hesitate to show it?

Does Oliver expect anyone to believe that if he could give a straight account of where the money came from he would hesitate to do so?

Does Oliver expect his constituents to continue their confidence in a man whose every action is blaring proof that he has something to hide?

Oliver's methods resemble nothing more closely than those of a yeggman who is prepared to endure every agony of the third degree rather than have torn from him the secret of his cache.

Oliver's answer to the charge that he is a bootler and a grafter is that he does not have to admit it.

Oliver's actions leave him open to the suspicion that he has violated every confidence placed in him by his friends, that he has been a traitor to the trust of his constituents, that he has betrayed himself in the cloak of a hypocritical virtue while he reached with grasping hand for the bribe that betrayed his own country and his own people.

Oliver has the opportunity to clear himself if he can of the stigma. He prefers to leave himself under a shadow which suggests deeds which half the malefactors in the pen would tremble to have attached to their names.

## A TRIBUTE TO MR. FOSTER.

Hon. George E. Foster received a well deserved tribute from Hon. W. S. Fielding and Sir Wilfrid Laurier in the House of Commons during the recent debate on the visit of parliamentary representatives to England.

The minister of finance declared that "no man had a better right to go to the Coronation as a representative of the Canadian Parliament than Mr. Foster. The Premier personally urged Mr. Foster to reconsider his determination not to be present."

The incident arose over a question raised by Mr. Perley, chief whip of the Opposition, relative to the expenses of the Canadian delegation. Mr. Perley said the Opposition's representatives had been selected in the belief that they would have to pay their own expenses. He was informed that the Government had unanimously decided to pay all expenses.

Mr. Foster arose to say he would not go to the Coronation. He had not understood with Mr. Perley that the expenses of members of Parliament would be paid. It was out of the question for him to consider paying his own expenses. He was unable to do so. Therefore, much as he would have wished to go, he must remain at home.

It was at this juncture that Mr. Fielding and Sir Wilfrid spoke. What they had to say concerning Mr. Foster will be echoed everywhere where the ex-minister has escaped from the cruel misrepresentation to which he has been subjected. After having given to Canada the best of his life, in a period covering a quarter of a century, he is without means wherewith to afford a trip to England!

The country has not witnessed greater devotion to public duty, as the cost of personal sacrifice, than in the life of Hon. Mr. Foster. Mr. Fielding's tribute to his able predecessor is worthy of him.

It is to be hoped that at the next meeting of the council there will be a sufficient number of aldermen present to put through a motion to purchase the ferry boat Newport without further beating about the bush. The city is now solely dependent on the Ludlow for transportation to and from the West Side and while the situation might not become acute should a breakdown occur during the summer season, there is next winter's business to be considered. Time will not now permit of discussing whether a new ferry should be built in St. John or ordered in the Old Country. A new boat built specially for the service would be preferable but a bare six months between now and the opening of the Winter Port Season renders this impracticable. A relieving ferry boat is a necessity. The Newport has been passed by the inspectors and recommended. There seems no reason why the purchase should not be completed without further delay.

Mr. James J. Hill has again put the weight of his voice on the side of the Knox-Fielding agreement. "He says the agreement is the greatest measure before the country since the Civil War. 'Our manufacturers,' he says, 'complain that business is not as good as it might be. They would not have to complain of poor business if the Canadian market was open to their goods. Canadians have plenty of money with which to purchase our manufactures.' Concerning the effect upon the farmers, he points out that 'as it would cost about 8 or 9 cents a bushel to ship the wheat here, our farmers need not fear competition on the part of the Canadian wheat growers, and the same is true of other products.'"

## Current Comment

(San Francisco Chronicle).  
Prohibition has just been defeated in Colorado Springs, largely, it is said, by the votes of women. In the state of Washington a short time ago the women voters were given credit for the triumph of the prohibition movement. In Milwaukee the Socialists have just sustained a loss in the municipal elections, and the votes of women are said to have done it. In Kent, Wis., the Socialists have triumphed—and the women are getting the thanks. It would seem that whatever happens where women have the franchise they must now be responsible for it.

(Windsor Record).  
The Lemieux family appears to be doing fairly well. Hon. Rodolphe is postmaster-general, a brother is sheriff down Montreal way, and now another brother becomes chief justice of Quebec to succeed Chief Justice Langelier, who was appointed lieutenant-governor of the province.

(London Free Press).  
There is a marked disturbance in Government circles at the prospect that Hon. Richard McBride will enter the Dominion arena. "The disturbance is justified.

## BLOOD POISON IN FINGER

Zam-Buk Works a Wonderful Cure.

Mr. Jas. Davey, of 786 Ellice Avenue, Wm. L. and a fireman at the Hudson Bay Company's stores, says: "A few months since I was cured of a poisoned finger through the timely use of Zam-Buk. I cut a deep gash across the knuckle on the first finger of my right hand in opening a lobster can. I suffered at the time with the soreness and pain, but had no idea it would become a serious wound. However, in about two days I was greatly alarmed as my whole hand and arm to the elbow became suddenly inflamed, and the finger was much discolored, showing signs of blood poisoning. The pain was dreadful and I was forced to leave off my work and go home.

The wound on the knuckle had been poisoned through the dust and dirt about the furnaces and boilers. I then decided to start the Zam-Buk treatment and having first bathed the cut, I applied the healing balm. It soothed the pain almost instantly, and by next day there was a great improvement. The pain was relieved and the inflammation lessened. In a week's time, through perseverance, the wound had healed and I was able to resume my work and go home.

Zam-Buk is just as good for eczema, ulcers, scalp sores, abscesses, piles, ringworm, burns, and various skin eruptions. It draws all poison and foulness from a wound or sore and then heals. Use it too for cuts, burns, bruises, and all skin troubles. Zam-Buk Soap should be used in conjunction with the balm for washing wounds and sore places. Excellent too for baby's bath.

All druggists and stores sell Zam-Buk at 50c a box and Zam-Buk Soap at 25c a tablet. Lost free upon receipt of price from Zam-Buk Co., Toronto.

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## GIRLS GROW UP MEN IN BUSINESS

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London, May 16.—The most significant fact that emerges from the coronation census of the City of London, just concluded, is the startling increase in female employment in offices. In the busy square mile where are concentrated the biggest financial and mercantile interests women are steadily replacing men.

The present day secretary invariably wears skirts; the typist looks a trim little figure in belted blouse; petticoats swirl round the legs of office stool. Women are everywhere next to nowhere, in the modern business office, and, according to those in a position to judge, every indication points to a still greater supposition of men by girls in city offices in the next ten years.

The head of the employment department of the London Chamber of Commerce, on being asked for his opinion on this state of affairs, explained that there is one great difference between the sexes in this question of office employment.

