

Italians Disarmed By Order Of Sheriff

A Formidable Collection Of Weapons Taken From Gangs in Carleton County.

Precautionary Measure Taken in Natural Sequence of Beechwood Murder.

Alleged Murderer of Leggarry is Safely Enclosed in Jail—Repentant Now.

Special to The Standard. Woodstock, N. B., Aug. 12.—As a direct result of the Beechwood murder the authorities of Carleton county decided yesterday upon disarming all the Italians working in the vicinity of the tragedy. Accordingly Constables Melville and Lindsay were commissioned to proceed with the work of disarming the Italians in the vicinity of the Sheriff's office. They included everything from a small scythe to a blunderbuss, and present a formidable lot lined up as they are in the Sheriff's office here. The Italians have taken the general disarmament as a matter of course and seem little prone to dispute with the authorities the possession of the various implements.

Safe in Jail. Monacelli, the alleged murderer of Leggarry is now safely enclosed in the jail here. He seems to be in a very repentant frame of mind, although he still appears to be in good spirits. Owing to the absence of Magistrate Dibbee from the town the prisoner will be brought before Stipendiary Holyoke in the morning. He will then be remanded until Wednesday of next week for a preliminary hearing. J. C. Hartley is to represent the Crown.

The principal witness to be examined at next week's hearing is Louis Digregard, the only actual spectator of the shooting. Digregard is now being held in jail here for the trial.

Other Witnesses. Will be Mrs. Wallace, a daughter of Albert D. Merchant, who was in an upstairs room at the time of the affray. Her husband, Robert Wallace, who was also upstairs in an intoxicated condition at the time, and Albert D. Merchant, her father, also numbered in the upstairs inebriated list.

no counsel has been found yet for the prisoners. It is understood that Monacelli's countrymen will look after him in this respect.

The alleged murderer was brought to Woodstock by Sheriff Tompkins without difficulty. A stop was made at Bath on route and another at Florenceville, the party finally reaching the jail here at eight o'clock. Monacelli had had nothing to eat and was in rather an exhausted condition when placed in his cell. The rest that he has had today however, has made it self apparent and he now a perfectly good Italian prisoner.

J. C. CREELMAN TOOK M. OF M. CUP AT HALIFAX

Special to The Standard. Halifax, N. S., Aug. 12.—At the Nova Scotia Rifle Association shoot at Bedford Range today, one of the most important events of the day was the Minister of Militia Match. The shoot being for a silver cup offered by Sir Frederick Borden, Minister of Militia, to be won three times, not necessarily consecutively, before becoming the permanent property of any one person. J. C. Creelman, of Truro, and a member of the 78th regiment, won out with a good score of 65 out of the possible 70, getting the cup for the ensuing 12 months, and \$100.

T. G. Gibburn, of the R. C. E., won in the tyros for the Bankers Cup, making 52 out of a possible 70.

The first stage of the Merchants Cup was also shot from the 200, 500 and 600 yards ranges, and as a result, Williams, of the 69th topped the list, with the splendid mark of 98 out of a possible 105. The second stage and final is being shot tomorrow.

The Enfield Rifle Competition was won by Sergeant Dymond, of the R. C. E., with 94 out of a possible 105.

The 78th Regiment from Hants, Colchester and Pictou, representing Truro, won the battalion contest with an average of 44.

The shooting will close early tomorrow afternoon, after which the presentation of prizes, etc., will take place. The shooting today as a whole was very good, being a great improvement over Wednesday owing to the change in the weather.

MANY THINGS EXPLAINED BY KAY IN COURT

Why He Decided that Moneys Turned Into the City by Predecessors Rightfully Belonged to Him.

INTRICACIES OF THE MADDEN CASE

The Story of a Horse Race Between a Liquor Man and a Preacher—Never Called Aldermen Thieves.

Special to The Standard. Moncton, Aug. 12.—At this afternoon's session of the Kay-inquiry the cross-examination of the magistrate was continued. He said that about four checks from the county for criminal business were retained by him. This work was done in the city police court and the principal fees were for the minutes taken by the clerk and paid by the city. He did not pay the clerk anything for this work. He had paid these fees into the city for six years when he came to the conclusion that they belonged to him. He did not know that his predecessor, Wortman, had ever rendered a bill to the county for such fees.

The Madden Case. When he fined Madden for fast driving Mr. Sweeney told him that Madden had been racing with a preacher and the horse got away from him. The preacher got off and the runner got soaked, said Mr. Fowler. He had never spoken of the city aldermen as thieves or blacklegs. He sometimes had differences with the aldermen. Mr. Fowler quoted from the press Kay's criticism of the city council and witnesses said that there was a controversy on that at the time over the Scott Act. In one Scott Act case Mr. Fowler sought to prove that a drunk was given his liberty on consideration of a so-called spotter, though three witnesses swore against him. Witness thought this spotter was employed by chief of Police Lidstone. The hearing was further adjourned until tomorrow.

Much time was taken at the morning's session of the inquiry into the local police court matters by Commissioner G. T. Ford, with the examination of the monthly police court statement for several years back in search for returns for renewal of executions. Magistrate Kay was again on the stand under cross examination by Mr. Fowler, admitted that no renewal executions had been accounted for up to March of 1904, papers up to that date having been examined yesterday.

"Why did you account for the renewals of executions only in the margin of the book," asked Fowler.

"That is the only way," replied Kay.

The witness said that judgment and other fees were entered up and a cheque sent in for the account. "Being," said Fowler, "you did not send in your cheque for one renewal execution. Not a single renewal execution has been accounted for, has it?"

"I haven't handed in the money," replied Kay.

"Why not?"

"The magistrate replied that in 1899 when a cheque was made in the system, the renewals were left still as before to be accounted for on the return of the execution.

Mr. Fowler characterized this as a pretty lame excuse. "You kept the money," said Fowler.

"I still have it," replied the magistrate, who went on to say that a good many renewals were not paid for. When the new system of advance payments came into force in 1899 hardly any were paid for.

BANK CLERK GETS 3 YEARS FOR FORGERY

Special to The Standard. Toronto, Aug. 12.—John Anderson, the Bank of Montreal clerk, who was in court this morning, on several charges of fraud, was sentenced to 3 years in the penitentiary. He pleaded guilty to passing forged cheques on T. Eaton Co., but he admitted that he was arrested in Vancouver a fortnight ago and came back here pleading guilty when first charged.

IN OLD HOLLAND



Hon. A. B. Aylesworth, of Holland Landing:—"What peculiar people these Dutch are, they put water in their canals."

HANLAN'S POINT TO BE REBUILT AT GREAT COST

Toronto Resort Recently Devastated by Fire Will be Reconstructed for Use at Opening of Next Session.

Special to The Standard. Toronto, Aug. 12.—After conferring with President E. B. Oiler, Manager Solman, of the Toronto Ferry Company, announced last night that work would be begun today leading to the construction of a much larger and finer amusement park at Hanlan's Point. The buildings will all be of steel and concrete. A new and up-to-date hotel will replace the Hotel Hanlan, and new stands for ball grounds built of steel and concrete to accommodate 20,000 people will be in readiness by the opening of the Eastern League season next year. The total cost will be a million dollars.

