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#### BUILDING AND TAXES.

After long delay which, undoubtedly, seriously interfered with individual plans in the matter of home building, the way now seems clear for the application of the federal grant towards construction of new houses. While the season is well advanced, there is still opportunity for the erection of numbers of the less expensive class of houses in this city before the cold weather sets in, and indications are that a considerable number of people are preparing to take advantage of the opportunity afforded them. It is clear that in so far as the city proper is concerned the chief difficulty will be found in securing land within easy reach, yet while suitable lots may not appear at first glance to be very numerous, still when the prospective builder sets out to find land he will see many available sites. Some of these properties are no doubt held for speculative purposes, but in such instances the city would certainly be justified in exerting its influence to ward forcing sales at reasonable prices to those who plan to build at once.

Construction costs are high. This more than any other thing has for the past few years been the great hindrance to building, and there is no prospect whatever that these costs will be reduced within an appreciable time. Indeed indications all point the other way, for labor and materials are much more likely to advance during the next four or five years and, accepting this opinion, there is nothing whatever to be gained by further delay on the part of prospective home makers. Yet in view of existing conditions and having regard to the pressing need for new homes in St. John, a man who has sufficient courage today to carry out his plans should not be burdened with any greater costs of upkeep than are fair and reasonable. Interest and insurance on the higher cost of construction make the ownership of even a moderate priced home a somewhat expensive affair, and if the city can find ways and means of reducing overhead charges in such cases it will afford material assistance to persons who are in a position to appreciate such help. While there will always be objections to any interference with the general application of the assessment law, still any real harm can be caused by the adoption of a policy under which a limitation of values may be fixed on residential properties constructed according to plans approved by the city. There has been no building worth mentioning for some years and the assessed values of existing properties are based on construction costs of pre-war times. No one among the owners of residential properties now appearing on the assessment list would suffer were the city to fix valuations for assessment purposes upon the homes hereafter constructed, such values to be based on pre-war construction costs. By such a policy as this the prospective builder would not be penalized for his courage in undertaking construction during a time of excessive costs, but would feel that his enterprise was appreciated by the community. This is a point which our commissioners might well consider, for The Standard believes that the adoption of such a policy and its application within reason would prove an incentive to the construction of residential properties.

#### THE ST. STEPHEN ROAD.

The Telegraph and The Times quote with great glee and warmest approbation an article from The Chatham World dealing with provincial roads, and foolishly declaim against The Standard for criticizing the St. John-St. Stephen highway. These fence-straddling Veniot organs should first have read what The Standard had to say about that road and then compare that statement with what Mr. J. L. Stewart reports from his personal experience, before endeavoring to misrepresent the facts. With all due respect to the parties concerned The Standard desires to call attention of the retail merchants of St. John to the attitude of these Government newspaper touching local business, as evidenced by the support given Mr. Stewart and the apparent relish with which his advice is reprinted. Clearly, according to these newspapers, the Government is justified in diverting from this city all the tourist business which we might and undoubtedly would enjoy were the main highway from the United States put in decent condition.

The Standard has stated, and still maintains, that for the greater portion of its length the St. John-St. Stephen road is unfit for comfortable travel. This paper admitted that the highway is reasonably good for a few miles east side of St. Stephen. Now The Chatham World, held by Mr. Veniot, The Telegraph and The Times are the only fair critics of the Government in the province, declares, as the result of a personal inspection by the editor, that The Standard was entirely accurate in its statement. But Mr. Stewart goes even farther. After recounting that a good surface exists

for a few miles this side of St. Stephen, he expresses regret that the remainder of the road is unfit for comfortable travel. That it has not been given any attention whatever, and that "it is so bad that tourists excrete it." But The World goes still farther and urges upon all tourists the advisability of shunning St. John. Since the road to this city is in such a miserable condition, Mr. Stewart, with the commendation of The Telegraph and The Times, advises that visitors be instructed to proceed through Houlton and Woodstock to Fredericton. Diverge all tourist business from St. John, he says, and send it via York County to the North Shore, where Mr. Veniot has spent money like water and where there are some really satisfactory roads. This is the plan which The Telegraph and The Times so enthusiastically endorse. Down with the retail merchants of St. John who dare to expect for this city a share of the tourist business from the United States. It is quite true that the St. Stephen road is an abomination, but who cares so long as the visitors can be led by another road to Fredericton. St. John may go without its fair share of this trade, may watch the thousands of tourists spend their money in Carleton and York Counties and on the North Shore, but we must say nothing whatever to offend the delicate sensibilities of Mr. Veniot or to disturb the tender sentiments which he entertains towards those highways which avoid St. John. And Mr. Veniot himself advises the members of the Retail Merchants' Association that they are a sleepy bunch. After they had waited for three years for some sign of improvement to the St. John-St. Stephen highway, the members of this association politely asked that repairs to that road be undertaken and the reply is that if they had kept their eyes open they might have read a few days previous of a promise to attend to these repairs at some future time.

#### RACE RIOTS.

Rioting between negroes and whites in Chicago, while resulting up to the present in only a score or so of deaths, has attracted widespread attention. Following as it does so closely upon a similar outbreak in Washington, the impression has been created that these disturbances are not the direct outcome of the natural animosity between the two races, especially as the disorders have occurred in cities ordinarily immune from such expressions of feeling. Had the trouble originated in neighboring communities in the Southern States, where the negro population is proportionately large and where friction is always in evidence, little surprise would have been occasioned. But, having developed in cities hundreds of miles apart and in which disorders of this nature have heretofore been practically unknown, these incidents lead to the belief that the rioting is a direct outcome of an organized effort on the part of the I. W. W. to incite the negroes against the whites. Even in the city of New York during the present week mass meetings of negroes have been held at which socialistic speakers have urged members of the colored race to take by force what they consider their rights, to stop at nothing, to burn, to kill, to destroy whatever opposition may be encountered in this effort. The United States Government, it is stated, has ample evidence that these outbreaks and these meetings are in accordance with the efforts of professors and socialists previous to the war and which have been continued among the negro population for some time, gaining vigor since the conclusion of the war. Whatever measure of truth there may be in these statements it is true that the situation in Chicago is sufficiently grave as to prove a source of worry to those entrusted with the maintenance of the law. The disorders so far have occurred just outside what is known as the loop district, that densely packed business section of the city in which it is so easy for the criminal element to wreak destruction practically without molestation by the police.

#### THE HARBOUR SALE.

On the suggestion of Mayor Hayes the matter of Harbour Commission will be taken up by the Council on Thursday of this week. The expectation is that at this meeting preliminary arrangements may be made for the public sale which will be held on this important subject. The date of the public sale will possibly be fixed for early in September, and the intervening few weeks should give the people of St. John ample opportunity to consider this matter fully before recording their votes. While The Standard has, from time to time, endeavored to present reasons why this transfer should not be made according to the terms proposed, this paper recognizes that there are many perhaps equally sound arguments in favor of the sale. And it is sincerely to be hoped that the commissioners will adopt every possible means of placing before the ratepayers of St. John, the most com-

plete information covering every phase of this proposed transfer. The matter is too vital to the interests of this city to be put through as a matter of routine, and without proper consideration.

#### POLITICAL MANIPULATIONS.

Are there some things going on in political circles in this province of which our friends of the Liberal party may not be fully aware? Mr. Georges Pelletier writes in Le Devoir as follows concerning our own Lieutenant-Governor:

"There are in New Brunswick some friends of Mr. Pugsley who do not doubt anything. Are they not proposing to lead him to resign his post of lieutenant-governor for the purpose of having him chosen afterwards as chief of the Liberal party at the general convention next week? This would be a little strong. Everybody knows in what disgusting fashion Mr. Pugsley, violent denouncer from 1914 to 1917 of the acts and conduct of Minister Borden, was one of the first to play foul to Mr. Laurier in the dark days of the autumn of 1917, receiving at once as a prize for his cynical conduct the post which he occupies today. Mr. Pugsley is too clever a fox to let go of the prey for the purpose of running after the shadow. He chased himself forever in 1917 outside of the number of men on whom his old party could count. He had certainly the right to entertain his own opinion and to differ from that of Mr. Laurier, but he had not the right to let go his chief in imposing on Mr. Borden as a pre-vious condition the one that we know of. That, nevertheless, did not astonish at the time those who knew his political career. Mr. Hazen, his colleague today in mission, has already related the multiple fight-about-faces of Mr. Pugsley in politics at the time when he was a young politician. And Mr. Hazen has never since made a better speech than the one in which he exposed to the House the incarnations of Numa Romestan that Mr. Pugsley had made in miniature."

As a reward for his services overseas General Pershing is to receive the thanks of the nation, a sword, and the permanent rank of general.

#### WHAT THEY SAY

**The Same Man.**  
New York Herald: That former German Czar Prince who is quoted as saying that the Allies can have only his head body—is he the same Crown Prince who took such care to save his precious body from harm during the war?

**An Old Enemy.**  
Toronto Globe: Mr. Pardee's statement that the high cost of living has replaced the Hun as the enemy at the rate is in no way exaggerated. The very foundation of democracy are in danger because of the operations of conscienceless profiteers.

**A Matter of Civic Responsibility.**  
New York Tribune: The general strike in a single case would encourage the leaders and give them great prestige. Each city where the experiment is made has, therefore, a large responsibility in the defence of democracy.