"The junior shorthand clerk is very difficult to get—of the boy kind. If a boy is a good shorthand writer it seems to be feared that he will be always a shorthand writer. For the girl it is a very different matter. She doesn't mind becoming just a shorthand clerk; for she may not always be pursuing a business career. Some parents seem not to want their boys to learn shorthand."

The manager of one of the largest and oldest commercial training colleges, indorsing this statement, added:—"I should not be surprised if the census figures disclose an amazing increase in female employment. We have been placing girls at the rate of two thousand a year for some time. And the girls are very well. They fill such situations as typists, secretaries, cashiers and bookkeepers very efficiently, and there are women in London who can command salaries running well into four figures as buyers or heads of departments controlling a number of others. A woman is worth just as much as a man—that is, she is worth what her work brings to the firm. You can go into many big offices nowadays and see no man about the place except the managing directors, or the managers—the rest are girls."

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## THE MARRIAGE LAW

To the Editor of The Standard:  
Sir,—We say that law is eternal. But the laws of a country may change. We cannot live apart from law; and blessed is that people who are ruled by good laws. We could not live, as a nation one day apart from law. Therefore since this is so, the reasonable of having just laws that every true statesman is anxious to make. Now we live in a state and at a time when certain men are seeking to interfere with a law of God. The law says: "For the cause shall man leave his father and mother, and they shall be one flesh." Therefore marriage is sanctioned by God. Men married and men will marry.

Now comes the question: Whom they marry? Most men married those whom they loved. Two people met who loved each other. They consented to be man and wife. Now steps in the law that says that they must be married at a certain place and by a certain man. They consented. Therefore it was a legal act. The law of man has bound the two consenting parties. The ceremony was gone through, and they were legally man and wife. The tie can only be broken under certain conditions. That law has satisfied for ages. But now a party in the state seeks to interfere with this good law. They say that because one party does not hold the creed that they hold that he or she was not legally married. The law of God is eternal.

There are many Protestant men and women legally bound to men and women who are Roman Catholics. The Roman church has stepped in that says: You are not man and wife. Is that statement true? It is not. The law of the land says that they are man and wife. Common sense says that they are man and wife, therefore there is no confusion. Who has caused this confusion? The Roman Catholic church. Why? She has interfered with a just law. The Roman Catholic church can persuade her converts not to marry men or women who are not in her communion. But she has no right to interfere with men and women who are married. If a man or a woman wishes to be separated, he or she can be separated by law. If he or she can prove to the law the charge that he or she has made. Therefore, all law abiding people should uphold justice.

(Rev.) SAMPOW COWLEY.

## IN THE COURTS

### CHANCERY COURT.

The May sittings of the Chancery division were held yesterday morning in the Chancery Court, with Chief Justice Burke presiding. A new bill in Adams, Burns Co., Ltd., vs. Nesqueguit Lumber Co., Morse et al., M. G. Teed, K. C., for the plaintiff asked to take the case set down for the next court. W. A. Ewing, K. C., for the defendant, Morse, and others consented. The next court will be presided over by Mr. Justice McCleod, who made an order winding up the Nesqueguit Lumber Co.

On motion of Mr. Ewing, the case of the Attorney-General vs. St. John Lumber Co. went over as usual to the next court.

On motion of Dr. L. A. Currey, K. C., for the plaintiff, and Mr. W. D. Darrah, the case went over until the June sittings. John B. Baxter, K. C., for the defendant, consenting.

Lodge vs. Calhoun suffered the same fate. Mr. Teed appears for the plaintiff and F. R. Taylor for the defendant.

In the matter of the foreclosure suit of George E. McCluskey vs. Melville J. Burgess, Daniel Mullin, K. C., for the plaintiff moved for judgment for want of an appearance. The property is situate in Roxbury. Motion granted.

On the application of counsel in the case of Frank L. Vernon and others vs. George E. Fairweather, F. W. Kaye, trustees of and under the last will of Grace Vernon, deceased, Campbell Vernon, Alice Vernon, and Mary Vernon, infants, Thomas H. Somerville, guardian ad litem, E. Bright Pipes, Edgar N. Rhodes, M. P., administrators estate of Hon. William T. Pipes, and Charles S. Hanington, K. C., for Messrs. Pipes, Rhodes and Hanington. This case was set down for Friday, 19th inst. This is a special case and involves the construction of the will of the late Grace Vernon. H. A. Powell, K. C., appears for the plaintiffs, E. G. Kaye, K. C., for the trustees, M. G. Teed, K. C., for the infants and their guardian, and A. H. Hanington, K. C., for Messrs. Pipes, Rhodes and Hanington.

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**MERCANTILE MARINE NEWS**  
 DAILY ALMANAC.  
 Wednesday, May 17, 1911.  
 Sun rises .. . 4:56 a. m.  
 Sun sets .. . 7:43 p. m.  
 High water .. . 2:57 a. m.  
 Low water .. . 8:34 p. m.  
 Atlantic Standard time.  
 PORT OF SAINT JOHN.  
 Arrived Tuesday May 16.  
 Stmr Calvin Austin, 2553, Mitchell, from Boston, via Eastport, W. G. Lee, pass. and mtds.  
 Coastwise—Stmr Chignecto, 26, Canning, Advocate, Brunswick, 12, Hersey, Margaretville; Schrs Harry Morris, 98, McLellan, St. Martins; James Barber, 80, Gough, River Herbert; Maitland, 44, Howe, Quaco.  
 Cleared May 16.  
 Schr Mary Weaver (Am), Mitchell for New Haven, and Fall River, St. John, Cutler and Co., 215,062 feet spruce deals, etc., 38,000 spruce planks.  
 Schrs Arthur J. Parker, Granville for Fayetteville, R. L. Stetson, Cutler and Co., 1,538,250 cedar shingles.  
 Schr A. F. Davidson, Richards for Annapolis, John Sealy, ballast.  
 The Sprinhill, Chambers for Quebec with barges in tow.  
 Coastwise—Stmr Grand Manan, Ingersoll, Wilson's Beach, Chignecto, Canning, Advocate, Brunswick, Hersey, Wolfville; Schrs Yarmouth Packet, Thurber, Yarmouth, Maitland, Howe, Maitland; Hostler, Hill, Walcott; Lloyd, Anderson, Annapolis; James Barber, Gough, River Herbert.  
 Dominion Ports.  
 Hawkebury, May 15.—Ard. Schr Lincoln Crosby, for Barbados, landed eleven colored passengers.  
 Lunenburg, N. S., May 15.—Ard. bgt. Sceptre, Burke, from Turk's Island; Schr Stanley Lohnes, Turk's Island.  
 Schr Freedom, Ritcey, St. Martins, W. I.  
 Old. Schr Aroostook, for Buctouche, Yarmouth, N. S., May 15.—Ard. Schr Lillian Blauvelt, Le Blanc, St. Martins, W. I.  
 Lunenburg, N. S., May 15.—Old. Str Ouellet, Cox, Boston.  
 Digby, N. S., May 16.—Sld. Canadian warship Niobe for Halifax.  
 St. George, N. B., May 16.—Old. Schr John R. Bell (Am), banker for New York, 11,400 bundles of wood pulp.  
 Montreal, May 14.—Ard. Stmr Tundana, Liverpool; Fomorian, London; Hillsboro, N. B., May 15.—Ard. Schs Ellen M. Golding, Calais; Wm. B. Herick, do.  
 Liverpool, May 13.—Old. Schr Calbra MacLean, Beverley.  
 Bridgewater, N. S., May 11.—Ard. Schr James William Sprague, Halifax to load lumber for New York.  
 Parrsboro, May 16.—Ard. Schrs Grace Darling, Faulkner, Sch. Andrew; Glyndon, George, Eastport; tug Chester Munroe, Windsor, towing barge No. 1. Cleared: Schrs Grace Darling, Faulkner, Windsor; Glyndon, George, Yarmouth, with coal; tug Chester and barge No. 23, Windsor, with coal.