The insurance at Hanlan's Point summer resort destroyed by fire Wednesday night, amounted to about \$65,000 with probably another \$15,000. The companies interested are the Scottish Union and National \$30,000; The Royal \$15,000; Commercial Union \$3,000; Rimouski \$4,000; Anglo American \$2,000; Acadia \$2,000; Montreal, Canada, \$3,500; York \$500; Queen \$300.

Nearly all the companies had reinsured so that the losses of none of them will exceed two or three thousand dollars.

FEDERATION OF CATHOLIC SOCIETIES Annual Convention Closed and Members Now Off for Home

—Sioux Chief, Red Willow, Appointed Color Bearer.

Pittsburg, Aug. 11.—The majority of delegates to the American Federation of Catholic Societies convention left the city tonight for their homes. The afternoon was spent in sightseeing.

The last official act of the convention was to appoint Chief Red Willow of the Sioux Indian reservation of Pine Ridge, S. D., color-bearer of the Federation.

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AT OTTAWA SAID TO BE INVESTIGATING THE STRIKE CONDITIONS AT INVERNESS IN EFFORT TO PROSECUTE MEN

Special to The Standard. Ottawa, N. B., Aug. 12.—The Department of Labor at Ottawa has been decided to make a thorough investigation regarding the strike of colliers, with a view to ascertaining if the provisions of the Lemieux investigation and conciliation act was violated. President T. L. Lewis, of the U. M. W., has been written to and asked if funds are being supplied from International headquarters to help the strikers. Mr. Lewis has referred the deputy minister of labor to the officers of District 26, U. M. W. of America. It is reported that officers of the U. M. W. will be prosecuted for calling a strike before conditions were investigated. The Department of Labor also wants to know if there is any truth in the numerous reports that strikers will likely be declared at Sydney mines and Joggins colliers.

W. RADFORD IS DEAD AT FREDERICTON

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, N. B., Aug. 12.—Walter Radford, one of the best known travellers in the Maritime Provinces was found dead in his room at the Barker House here tonight.

Mr. Radford had been about the city during the afternoon attending to his usual duties and this evening he retired to his room in good spirits and apparently good health.

He left a call at the desk for the morning and further directed that a pitcher of ice water be sent to his room. Some few minutes later the bell boy who had been commissioned to carry out his orders found him lying dead in his room.

Physicians were summoned and Dr. W. J. Mann was called as coroner. He will hold an inquest tomorrow morning.

Mr. Radford was one of the most popular travellers in the province. He represented the firm of Cooke Bros. of Montreal, where, with his wife and family, he has made his home for some years.

GREAT PRIORY FINISH WORK AT TRURO

Special to The Standard. Halifax, Aug. 12.—The 26th annual meeting of the Sovereign Great Priory of Canada, which has been in session in Truro, has concluded its work. Today a special train brought the members attending the Priory to Halifax.

C. P. R. IMPORTING MEN TO QUELL STRIKE

Special to The Standard. Toronto, Aug. 12.—Thirty men left Victoria Harbor left for Fort William.

ALL UNITS OF EMPIRE WILL SHARE COST

Expenses of Naval Defence to be Borne Equally By The Several Component Nations—An Important Decision.

Special to The Standard. London, Aug. 12.—The next plenary sitting of the Imperial Defence Committee has not yet been summoned, but it is expected it will be possibly tomorrow or Monday. On the question of military defence of the Empire, it is understood that general unanimity has prevailed and some far-reaching decisions have been arrived at. On the naval question all parts of the Empire represented have expressed their intention to take a fair share of the cost of naval defence.

MILITIA TO RESCUE IN MAINE FIRE

Biddeford, Me., Aug. 12.—The militia was called out by a riot call today to assist the firemen and dozens of citizens in fighting a vicious forest fire in Biddeford Pool. A large settlement of houses was threatened. The wind was blowing strong and it was feared nothing but rain would stop the flames.

At 9 o'clock tonight the fire was raging in the woods unchecked, less than a mile from the main road between this city and Biddeford Pool. Many houses for a distance of four or five miles along the road were threatened, but none had been burned up to that hour.

Among the owners of timberland who are losers by the fire are: Joseph Haley, John Haley, Simon B. Adams, Mrs. L. D. Mitchell, Albert Norwood, Alonzo Norwood, George Tarbox, John Dyer, George Fletcher, Frank Goggins and heirs of Thomas B. Smith.

Toronto last night ticketed for Fort William, and it is understood they went up there to take the places of the men on strike in the C. P. R. freight sheds. Another batch of fifty men who have been working up at Victoria Harbor left for Fort William.

Baddeck 1 Has Made Her Bow In Aviation

THAW AGAIN DEFEATED IN HIS PURPOSE

Justice Mills Dismisses Writ of Habeas Corpus and White's Slayer Must Return to Matteawan.

THAW UNRUFFLED ISSUES STATEMENT

States That He Will Now Take Case Before the Court of Appeals—Recommitment Order Comes Up Today.

White Plains, N. Y., Aug. 12.—Harry Kendall Thaw's latest attempt to gain his liberty met with complete and disheartening defeat today when Supreme Court Justice Isaac Mills dismissed the writ of habeas corpus, and declared that "the release of the petitioner would be dangerous to the public peace and safety." The signing of the order sending Thaw back to Matteawan's formalities which is to take place tomorrow morning in Justice Mills' chambers at Mount Vernon, is all that remains to complete the failure of his latest appeal to the courts.

There is no crumb of comfort for Thaw in the 7,000 word opinion handed down by Justice Mills today. All the contentions of his old adversary, District Attorney Jerome, are supported, and it is declared that Thaw is still insane, still suffering from mental derangement, and that he is a menace as on the night he shot Stanford White.

Recommitment Order. The order for Thaw's recommitment will be presented to Justice Mills tomorrow morning by Deputy Attorney General Ezra P. Prentice and attorney Morschauser will then have a chance to oppose it or strive for a modification. Such action, however, will, it is believed, be purely formal in view of the decisive nature of the opinion handed down today.

Thaw, waiting in the White Plains jail, at the rear of the court-house where the decision was filed, received the news with an outward calmness which appeared, however, more forced than real. The members of his family and his attorneys stood by the thoroughness of their defeat. Thaw declined to give out any extended statement, contenting himself with the assertion that he was a judge in the matter and at once continue his fight for liberty.

"My next efforts will be centered upon the Court of Appeals, through which I expect to secure a hearing before a judge in my effort to have my commitment to Matteawan set aside." (See also Page Three.)

MASSACHUSETTS TO BE A DRY STATE

So Declares W. C. T. U. President in His Address at Old Orchard, Me.—Satisfied With Maine Legislation.

Old Orchard, Me., Aug. 11.—Mrs. L. M. N. Stevens, of Portland, president of the World's Women's Christian Temperance Union, declared that the legislation of last winter in Maine had strengthened instead of weakening the prohibitory law. She said Governor Bert M. Fernald was honest and had lived up to his promise to the temperance people regarding the enforcement of the liquor law.

Miss Elizabeth P. Gordon, of Boston, acting president of the Massachusetts W. C. T. U., and J. P. Lewis, of Boston, president of the Twentieth Century Pledge Signing Crusade, told of the gains made by the temperance movement in Massachusetts and predicted absolute prohibition in that state.

Canadian Drome in Initial Flight at Petewawa Yesterday—A Trial Spin.

McCurdy at The Helm Put Ship Through Paces—Experiment Successful.

For Some Time, Aviators Announce That Short Hops Will Only Be Attempted.