**Drifting Politicians.**  
Quebec Chronicle: Both political parties the Dominion are at present experiencing their full share of the difficulties of "Reconstruction on a Peace Footing" for the old-line so-called Laurier Liberals, there is the necessity of finding a new leader and of formulating a permanent platform on which to stand while the Unionist Coalition is in an equally perplexing quandary, its raison d'être having vanished with the war.

**Howe's Great Invention.**  
Springfield Union: It seems incredible that only seventy-nine years have elapsed since the inventor of the sewing machine took out his first patent, yet this fact is brought to our notice by the observance in Spencer of the 100th anniversary of the birth of Elias Howe. Amid the marvels that the twentieth century has developed, it is fitting that the world's inextinguishable light to this benefactor should not be overlooked.

### Little Benny's Note Book

BY LEE PAPE.

Yesterday before supper the door bell rang and it was a man with a pack like for pop saying, "What's the name, Pops?" and pop said, "Pops, and the man said, 2 dollars and 30 cents, and pop said, I haven't anything smaller than a 2 dollar bill, can you change it?"

If I had change for a 20 dollar bill I'd set up all night and watch it, and Benny, take this bill and run and get it changed and be quick and car/hill.

Yes sir, I said. And I ran around the corner, and there was a coal man around there watching coal sliding down a cellar out of his coal waggin, being a short man with so much coal rubbed off his face that anybody could tell he was a coal man even if he hadent of bin anywars near a coal waggin, and I went up to him, saying, Can you change a 20 dollar bill?

I cannot not and never could, thank you just the same, said the coal man. And he kept on helping the coal to slide down, and a little ways down the street there was a man chopping ice on the back of a ice waggin and another man setting on the drivers seat on account of him probably being the driver, and I went up to the man chopping ice, saying, Would you mind changing a 20 dollar bill?

You fatter me, said the man. And he yelled to the driver, Hay Bill, what would you do if you had change for 20 dollars?

I'd drop dead from surprise, said the other man. And I kept on going till I came to a man pushing a pushcart half full of shays and pop said to me, all full once, me saying, Can you please change a 20 dollar bill?

Who, me? said the potato man. Being a fat man with suspenders, and I said, Yes sir, and he said, Let me see it. Which I took it out of my pocket and showed it to him, and he said, Let me feel it. And I held it out and he felt it, saying, Thanks, I always wanted to feel one of them things.

And he kept on pushing his pushcart, and I thawt of the idea of getting it changed at the drug store. Which I did and when I got back the man with the green cap was setting on the front steps asleep and pop had to wake him up to give him the 2 dollars and 30 cents.

#### A BIT OF VERSE

##### TROUBLE AND ENVY.

(Copyright 1919 by Edgar A. Guest, in Montreal Herald.)

Trouble comes to every man  
Though he lives the best he can.  
None so good but now and then  
He must have the cares of pen.  
None so rich that he can pay  
Grief and pain to stay away.  
None so strong but he must know  
All a weaker brother's woe.

Glory gives no guarantee  
That you shall be trouble free,  
In the rich man's home may be  
Loneliness and misery.  
And the great man, brave and good,  
If we only understood,  
May be suffering bitter woe  
Than his humbler brother knows.

Each must feel the hurt of pain  
Each must take his share of rain.  
None can go through life without  
Coming face to face with doubt  
And the price of fame and gold  
May be bitter grief untold.  
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Though he lives the best he can.

#### A BIT OF FUN

A speech made at a banquet is called a toast because of the dryness thereof.

If a man calls on a woman she is pleased—either when he comes or goes.

'Twas due to his wretched memory,  
And not because he was tight—  
She wanted a light electric light,  
And he bought an electric light.

A Good Mathematician.  
Newitt:—They say that the person with a strong imagination has absolutely no head for figures."  
Barrrat:—"Don't you believe it. When my wife goes, her imagination at work upon her age she can make arithmetic look silly!"

A Sure Employment.  
He:—"Then it is settled that we are to elope at midnight!"  
She:—"Yes."  
He:—"And you are sure you can get your trunk packed in time?"  
She:—"Oh, yes, papa and mamma have both promised to help me."

Poor Horses.  
Company Sergeant (who has lost patience with an awkward recruit):—"New approach the horses, from behind without speaking," he exclaimed. "If you do they'll kick you in that thick head of yours, and the end of it will be that we shall have nothing but lame horses in the squadron."

### ABE MARTIN



Who remembers when the theatrical season used to close early enough for a feller to save a little money for a straw hat? Where there's a fern and a baby in the same home somebody's going to get the worst of it.

Lawyer:—"As I understand it, your rich uncle left you this library."  
Cahbert:—"Aw, yes, quite so—his library."  
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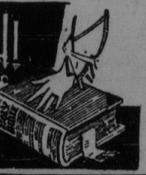


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Edgar Bearham, accused of stealing goods from the store W. H. Thorne & Co., Ltd., was in the police court yesterday committed for trial. The magistrate refused bail. Tony Mava, accused of being concerned in the assault upon Policeman Kotzmann, was allowed out on a deposit of \$80.

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### SEVENTY-FOUR SOLDIERS ARRIVE

Reached the City Yesterday Morning After Doing Their Part in the Great War—Were Welcomed by the Reception Committees.

Seventy-four New Brunswick men who returned from overseas on the S. S. Winifredan arrived here yesterday morning and were discharged. Among those to return home was Lieut. W. F. Simonds, son of W. A. Simonds, Rockland Road. Lieut. Simonds went over early in the war with the Ammunition Column, leaving St. John the same time as the 26th. After a brief stay in England he got to France and soon took his commission. He spent over four years in France and has been fortunate enough to come through without being wounded. Lieut. Simonds also has a brother overseas, Fred, who went to Siberia and is expected home soon.

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### Common Council Meeting Yesterday

Decided to go Ahead With Hawthorne Avenue Work—An Assessment Matter.

At a meeting of the Common Council yesterday morning it was decided to go ahead with the extension of the water and sewerage system from Park street to the ice house in Hawthorne avenue at an estimated cost of \$14,000, the work to be paid for by bond issue. A resolution authorizing the issuing of bonds to the amount of \$10,000 for the extension of the water system from the vicinity of the Municipal Home to the dry dock site at Courtenay Bay was also passed. Although the work has already been commenced on the latter extension, the authority for bond issue could not be given on account of the extension of Com. Bullock's term. The mayor presided and all the commissioners and the city engineer were present.

The council went into committee to discuss the Hawthorne avenue extension, and heard E. M. Olive, chairman of the board of assessors. He said the total assessable value of property in this street was \$48,450, but this value would be greatly increased by the water and sewerage extension. In reply to Com. Bullock, he said there were some lots on which there were no buildings. Com. Bullock said that he would look into the matter, as the housing commission might find an opportunity of carrying out part of the scheme there, provided the council decided to provide water and sewerage. After the committee arose and met in council, Com. Jones put the motion authorizing the extension and it was carried unanimously.

It was brought to the attention of the council that property in Stanley ward was being assessed on one-half valuation under one of the old terms of the union of Portland with St. John. The motion suggested that this be looked into and that those sections of the ward which were receiving the same privileges as other parts of the city be assessed in the same way. The commission of public works was given the authority to purchase a car load of cement for the work on retaining walls recommended at Monday's committee meeting, but this was passed at yesterday morning's council meeting. The public works department was also authorized to pool the unexpended balances of the various items of street appropriations for the present year, the fund to be used for such part of the street department's business as may in the opinion of the department require the outlay. Com. Bullock called the attention of the commissioner of public works to a depression in the granite pavement in Nelson street.

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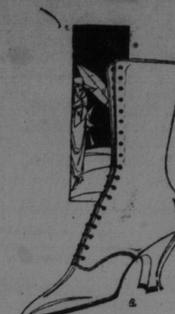
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### OBITUARY

Allan McIntyre.  
Newcastle, N. B., July 28.—The death of Allan McIntyre, one of New Castle's oldest and best known citizens, occurred at an early hour on Sunday morning, after an illness of about ten days.

He deceased for many years conducted a hotel here on the site where the Royal Bank now stands, but retired some years ago and has devoted his time to farming. On Friday the 18th inst. he suffered a paralytic stroke, from which he never recovered. The late Mr. McIntyre was eighty-one years of age and had resided in Newcastle all his life. He is survived by three daughters: Marguerite (Mrs. William O'Leary), Montreal; Miss Lucy of Montreal; and Miss Annie of the home. The funeral will take place at 10 o'clock, Tuesday morning to St. Mary's Church. Interment in St. Mary's Cemetery.

### OBITUARY

Myer Moss.  
Newcastle, July 28.—One of the best known residents of the Miramichi passed away here on Sunday afternoon in the person of Myer Moss, who for a large number of years conducted a jewelry store at Chatham, but retired last year on account of his health and has since, with Mrs. Moss, made their home with their daughter, Mrs. Howard Williston here. The late Mr. Moss was very prominent in all matters pertaining to the Miramichi and his passing will be heard with regret on all parts of the Miramichi.

Hiram Smith.  
Moncton, N. B., July 29.—The death of Hiram Smith, a well-known C. N. R. engineer, occurred this morning at his home in this city from pneumonia, following an attack of typhoid fever. He was forty-two years old, and was a son of Chesley Smith, of Wopelia, Sask. He is survived by his wife and four children. Five brothers,

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## BASEBALL IN THE BIG LEAGUES

### AMERICAN LEAGUE.

**New York, 10; Chicago, 1.**  
 At New York—001000000—1 6 1  
 Chicago.....001000000—3 10 2  
 New York.....001000000—10 14 1  
 Cootie, Danforth and Lynn; Thor-  
 mahlen and Hanan; Ruel.