**MANCHESTER LINERS**  
 From Manchester  
 May 18 Man. Shipper May 29  
 May 25 Man. Exchange June 12  
 June 8 Man. Commerce June 28  
 June 29 Man. Corporation July 17  
 July 13 Man. Exchange July 31  
 July 27 Man. Commerce Aug 14  
 Aug 17 Man. Corporation Sept 4  
 The steamers also take freight for Philadelphia.  
 WILLIAM THOMSON & CO., Agents, St. John, N. B.

**Furness Line**  
 From London  
 May 13 Rappahannock May 29  
 May 19 Kanawha May 30  
 and fortnightly thereafter, dates subject to change.  
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 S.S. Nancy Lee May 20th  
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**EMPRESSES**  
 AND OTHER STEAMSHIPS  
 ST. LAWRENCE ROUTE.  
 Empress of Britain, Fri., May 19  
 Lake Manitoba, Thurs., May 25  
 Empress of France, Fri., May 26  
 Empress of India, Sat., May 27  
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**Excursion to Digby**  
 May 24th  
 \$1.50 for the Round Trip  
 going and returning same day. Steamer leaves Red's Point Wharf, 7:45 a. m.  
 A. C. CURRIE, N. B. Agent.

**Reports and Disasters.**  
 St. Pierre, May 14.—Fishing schooner Victoria, of St. John, is thought to have gone down with all on board while anchored on the Grand Bank in April. Brig Robinson (Fr.), brought in today the 18 men comprising the crew of schooner Neve, of St. Pierre, which was burned and foundered on the Grand Banks on May 5.

**Shipping Notes.**  
 Br str Nancy Lee, Capt Murchie, is about due here from St. John's, Nfld. She comes in under charter to the Munson Cuba line and will load a cargo for Havana.  
 Sir Manchester Shipper left Manchester for St. John last Sunday with general cargo.  
 Canadian warship Niobe sailed from Digby yesterday at 6 a. m. for Halifax. She will probably visit this port June or July.  
 Canadian cruiser Constance is due here today to relieve the cruiser Petrel now at port.  
 The schooner J. Parker cleared yesterday for Pawtucket, R. I., with 1,593,250 cedar shingles shipped by Stetson, Cutler and Co. leaving New York Springhill cleared yesterday for Quebec with barges in tow. They will be taken through the Lachine canal to be used in the ordinary way. The above barges were formerly used to bring coal to this port from Parrsboro with the Springhill mine coal.  
 An schooner John R. Bell sailed recently from St. George, N.B. for Norwalk, Conn., with 11,400 bundles of ground wood pulp.

A race with waterpuffs off the Virginia coast is recorded in the log of the str Metapan from Colon and Kingston, which docked at New York recently. The sports were seen April 22 at the Metapan wharf, where a south from New York and propelled by a friendly wind they chased the vessel a quarter of an hour. The ship proved the speeder.  
 The new passenger str Stephano, built in Scotland and launched on May 2 for the Red Cross line, will be placed in commission leaving New York June 20 for Halifax and St. John's, N.B.

White Star line str Teutonic left Liverpool last Saturday for Montreal on the first trip to a Canadian port with 504 cabin and 900 third class passengers. On her return to Liverpool she is to carry 1,200 st. m. The str Merida from Vera Cruz for New York were in collision 55 miles east of Cape Charles at 12:30 a. m. The str Merida sank and all of her 322 passengers and crew were saved and transferred to the Farragut.  
 Str Calvin Austin arrived from Boston at 10 o'clock yesterday on her first trip after undergoing extensive repairs. The str has been thoroughly overhauled and newly painted and is to be in commission for the command of this trip by Capt Mitchell, Chief Engineer Macnair is again at his post looking after and hearty with the str. The str will leave for St. John on her return trip at 9 o'clock this morning.

Str str Inca cleared from West Bay, N.S., last Saturday for St. John, with 2,017,000 feet of spruce deals.  
 Sidney B. Stewart received a dispatch yesterday stating that the schooner Arthur J. Parker, Granville, N.B., at 7 o'clock on Saturday afternoon, is due to arrive here on Tuesday and brings the first cargo of pulpwood from the Springhill, Chambers for Quebec with barges in tow.  
 Monday afternoon the str bark Gael came up in harbor with her anchor and dropped anchor in the stream. The Gael came near making a record trip, being only 41 days out of Buenos Aires, including the 24 days of the str. The Gael is owned by the International Paper Company—Portland Rego, May 15.

**LIST OF VESSELS IN PORT.**  
 In Commission.  
 Steamers.  
 Herman Mansell, 1935, J. T. Knight and Co.  
 Mora, 1905, Wm Thomson and Co.  
 Bark.  
 Emma R Smith, 271, A. W. Adams.  
 Schooners.  
 Abbie C. Stubbs, 256, A. W. Adams.  
 Arthur M. Gibson, 295, J. W. Smith.  
 Annie M. Parker, 307, R. C. Elkins.  
 Ann, 311, J. W. Adams.  
 E. Merriam, 329, A. W. Adams.  
 Emma S. Lord, 300, C. M. Kerrison.  
 Greta, 146, C. M. Kerrison.  
 Inland, 254, J. W. Smith.  
 Isiah K. Stetson, 271, J. W. Smith.  
 Katherine V. Mills, 216, A. W. Adams.  
 Louis V. Chaples, 191, A. W. Adams.  
 Myrtle Leaf, 236, A. W. Adams.  
 Nellie Eaton, 99, A. W. Adams.  
 Oliver Ames, 433, Thomas Bell.  
 Crescent, 199, W. Adams.  
 The Wilfrid M. 199, L. G. Crosby.  
 E. W. and W. L. Tuck, 390, J. A. Gregory.