Special to The Standard. Petewawa Camp, Ont., Aug. 12.—Canada's own flying machine Baddeck 1, with John A. D. McCurdy at the controlling wheel, made her first ascent from the ground this afternoon, at a quarter past five. True the ascent was neither a high nor a long one, being only a rise of ten feet and a hop of a hundred feet in length, but it served to illustrate to the large crowd present that the drome was capable of leaving terra firma.

At 4:55 this afternoon the plane was again taken out of her shed. This time Mr. McCurdy announced that he would only make a short hop. He mounted the seat and about a hundred yards from the shed W. McDonald, the machinist, started the propeller. The machine started off like a shot down the road, attaining a high speed with great quickness. The engine ran smoothly and only the loud whirr of the propeller could be heard. After going about two hundred yards McCurdy was seen to give the controller a quick jerk upward of the controls, responding beautifully. It soared into the air a short distance, and still keeping up its high speed, went through space, alighting a hundred feet or further on with ease. The drome skimming over the surface of the ground for perhaps an eighth of a mile.

The aviators are evidently taking no chances with Baddeck 1, preferring to stall off with small hops before attempting anything big. Mr. McCurdy stated after alighting that he was entirely satisfied with the way the machine behaved in the short trial. He further stated that he would continue the short hops for the next few days.

ST. LAWRENCE ROUTE NOT BAD AFTER ALL

The Allan Crack Liner Lands Mails in Montreal in Record Time—New York Boat Not Yet Sighted.

Special to The Standard. Montreal, Aug. 12.—Two English mails delivered at the Montreal post-office via Canadian liners within a week makes a new record. Last Thursday night the mails which left Liverpool at 6 o'clock the previous Friday by the Empress of Britain were received at the local postoffice at 7:15 and tonight the mails from the Victorian of the Allan Line-boat here at 9:20 by train from Rimouski. The Victorian left Liverpool at 6 o'clock last Friday evening, so that a letter posted at noon in London last Friday would reach Montreal in less than a week.

CAMERON OF AMHERST WON TEN MILE RACE

Special to The Standard. Charlottetown, P. E. I., Aug. 12.—The first electric light sports held in this city for some years, came off on the C. A. A. grounds this evening. The place was crowded with spectators having come from all over the province. The chief interest centered in the ten mile race in which several crack runners took part. It resulted as follows: First, J. Cameron, Ramblers, Amherst. Time each mile, 5:11, 10:43, 2:5, 16:22, 4:5, 21:17, 27, 33:37, 39:13, 2:5, 44:58, 50:48, 56:43, 56:04, 2:5. Rogers, 2nd, W. L. Rodgers, Wanderers, Halifax, 3rd, Thomas, Indian, Lennox Island, 4th, M. Robertson, Abergweits, Marshfield, 5th, W. Campbell, of Glace Bay. Cameron breaks the Maritime record. Cameron tonight was in bed under doctors care yesterday and was highly commended on his plucky effort. Henry Harley dropped out.

HUNTER ONLY NOW KNOWS OF CRIME

Special to The Standard. Lindsay, Ont., Aug. 12.—Apparently for the first time Joseph Hunter came to the consciousness of his crime yesterday, when told by Dr. Jeff Robertson, jail surgeon, that he had shot his wife. Hunter seemed crushed and sat his head in his hands for some time. Afterwards he stated he did not recollect anything of the occurrence. Later in the jailyard Hunter was discovered crying like a baby.

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IMPORTATION OF HORSES TO BE INCREASED

Department of Agriculture will likely bring shipment of Percheron Mares from Scotland.

SHETLAND PONIES ARE BEING INQUIRED FOR

A Consignment May Be Arranged—Pure Bred Clydesdale Coming—Breed in Great Demand.

The foresight of the Commissioner of Agriculture in arranging last winter with a leading Canadian importer to bring a select shipment of young pure-bred Clydesdale mares to the Province is well shown by the exceeding scarcity of such animals throughout the Canada.

There never has been a time in the Province when it was so hard to buy a pure-bred mare of any kind, and this being true, it stands to reason that the breeders will for a year or two be compelled to put up with reduced incomes. Selling horses of one's own farm is a good deal like eating one's cake. One cannot sell them and keep them too. Once they are sold they produce foals and work for some one else, in some other locality, and new owners reap the benefit. History teaches that it is invariably poor policy to deplete the seed stock too greatly. From present appearances, there will be many more disappointed buyers in Ontario next winter. A more conservative policy in marketing pure-bred mares is certainly to be suggested.

Percheron Mares.

In addition to the Clydesdales which are now being largely bought in Scotland bred to superior stallions, an effort is being made to have a shipment of Percheron mares arrive at the same time. There will also likely be a few stallions of each breed.

From inquiries made, there would seem to be some demand for Shetland ponies, and if parties wishing to purchase these ponies would communicate with the Department of Agriculture at Fredericton, it is probable arrangements could be made for a consignment of these useful, hardy little animals.

FUNERAL OF MRS. HANNAY AT CAPITAL

Fredericton, Aug. 12.—The funeral of the late Mrs. Hannay, wife of Dr. James Hannay, took place from her late residence on Regent street, this afternoon, and was largely attended by sorrowing friends and relatives from this city and elsewhere, who gathered to pay their last respects.

At the house funeral services were conducted by Rev. Dr. Smith, and hymns were sung by a quartette from the Methodist church choir, there also being prayers and a hymn at the grave.

At the request of the deceased, friends in Fredericton were asked not to send flowers, but Col. H. H. McLean, M. P., and Mrs. McLean and Chief Kerr, of the city, and Mrs. Keir, sent beautiful floral pieces from St. John as evidence of sympathy and affection.

The mourners included the following: Dr. James Hannay, Robert Ross, of Hampton; W. A. Seelye, Oak Point; C. H. Climo, Halifax; John A. Bowes and Samuel Girvan, St. John; J. Howe Dickson, Judge Wilson, P. D. McKenale, Langford Good and others, of this city.

Interment was made at the Rural cemetery.

FUNERAL OF MRS. A. LEWIS AT ANNAPOLIS

Special to The Standard. Annapolis Royal, Aug. 12.—The funeral took place here this afternoon of one of the oldest and most respected citizens of Annapolis, in the person of Mrs. Adelbert Lewis, widow of the late Adelbert Lewis, who is survived by seven sons and three daughters and several grand children. The funeral cortege was large and all walks of life were represented. The service was held in St. Luke's Church, the pastor, Rev. Henry How, B. A., officiating. Interment took place in St. Luke's cemetery, the oldest burying ground in the Dominion which has long been closed to all except the descendants of the oldest families.

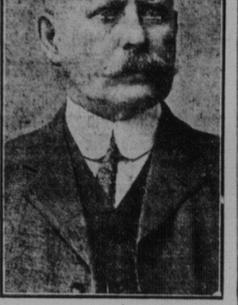
The T. of H. Excursion. The members of Sections and Temples who are going to attend the excursion by steamer May Queen this afternoon, are requested to meet at Victoria Temple Hall, Charlotte street, at 1.45 p. m. The Charlotte Cornet Band will be in attendance and the Templars will parade to the boat.

TABLE OF NEXT MEETING PLACE OF ODDFELLOWS' GRAND LODGE

Nova Scotia Town Selected at Final Session Last Evening—Mr. S. Hooper, of Fredericton, New Grand Master—Question of Separate Jurisdictions for Provinces Deferred—New Constitution Adopted—Appropriation for Hall Held Over.