**Detroit, 10; Boston, 8.**  
 At Boston—002330002—10 12 1  
 Detroit.....002330002—8 10 4  
 Leonard and Almsmith; Maseur,  
 Caldwell and Schang.

**St. Louis, 8; Washington, 3.**  
 At Washington—001000002—8 9 1  
 St. Louis.....001000002—3 10 2  
 Washington.....001000002—8 10 2  
 Sothorn and Severid; Erickson,  
 Harper and Pietuch.

**Cleveland, 8; Philadelphia, 2.**  
 At Philadelphia—First game—  
 Cleveland.....00011100—8 16 1  
 Philadelphia.....00011100—2 7 2  
 Covelski and O'Neill; Perry, Rogers  
 and Perkins.

**Philadelphia, 11; Cleveland, 7.**  
 Second game—  
 Cleveland.....410000200—7 10 3  
 Philadelphia.....102000200—11 12 1  
 Morton, Kieffer, Phillips and  
 O'Neill; Kinney, Johnson and McArroy,  
 Perkins.

### NATIONAL LEAGUE.

**New York, 3; Pittsburgh, 0.**  
 At Pittsburgh—First game—  
 New York.....00001100—3 8 0  
 Pittsburgh.....00001100—0 3 1  
 Toney and McCarthy; Adams and  
 Blackwell.

**Pittsburgh, 7; New York, 6.**  
 Second game—  
 New York.....00104001—4 12 1  
 Pittsburgh.....00100123—7 13 1  
 Beaton, Dabuc, Douglas and Snyder;  
 Cooper and Lee.

**Cincinnati, 3; Boston, 2.**  
 At Cincinnati—First game—  
 Cincinnati.....00000000—2 6 1  
 Cincinnati.....00021000—3 10 1  
 Fillingham and Gowdy; Ring and  
 Wingo.

**Boston, 6; Cincinnati, 4.**  
 Second game—  
 Boston.....001000200—6 9 2  
 Cincinnati.....101000200—4 11 1  
 Neff, Rudolph and Wilson; Elmer,  
 Magee, Laque and Bariden; Wagner,  
 Cooper and Lee.

### INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE.

**Reading, 6; Jersey City, 5.**  
 At Reading—  
 Jersey City.....000630200—3 12 2  
 Reading.....01001400—6 12 2  
 Maloney, Bismiller and Hudgens;  
 Keefe, Brown and Knoch.

**Binghamton, 2; Buffalo, 1.**  
 At Binghamton—  
 Buffalo.....00700000—1 6 1  
 Binghamton.....00200000—2 6 0  
 Jordan and Bengough; Martin and  
 Fischer.

**Baltimore, 6; Newark, 4.**  
 At Newark—  
 Baltimore.....00103002—6 13 0  
 Newark.....02100000—4 7 1  
 Hill, Parrham and Laffer; Rom-  
 mel and Bruyey.

### Only three international games to day.

**American League Standing.**

Team	Won	Lost	P. C.
Chicago	32	32	50
Detroit	30	37	45
Cleveland	30	38	56
New York	27	37	50
St. Louis	26	39	54
Boston	27	47	44
Washington	27	52	41
Philadelphia	23	62	27

**National League Standing.**

Team	Won	Lost	P. C.
New York	34	35	54
Cincinnati	28	36	44
Chicago	26	36	42
Brooklyn	24	42	36
Pittsburgh	21	44	32
Boston	21	49	30
St. Louis	20	50	29
Philadelphia	17	51	25

**International League Standing.**

Team	Won	Lost	P. C.
Baltimore	67	28	705
Toronto	61	34	642
Buffalo	52	43	547
Newark	49	47	510
Binghamton	46	48	483
Rochester	40	54	426
Reading	29	60	326
Jersey City	27	62	303

## See Horse Races On Sussex Track

### White Sox and Fern Hal Will Meet for the First Time.

The best horse races of the season will be held at Sussex on Friday and Saturday, August 1 and 2. White Sox, the mare owned by G. B. Fenwick, and Fern Hal, the mare owned by Dr. McAllister, meet for the first time. Both horses are in prime condition and their friends are betting freely. The largest bet to date is \$1,000, even money, that White Sox will trim Fern Hal in the free-for-all. There is also considerable interest in the other classes. All classes have large entry lists, and the lovers of good clean horse racing are assured of two good days' sport.

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## Fastest Heat of Year At Columbus

### The Toddler Trotted One Great Heat in Grand Circuit Yesterday.

Columbus, O., July 28.—What looked to be a very prosaic and out and dried programme today, when heat after heat was reeled off by winners without any other horse cutting in for a winning mile, was suddenly spoiled by The Toddler, in the third heat of the last event, the 2,000 trot, purse \$3,000, when he came along and by trotting the fastest trotting heat of the year, ruced Royal Mac into the ground and won the heat. Wilkes Brewer then suddenly came to life, and in two very remarkable finishes twice staved off The Toddler. So at night all horses had been rained out, and Royal Mac and Wilkes Brewer tomorrow will race for the deciding heat for first money. This race was the big feature and Royal Mac was heavily played to win.

### Summary:

**2.20 Class Trotting—Purse \$800.**  
 Duette, br. m., by Elawah (Geers).....1 1 1  
 Lucille Harvester, br. m., by The Harvester (Murphy).....4 7 2  
 Sister Azoff, br. m., by Azoff (McMahon).....2 4 4  
 Harvest Dorn, br. h., by The Harvester (Walker).....3 3 3  
 Time—2:20; 2:21 1/2; 2:17 1/4.

**2.11 Class Trotting—"The S. and S."—Purse, \$3,000.**  
 McGregor the Great, br. h., by Peter the Great (Cox).....1 1 1  
 Peter Coley, br. g., by Peter the Great (Valentine).....6 2 2  
 Lotto Watts, br. m., by General Watts (Murphy).....2 6 8  
 The Acme, br. h., by The Exponent (Haines).....3 3 3  
 Miss Woodbine, br. m., by Empire (Whitehead).....4 8 4  
 Karrigan, The Triumph, and Peter Pogue also started.  
 Time—2:09 1/4; 2:0 3/4; 2:06 1/4.

### 2.11 Class Pacing—Purse \$1,000.

Direct C. Burnett, br. g., by Direct Hal (Murphy).....1 1 1  
 Double G, br. g., by Silent Brook (Sturgeon).....2 2 2  
 Gladys B, br. m., by Simon Arworsly (Valentine).....3 5 2  
 Prodigal (Pain).....7 3 4  
 Highland Lassie, blk. m., by The Alpo (Edman).....9 4 4  
 Harry Mack and Vandella also started.  
 Time—2:06 1/4; 2:05 1/4; 2:06 1/4.

**2.06 Class Trotting, 3 in 5—Purse \$3,000 (unfinished).**  
 Royal Mac, br. g., by Royal McKinney (Murphy).....1 1 2 4 3  
 Wilkes Brewer, ch. m., by Nutwood Wilkes (Valentine).....5 3 5 1 1  
 The Toddler, br. h., by Kentucky Todd (Stinson).....2 2 1 2 2  
 Busy's Lassie, br. m., by Peter the Great (Cox) 3 4 4 3 0  
 Peter Jun, br. h., by Peter the Great (Geers).....4 5 5 0 0  
 Prince Lore was distanced.  
 Time—2:08 3/4; 2:07 1/4; 2:03 1/4; 2:04 1/4; 2:09.

### The following is a list of the horses already here, and the secretary, W. S. Fairweather, has entries for other horses to come:

Corwin Hal, Roy Miller, Clay Watts, Lady Kipp, Leg Be Sure, Bragg, Victoria, Zababagah, Queen Earl, May Dillon, Marisco Bell, Sox Deforest, Lady Gratton, Davious, Lady Cochato, Budlight, Fern Hal, White Sox, Belmont Miller, Roy Volo, Baron A., Jenny Frisco, Tommy Cotter, Jenny Penn.

Entries will be accepted up till noon, race day. Purse will be paid at Judge's stand after races.

### GAME TONIGHT.

Weather permitting the postponed game between St. Peter's and the Y. M. C. I. teams will be played on the Queen Square, West St. John grounds this evening.

## LITTLE BITS OF SPORT CHATTER

### Champion Bobbie Dibble retained his title in the senior singles at St. Catharines.

John Durman, a junior of Toronto, rowed against him. Durman won the junior single sculls, and also the intermediate. He is a grand-nephew of the late Edward Hanlan, professional sculling champion.

### It is regrettable that money prizes are being given for the swimming races at Indianapolis.

The acceptance of money by those taking part in sports makes all those who compete professionals. Should these youngsters who have accepted cash prizes wish to enter in any amateur sports at some future time they would be barred. The promoter of the swimming events should see that those who accepted cash have the privilege of returning the money so that in the future they may, if they wish, compete in championship events.

### Among the sports having an after-war revival is golf.

Woodstock golfers will be here next Saturday to compete against members of the local club. The matches will take place at Riverside. The St. John players are said to be going strong and some interesting contests are expected.

### The rain put the kibosh on baseball games scheduled for last evening.

This summer has been particularly favorable to sport as far as the weather has been concerned, and a day or two of rest should be welcomed by the players.

### Harry Lucas and James Manning, one-time cross-country stars, who have been out of competition for some time, have announced their intention of making another try for hill and dale honors in the autumn.

### In Philadelphia the tossing of cushions during open-air boxing shows has become such a menace the promoters are seriously considering the advisability of dispensing with the cushions which have been used in the grandstands.