**VESSLS BOUND TO ST. JOHN.**  
 Steamers.  
 Rappahannock, London, May 13.  
 Manchester Shipper, Manchester, May 14.  
 Nancy Lee, St. John's, Nfld., May 13 Ortha, chartered.  
 Consul, Norfolk, chartered.  
 Kydonia, at Norfolk, chartered.  
 Schooner.  
 Frontenac, 1457 tons, chartered.  
**POLICE COURT.**  
 In the police court yesterday morning John Stanley, Guy McIntyre and Alfred Emery were arraigned before Magistrate Ritchie on a charge of theft and pleaded guilty. They admitted stealing a rubber boot from Weatherhead's stable, and to having sold it for ten cents to Samuel Levis, a junk dealer, who was also in court charged with purchasing the boot without a license. Besides the boot the boys had stolen three trunks from Davy Read and Fred Scott. Together with Levis the boys were remanded to jail.  
 Christian Bonnell, a sailor, was fined \$4 or thirty days, \$20 or two months for destroying property on the schooner W. E. and W. L. Tuck, and \$20 for assaulting Charles McKeen on having a disturbance on the schooner and threatening to kill Frank T. Haley with a knife.  
 Thos. Hurley was remanded on a charge of drunkenness. James Johnson another drunk, was fined \$4. William Hayes and D. O'Keefe forfeited \$2 each for driving faster than is permitted by law.

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FINANCIAL WORLD

PRODUCE PRICES IN CANADIAN CENTRES

Montreal, May 16.—HAY—An active trade is passing in hay, and prices are firmly maintained. Extra No. 2, \$11.50 to \$12; ordinary No. 2, \$10.50 to \$11; No. 3, \$9.50 to \$10; clover mixed, \$8.50 to \$9; pure clover \$7.50 to \$8, car lots. OATS—Canadian Western No. 2, 41 1/2c to 42c, car lots; store, extra No. 1 feed, 41c to 41 1/2c; No. 3 C. W., 40 1/2c to 41c; No. 2 local white, 40c to 40 1/2c; No. 3 local white, 39 1/2c to 40c; No. 4 local white, 38 1/2c to 39c. FLOUR—Manitoba, spring wheat, firsts, \$5.20; seconds, \$4.80; winter wheat, firsts, \$4.50; strong bakers, \$4.60; strong, \$4.80; \$4.10; in bags, \$1.80 to \$1.90. MILLFEED—Bran, Ontario, \$22; Manitoba, \$21; middlings, Ontario, \$22.50 to \$23; shorts, Manitoba, \$22; meal, \$25 to \$26.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET

Table of New York Stock Market prices. Columns include stock names (e.g., Am. Copper, Am. Beet Sugar, Am. Car and Foundry), bid prices, and ask prices. Includes a sub-section for 'CLOSING COTTON LETTER' with details on cotton market activity.

BUSINESS BRISK ON THE STOCK MARKET

New York, N. Y., May 16.—Wall street's immediate response to the decision of the supreme court in the Standard Oil case was a strong and incident demand for securities such as Standard Oil stocks were advanced with a rush, the important issues gaining from 2 to 4 points. The general increase in the volume of business was perhaps as important a feature of the market, as the advance in prices. In the first hour three times as much business was done as yesterday's entire session. Trading thereafter was not so large a scale, but the market remained active. The day's total was 1,002,600 shares. Among the important were: Union Pacific and General Electric, 4; Reading, 3 1/2; South Pacific, U. S. Steel, Western Union, 2 1/2; more. Standard Oil fluctuated back and forth on the curb, selling at one time five points above yesterday's close, but losing less than 15 points on the day. American Tobacco was similarly upset, closing with a five point gain after having advanced 20 points. The demand for stocks was more than that of their activities. The many orders sent from this centre to London and was supplemented at the latter place by home and continental purchases. Operations for the European account may safely be put at not less than 75,000 shares; a large part of which was later sold here. The large increase in business in local buying came mainly from such centres as Boston, Philadelphia, Pittsburg and Chicago, and commission houses reported a considerable amount of absorption by investors. Belief that the uncertainty which long had restricted business for so long was ended at last was perhaps as much of a market factor as the nature of the decision itself. The immediate effect of the court's ruling was to remove the barrier which had long been a principle which it enunciated, which Wall street viewed as unmistakably favorable to corporations that fall into the class of the so-called trusts. The effect of this view upon operations in the stock market is seen in the fact that many of the largest advances were made by stocks of corporations which are at present involved in proceedings instituted by the government or have been in the past, on account of the nature of the trusts. The Harman merger suit, now pending in the courts made the largest gain of any of the active stocks. General Electric which is chiefly concerned in the suit recently brought by the government against various electrical companies, was one of the strongest stocks as well as the most active. A resolution for the appointment of a committee to investigate the steel corporation, was passed by the lower branch of congress today. The committee are at present in the hands of brokers and speculators were disposed to view the result of this and similar cases with equanimity. Although a general improvement in economic situation is now hoped for, the outcome cannot be foretold at the present time. Other developments were subordinated to consideration of the Standard Oil case and had virtually no effect on the market. There were further reports of a resolution of the Acadia copper disclosed a moderate decrease in the supply which is now much below that of the corresponding period of last year. The increase in activity in stocks resulted in heavier demands for funds and the money market was firmer. Trading in bonds increased with that of stocks and the bond market was active and strong. Total sales, par value, \$5,267,000. U. S. bonds were unchanged on call.

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THE I.C.R. AND BRANCH ROADS

The Minister of Railways Gives Notice of Motion to Take Over Practically all N. B. Lines. Ottawa, May 16.—The expansion of the Intercolonial Railway through the acquisition of thirteen branch lines, totalling almost 650 miles in length, is indicated by a resolution which the minister of railways has given notice in the following manner, that is to say, the value of the railway proposed to be leased shall be fixed and determined by the judge of the exchequer court of Canada.

A \$5,000,000 MERGER. Toronto, May 16.—By the amalgamation of the King Radiator Company of Montreal, the Expanded Metal & Fireproofing Company of Toronto, and a number of other important plants, another merger in the basic industries has been effected in Toronto. The combination involves a \$5,000,000 capitalization, and in addition to the existing plants in Toronto and Montreal, it is understood that contracts were awarded within the past few days for the erection of a large factory in St. Catharines which will supply the companies' output in the larger cities. It is also understood that options upon two important industries of a similar character in the maritime provinces will be closed within the next few days and the activities of the new combination will then extend over three quarters of the Dominion. Toronto banks today underwrote \$750,000 of the present bond issue of \$1,500,000. Will Go To Winnipeg. W. H. Moor, who has acted as secretary of the Junior department of the Y. M. C. A., since the opening of the new building, has resigned in order to accept a similar appointment with the Winnipeg association. He will leave about the end of August.