After three days of strenuous work, the Grand Lodge of the I. O. O. F. in the Maritime Provinces finished its labors shortly before 12 o'clock last night. The attendance at the lodge meetings taxed the capacity of the large room at Keith's theatre to the utmost. In some meetings as many as 300 ballots were cast. The grand officers showed the effects of the strain which they had undergone and were pretty well exhausted last evening. Great interest was taken in all the matters under discussion, and more than once the presiding officer was obliged to show his authority to keep things running smoothly.

The election of the officers yesterday morning resulted in few surprises. Mr. W. S. Hooper was elected Grand Master and Dr. A. D. Smith was promoted to the deputy's chair. Grand



Grand Master, Mr. W. S. Hooper, Fredericton.

Secretary McKinnon was given a contest but emerged with flying colors, as did Mr. J. A. Craig of Amherst, in the race for the grand warden's position. Yesterday's sessions were devoted to business of a private nature.

Afternoon Session. The afternoon session was a lively one, many important subjects being under consideration. The motion to give the provinces authority to apply for a dissolution of the Grand Lodge of the Maritime Provinces and the establishment of separate jurisdictions was warmly discussed. Finally the motion to allow the matter to remain pending for another year was carried without a division being called.

The appropriation for an Oddfellows hall was also held for another year. The Grand Master was authorized to appoint a special committee of three to report on the matter at the next Grand Lodge.

The evening session was largely taken up by the adoption of the new constitution. The amendments were adopted as printed with few changes. The committees appointed to consider the reports of the officers submitted their report.

Truro Next Meeting Place. A number of towns had been proposed as the next meeting place of the Grand Lodge and at the evening session Truro finally carried the day, and the next session of the Grand Lodge will be held in the Nova Scotia town.

Before dispersion votes of thanks were moved by the visiting delegates to the St. John Oddfellows, and the mayor and citizens generally for the hospitable extension of their shoulders.

The elected and appointed officers were installed in office by the retiring Grand Master Johnson, and at 12 o'clock one of the most strenuous sessions of the Grand Lodge came to an end. At the close of the meeting, enthusiastic admirers of the Grand Secretary, John McKinnon, of Charlottetown, showed their appreciation by carrying him on their shoulders to his hotel. Hearty cheers were given for all the grand officers and to the delegates who dispersed to their homes. Very few left the city last evening. Some of the visitors will remain over for another day to enjoy the sights of the city.

Deputy District Grand Masters. The appointment of the Deputy Grand Masters of each district was reported as follows: Charlottetown—Charles Drew. St. John—Dr. A. D. Smith, D. G. M. Halifax—J. M. Donovan. Fredericton—Chas. A. Sampson, G. R.

Parrsboro—Rev. F. M. Young. Granville Ferry—Rev. G. W. Whitman, G. Chap. Lunenburg—H. C. Dunlop. Moncton—W. H. Edgett. Amherst—Harry Davis. Chatham—Howard W. Pilger. Campbellton—Duncan Noble. Yarmouth—J. A. Craig, G. W. North Sydney—A. J. Copping, G. H. Kentville—Jas. H. Yould. Westport—Hubert Bowers. St. Stephen—L. M. Robinson. Lunenburg—J. E. Eisenhauser. Port La Tour—Sanford Slade. Alberton—Ramsey Hardy. Canoe—F. F. Ramsay. Old Bridgeport—Angus Phillipott. Wood's Harbor—Jeremiah V. Smith. Sherbrooke—John D. McDonald. Fort Hood—E. O. Leadbetter. Liverpool—J. S. Gardner. Marble Mountain—Lauchlan McLean. Sussex—W. H. Culbert.

Morning Session. The Grand Lodge resumed business at 10 o'clock yesterday morning. Outside of the passing of a few reports B. O'Neill, is at present at Lynn.

OPENINGS IN ARGENTINE REPUBLIC

Further Technical Evidence Given at Hearing Before Commission Yesterday—Sir William Van Horn's Estimate Reduced by Other Witnesses—Mr. J. B. McRae, for New Company, Values Water Power at \$25,000 and Property at \$12,500.

The hearing in the matter of the expropriation proceedings at Grand Falls was continued yesterday before J. Norman Winslow, the commissioner appointed by the Provincial Government, by two new witnesses who examined Mr. D. W. Jamieson and Mr. John B. McRae, mechanical and hydraulic engineers. The evidence was chiefly of a technical character, dealing with various phases of the power development at the falls.

A great difference of opinion as to the value of the property at the falls has been adduced from the evidence. Sir William Van Horn stated that the value of the rights at the falls in their present state is \$1,000,000, and the land and water privileges that were sought to be expropriated at from \$600,000 to \$700,000. Mr. A. C. Rice, at yesterday morning's session, valued the right mill property at \$200,000. Mr. McRae, a witness for the new company, placed the value of \$25,000 on the bridge to above the falls, and valued the property sought to be expropriated at \$12,500.

Mr. H. A. Powell, K. C., represented the Grand Falls Power Company and had associated with him Messrs. Barnhill, Ewing & Sanford. A. L. Shearer, J. New York; J. B. McRae, chief engineer, and R. S. Lee and D. W. Jamieson, engineers, were also in attendance on behalf of the company. Col. H. H. McLean, K. C., and Mr. F. R. Taylor, K. C., represented the land owners in the case.

"Few people," said Mr. Rene to a Standard reporter last evening, "have any idea of the importance of the Argentine Republic as a commercial country. Like Canada, it is a great wheat-growing country, and I am interested in Canada for that reason."

Some Large Figures. "Last year we exported 20,000,000 tons of wheat, principally to Europe, and 4,000,000 tons of oats to the United States alone. When you consider that the country is still in its infancy, you can form some idea of the future there is before us. We have a population of 7,000,000, the same as Canada. We had when it comes to large cities, we have 100,000 in Buenos Ayres alone.

"You, perhaps," Mr. Rene continued, "are more interested here in the exportation of lumber to Argentina. We import practically all the lumber used in a rough state. In one year the imports of spruce amounted to 150,000,000 feet. White pine is also exported to the amount of about 60,000,000 feet. We have done business with the United States, but we are looking more now to Canada.

"I came here to get in touch with trade conditions, to get acquainted, and to gather as much information as possible. There is a great opening in the Argentine Republic for manufactured products, as we have not many factories."

Highly Civilized. Mr. Rene also spoke of the enlightened condition of the people of the Argentine Republic. "As you exist," he said, "that we are savages, but I can assure you that we do not consider ourselves as such. On the contrary, the masses display a high degree of culture. We have compulsory education, advanced schools, and perfect religious freedom. Literature and art are cultivated, and the fame of our past is world-wide.

"Spanish, of course, is the national language, but we have two newspapers in English—the Standard and the Italian and French. Our government resembles that of the United States, and our people live in peace among themselves and with their neighbors."

War Unlikely. The reports of trouble between Bolivia and Peru were mentioned to Mr. Rene. He replied that there was little likelihood of war. "Peru was simply 'eat Bolivia.' The Argentine government had ruled as arbitrators in the dispute, but were taking no part in the quarrel.

"We cannot afford to," was his comment, "and the other countries are in a much worse position. Bolivia is practically isolated and in a very helpless position to engage in war."