### Several ringside spectators have been hurt as a result of the thoughtlessness of the miscreants who have occupied grandstand chairs.

### Another prize.

The eighth prize for rowing, supplementary to the city's grant, was offered on Monday afternoon by Peter N. Chagnaris of the Carleton fruit store. A movement is on foot to have the Y. M. C. I. enter a crew in the fours, will be matched by his manager, Billy Gibson, to meet Irish Patsy Cline, of this city, in an open air show to be staged by Bobby Gorman, the fight promoter of Philadelphia, at the Philadelphia National League Baseball Park on Aug. 11. Gannaris came here on Thursday and had a talk with Gibson, in regard to letting Leonard box at his show. "Gib" promised to let him have Leonard providing Benny is well enough in ten days to start training for the bout.

## Rowing Events Soldiers' Day

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- Distance, one and one-half miles, with one turn.
- Four oared novice race for boys.
- Junior singles.
- Senior singles.
- Amateur fours.
- Professional fours—Prize, \$75; with a minimum of three entries.
- Fishermen's race—17 foot skiffs. First prize, \$15; second, \$10; third, \$5.

International event—Mans-war sailors vs. St. John fishermen. Prize \$25.

Local entries should be sent to J. Fred Bayles, chairman of aquatics, 100 Middle street, West End, not later than next Friday night.

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In addition to the big regatta on August 14 next, it is the intention of the rowing committee to hold fortnightly (Saturday) races for the balance of the summer.

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## Douglastown Won From Newcastle

### North Shore Team Has Fast Baseball Team—Game on Saturday.

Douglastown has again made its appearance on the baseball map. Newcastle went to Douglastown for a game and was beaten 10 to 3 in a fast and interesting game. There were many feature stunts in the game and all the players did good work. The teams lined up as follows:

Newcastle	Douglastown
G. McKenzie.....	P. Sullivan.....
J. Arsenau.....	A. Simpeon.....
W. Gifford.....	P. Condron.....
W. Morrison.....	D. McCash.....
C. McCallum.....	J. Grant.....
F. Galley.....	N. Dickens.....
A. Ingram.....	C. Sleeth.....
R. Dickson.....	W. Jessamin.....
C. O'Donnell.....	W. Sicles.....
The umpire was James Driscoll.	

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Signed **WILLIAM F. ROBERTS,**  
 Minister of Health,  
 New Brunswick Government.

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 HARRISON WADE, society lion but with certain ideals.....**TOM MEIGHAN**  
 NINA STOCKLEY, loves Wade but marries an old roue.....**FLORENCE BILLINGS**  
 HUNTLEY McBERTON, an author with tricks of the trade.....**ALEC FRANCIS**  
 PETER MARR, roustabout old man who marries Nina.....**WALTER McEWAN**  
 Eunice Galway, mistress of a shady dance hall.....**AMELIA SUMMERVILLE**

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## Workmen's Compensation Act, 1918

### NOTICE TO EMPLOYERS OF LABOR

WHEREAS on the 17th day of April, A. D. 1918 His Honour the Lieutenant Governor and Council did by Order-in-Council bring within the scope of Part 1 of the "WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION ACT, 1918," from and after August 1st, 1919, the following industries, viz:

"Persons employed in the woods in logging, cutting of timber, pulp-wood, firewood, railroad ties or sleepers, river driving, rafting, booming or the transportation of logs, timber, pulpwood, firewood, or railroad ties or sleepers."

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all persons engaged in any of the above mentioned industries are required to file a statement of their estimated payroll from August 1st, 1919, to December 31st, 1919, inclusive with the said Board, on or before the 1st day of August, 1919.

AND FURTHER NOTICE that any employer neglecting or refusing to furnish such estimate or information is liable to a penalty not exceeding \$20.00 per day for each day of such default, and is further liable for damages, as provided by Part two of the said Act, in respect of any injury to any workman in his employ during the period of such default.

NOTE—Forms for furnishing such information will be supplied on application.

Also please take note of the following regulation passed by the Board, and coming into force on the 1st of August, 1919.

**FIRST AID KIT.**

In an industry where ten or more persons are employed, it shall be the duty of the employer to provide a suitable **FIRST AID KIT** APPROVED by the Board and in charge of a suitable person.

Certified passed May 1st, 1919.

**WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION BOARD.**  
**JOHN A. SINCLAIR, Chairman.**  
 P. O. Box 1318,  
 Saint John, N. B.

## LEADING HITTERS IN CITY LEAGUE

Name	Team	Games	AB	R	H	AV.
Stafford, Carleton	.....	12	37	8	16	432
Clarke, Carleton	.....	14	51	20	22	431
Riley, Y. M. C. I.	.....	14	45	13	18	409
Gill, Fairville	.....	12	48	13	19	398
Callaghan, Y. M. C. I.	.....	14	41	14	16	390
McGovern, St. Peter's	.....	15	49	18	19	388
Mooney, Y. M. C. I.	.....	11	40	18	18	365
Gorman, Carleton	.....	5	27	9	10	370
Lenthall, St. Peter's	.....	13	41	8	15	353
Garnett, Carleton	.....	15	50	13	18	360
Dever, St. Peter's	.....	15	38	15	12	342
McKiel, Fairville	.....	18	47	8	16	340
Hansen, St. Peter's	.....	12	34	4	11	324
Sterling, Carleton	.....	15	61	25	19	311

Home Runs—Seeley, Fairville; Dever, St. Peter's; Crogan, Fairville; Riley, Y. M. C. I.; Snodgrass, Fairville; Callaghan, Y. M. C. I.; Sterling, Carleton (2).

## BRINGING UP FATHER.

HEY-WHAT ARE YOU DOING? PROOF ENUFF I'S CALLING TONIGHT AND HELL WANT TO DING!

THAT'S WHY I'M MOVIN' THE PIANO!

WHAT WILL YOU TELL HIM YOU DO WITH THE PIANO?

I'LL THINK UP AN EXCUSE—THE JANITOR WILL TAKE CARE OF IT UNTIL I CALL FOR IT!

WELL—SINCE THE PIANO IS GONE—I'LL HAVE TO RECITE FOR YOU!

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FRIENDS—ROMANS—COUNTRY MEN—LEND ME YOUR EARS—I COME TO BURY CAESAR—NOT TO PRAISE HIM!

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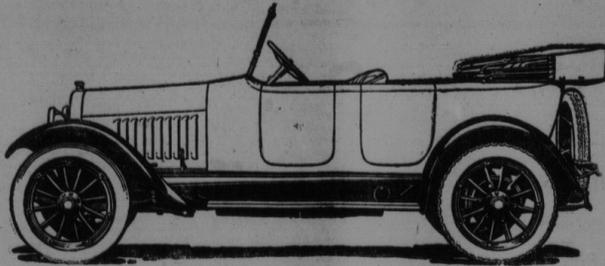
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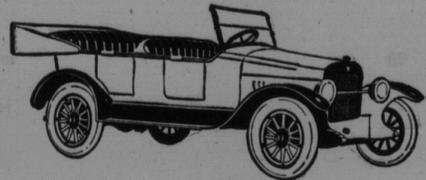
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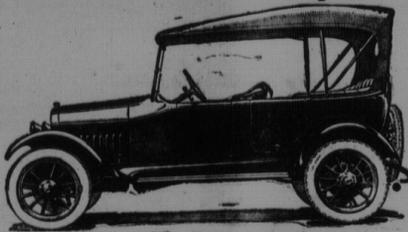
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**\$160.00 Brunswick Phonographs**



Bought from C. H. Townshend & C  
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Bought from Motor Car & Equipment Co.,  
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## FOUR

**\$550.00 Heintzman Pianos**



Bought from C. H. Townshend Piano Co.,  
King Street, St. John, N. B.

### Rules, Regulations and Conditions

CONTEST STARTS JULY 5, 1919 AND CLOSSES AT 10 P. M.  
SEPTEMBER 13, 1919.

**RULE NO. 1.**—Any person of good repute, male or female, married or single, residing in any of the contest districts may enter the contest by sending in one of the application blanks below properly filled out.

**RULE NO. 2.**—There are four separate districts from which to enter, described on this page. No votes will be sold for money or other consideration, but can be obtained only by being clipped from The Standard, daily and semi-weekly or secured through the regular subscription channels.

No votes will be issued on subscriptions to this paper during the life of the contest unless for paid subscriptions and for no shorter period than for six months on the daily, and one year on the semi-weekly.

**RULE NO. 3.**—The first publication of names and vote standings of candidates will be made at an early date. The voting will commence at once. All newspaper coupon votes will be void unless received at The Standard office, Contest Department, within the time marked thereon.

Each issue of The Standard daily and Semi-Weekly Standard will contain a ballot good for one vote which will be published during the contest except the last two weeks.

**RULE NO. 4.**—Any district that shows little or no activity will be declared off and said district will be merged with the district closest to it in voting strength, and the contestants from said district added to the one with which it is merged. Merging of districts to be at the discretion of the Contest Manager.

**RULE NO. 5.**—All votes which have been voted will be filed in the Contest Department subject to the inspection and verification of a contestant's own votes at any time during business hours of the contest.

**RULE NO. 6.**—A board of responsible business men will have exclusive control of the ballot box the last night of the contest, and after a canvass of the vote declare the winners. The decision of the Board of Judges will be final and admit of no appeal.

**RULE NO. 7.**—No salaried employee or close relative of a salaried employee of The Standard who is actively employed in the plant of this paper, is eligible to enter the contest.