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MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE. By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh and Co. Can. Pac. Rail. 235 1/2 235 1/2. Can. Converters. 45 1/2 45 1/2. Cement. 23 1/2 23 1/2. Crown Reserve. 35 1/2 35 1/2. Dominion Textile. 100 100. Dom. Steel. 110 110. Dom. I. and S. Pfd. 102 102. Duluth Superior. 71 1/2 71 1/2. Elec. Trans. 69 69. Illinois Trac. Pfd. 92 92. Lake Woods Com. 136 136. St. Paul SS Marie. 82 82. Montreal. 106 106. Mont. St. Rail. 226 1/2 226 1/2. Mont. H. and P. 150 150. Mackay Com. 91 91. N. S. and Co. Com. 97 1/2 97 1/2. New Que. Com. 65 65. Ogilvie Com. 122 1/2 122 1/2. Dominion. 114 114. Rich. and Ont. Nav. 114 114. Shawinigan. 112 1/2 112 1/2. Tor. St. Rail. 124 1/2 124 1/2. Twin City Ind. Trst. 109 109. Winnipeg Electric. 226 1/2 226 1/2.

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET. By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh and Co. High. Low. Close. May 15.74 58 15.66-68. July 15.88 68 15.81-82. Sept. 15.46 64 15.41-42. Aug. 13.70 60 13.68-69. Oct. 13.21 65 13.14-15. Dec. 13.12 12.95 13.06-06. Jan. 13.09 12.96 13.05-06. March 13.13 13.00 13.11-12. Spot—15.95.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PRODUCE MARKETS. By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh and Co. Range of Prices. Wheat. May 97 95 1/2 95 1/2. July 88 86 1/2 86 1/2. Sept. 88 86 1/2 86 1/2. Corn. May 53 52 1/2 52 1/2. July 52 51 1/2 51 1/2. Sept. 53 52 1/2 52 1/2. Oats. May 33 32 1/2 32 1/2. July 33 32 1/2 32 1/2. Sept. 33 32 1/2 32 1/2. Pork. May 16 15 1/2 15 1/2. July 15 14 1/2 14 1/2. Sept. 15 14 1/2 14 1/2.

PROPERTY SALES. W. F. Barnhill has purchased their warehouse at Fairville from DeWitt Bros. Ltd., but has not yet decided to what use it will be put. T. S. Simms & Co. Ltd. have acquired two lots on Brussels street in the rear of their factory from J. C. Ferguson. They will use the yard room for storage, but the buildings, a two and a half and a three-story tenement, will remain as they are. Elijah Brown has bought part of the C. E. Vall lot on Elliot Row. John MacKintosh has sold a property on Indian town road to H. G. Titus for \$800.

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(CANADIAN NEWS NOTES.) By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co.

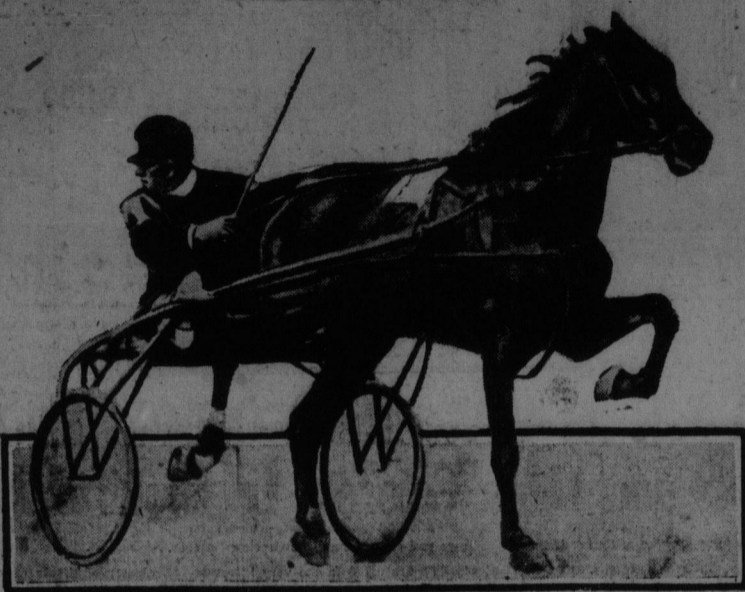
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Will... EIGHT... No less than... Five last night... as follows: At eight o'clock... Ward... Gilmartin... Griffith... McKeanzie... Dalry... McGrath... McCarthy... Downey... McGivern... Murphy... Second... Clinch... Parlee... McEllan... Sage... Scott... Duffy... Lamson... Sampson... Fullerton... At 9.30 o'clock... Harrison... Ferguson... Masters... Tilly... McKean...



# THE STANLARDS PAGE OF SPORTS

## Will Uhlan or Harvester Be This Year's Sensation



UHLAN MAKING HIS GREAT RECORD OF 1.58%

Whenever horsemen meet these days one question is almost sure to be asked: Will Uhlan, 1.58%, or The Harvester, 2.01, prove the sensational performer of the 1911 season? Both have their backers and admirers.

Here is the way the arguments usually run:

"Last year, you know, Uhlan was one day driven to a four-wheeled wagon by his owner in 2.01. Two days later in the open he went to sulky in 1.58%."

"There's never been a time when Uhlan did not come up to expectations. From the time he was 3 years old he has always done something better than he promised. As he is young, perfectly sound and in finer form right now than ever, why is it not reasonable to suppose that we can look to him for something better than ever this year?"

"Yes," will remark the other man, "but think of The Harvester's record. He was never beaten but once, and he is in the care of that great master of the turf, Ed Goers."

"But you must remember," somebody else will say, "that Uhlan is in the hands of one of the greatest trainers in the world—a man who, as a boy, served under two of the best horsemen that ever lived—Jim Ould, Smith and Orrio Hickey. That trainer is Doc Tanner."

"True it is that Hamburg Belle beat Uhlan in a sensational match race, but almost everybody who witnessed that great struggle concedes that Uhlan had the worst of the conditions, being the outside horse."

## INTER-COLLEGIATE TRACK MEET WILL BE INTERESTING

### Crack Athletes from the U.N.B., Mount Allison and Acadia will Compete in Halifax on May 26th.

Halifax, May 16.—The intercollegiate track meet between Mount Allison, the University of New Brunswick and Acadia will be held on the Wanders grounds Friday afternoon the 26th inst.