Mr. Rene said that Argentina was a fine country for a young man to locate, after he had once learned the Spanish language.

WORK OF RAFTING IS NOW COMPLETED

Log Driving Company Finish Up Season's Work—Work Done Will Contain 2,000,000 Feet—Totals to Date.

Fredericton, Aug. 12.—Rafting operations for the season at the St. John River Log Driving Company's boom have been completed and the only men the company now has working are at the Mitchell boom.

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Further Technical Evidence Given at Hearing Before Commission Yesterday—Sir William Van Horn's Estimate Reduced by Other Witnesses—Mr. J. B. McRae, for New Company, Values Water Power at \$25,000 and Property at \$12,500.

The hearing in the matter of the expropriation proceedings at Grand Falls was continued yesterday before J. Norman Winslow, the commissioner appointed by the Provincial Government, by two new witnesses who examined Mr. D. W. Jamieson and Mr. John B. McRae, mechanical and hydraulic engineers. The evidence was chiefly of a technical character, dealing with various phases of the power development at the falls.

A great difference of opinion as to the value of the property at the falls has been adduced from the evidence. Sir William Van Horn stated that the value of the rights at the falls in their present state is \$1,000,000, and the land and water privileges that were sought to be expropriated at from \$600,000 to \$700,000. Mr. A. C. Rice, at yesterday morning's session, valued the right mill property at \$200,000. Mr. McRae, a witness for the new company, placed the value of \$25,000 on the bridge to above the falls, and valued the property sought to be expropriated at \$12,500.

Mr. H. A. Powell, K. C., represented the Grand Falls Power Company and had associated with him Messrs. Barnhill, Ewing & Sanford. A. L. Shearer, J. New York; J. B. McRae, chief engineer, and R. S. Lee and D. W. Jamieson, engineers, were also in attendance on behalf of the company. Col. H. H. McLean, K. C., and Mr. F. R. Taylor, K. C., represented the land owners in the case.

"Few people," said Mr. Rene to a Standard reporter last evening, "have any idea of the importance of the Argentine Republic as a commercial country. Like Canada, it is a great wheat-growing country, and I am interested in Canada for that reason."

Some Large Figures. "Last year we exported 20,000,000 tons of wheat, principally to Europe, and 4,000,000 tons of oats to the United States alone. When you consider that the country is still in its infancy, you can form some idea of the future there is before us. We have a population of 7,000,000, the same as Canada. We had when it comes to large cities, we have 100,000 in Buenos Ayres alone.

"You, perhaps," Mr. Rene continued, "are more interested here in the exportation of lumber to Argentina. We import practically all the lumber used in a rough state. In one year the imports of spruce amounted to 150,000,000 feet. White pine is also exported to the amount of about 60,000,000 feet. We have done business with the United States, but we are looking more now to Canada.

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It was decided that the next meeting of the council should be held in Toronto, in August 19

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TO FIGHT PLAGUE AMONG THE NEGROES

Plans for a Vigorous Anti-Tuberculosis Campaign in South Perfectured—An Educational Movement.

Washington, Aug. 12—The plan for the organization of negro anti-tuberculosis leagues in the various states, proposed recently by the United States Public Health and Marine Hospital Service, has met with a quick response.

The movement is mainly a campaign of education intended to check the progress of tuberculosis among the negro population, threatening the race with declination and constituting a serious menace to the whites with whom they come in contact.

THAW DECLARED A HELPLESS PARANOIAC MUST RETURN TO HIS CELL IN MATEWAN

Justice Mills Establishes An Ancestral Trace of Insanity and Holds That His Release from the Madhouse Would be Deleterious to Society—Declares that Prisoner's Hearing at Trial Stamps Him as An Hopeless Lunatic.

After discussing the evidence, Justice Mills drew the following conclusion: The insanity with which Harry K. Thaw was afflicted on June 25, 1906, at the time he committed the homicide, was of the kind known as chronic, delusive insanity, or paranoia.

His Meeting With Evelyn. "About 1901 he became enamored of a young woman, Miss Nesbit, whom he afterwards married. She was then, by common reputation, well known to him as the mistress of a mistress of Stanford White.

Regarding Thaw's suspicions of a conspiracy against him by his early counsel, the Court says: "Such belief that is as to the purpose was uttered, rather without the least foundation and a clear delusion."

All this, continues Justice Mills, according to the obtained expert testimony, is plainly the history of a paranoiac. This Court concludes, therefore, that Thaw's insanity, at the com-

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HERE TO SECURE OTHER FARMS TO TRAIN ENGLISH CHILDREN

Mrs. Ellen Close, Founder of Home at Nauwigewauk, in City Yesterday—Hopes to Interest Provincial Government in Plan to Extend the Project—British Authorities to be Asked to Contribute—Training School for Girls Needed.

Mrs. Ellinor C. L. Close who has for some years interested herself in trying to better the conditions of children who for various reasons become a charge on the English Poor Law Guardians, was in the city yesterday.

Interviewed by a representative of The Standard Mrs. Close said she was just making a hurried visit to the Ellinor Home Farm at Nauwigewauk in England, and she was now ascertaining the attitude of the New Brunswick Government towards her proposed scheme of securing other farms of England to work for the rearing and training of English children who would otherwise



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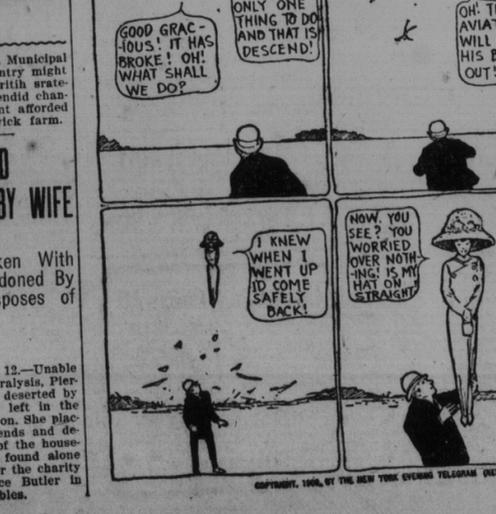
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INSCRIPTION FOR CHAMPLAIN STATUE

Committee Made Selection Yesterday—Application By Sculptor for Details of Site Referred to Engineer.

A meeting of the committee in charge of the Champlain monument inscription for the memorial was held yesterday morning and an inscription for the memorial was selected. The mayor, Ven. Archdeacon Raymond, Mr. John R. Armstrong, Mr. R. Jack and Senator Ellis were present.

After some discussion the final selection of the inscription was left in the hands of the mayor, Archdeacon



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ST. JOHN RIVER INTERESTING CONFERENCE TO MEET IN BARBOURTON PETEWAWA GUN THAT WAS SAVED FROM CAPTIVE DURING SOUTH AFRICAN WAR NOW MOUNTED AT FAMOUS CAMP. Decided Yesterday at Session of A. M. E. Church—Reports Received—Missionary Addresses Given in Evening.