**RULE NO. 8.**—Candidates must enter from the district in which they live. The Contest Manager to decide any question regarding the proper districting of candidates. Candidates moving from one district to another after being nominated, will be retained in the district in which they were first nominated.

**RULE NO. 9.**—Votes cannot be transferred from one contestant to another nor can one candidate's name be substituted for another. Should a candidate withdraw from the contest his or her votes will be withdrawn. Votes once withdrawn cannot be recovered.

**RULE NO. 10.**—In cases of a tie between two or more candidates, identical prizes will be given those tying.

**RULE NO. 11.**—Nominations of candidates may be made by anyone at anytime; except the last two weeks during the contest without cost. The management of The Standard reserves the right to reject any nominations or applications at its discretion. Any contestant wishing to have his or her name withdrawn from the list of contestants must write or call personally as positively no telephone withdrawals will be considered. There will be no change in the vote schedule during the entire contest and it will remain permanent as herein announced.

**RULE NO. 12.**—Contestants will compete only against the contestants in the same district for the regular district prizes and against other districts as explained for the grand prizes. The winners of the grand prizes cannot win district prizes too.

**RULE NO. 13.**—This contest will close at 10 p. m. Saturday, September 13, 1919.

**RULE NO. 14.**—A candidate who makes any disposition of subscriptions secured in this contest other than reporting them to the Contest Department will be declared disqualified, and the name peremptorily removed from the list of candidates.

**RULE NO. 15.**—No statement or promise made by any solicitor, canvasser or agent varying from the above rules as set forth will be recognized by The Standard.

### HOW VOTES WILL BE GIVEN

#### RATES OF SUBSCRIPTIONS AND VOTE SCHEDULE

	Daily by Carrier		Daily by Mail	
	Price	Votes	Price	Votes
Six Months	\$ 3.00	450	\$ 2.00	250
One Year	6.00	1025	4.00	625
Two Years	12.00	2225	8.00	1425
Three Years	18.00	3275	12.00	2225
Four Years	24.00	4325	16.00	2875

#### Semi-Weekly by Mail

	Price	Votes
One Year	\$1.50	175
Two Years	3.00	450
Three Years	4.50	950
Four Years	6.00	1025

For subscriptions of the Semi-Weekly Standard to the United States, add \$1.00 for each year, to cover postage.

Three times the number of votes allowed in the above vote schedule will be given on the first subscription and twice the regular number of votes will be allowed on the next five subscriptions, if turned in within ten days of a candidate's entering the campaign. At no time during the campaign will special vote offers be made other than the above.

### DISTRICTS

The contest territory has been divided into four districts and there will be one Grand Prize and a second and third prize awarded in each district as follows:

**DISTRICT 1**—City of St. John.

**DISTRICT 2**—Includes Kings, Albert, Westmorland and St. John counties (City of St. John not included) and Nova Scotia.

**DISTRICT 3**—Includes Charlotte, Queens, Sunbury, Kent, Northumberland and Gloucester counties.

**DISTRICT 4**—Includes York, Carleton, Victoria, Madawaska and Restigouche counties.

### HOW PRIZES WILL BE AWARDED

To the candidate in each district securing the greatest number of votes, the automobiles will be awarded, the candidate getting the greatest number of votes in the entire contest territory will have first choice of the four automobiles, the next highest candidate in another district will have second choice, the next highest in still another district will have third choice and the remaining automobile after three districts have been eliminated, will go to the highest candidate in the remaining fourth district. The four pianos will be awarded to the second highest vote-getter in each district and the phonographs will be awarded to the third highest vote-getter in each district. The ten per cent. commission will go to those not winning one of the above prizes.

The conditions are simple—you have only two things to do—first send in your application, using an application blank, or write a letter to the Contest Manager. Second, let your friends know you are entered in the contest and want to win one of the prizes.

**Address All Communications to CONTEST MANAGER, THE ST. JOHN STANDARD**

### The St. John Standard Automobile and Piano Prize Contest APPLICATION BLANK

I am a resident of \_\_\_\_\_ in District No. ... and wish to enter The St. John Standard Automobile and Piano Prize Contest. I fully understand the requirements and conditions governing the contest and agree to comply with same.

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\$10,000 Nova Scotia Tramways & Power Company 5% First Mortgage Sinking Fund Gold Bonds Due 1st December, 1946 Price: to yield about 6 1/8 per cent.

MARKET REPORTS - STOCKS, BONDS AND PRODUCE

STOCK MARKET IN RECEPTIVE MOOD DURING TUESDAY

The Uncertain Price Trend Again Caused Enforced Caution by the Trading Element.

New York, July 29.—The Stock Market was in a receptive mood during the greater part of today's moderately active session, the uncertain price trend again indicating moderate improvement over the report for the first quarter.

UNITED STATES STEEL CORPORATION HOLDS QUARTERLY

Failed to Declare An Extra Dividend on Its Common Stock.

New York, July 29.—The United States Steel Corporation, at its quarterly meeting today failed to declare an extra dividend on its common stock. Similar action was taken at the quarterly meeting in April. Six months ago a disbursement of one per cent, was declared.

THE INDUSTRIAL CONGRESS TO BE LARGELY ATTENDED

Leaders of Industry in Canada and the United States Will be Present at Calgary.

Calgary, July 29.—Headquarters of the Canadian Industrial Congress in the Palliser Hotel, Calgary, has just received a communication from W. H. Finley, president of the Chicago and North-Western Railway Company, to the effect that he is accepting the invitation to be present at the forthcoming congress and to accompany the four of Western Canada as well, and that he will be accompanied by James T. Clark, President of the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis and Omaha Railway Company.

MONTREAL SALES

Table listing various commodities and their prices in Montreal, including items like flour, sugar, and oil.

CHICAGO PRICES

Table listing various commodities and their prices in Chicago, including items like corn, wheat, and soybeans.

N. Y. QUOTATIONS

Table listing various commodities and their prices in New York, including items like sugar, coffee, and cotton.

MONTREAL MARKETS

Table listing various commodities and their prices in Montreal, including items like flour, sugar, and oil.

N. Y. COTTON MARKET

Table listing various commodities and their prices in New York, including items like cotton and wool.

TORONTO FEED QUOTATIONS

Toronto, Ont., July 29.—The Board of Trade cash grain quotations today were: Manitoba wheat, in store Fort William, No. 1 northern, \$2.24 1/2; No. 2, \$2.21 1/2; No. 3, \$2.17 1/2; No. 4, wheat, \$1.91.

CANADIAN EXCHANGE RATE ADVANCED

Business in Calais and Border Towns Affected by Increase to 4.25 Per Cent.

Calais, July 28.—Calais business men are very much concerned over the high rate of exchange on Canadian currency and silver which was raised from 2 to 4 1/4 cents on the dollar effective today.

UNION FISHERMEN REFUSE TO STRIKE

Unload Catch of Swordfish Despite Protest of Pickets in Boston.

Boston, July 28.—The first case of union members refusing to join the fishermen's strike occurred this morning when the crew of the schooner Alice and Wilson unloaded a catch of swordfish despite the pleas of pickets that they do not work.

WAS WELL KNOWN HERE

A. J. Heath, formerly district passenger agent at St. John, died in 1918.

NEVER MIND - IT'S ONLY TH' BABY AN' HE CAN'T TALK YET.



Grandma, The Demon Chaperone, Certainly Hung One on Clara and Her Beau the Other Afternoon.

TRADING ACTIVE BUT HAD NO FEATURES

New York, July 29.—The market recovered moderately in the early afternoon after the adjournment of the federal reserve board without announcing any action. Trading was fairly active but presented no interesting features save an advance of 8 points in United Cigar Stores and one of 4 points in U. S. Retail Stores.

FUNERALS

The funeral of Mrs. Margaret Petrie took place yesterday morning from her late residence, 17 Hanover street.

BANK OF MONTREAL

NOTICE is hereby given that a DIVIDEND OF THREE PER CENT upon the paid up Capital Stock of this institution has been declared for the current quarter, payable on and after TUESDAY, the SECOND DAY OF SEPTEMBER next, to Shareholders of record of 31st July, 1919.

CONSERVE YOUR HEALTH

Advertisement for Dr. Wilson's Herbine Bitters, featuring an illustration of a man and a woman.

FIRE INSURANCE

The Springfield Fire and Marine Insurance Co. ESTABLISHED 1848. General Assets, \$10,945,902.88. Cash Capital, \$2,500,000.00. Net Surplus, \$7,331,373.83.

THE HIGH COST OF DENTISTRY

Advertisement for dental services, featuring an illustration of a dental chair and a patient.

PERFECT FOR THE PIPE

Advertisement for Master Mason 20 cents pipe smoking tobacco, featuring an illustration of a pipe and a hand holding it.

Advertisement for Evermore Cigarettes, featuring an illustration of a raven and the text 'GRAVEN "A" CIGARETTES'.

GRAVEN "A"—100% pure tobacco cigarette carefully blended from mild high-grade Virginia Tobacco, sun cured and properly mellowed by age—Sunny Virginias gift to smokers—always wrapped in tinfoil which keeps them fresh as the day they were rolled—you'll enjoy the fresh fragrance until the last puff when you smoke GRAVEN "A"—some better at any price.

10 FOR 15 CENTS ON SALE EVERYWHERE

Advertisement for McDOUGALL & COWANS, featuring text about investment and bonds.

Advertisement for dental services, featuring text about the high cost of dentistry.

Advertisement for dental services, featuring text about perfect teeth made.

Advertisement for Master Mason 20 cents pipe smoking tobacco, featuring text about perfect for the pipe.