It is several years since these colleges tried conclusions on the track in Halifax. On that occasion the attendance was very poor. This was not because the events were not interesting; for every event was keenly contested, and was considered one of the best track meets that was ever held here. The reason was that very few people knew that the meet was going to be held and the sporting public in Halifax missed a treat.

This year's meet should be well patronized by all lovers of good field and track events, for it will be one of the best days' sport that Halifax will have this summer.

The keenest rivalry exists among the teams, and this alone is all that is necessary to make the meet exceedingly interesting. There is still another reason why it should be a success—the three teams are all considered very evenly matched; in fact, more evenly matched than any since the intercollegiate track league was first inaugurated.

The Halifax Herald and the Evening Mail are going to present a cup to the winning team, but it will not become the permanent property of any college until it is won five times, and necessarily in succession.

These newspapers will also present a gold medal to the man who makes the largest number of points at this year's meet.

Dalhousie tried to gain admittance to the league, but her request was not received until after the other colleges had made their arrangements for a three team league, making it too late for the executive to consider the matter. It is probable, however, that the Tigers will be admitted next year.

The events at Friday's meet will be as follows:

100 yards dash, two heats and final.  
High jump.  
200 yards dash.  
16 pound shot put.  
Broad jump.  
16 pound hammer throw.  
120 yards hurdle race.  
1 mile run.  
The programme has not been arranged yet, but it is supposed that the events will be run off in the order given above.

The following are the records made by Mount Allison, Acadia and the University of New Brunswick in the intercollegiate league, when competing for the Summer trophy:

100 yards dash—Howe, Acadia.  
Black, Mount Allison, 16.15 seconds.  
220 yards dash—Black, Mount Allison.  
Moilard, Acadia, 23.15 seconds.  
440 yards dash—Rullege, U. N. B., 56 seconds.  
1 mile run—Corey, Acadia, 4 min. 51 sec.  
High jump—Eaton, Acadia, 5 ft. 7 in.  
Broad jump—Howe, Acadia, 21 ft. 11 1/2 in.  
16 pound shot put—Baird, U. N. B., 37 ft. 8 1/2 in.  
16 pound hammer throw—Jones, Acadia, 128 ft. 6 in.  
120 yards hurdle race—Howe, Acadia, 16.35 sec.  
1 mile run—Marr, Mount Allison, 9 ft. 10 1/2 in.

In a letter to the writer, Captain Porter, of Acadia's team, states: "I may say that these records except possibly the hammer throw, will be approached next Friday, and several will probably go to the wall."

## LESS CORK, MORE RUBBER MAKES MORE BASE HITS

The illustration shows cross sections of balls used in the National League this season and for the past two years. The reason for the increase in long hits is apparent. They're making home runs in the big leagues like Casey used to. The fame of "Buck" Freeman as a home run hitter, is destined to fade, for young men on various teams are making home runs regularly.

The reason is that a livelier ball is used this year than last season. The National league ball last year differed from the old ball, because it had a center of cork, surrounded by rubber, instead of a solid rubber core.

This ball was not satisfactory. Pitchers said it did not hold its shape in the face of hard hitting so the manufacturers tried again. They reduced the cork core and increased the thickness of the rubber. The result is a lively ball that recalls Brotherhood days.

In 1910 the cork center was an inch and a quarter in diameter. The rubber was a mere shell. This year the cork is about a half inch in diameter and the rubber considerably thicker.

This change is the secret of the increased hitting. The new ball gets away from the bat faster and acts peculiarly when hit upon the ground, bounding faster than its predecessors and in unexpected ways. The increased hitting will prevail doubtless until pitchers devise something to overcome the handicap.



## EIGHT TEAMS PLAYED ON VIC. ALLEYS LAST NIGHT

No less than eight bowling teams were in competition on the Victoria alleys last night in the City championship series. The team scores were as follows:

At eight o'clock, first game:

C. B. B.'s.	
Ward	79 74 96 230-76 2 3
Gilbrath	79 74 96 249-83
Griffith	83 76 75 234-78
McKenzie	74 72 81 227-75 2 3
Daley	85 86 84 235-78 1 3
398 267 410 1175	

At eight o'clock, second game:

Red Sox.	
Sweeney	81 84 92 267-89
Willett	83 86 86 235-78 1 3
Lawson	80 81 82 253-84 1 3
Parsons	88 81 81 210-70
Dalton	88 88 77 253-84 1 3
410 390 418 1218	

At eight o'clock, third game:

Royals.	
Smith	102 87 76 265-88 1 3
Laakey	80 85 83 248-82 2 3
Ramsey	80 81 72 252-84
Jack	87 73 82 252-84
Sullivan	87 69 109 265-88 1 3
424 375 432 1291	

At 8 o'clock the Stars vs. Tartars; Beacons vs. Regulars. At 9 o'clock, B. B.'s vs. Red Wings, and Blue Sox vs. Kickers.

At 9:30 o'clock, first game:

Sweeps.	
Harrison	87 79 79 245-81 2 3
Ferguson	83 102 82 258-86 1 3
Masters	84 81 80 245-81 2 3
Finley	82 72 84 238-79 1 3
McKean	88 78 85 251-83 2 3
416 412 410 1238	

## FIRST GAMES OF ATHLETIC LEAGUE SERIES

The spring series of events to be held by the Sunday school Athletic League was inaugurated last night, and the opening of the series was auspicious. Over two hundred persons were present and interest ran high.

Two events were held—a 50 yards dash by boys aged 13, 14, and 15 years, and a running high jump for boys 15 and 16 years. Both events were well contested and proved exciting.

In the 50 yards dash first place was captured by R. Thompson, representing St. James' church; the time for the 50 yards was 6.34 seconds. F. Thomas, Trinity, came second; M. Kirk and R. Maxwell, of Portland Methodist church were 3rd and 4th respectively.

In the running high jump for boys of 15 and 16 years, A. Marshall, Queen Square church, was first, jumper 4 feet 10 inches; 2nd, H. McCoy, Centenary, 4 feet 8 inches; 3rd, F. Thompson, St. Stephen's; 4th, J. Stern, Portland Methodist.

The officials were—Referee, J. P. Steele; track judges, Rev. G. Dickie, Rev. J. Anderson, Rev. D. Long, M. Jarvis; field judges, Rev. A. Graham and Postmaster Sears; J. E. Brown; timer, R. Penleton; scorer, J. H. Humphrey; announcer, J. McKinnis; clerk of course, Thompson.

Considerable interest is being shown in the league and some interesting events are scheduled during the series. On Thursday evening there will be two more events, a high jump and 12 lb. shot put.