The sessions of the African Methodist Episcopal Church conference were continued in St. Philip's Church yesterday. At the morning session it was decided to hold the meeting in 1910 at Yarmouth. Bishop Derrick announced the transfer of Mr. Pearson of Jamaica to the Maritime Provinces. Rev. Gilbert Walker, who it is said, is to be disciplined, was not present. The afternoon and evening sessions were taken up with routine business and missionary addresses. Rev. Mr. Walker Still Absent At the opening of the morning session Bishop Derrick in the chair, it was announced that Rev. Gilbert Walker, of Yarmouth, had not yet arrived, but was expected later at the conference. It is understood that he will be disciplined by the bishop for the unsatisfactory state of his parishes. His lordship in the course of his remarks alluded to Mr. Walker as "smoking excessively" and being "young and giddy." The bishop appointed Revs. A. Kersey, T. W. Johnson and Pearson as a committee to draw up a testimonial to the worth of the late Dr. A. B. Walker, and I. Richardson, principal of the St. Philip's school, who, despite the fact that they were not members of the church, were greatly interested in the welfare of the congregation. The bishop announced that Mr. Pearson, of Jamaica, where he labored at the mission fields for years, had been assigned to the Nova Scotia conference. Mr. Pearson was for some time in the Congo Free State. The bishop declined an invitation to visit Woodstock and other points in the provinces, as he is booked to return to New York on Monday and thence to go to the bishopric at Phillipsburg, Pa., Ironton, Ohio, and Columbus, Ohio. Next Conference in Yarmouth. Rev. Mr. Kersey moved that the 1910 conference be held at Yarmouth, and the motion was adopted. The date will be arranged by the bishop, who incidentally intimated that he would transfer several of the preachers from their stations before he returned to New York. The bishop announced that Dr. Johnson, formerly editor of the Christian Recorder, a chief negro organ, had been removed from his post on the ground of physical disability, and R. T. Wright, a professor, had been appointed as his successor. Fifteen of the bishop subscribed \$25 each and presented the subject of a resolution company publishing the periodical. The bishop appointed Messrs. Kersey, McConell and Gibbs to form a committee to enlarge the paper under the new regime. Admonished by the Bishop. Rev. T. W. Johnson of Halifax, moved that the conference purchase books valued at \$100 from the Record-er Company, and was admonished by the bishop, who stated that the finances would not admit of such an outlay. Rev. J. Gibbs, of this city, announced that he had deferred the delivery of his report until the afternoon, as money was yet to be collected. It was stated that nobody had been expelled from the conference during the year, and none of the preachers died since the last conference. At a brief session in the afternoon Rev. John Johnson of Halifax announced his trip to the States, which was "The Petition of a God's Call to Man." Several brethren told of their labors in the church and the success they had attained. A missionary meeting was held in the evening at which Rev. W. P. Pearson, who has just been transferred from the Pittsburg conference, gave addresses. This morning the reports of committees will come before the conference, and in the evening the bishop will give an address in St. Philip's Church on "The Two Flags."

ISLAND GIRL IN PRETTY ROMANCE Mrs. Lena Bell, nee Rattray, of Bonshaw, Weds Prosperous New England Business Man—On Honeymoon. Worcester, Mass., Aug. 12.—What is said to have been a very pretty romance culminated here in the wedding of Mrs. Lena Bell (Fenner) Rattray, of Bonshaw, P. E. I., and William Arthur Chandler, a prosperous business man of this city. The ceremony was performed last night by Rev. Dr. Matthew S. McCord, pastor of the Westminster United Presbyterian church, at his own residence, the couple being unattended. The return of the marriage certificate this morning disclosed the fact that the ceremony had been performed for a wedding trip, which is to reach the bride's old home, and the scene of the beginning of the romance, it is said.

ALBERTA MAY NOW HAVE TO IMPORT BEEF Calgary, Aug. 12.—Patrick Burns, the pioneer packer of Alberta, states that farmers, attracted by \$1 wheat, are selling off their cattle, with the view of increasing their wheat areas. As a result the province will, if the present method of grain farming be continued, be forced to import beef within three years. Sheep have been imported from Australia and the United States for a number of years, and two-thirds of the bacon used in the province is purchased in the States. The stock values will increase rapidly, but unless farmers have live stock to dispose of they cannot reap benefit from increased values.

MISS CORBIN WEDS JAPANESE HUSBAND Grand-daughter of American General Married Contrary to Wishes of Her Family—Issues Statement. Detroit, Aug. 12.—Miss Alice M. Corbin, granddaughter of General Henry C. Corbin, U. S. A., retired, was married here on Saturday afternoon to Dorichiro Wozono, a young Japanese merchant of this city. The bride admitted only a few minutes before the ceremony that she had chosen between her love for the Japanese and her deference to the wishes of her relatives. "I can only hope," she said, "that their prejudice will wear away in time. It is no use now to ask their sanction for my marriage. They are all against it. But their prejudice is unfounded. I love Dorichiro and respect him far more than any American men I have ever met. He and I will show my family how baseless are their fears, and how happy we shall be together. Then, perhaps, they will 'forgive' me—to put it that way. I don't think I have done anything that needs forgiveness." None of the Corbin family was present at the ceremony, which was performed with the least ostentation.

SHE JUMPED FROM A FERRY AND WAS DROWNED Windsor, Ont., Aug. 12.—In full view of two score passengers last night an unknown woman committed suicide by throwing herself into a river from the upper deck of the ferry Excelsior. The efforts of the passengers to prevent the rash act were too late. No clue as to the identity of the woman, who was about 45 years of age, has been found, and the river is being dragged for the body. Alexander Dunbar, Woodstock, N. B., has been granted a patent at Washington for a logging engine.

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MR. PETERS' FUNERAL LARGELY ATTENDED Last Rites Celebrated in Mission Church Yesterday—The Council Pass Resolution of Condolence. The funeral of Mr. Hurd Peters, which took place yesterday afternoon, was attended by a large number of the citizens and civic officials. The Common Council met in the court house at two o'clock and after passing a resolution of condolence, attended the funeral in a body to pay their last respects to the late engineer. At 9 o'clock in the morning the casket was taken to the Mission church in Paradise Row, where Rev. D. Converse celebrated Requiem Mass, after which the body lay in state in the church, of which the late Mr. Peters was the oldest trustee. At 3 o'clock in the afternoon the regular choral burial service was held. The following hymns were sung: When Our Hearts Are Drawn With Woe, and Now the Laborer's Task is O'er. Mr. J. Bayard Currie, of St. Paul's church, Maiden, Mass., presided at the organ. As the body was borne from the church, Mendelssohn's Funeral March was played. The funeral formed at the church and broke up at the Marsh Bridge. His Worship the Mayor and members of the present and former councils, as well as many civic officials and other citizens, representative of all walks in life, were present to show their respect to Mr. Peters' memory. His fellow trustees of the Mission church, Mr. Herbert Schofield, Mr. E. M. Shadbolt, Mr. W. G. Lee, Mr. Roland Frith, Col. E. S. Sturdee, and Mr. Chas. McLaughlin acted as pall bearers. Interment was in Fernhill. Dr. and Mrs. Gates Entertained. Rev. Dr. G. O. Gates, of Montreal, formerly pastor of Germain street Baptist church, and his wife, have been entertained this week at many enjoyable functions by members of his old congregation. To-day Ald. Vanwart and Mr. W. H. Colwell will be the hosts and to-morrow Mr. T. H. Estabrooks will entertain the visitors, who will leave on Monday for Nova Scotia.

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CHICAGO CATTLE. Chicago, Ill., Aug. 12.—Cattle—Receipts, 25,000. Market, strong to 10 cents higher. Steers, 560 to 755. Hogs—Receipts, 1,400. 10 to 15 cents higher; choice heavy, 780 to 790; butchers, 785 to 795.