Advertisement for binders and printers, featuring text about modern artists work.

Advertisement for contractors, featuring text about Isaac Mercer.

Advertisement for carpenter and contractor, featuring text about W. A. Munro.

Advertisement for candy manufacturer, featuring text about Edward Bates.

Advertisement for chocolates, featuring text about G. B. Chocolates.

Advertisement for coal and wood, featuring text about Ganong Bros. Ltd.

Advertisement for coal and wood, featuring text about Colwell Fuel Co.

Advertisement for elevators, featuring text about H. A. Doherty.

Advertisement for electrical goods, featuring text about E. S. Stephenson & Co.

Advertisement for engravers, featuring text about F. C. Wesley Co.

Advertisement for farm machinery, featuring text about Oliver Plow.

Advertisement for fire insurance, featuring text about Western Assurance Co.

Advertisement for fresh fish, featuring text about James Patterson.

Advertisement for groceries, featuring text about T. Donovan & Sons.

Advertisement for horses, featuring text about Edward Hogan.

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## LATE SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

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July—Phase of the Moon.  
First Quarter... 4th, 11h, 17m. p.m.  
Full Moon... 13th, 2h, 2m. a.m.  
Last Quarter... 20th, 7h, 3m. a.m.  
New Moon... 27th, 1h, 21m. a.m.

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which has been making the Boston-  
Yarmouth route, will soon be replaced  
by the S.S. Prince George, which  
was recently released by the British  
Admiralty after two years of good  
service in troop transportation.

**Troopships Sail Today.**  
Advice from the British Shipping  
Board state that the S.S. Lepand  
sails today from Liverpool with troops  
for Halifax, and the S.S. Meteghan  
and the S.S. Metegama also sail today  
for Quebec with troops and depend-  
ents.

**Coal Freights \$20 a Ton.**  
I. S. Dow, a newly constructed  
four-masted, has been chartered to  
carry coal from Philadelphia to Lis-  
bon, Spain, at \$20 a ton. The Vir-  
ginia Dare, a vessel of the same type,  
has been chartered to carry coal from  
Virginia to west Italy at \$22 a ton.  
At this rate only the wealthy can  
afford coal in those countries.

**Randfontein Sails.**  
The auxiliary schooner Randfontein  
sailed Monday from Sydney with  
a cargo of deals for Tunis. She has  
practically a new crew, picked up at  
Halifax and Sydney.

**Loading Deals at Chatham.**  
The S.S. Wingerde is loading deals  
at Chatham for the United Kingdom.  
Will have Power installation.

**The 600-ton schooner now being  
constructed in the Miramichi  
yards will be equipped with a shaft  
and double stern posts to accom-  
modate power installation.**

**Cunard's Break Record.**  
With the sailing of the Agutania  
and the Royal George last Saturday  
the Cunard line dispatched from New  
York last week over 900 saloon pas-  
sengers, the largest number by one  
line in a single week since the war  
began.

**On! Off! Gone Again!**  
The tern schooner Victory Chimes  
from New York to Pictou with coal,  
to load deals for the United Kingdom,  
went aground off Sandy Hook but  
was refloated an hour later and pro-  
ceeded to sea undamaged.

**Red Cross Service Resumed.**  
The Red Cross line service be-  
tween St. John's, Halifax and New  
York has been re-opened today by the  
sailing of the S.S. Rostand from Hal-  
fax to New York. The S.S. Stephano  
of the Red Cross Line, was sunk by  
a German sub off the American coast.

**Dangers to Navigation.**  
(Reported to the U. S. Hydrographic  
Office.)  
July 16, lat 53 23 N, lon 65 23 W,  
a submerged derelict ship with piece  
of an attached mast projecting out  
of water.  
July 24, lat 23 48 N, lon 80 24 W,  
4 large spurs projecting about 5 feet  
q. of water, apparently attached to a  
partly submerged derelict three-  
masted schooner.  
July 13, lat 39 18 N, lon 83 53 W,  
an iron structure about 8 feet square,  
showing 2 feet out of water, probably  
attached to submerged wreck.  
July 10, lat 49 N, lon 23 06 W, large  
iron buoy marked B over 64; carried  
top with ball, red flag and two  
lamps.  
July 3, lat 49 42 N, lon 7 22 30 W,  
a floating mine.

**SAILED FOR HOME.**  
D. C. Clark, Dr. Walker and Dr.  
Briggs, who attended the great Ma-  
sonic gathering in London, are re-  
turning home on the S. S. Minnedosa,  
which sailed from Liverpool a few  
days ago.

**ANDOVER**  
Andover, July 25.—Mr. David Curry  
left for New Orleans last Monday  
after a visit at Mrs. William Curry's.  
Mr. Herman Turner has been visit-  
ing friends in Fredericton.  
Messrs. Howard Porter and Captain  
Rogers of St. John, are visiting Mr.  
and Mrs. Joseph Porter.  
Mr. David Watson returned on  
Tuesday last after a month's visit at  
Fredericton and Halifax.  
On Tuesday Mrs. Frank Howard  
entertained very pleasantly at the tea  
table when her guests were Mrs. Mary  
Wiley, Mrs. S. P. Waite, Mrs. Prin-  
gle Kelly, Sr. and Dr. David Wiley.  
Mr. Arthur Hoyt, Customs Inspect-  
or at Moncton, was in town last  
week.

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daughter of Hinckley, Me. are guests  
of Mrs. Charles Spike.  
Miss Dorothy Gaudet is visiting  
relatives in Woodstock and Grafton.  
Messrs. John and Robert Curry and  
John Turner motored to Grand Falls  
on Thursday.  
Stewart and May Kenty of Aroostook,  
are spending a week with Mrs.  
Pringle Kelly.  
Miss Ada Beveridge, who has been  
visiting at the home of Mr. S. P.  
Waite for the past two months, left  
on Friday for Montreal, where she  
will visit Major and Mrs. Lewis Bank  
before returning to her home in  
Appleton, Wis.

Mrs. A. F. MacIntosh, Misses Rose  
Hoyt and Misses Grace were pleasant  
business at the Tennis Courts at the  
tea hour on Saturday.  
Mrs. R. J. Ervin entertained at the  
tea hour on Friday in honor of Mrs.  
Mary Wiley.  
Mrs. Wiley and Dr. David E. Wil-  
ley, who have been visiting Mrs. S.  
P. Waite for a week, left on Satur-  
day for Caribou, enroute to their home  
in Portland, Oregon. They were ac-  
companied to Caribou by Mr. Geo.  
Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Tibbels,  
Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Waite, Misses  
Pearl Waite and Gertrude Tibbels,  
the party enjoyed a picnic supper.  
Mr. Donald Wiley left on Monday  
for Hamilton to spend a few days be-  
fore returning to Portland, Ore.  
Misses Mary and Alice McNeil and  
Gordon McNeil of Woodstock, are  
guests at Mr. James McNeil's.  
Mrs. Emma Turner and children,  
spent part of the week with Fort Fair-  
field relatives.  
Miss Helen Sharp, Fredericton, has  
been visiting Mrs. J. W. Dickson.  
Mrs. Annie Turner, Dorothy and  
Gibbet Turner are guests of St. John  
relatives for a time.  
Miss Helen Gilman left on Friday  
for Montreal to receive throat treat-  
ment.  
Mr. Harold Turner, who has been  
spending a holiday here, left on Friday  
for Montreal.

Mrs. Sandy McAlary was home from  
Whitworth, Que., to spend the week-  
end with her parents.  
Mr. Frank Stevens of Bridgetown,  
N. S., spent the week-end with his  
brothers here.  
Mrs. Demans Squires, Upper Kent,  
was the guest of Mrs. Frank Howard,  
the past week.  
Mr. T. J. Carter of Ottawa, is  
spending a few days here.

**LOST.**  
LOST—Lady's brown hand bag,  
containing child's dress and other ar-  
ticles, on or around the grounds of  
No. 4 Orange Hall, on July 12th. All  
expenses paid for return of same to  
Mrs. Alfred Sordner, Westford, N. B.

**NOTICE TO MARINERS.**  
Notice is hereby given that the  
light on Quaco Ledge Gas and Whistling  
Buoy is not burning. Will be  
relighted as soon as possible.  
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Agent, Marine and Fisheries Dept.  
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**WANTED**  
WANTED—A second or third class  
female teacher for Poor District No.  
11, Biggar Ridge, Charlton Co., to  
teach fall term. State salary wanted  
to C. W. Howley, secretary.

**WANTED**  
WANTED—Second-class teacher  
for School District No. 6, Parish of  
Covedale, County of Albert. Apply,  
stating salary, to W. L. Polley, Westford,  
R. R. No. 1, Queens Co.

**WANTED**  
WANTED—A second or third class  
female teacher for School District  
No. 6, Parish of Penfield. Apply,  
stating salary to David J. Spear, Pen-  
field Ridge, Char. Co., N. B.

**WANTED**  
WANTED—Second-class Teacher for  
School District No. 6, Mapleburg, Par-  
ish of Sackville. Apply, stating salary,  
to George Bulmer, Secretary, Mapleburg  
P. O., Sackville, N. B.

**WANTED**  
WANTED—A Second or Third-class  
Female Teacher for School District  
No. 6, Parish of Penfield. Apply,  
stating salary to David J. Spear, Pen-  
field Ridge, Char. Co., N. B.

**WANTED**  
WANTED—A Second Class Female  
Teacher for School District No. 3,  
Parish of Greenwood. Apply stating  
salary to E. S. Northrup, secretary to  
Trustees, Central Greenwich, Kings  
County, N. B.