## RESULTS OF THE BIG LEAGUES

National League.			
At Boston	012002020-7-12-1		
Boston	00011021-11-15-1		
Batteries—Pfeffer, Brown and Harlan; Steele and Gibson.			
At Philadelphia	080020001-11-11-1		
Philadelphia	30000010-4-9-1		
Batteries—Suggs and McLean; Brennan, Chalmers, Schultz and McLean.			
At Brooklyn	000100001-2-6-1		
Brooklyn	10209000-3-10-1		
Batteries—Wagner, Tony and Archer; Barger and Bergen.			
National League Standing.			
	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Philadelphia	21	7	.750
Pittsburg	17	9	.654
New York	16	10	.614
Chicago	15	12	.556
Cincinnati	12	10	.545
St. Louis	8	15	.348
Boston	8	21	.276
Brooklyn	7	29	.259
American League.			
At Chicago	00023010x-6-8-1		
Chicago	00000010-1-3-2		
Batteries—Scott and Sullivan; Krause and Thomas.			
At Cleveland	010000001-2-8-2		
Cleveland	000100000-1-7-1		
Batteries—Gregg and Fisher; Fisher and Blair.			
At St. Louis	000000000-0-3-2		
Washington	000000000-0-3-2		
St. Louis	00100300x-4-11-1		
Batteries—Gray and Almsmith; Lake and Stephens.			
At Detroit	000301020-6-10-1		
Detroit	000231001-7-16-2		
Batteries—Karger, Cloutte and Carigan; Laffie and Stange.			
At New York	141100001-8-12-1		
New York	00022002-6-10-2		
Batteries—Steele and Bliss; Raymond, Ames, Maquard and Wilson.			
American League Standing.			
	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Detroit	25	5	.833
Chicago	14	12	.538
Boston	15	13	.536
Philadelphia	13	12	.520
New York	12	14	.462
Washington	10	15	.400
Cleveland	12	18	.400
St. Louis	8	20	.286

## BATTING AVERAGES OF BIG LEAGUES

McINNIS LEADS THEM ALL.			
Athletics Utility Infielder With 485 in 18 Games Best American Batter.			
With a gain of 56 points in the games he played last week, McInnis, the Rockport, Mass., member of the Athletics, jumped in first place among the batters of the American League with the remarkable figures of .485. He hit the ball savagely again last week gathering hits with as much frequency almost as he did previous weeks. The wonderful second baseman of the team, holds second place on the list and, too is batting better than 400.			
DOONIN STEPS DOWN.			
Supplanted as Leading National Batter by Wilson, of New York.			
Dooin, the Quaker manager, has given way as the leading batter in the National League to young Wilson, McGraw's recruit catcher, who in the 10 games he has played has made 8 hits in 18 times at bat, giving him an average of .444. Dooin, however, is by no means out of the running, as he has increased his average 32 points since a week ago and would quickly slide back in the lead in the event of Wilson's failure to hit safely in a few times at bat.			
The averages:			
McInnis, Phila. . . . .	.485	G. A. B. H. Av.	
Collins, Phila. . . . .	.429	Wilson, N. Y. . . . .	.414
Cobb, Det. . . . .	.408	Dooin, Phila. . . . .	.387
Lajoie, Cleve. . . . .	.385	Danbert, Brook. . . . .	.385
Jackson, Cleve. . . . .	.375	J. Miller, Bos. . . . .	.368
Dougherty, Chic. . . . .	.373	Wagner, Pitts. . . . .	.368
Engle, Boston . . . . .	.372	J. Doyle, Bos. . . . .	.357
Murphy, Phila. . . . .	.372	Wilson, Pitts. . . . .	.345
Galtner, Det. . . . .	.368	Clarke, Pitts. . . . .	.345
Crawford, Det. . . . .	.355	Wagner, Pitts. . . . .	.345
Crisp, St. L. . . . .	.352	Devore, N. Y. . . . .	.333
Lord, Chic. . . . .	.352	Braham, Bos. . . . .	.328
Williams, Bos. . . . .	.351	Magee, Phila. . . . .	.328
Denker, Bos. . . . .	.351	Sheppard, Chic. . . . .	.328
Bodie, Chic. . . . .	.351	Packard, Phila. . . . .	.328
Austin, St. L. . . . .	.326	J. Miller, Pitts. . . . .	.319
Chase, N. Y. . . . .	.325	Meyers, N. Y. . . . .	.317
McGowan, Phila. . . . .	.325	Schulte, Chic. . . . .	.317
Easterly, Cleve. . . . .	.325	Goode, Bos. . . . .	.314
McIntyre, Chic. . . . .	.325	Bridwell, N. Y. . . . .	.314
Cree, N. Y. . . . .	.325	Harzog, Bos. . . . .	.309
Ellerfield, Wash. . . . .	.325	Downey, Chic. . . . .	.309
Milan, Wash. . . . .	.325	Wheat, Brook. . . . .	.299

## M'AVITY'S WIN SERIES FOR TITLE

The M'Avity and Sons bowling team are the champions of the commercial league which teams have battled for the season on the Black's alleys. At the close of the schedule about a week ago the M'Avity team and the L. C. R. team were tied for the championship, and it was decided that there should be a rollover between the two teams. A few nights ago the captains of the two teams could not decide on the matter of the rollover, and the bowling committee decided that there should be three games, if necessary, and that the highest pinfall on each game should count a point and that the strings should not be counted as points.

The teams rolled on Monday night and the M'Avity team had the highest total pinfall which gave them one point. The L. C. R. team protested, stating that every string and the total should count a point. The railway men did not roll last night and the M'Avity team bowed alone and captured the championship. Their score was as follows:

T. McAvity and Sons.  
Forsyth . . . . . 78 91 259-86 1 3  
Litchfield . . . . . 81 101 80 262-87 1 2  
O'Brien . . . . . 86 76 76 238-79 1 3  
Foshee . . . . . 83 108 95 286-94 1 4  
Harrison . . . . . 74 97 94 265-88 1 3

414 460 436 1310

The members of the championship team will each receive a gold locket as a prize for their victory.

## CAMERON WOULD RUN LONGBOAT IN N.S. TEAMS

Special to The Standard.

Amherst, May 16.—Fred Cameron arrived in Amherst from Boston Sunday morning. He states that for a week or so after he went to Boston he was decidedly out of condition and his health was not up to the standard when he had his race with Shrubb. He has, however, since that time been training steadily and is going to continue in the running game. He is now back to his old training grounds at Amherst and is looking in the pink of condition. He has been corresponding with Longboat's manager with the hope of getting the Indian to run on the Hamblers' track. He expects a definite answer sometime this week. Falling to secure Longboat Cameron expects to arrange a match with Holmer during the summer months.

Jack Copeland the well known baseball player and a shortstop which the city will miss on the diamond this season, left on the Halifax Express last night for Halifax where he has signed to play with one of the leading teams in that city.