THE COTTON MARKET. New York, Aug. 12.—Cotton short closed quiet 20 points higher; middling uplands 12.90; middling gulf, 13.12 to 58 reacting to 57.

CANADIAN PRODUCE QUOTATIONS

Special to The Standard. Toronto, Aug. 12.—Winter wheat is quoted at 98 to 98 cents with reports of sales at 95 cents. Ontario wheat No. 2 winter, 96 to 98 cents outside. Manitoba wheat No. 1 northern, \$1.19; No. 2 northern, \$1.17; No. 3 northern, \$1.16 on track at lake ports. Oats No. 2 white, 50 cents on track at Toronto; No. 2 white, 46 to 48 cents; No. 3 white, 45 cents outside; Canada western No. 2, 46 cents; No. 1 extra feed, 45 cents; No. 3, 45 cents lake ports, 45 cents to 48 cents on track at Toronto.

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE. (By Direct Private Wires to J. C. Mackintosh and Co.)

NEWS SUMMARY. By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co. New York, Aug. 12.—Bank of England rate remains unchanged at 2 1/2 per cent.

CLOSING COTTON LETTER. By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co. New York, Aug. 12.—The rather sudden entry of a daring speculative bull contingent into our markets today upset all calculations based upon the usual index of price movements.

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THE MONTEAL STOCK MARKET IN PRICES FOLLOWS RISE

By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co. Morning Sales. New York, Aug. 12.—The speculation in stocks took on a sudden aspect of activity which resulted in a frothy upsurge of the profession in the market. The appearance of these symptoms, after so prolonged an advance as has already occurred and with prices at a high altitude, aroused suspicion of operators of the profession in all circles, who are keenly alert for the first signs of a reaction.

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AMERICAN PRODUCE MARKETS

(By Associated Press.) New York, Aug. 12.—Flour—Receipts, 15,897; exports, 8,060. Market was barely steady, with a quiet jobbing trade. Wheat—Receipts, 19,200; exports, 54,988. Spot, easy; No. 2 red, 110, 110, elevator; No. 2 red, new, 110 1/2, prompt f.o.b. float; No. 1 Northern Duluth old, 134 1/2, nominal f.o.b. float; No. 2 hard winter, new, 110 1/2, f.o.b. float.

Chicago, Ill., Aug. 12.—Wheat: Sept 97 1/2; Dec. 94 7/8 to 95; May 98 5/8 to 59 1/2. Corn—Sept. 64 1/8; Dec. 63 3/8; May 54 3/8.

NEW UNION PACIFIC SEGREGATION PLAN. (By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co.) New York, Aug. 12.—It can be definitely stated that the management of the Union Pacific company has under consideration a plan by which the stockholders will be given additional shares of some form or other, representing the company's investments in other corporations.

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Sun rises today... 5:21 a.m. Sun sets today... 7:28 p.m. Sun rises tomorrow... 5:32 a.m. Sun sets tomorrow... 7:25 p.m.

PORT OF ST. JOHN. Arrived—Aug. 12. Str. Amelia, 103, Wrayton from Halifax and call ports.

Vessels in Port. Manchester Commerce, 344, Couch, Manchester Line, Kanawha, 248, Kellman, Wm. Thompson and Co.

Vessels Bound to St. John. Steamer. Pontiac, Manchester, July 29. Rappahannock, London, Aug. 11.

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THE WEATHER.

Maritime Provinces—Light, variable winds; fair; about same temperature. Toronto, Aug. 12.—Fine weather has prevailed throughout Canada today, except that a few local showers have occurred in the Maritime Provinces. In the prairie Provinces it has been quite warm and maximum temperatures of 90 degrees have been recorded in some localities.

Table with 2 columns: Place, Min. Max. Locations include Port Arthur, Pary Sound, London, Toronto, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, St. John, and Halifax.

New England—Partly cloudy; probably showers in south portion Friday. Saturday partly cloudy; light to moderate variable winds.

English Mail. The English mails via New York will arrive here today about noon.

No License. Ralph Sheppard has been reported by the police for doing business as a shoemaker on Main street, without a license.

Bank Clearings. The total bank clearings for the week ending August 12 were \$1,431,615, as compared with \$1,255,009 for the corresponding week last year.

Fire in Union Foundry. At 2:45 o'clock this morning fire was discovered in the coal shed of the Union Foundry, Union street, Carleton. The department responded promptly and the blaze was extinguished in about twenty minutes. Little damage was done.

A. O. H. Delegates to Quebec. About fourteen delegates from the A. O. H. will leave this evening to attend the memorial services at Grosse Island, Quebec, under the leadership of Senator Sgt. John Daley. The local body will be joined at Hampton by the Kings county members.

Runaway in Douglas Avenue. Some little excitement was created in Douglas avenue last evening when a horse owned by Mr. John Williams of Mahogany road, became frightened at the cars and bolted. Mr. Williams, who was in the carriage, was unable to secure a proper hold on the reins, and it looked as if a bad accident was imminent. He was able, however, to check the horse just before the bridge was reached.

A Valuable Property. It is understood that a St. John lumber concern are negotiating for the purchase of a wharf property at Chatham, owned by Mr. A. H. Marquis. The property, which has a river frontage of about 600 feet, has recently increased in value on account of the plans of the I. C. R. to run a new track along the shore. Since the announcement was made Mr. Marquis is said to have received several offers to purchase from firms in the lumber business.

A Peculiar Discovery. The operation performed recently on Mr. Vernon Secord, the young man whose eye was injured in the sham fight on Port Howe, disclosed a peculiar condition of that organ. When his eye was opened a piece of cartridge shell was found embedded in its interior. Mr. Secord was about 20 feet distant from the gun when it was discharged.

Baptist Foreign Mission Board. At a special meeting of the Baptist Foreign Mission Board yesterday to pass the treasurer's annual report a deficit of only \$375 was shown on the year's work. The contributions from the churches were regarded as very encouraging. The total receipts were \$31,800. Rev. M. E. Fletcher was appointed a delegate to a meeting of the board at Wolfville, at which a new scheme of collection of denomination, all funds will be prepared.

Championship Game on E. D. C. Grounds. It is understood that the next championship game on Saturday between St. Peter's and the Marathons, will be played on the Every Day Club grounds. The disagreement between the Marathons and the club management was satisfactorily settled yesterday. It is rumored that the teams have dissolved the agreement made at the beginning of the championship series. The fans have it that the Marathons will play Bovalrd on Saturday, while St. Peter's will have either Callaghan or Howe in the box.

Dog Show Next Month. The New Brunswick Kennel Club's annual dog show will be held in the Queen's Rink on Sept. 28th, 29th and 30th. The premium list is now in the hands of the printers and will be ready for distribution in about a week. The new benches are nearing completion and everything will be in readiness well in advance of the show dates. Arrangements have been made with the New York branch of Spratt's Patent to feed the dogs, and this will no doubt be fully appreciated by the busy exhibitor who has not much time to spare.

POPULAR WEDDING AT BRIDGETOWN. Nuptials of Milton Warren Kendall and Miss Harriett Lefavor, Celebrated—Many Valuable Presents Received.

Special to The Standard. Bridgetown, Aug. 12.—Two popular young people of Bridgetown, Milton Warren Kendall and Miss Harriett Lefavor, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony at 8 o'clock tonight in the presence of the immediate friends and relatives of the contracting parties. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Harry W. Chamberlain, the double ring service being used. A wedding reception followed the ceremony. The presents received by this popular couple were unusually large and valuable.