**WANTED**  
WANTED—A first or second class  
Female Protestant Teacher for Mac-  
donald's Corner, School District No.  
10, Parish of Cambridge. Apply stat-  
ing salary to W. E. Briggs, Cambridge,  
Queens Co.

**WANTED**  
WANTED—Second or third class  
teacher for Tynemouth Creek School.  
Apply to Jas. P. Loughery, R. F. D. No.  
1, St. John, Co., N. B.

**WANTED**  
WANTED—A Second-class Female  
Teacher at Little Lepreau, District  
No. 2, Parish of Cambridge. Apply,  
stating salary, Oscar Hanson.

**WANTED**  
WANTED—A ward maid. Apply,  
Matron, St. John's Hospital.

**TEACHER WANTED**—Male or Fe-  
male, holding a first class Superior  
School license to begin coming term.  
Apply stating salary to Theodore  
Arseneau, Secretary, Tracadie, Gou-  
cester County, N. B.

**TEACHER WANTED**—Second or  
third class female teacher wanted for  
District No. 2, Parish of Charlton,  
County of Kent. Apply, stating sal-  
ary, to John Callander, secretary to  
trustees, Kouchibouguac Beach, Kent  
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**WANTED**  
WANTED—A First Class Teacher  
as principal for advanced department  
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ary and experience. D. H. Daggett,  
Secretary, Grand Harbor, N. B.

**WANTED**  
WANTED—One First Class Teacher  
for advanced department of Jacquet  
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clusive. Apply stating salary to W.  
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**WANTED**  
WANTED—A pastry cook. Apply  
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**WANTED**  
WANTED—By widower on farm a  
middle aged woman as housekeeper.  
Apply at once to A. B. McCann, Rol-  
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**WANTED**  
WANTED—Teacher for School Dis-  
trict No. 8, Parish of Hamstead,  
Upper Hibernia P. O. Apply stating  
salary to Seth Delong, Secretary.

**WANTED**  
WANTED—Two Lady Clerks, work-  
ing in general store. Experienced, pre-  
ferred, references advanced. Address  
to Albert E. rated, Sec-  
retary, Starkey's Queens Co., N. B.

AROUND THE CITY

FAIR AND COOL

A FAMILY ROW. The police were called to Lombard street last night to act as peace makers in a family row. The intervention was effective and an armistice was arranged.

STARTED FOR BOSTON. Two tugs with the dredge Beaver started for Boston yesterday afternoon and was the cause of many whistles being sounded by harbor craft as a send off.

MUCH IMPROVED. Roy Gibson, who was taken to the Public Hospital on Saturday evening in consequence of being badly scalded at his home, is reported to be much improved.

THE DESBROW PROPERTY. The Desbrow property at the head of Jeffrey Hill has been purchased by L. P. D. Tilley for the St. John Real Estate Company and will, it is understood, be remodeled and converted into four apartments.

THE HOSPITAL COMMISSION. The quarterly meeting of the Provincial Hospital Commission was held yesterday afternoon, with a large representation of members. The session was short and only matters of routine and regular business were discussed.

AWARDED CONTRACT. The Canadian National Railways are to build a new freight shed and offices for handling their freight in Moncton at an expenditure of about \$75,000, the old quarters having become entirely too small. Engineers and Contractors Ltd., of this city, have been awarded the contract for this work.

EAST ST. JOHN EXTENSION. The trenching work at East St. John for the extension of the 14-inch main to Courtney Bay is sufficiently advanced to commence laying of the pipe today. The pipe is already on the scene and will be laid just as fast as the excavation allows. A great deal of brick clay has been encountered in this section, making digging rather hard.

HEAVY HAIL STORM. When the steamer Oconee arrived at Indianston yesterday Capt. Flewelling reported there was a heavy hail storm on Monday evening in the neighborhood of Wickham which coated the fields white, but no damage was done. At other sections of the river the hail is said to have broken windows and damaged fruit trees.

WILCOX HOME STRUCK. The home of George Wilcox, Beacombfield avenue, was struck, Monday morning, by lightning, and slightly damaged. The lightning entered the house by means of the electrical wires and went out through the wall. In consequence their lights and phone are out of order. Fortunately, no one was hurt.

CAUSED EXCITEMENT. On Monday night two small sons of Rev. Neil McLachlin failed to return to their home at Epworth Park, and there was considerable excitement as the boys started out in the evening for a boat sail. Two boats from the St. John Power Boat Club started out to search and it was later found that the boys had landed at Morina and returned home.

THE ANNUAL SERVICE. The second annual Sunday service of the St. John Power Boat Club will be held on Sunday next, August 3, at Belyea's Point, on the river. At the suggestion of the chaplain, Rev. Craig W. Nichols, the club has decided to present the offering to the St. John Home for Incurables, to aid in meeting the increasing expenses of maintenance. With a fine day this year's service should be the largest ever held on the river.

THE CANADIAN CLUB. Secretary Romans of the Canadian Club has received a letter from Gilbert Grosvenor, director and editor of the National Geographical Society, Washington, accepting an invitation to address the club the last week in September. He will spend August in western Canada and September in Cape Breton. Mr. Romans has been endeavoring for three years to get Mr. Grosvenor to address the club and has at last succeeded. J. C. Wilder, chief sea scout of the United States, who was here with Baden Powell, will address the club early in September.

BLAME ROAD SIGNS. A delegation from the Retail Merchants Association appeared before the Provincial Government yesterday to complain about the road between St. Stephen and St. John. Members of the government stated that the road complained of was not the main trunk road and travelers on it were misdirected by a road sign at St. Stephen. However, it was promised that work on this road would proceed along with the road programme of the government as rapidly as conditions would permit.

MARITIME BOARD OF TRADE. The Maritime Board of Trade will meet this year in Moncton, August 20th. The subjects which have been sent in for discussion to date are: Maritime Union; Closer relation between employers and employed; Better transportation facilities, including water, air and rail for the Maritime Provinces; Development of National Ports on the Atlantic coast; Development of Water Power; War memorials; Revision of Freight Rates that discriminate against the Lower Provinces; Necessity for adoption of Unit System of Management of Canadian National Railways, with headquarters for the Eastern unit in the Lower Provinces.

LAST CALL. This is the last day to see William Ferrum in the 1918 version of "The Plunderer," which is being shown at the Unique Theatre. This is a real Farman picture, full of red-blooded battles for righteousness, and it has a romance that is ever pleasing. It is one of those worth-while photoplays.

Spire Struck By Lightning

First Presbyterian Church, West End, Was Damaged Yesterday Afternoon - Variety of Weather Conditions and Heavy Fall of Rain.

St. John had a fine variety of weather handed out to it yesterday. There was the nice bright sunshine, then a little straight rain, and during the late afternoon there was a variety of thunder showers intermingled with views of a hot sun.

The lightning was at times too close for comfort, and as a result of the fiery bolts the First Presbyterian church, West St. John, is minus a weather vane and there is a split in the spire, which will require considerable attention.

The church was hit about four o'clock, when the top of the steeple was knocked away and the roof of the edifice was covered with debris. The tower was shattered and a huge rent was visible down one side. It could not be ascertained last night just how extensive the damage was, but builders will go over the structure today and arrangements will be made immediately for the necessary repairs. Fortunately at the time of the lightning stroke there was no one in the immediate vicinity of the church.

The rain was very heavy at times and in some of the streets there were large pools of water through which vehicles and pedestrians were compelled to splash. Between the showers the sun appeared and its strong rays dried off the sidewalks, but when the rain started again, the streets became water soaked in a few minutes. One good effect of the deluges was that the streets were washed fairly clean. The city fathers rejoice that those in charge of rain headquarters saw fit to send the cleansing rain for it saved much money to the street cleaning department. It is hoped that special rain storms can be arranged for to clean up the streets a few days before the celebration in honor of the Prince and the returned soldiers.

Commission Form of Government

Shrewd Man from County of St. John Discovers it May Not Have Done Things Expected of it But is Good from County Point of View

The reason for being of the Commission form of government has been discovered. It was not Sherlock Holmes that discovered it either, but a shrewd man from the county of St. John. It appears that the virtue of commission government is not that it has fulfilled expectations so far as the county is concerned, but that it has unobscured merits so far as the county is involved. The promoters who foretold the marvelous wonders which would be accomplished by the commission form of government were good prophets in so far as they are without honor in their own city, but they are not without honor in the county. Probably that was not what they wanted, but they can be thankful for small mercies.

"It must be admitted that commission form of government has worked well from the county standpoint," said the gentleman whose penetrating intellect has discovered some merit in commission form of government, and whose pronouncement will be as balmy in Gilead to the long suffering citizens contemplating the unhappy looking streets, and waiting with what forbids they may the coming of this year's tax bills.

"One thing the county council meetings have been shortened," he added. "Another thing the county has secured a lot of improvements we probably would not have arrived at with a board of aldermen in St. John. There is the County Hospital at East St. John. We would probably have been talking about it yet, if it had not been for the appearance of the commission government on the scene. It is an undoubted benefit. The lumber people are being looked after there. Some of them will die. They would no doubt have died anyway if St. John had a board of aldermen. But they are getting a better chance, and when they die they die in comfort, and the possibility of contagion is greatly reduced."

"Then look at the improvements effected in the Public Hospital. I doubt if we would have done as much with a board of aldermen."