Another ball player who will be missed from the city and who left on the same train with Copeland was Harley Howe, the pitcher and backstop. He has been signed with the Sydney team and will report there tomorrow. A number of friends of both players were at the train to see them off last night.

A Large Attendance Requested.

The weekly meeting of the Irish Literary and Benevolent Society takes place this evening in their rooms, Union street. Important business will be brought forward.

## LETERAN GOES TO MINORS



FRED PARENT.

Once the pride of the Connecticut League and later the batting sensation of the Boston infield, Fred Parent has been relegated to Baltimore Eastern league by the White Sox.

Parent in his early big league days was a whirlwind fielder and a 300 hitter. He was with the Beans through three championship series and one world's championship. He alternated between the infield and the deep pastures, but hit less than 200 in 81 games.

LOCAL PLAYERS WORKING OUT WELL.

The members of the St. John baseball team will meet this evening at 8:30 o'clock on the Shamrock grounds for a workout. The men are getting into shape for the opening game on the 24th, and are taking day about with the Marathons for practice. The Marathons had a good practice on the grounds last night and all the players are showing up in good style.

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THE WEATHER.

Maritime—Moderate winds, fair; not much change in temperature. Toronto, May 16.—Showers have occurred today from British Columbia to and including the lake region, while elsewhere in Canada the weather has been fair. Local thunder storms occurred in the western provinces. Maximum and minimum temperatures: Dawson—32, 60. Atlin—32, 58. Victoria—48, 66. Vancouver—50, 56. Kamloops—50, 64. Edmonton—42, 72. Calgary—46, 54. Qu'Appelle—44, 58. Winnipeg—50, 74. Port Arthur—40, 46. Parry Sound—46, 62. London—60, 72. Toronto—50, 62. Ottawa—48, 65. Montreal—50, 64. Quebec—46, 70. St. John—45, 64. Halifax—44, 64. Lower St. Lawrence and Gulf—Fair, and much the same temperature.

AROUND THE CITY

Afternoon Tea. On shopping days take afternoon tea at Vincent's, 47 Germain street.

St. John District Division. This evening the regular quarterly meeting of St. John County District Division S. of T. will be held in the Loyalist Division Hall on Paradise Row. Reports will be received and important business transacted. All members are requested to attend.

Y. M. C. A. Directors Organize. The board of directors of the Y. M. C. A. met last evening, transacted routine business and elected the following officers:—President, W. C. Cross; vice-president, J. J. Hunter White; treasurer, F. A. Dykeman; recording secretary, K. E. Church.

Conference Postponed. On account of the illness of Ald. McGoldrick, and of some of the members of the Board of Health, the conference to have been held yesterday afternoon between the delegation from the City Council and the Board of Health re the establishing of incinerators was postponed until Thursday afternoon.

St. Luke's Rectory Project. A meeting of the vestrymen of St. Luke's church was held last evening to consider the matter of erecting a new presbytery. A resolution was passed at the meeting confirming the decision of the congregation on Friday evening last to erect a presbytery. The vestrymen will meet the auxiliary committee on Thursday evening when the matter will be further dealt with.

Will Not Play Today. Owing to the leading comedian being unable to do justice to his part in the musical comedy "What Wright Left," the performance came to a premature conclusion in the Opera House last evening. A large crowd assembled on the street after leaving the theatre and some looting was indulged in, but there was no disturbance. H. J. Anderson, manager of the Opera House, informed the Standard after the performance that the engagement of the company had been cancelled.

Systematic Giving Discussed. The W. C. T. U. met yesterday afternoon in the parlors of the Seaman's Mission and held an interesting session. Considerable routine business was transacted during the meeting. The subject of systematic giving was brought before the meeting and was discussed at length by the members. Mrs. C. H. Dearborn, who returned this week after attending the World in Boston, gave an interesting account of her trip, and of the proceedings in connection with the World in Boston convention.

More Laborers on Strike. The movement for higher wages among the workmen of the city and vicinity continues to spread. About a dozen men who have been engaged under Foreman Gallagher constructing culverts preparatory to laying the double track on the I. C. R. near the One Mile House, are out on strike for \$2.00 a day. They were getting \$1.75. The members of the Building Laborers' and Hodcarriers' union, who were on strike some time ago because the contractor, who is building the artery refused to give them \$2 a day, are still out. Contractor Sullivan stated yesterday that he was not now employing any hodcarriers, and that he would not do so for some time. He was only employing laborers for excavation work at yet.

Brilliant Recital by William C. Bowden's Pupils. The recital given by Mr. Bowden's pupils last evening in Centenary schoolroom, was perhaps the most brilliant amateur musical event of the season. The violin solos by Miss Elise McLean, Miss Winifred Barker, Masters Leonard McGuire and John O'Regan were magnificently rendered. Special mention should also be made of the orchestral class and the Aeolian Mandolin Club. J. A. Kelly was never heard to better advantage and Mrs. J. M. Barnes particularly pleased the audience. Mr. Bowden's well known abilities as a teacher were demonstrated in no uncertain manner by the marked ability of his pupils, and the enthusiastic reception of the performance by the large and fashionable audience present.

The Jordan Sanatorium. Dr. A. F. McAvenny, one of the commissioners of the Jordan Memorial Sanatorium returned from Governor Glade yesterday where, in company with other commissioners, he has been inspecting the property. The commissioners decided to put a survey party to work with the object of finding a shorter route from the railway than by the present road, but pending the selection of a superintendent they will not make any extensive changes in either the buildings or the grounds as they wish to have the superintendent's advice. Mrs. Jordan, Hon. C. W. Robinson and Dr. McAvenny will probably leave next week for a trip to sanatoriums in American cities with the object of securing information regarding the management of such institutions and also to secure a medical superintendent.

FIREMEN TO JOIN IN AN EVENING PARADE

At Meeting Last Night it was Decided to Hold Torchlight Procession on Evening of Coronation Day.

There was a large gathering of firemen at No. 1, H. and L. station, King street east, last evening at the call of Chief John Kerr. There were also present Ald. J. B. Jones and Rupert W. Wigmore. The chief explained that there was to be a celebration on June 22nd, the day of the Coronation of King George V., and it was the desire of the fire department to participate.

Ald. Jones explained that he and his brother aldermen were a committee to meet the firemen regarding the celebration and that a sum of \$500 had been granted towards the expenditure of a turnout and that this sum would probably be increased. He thought it quite necessary that the members of the fire department should assist.

Ald. Wigmore spoke on the same lines as Ald. Jones and stated that he could not as yet state what action the militia and the societies in the city would take in the matter.

A committee consisting of the chief, district engineers, George Blake, Chas. Brown, Charles Jackson and J. A. Ring with Capt. J. Fred Shaw, of No. 1 Salvage Corps and Capt. William Turner, of No. 2 Salvage Corps had been invited to join with them in the procession.

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