SUBMIT ESTIMATE OF \$787,500 TO BUILD NAVY ISLAND BRIDGE

Sir Robert Perks's Firm in Ottawa Send F. W. Holt Result of Investigations—Cost of Work \$700,000, Engineering and Contingencies \$87,500 More—Question of Cash or Bonds Make 15 per cent. Difference—Engineer to Report Today.

At a meeting of the committee in charge of the Navy Island Bridge scheme this afternoon, Mr. F. W. Holt C. E., will give a final estimate of the plans and specifications. A letter will also be submitted from Mr. G. W. Volkman, vice president of McArthur Perks & Co., Ltd. of Ottawa, the Canadian branch of Sir Robert Perks's firm, stating that the bridge can probably be built for \$787,500.

At the time of Sir Robert's visit, Mr. Volkman was one of the party, and looked carefully into the bridge question with a view to his company at some future date, undertaking the work. Mr. Holt supplied him with all the data available. The following extract from a letter recently received by Mr. Holt, gives the result of his investigations.

Mr. Volkman's Letter. Mr. F. W. Holt, C.E., St. John, N. B. Dear Sir,—I regret the delay in replying to your letter of July 27th, which was due to my having been away from Ottawa.

I have looked carefully into your plans for the Navy Island Bridge and also the quantities and prices which you were good enough to send me. As regards the design I have not been able to go into any calculations as regards the strength of the various portions for the loads which will have to be carried, as I have been extremely busy on other matters. I have, however, checked all the quantities as shown in your drawings, with the exception of the iron work, which I have taken as being the same as those which you gave me.

I should not, of course, care to give a firm price for this work without going into the matter further on the ground and obtaining closer prices of the materials, etc., to be used, than I have been able to at present, but it seems to me on going through the figures that this work would cost at least \$700,000 without allowing any-

Y. M. C. A. CAMPERS ARE HAVING GREAT TIME

Seventy-four Boys With Their Twelve Leaders at Robinson's Point Enjoying Vacation to The Full.

The boys attending the Y. M. C. A. camp at Robinson's Point, Grand Lake, are having a most enjoyable outing, judging from the letters received by some of their parents in this city. Described in the limited, but none the less expressive language of boyhood—"It is great." "The swimming is great." "there is great stuff to eat every day." "they feel great," etc.

About seventy-five boys and twelve leaders are in attendance, and twelve sleeping tents are required as well as cooking and dining tents. Probably the most popular pastime, next to eating, is swimming. The boys are allowed to go in three times a day if they desire, and a stranger seeing them in their bare skin on the beach, might easily mistake them for a band of Indians, so tanned have they become from basking in the sun. A number are rapidly learning to swim.

Baseball matches between the members of the different tents are strenuously contested. Athletic meets are also held. Every night after tea the camp newspaper is read. It contains the general news of the camp, notices of coming events, baseball challenges, and jokes that can be appreciated only by those belonging to the camp. A day or two ago one of the boys fainted after pitching an exciting game of ball. It was some time before he was himself again. This is the only mishap of a serious nature that has occurred.

In the evening huge bonfires are lighted on the shore, and the night is made harmonious or otherwise by the hearty voices of the boys singing well known songs. All lights are out at an early hour.

The success of the camp is due to the wise management of the leader, Mr. Nicholson, who has had much experience in the work, and his good nature and hard working assistants. Special mention should be made in this connection of Mr. Cooley of Halifax who holds the all important position of chief cook.

PICNICKERS HAVE ENJOYABLE OUTING

St. Peter's and Holy Trinity's Annual Event Well Attended—No Accidents Mar The Day—The Committes.

The picnic of St. Peter's and Holy Trinity churches which through inclement weather was delayed since Tuesday, was held yesterday at Torryburn. Although the attendance was not quite as large as would have been the case had the picnic taken place on Tuesday, still a large crowd went out on the different trains and the affair was very successful. Capable committees looked after the different games and sports and the day passed off quietly without trouble of any kind. The following is a list of the committees: Swings, G. Murphy, D. Conlogue, A. Dever; Merry-Go-Round, G. McCluskey, F. DeGrasse, J. Bain, F. McDonald; Bowling alley, M. Minnehan, Wm. Driscoll; Bean board, John McDonald; Geo. Doherty, T. Gillen; Dolls on Fence, Roy Hansen, C. Hansen;

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PERSONALS

Mr. Tom H. Curry, ad-writer of Halifax, was in the city yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Tippet with their daughter Miss Hilda, are spending a few days' vacation at Baywater. Mr. Oswald S. Crockett, M. P., who was in the city yesterday on professional business, returned to Fredericton last evening. Mr. W. H. Harrison returned to the city last evening.

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New Lot of Frillings JUST OPENED FOR SATURDAY In Cords, Nets and Chiffons. In Pink, Sky, Cream, White, Black, Ecu. Separate Box of Ruching, 4 Frills to the Box, 15c., 20c., 25c. and 30c.; all white. All the New Things in Frilling.

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Opening of a New RoomIN OUR..... 1909 Annex Building We invite the Public to the Opening of the Second Floor in our new building, King St. On Friday Morning August 13th The entire Second Floor of this New Annex is to be devoted to the sale of LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S WEAR and has been fitted in the most modern style for the display of Lingerie, including Whitewear, Underwear, Corsets, Baby Linen, and every variety of goods usually found in a department of the kind. The floor space now occupied by this department exceeds two thousand superficial feet, being fully three times the size of the old department just vacated. In this connection we desire to return thanks to our patrons for their forbearance with the accommodations this department has offered for some time past, and to express our pleasure in now being in a position to wait upon our customers in a much more satisfactory manner. The entrance to the 1909 Annex will be by the old entrances on King Street or Germain Street. MANCHESTER ROBERTSON ALLISON, LTD.

HALIFAX IS EN FETE FOR CRACK OARSMAN Boat Clubs of North West Arm Illuminated for Champion—To Be Presented With \$500 By Citizens.

Special to The Standard. Halifax, Aug. 12.—A large crowd assembled on the banks of the North West Arm and many boats, canoes and other craft were afloat on its waters this evening when the various boat clubs united to give an illumination on this beautiful sheet of water in honor of John O'Neil, the new amateur champion single sculler of America. During the evening a display of fireworks added to the enjoyment. The new champion visited the boat-houses on the club, which were beautifully illuminated with electric lights arranged in pleasing designs. The citizens of Halifax are trying their utmost to prove their appreciation of the honor that O'Neil has brought to Halifax. The sum of \$500 is being subscribed to make a suitable presentation to the oarsman. Wheel of fortune, Leo Conlogue, T. Pope, H. Pierce. The icecream booth was in charge of Miss Sarah Lynch, assisted by ten young ladies. The refreshment committee were, Miss F. Tierney and Mrs. M. Gallivan. The grounds and ticket committee, Mr. J. P. O'Brien, Mr. Leo Conlogue, Mr. Thos. Gibbons, Mr. Daniel Doherty, M. P. Grimes, Mr. T. J. Phillips. The dining tables were in charge of Mrs. J. Dever and Mrs. J. Mullin.

It is a Boy. The many friends of Mrs. De Mill, of Berkeley, California, daughter of Chief Justice Barker, will be interested to learn that she has a son.