"Then the county has been authorized to borrow \$200,000 to build the bulk of the liability but that is nothing. The point is that the old aldermen would probably have put up a big kick, or undertaken to see that the money was spent in the most unwise way with its liabilities."

Looking To Canada As Possible Buyer

Cuba is Looking to the Dominion to Import Great Portion of Her Tobacco and Cigar Exports—Local Consular Talks on Matter.

With the residents of the United States restricted by the federal luxury tax and France, the next greatest customer, leaving a tax of 100 per cent on all imported luxuries, Cuba is looking to Canada as a possible buyer for a great portion of her tobacco and cigar exports and Senor de las Cuevas, the Cuban consul here, is confident that the New Brunswick consular will find the genuine Habanos a form of My Lady of Nicotine that cannot be excelled.

During the war period the European smokers were forced to regale themselves with "la flor de cabagoso," and what poses was in sight. It was thought that the lid would be lifted but as far as France and Italy are concerned, these countries are going to give the home market the benefit of a high tariff protection.

During the present year, so the consulate is informed, the Cuban exporters expected to market 15,000,000 cigars in France alone but it is doubtful if one-quarter that amount will be shipped, as cancellations of orders have been coming in steadily since the announcement of the super-tax by the French government.

The sales of raw sugar to Europe and Canada have greatly increased since the Sugar Equalization Board has taken over the entire crop. Stocks of raw sugar in Cuba this week are 1,106,031 tons against 929,797 tons this time last year. Raw sugars continue to be received at Cuban ports at the rate of 40,000 to 45,000 tons a week. According to a statement compiled by Senor de las Cuevas there were 5,839 ocean steamships touching at the Cuban ports last year, of which some 900 were of British registry, bearing imports to the value of \$19,822,532.

Canadian exports to Cuba for the past year were composed principally of fish, the value running up to \$31,000,000 and another \$2,000,000 represents the exportation of Canadian potatoes to the island.

There is a good market in Cuba for Canadian hay, lard, pork products, eggs, beans, potatoes, fish, condensed milk, cheese and dairy products. One of the most recent discoveries on the island has been her mineral wealth, extensive fields of copper of a high grade, and chemical products having been recently developed.

Grocery Store Was Robbed

That Owned by Frank Griffiths Latest to be Reported - Quantity of Goods Stolen - Breaks About City Supposed to be Work of Boys.

The grocery store of Frank Griffiths Duke street, West, was robbed during Monday night and a quantity of goods taken. The work was evidently done through the back door, a pane of glass was removed from the door. During the operations one of the large plate glass windows was also broken. The thieves secured a quantity of tobacco, chocolate and other goods. There was no money in the store and the goods were taken only after the break when he went to open the store yesterday morning. He noted that articles were missing and notified the county police officials.

Mr. Griffiths said last night that the store had been entered about six weeks ago but at that time nothing had been missing. He felt sure that the theft had been the work of boys, but he had no idea who they were.

There has been a series of petty robberies during the last few weeks. Only a few nights ago the home of Rev. Walter P. Dunham, in the Mans wagonish Road, was entered and articles of clothing were taken as well as other goods destroyed. Several other places in the city have been entered recently.

In the city the store of W. Alex. Porter, in Union street, was robbed and a quantity of groceries removed. It has been said that the work in generally all of these cases has been that of boys. It is understood that several former inmates of the Boys Industrial Home are at large, and that they may have some connection with the thefts.

WEDDINGS

A wedding of military and social interest was performed yesterday at the residence of the bride's father, W. H. Bell, 218 King street East, when Miss Emma Bell became the bride of Frank R. Bleyler, Q. M. S. with Machine Gun Company, 111th Infantry, 28th Division, A. E. F., and a resident of Chester, Pa. The ceremony was performed by Rev. D. J. McPherson, pastor of Central Baptist church, in the presence of relatives and friends.

Little Miss Jean Bell carried a basket of roses as flower girl. The bride was becomingly gowned in a sand-colored suit of tulle with hat to match. An elaborate wedding supper was served, and the happy pair left on a honeymoon trip for Prince Edward Island, the Annapolis Valley and Southern cities, after which they will reside at Chester, Pa., where Mr. Bleyler is a prosperous pharmacist.

Passengers From Nova Scotia Points

All Must be Vaccinated or Give Proof of Recent Vaccination—Operation Free, But Those Wishing Own Physicians Must Bear Expense.

Passengers from points in Nova Scotia coming to New Brunswick must all be vaccinated or else give proof of recent vaccination. Board of Health doctors will perform the operation free but if travellers wish to have their own physicians do the work they must bear the expense themselves.

There has been some protest against the practice of compelling all travellers from Nova Scotia to be vaccinated but it was explained by Board of Health officials last night that the rule had been made in accordance with arrangements with the United States authorities who claim that there is smallpox in Nova Scotia. Recently there was a case of smallpox in travellers from Maritime Province points to the United States had to show vaccination marks of recent date. It was felt that this was a hardship on this province, which showed a clear bill of health as far as smallpox was concerned.

The Provincial Health Department made arrangements with the United States authorities to have the ban lifted as far as New Brunswick was concerned on the understanding that any travellers from Nova Scotia would have to be vaccinated. In order to keep faith with the United States and have the restrictions cease as far as this province was concerned the present restrictions on travellers from Nova Scotia were imposed.

BUSINESS MAN WAS PUZZLED

Found Yesterday Working Hard Over Government Taxation Form—Separate Accounts for Many Articles Are Not Kept.

A Standard man, who entered a local business house yesterday, found the proprietor hard at work over his books, while spread out on the desk before him was a taxation form, with its long list of questions. "I have been my own bookkeeper," said the business man, "but if I have to answer all those questions I will be compelled to secure a bookkeeper. If I hire one, I must go over the accounts of last year and pick those items out. The people responsible for these forms did not realize just what it all meant for the smaller business man, but I suppose I'll just have to get it filled in or they'll tax me more than I'll ever be able to pay."

Norma Talmadge Continued Today

Imperial Theatre Will Extend Engagement of "The Probation Wife" One More Day.

The splendid photoplay, "The Probation Wife," which attracted more capacity business to the Imperial yesterday, is to be held over again today and will be shown at the usual hours, 2 o'clock, 3:40, 7 and 8:45. There will be the Burton Holmes Travelogue, by the Burton Holmes Travelogue, Gaumont Weekly, etc., as new features. Tomorrow Bert Lyell will be starred in "Blackie's Redemption."

SCHOOL CHILDREN AND TEACHERS ASSEMBLE TOMORROW

The second rehearsal of public school children for the choral welcome to H. R. H. the Prince of Wales will be held in the High School assembly hall tomorrow (Thursday) forenoon at 10 o'clock, not Tuesday next as mistakenly stated in one paper. All children, even up to the highest grades, are requested to attend. The teachers and principals are to meet at the same time to confer with Dr. Emery, chairman of the Trustees Board, relative to the approaching celebration.

EXCEPTIONAL VALUE IN MIDDY DRESSES

For a few days after the close of the regular July Clearance Sales F. A. Dykeman and Co. will carry on their line of Middy Dresses for children, so that those who have not already taken the opportunity of purchasing one or more of these dresses will still be able to do so. These middies run from 8 to 14 years, and they are being sold at the exceptionally low price of \$2.99 each. Regular values from \$4.50 to \$5.00 each. They are made of Dique, Repp, Indian Head and Satin Drill.

All the members of No. 1 and 2 Salvage Corps and Fire Police are requested to attend a meeting at the Hook and Ladder House, King Street East, Wednesday evening, at 8 o'clock. By order.

Stanley's Carpenters' Tools. Good tools make for better work and are cheapest in the end. Stanley's Carpenters' Tools have long been known as the highest standards of Quality, Design and Finish; they are always dependable. Drop in and look over our large stock of Stanley's Carpenters' Tools which includes Planes, Braces, Bits, Levels, Mitre Boxes, Saws, Chisels, Screw Drivers, Bevels, Compasses, Dividers, etc. FIRST FLOOR SEE MARKET SQUARE WINDOW W. H. THORNE & CO., LIMITED

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VISITORS to Our City are cordially invited to inspect our Summer Stocks, which are at present filled with interesting gift suggestions. Excellent Gloves for Women. Pretty Summer Frocks for Kiddies. MANCHESTER ROBERTSON ALLISON LIMITED

Excellent Gloves for Women. Pretty Summer Frocks for Kiddies. CAPES GLOVES in dark tan, strong and serviceable, one dome fastening, \$2.00 pair. Washable CHAMBRAS GLOVES, in natural color. \$2.25 pair. These have sack wrist and strap fastening, \$3.65. HEAVY CAPE AUTO GLOVES in grey, tan and black. Gauntlet wrist and strap fastening, \$3.00 pair. ROY SCOUT GLOVES, tan only, \$1.50 pair. INDIAN SHOPPING BASKETS in a big assortment of colors and patterns. \$5.00 and \$1.00. For Sale in Glove Section, Ground Floor. Children's Shop, 2nd Floor.

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COATS - CAPES - WRAPS FOR SUMMER-TIME WEAR. All Are Repriced - The New Prices Are Remarkable Too. 1-Silk Pongee Cape for \$44.00. 1-Navy Serge Cape for \$36.00. 1-Jersey Cloth Coat, \$26.75. Formerly \$40.00. 1-Soft Light Velour Cape for \$70.00. Formerly \$90.00. EAGERLY TO WOMEN SHOPPERS LOOK FOR SUCH BARGAINS SO REMOVED FROM THE AVERAGE. MAGEE'S NOVELTY SHOP ST. JOHN