

Largest Afternoon Circulation in St. John THE EVENING TIMES

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LOUIS SMITH IS IN TWILIGHT OF LIFE

Well Known North End Resident Celebrated His 93rd Birthday on Monday Last --- Has had Long and Adventurous Career Ashore and Afloat.

Late in the twilight of an eventful life, Louis Smith, an old resident of St. John, recalls thrilling events of a varied career on land and sea, some of which are as vivid in his mind as when they occurred.

The next and probably the most thrilling experience of his whole sea-faring life was in the fall gale ship Coronet, owned by the Thomsons of St. John.

On several occasions he has been shipwrecked and had some narrow escapes. He was not quite clear as to what exactly he had in his first experience of the kind was in the ship Massachusetts, owned by the West Indies, but all hands were saved without much trouble.

HELD ON A VERY SERIOUS CHARGE

MONCTON, N. B., August 25 (Special)—There was considerable excitement in Buctouche yesterday over the preliminary examination of Fabian P. Gallant, a well-to-do resident of that town, who was arrested a week ago on the serious charge of committing an assault on a young woman.

OTTAWA WILL SEND CREW TO COMPETE IN THE BIG MIDDLE STATES REGATTA

OTTAWA, Ont., Aug. 25 (Special)—Ottawa is going to compete in the big Middle States regatta at Washington, D. C., on Labor Day. The senior four of the Ottawa Rowing Club, Messrs. Pufford, Phillips, Fennell and Haycock, have forwarded their entry and will leave on Friday next for the American capital.

COLLINS ADMITS HIS GUILT BUT HE WILL SAY NOTHING OF MURDER

The suspect Collins, who was arrested last night near St. George, will be brought to the city today. He admits his identity, but will say nothing that will throw light on the New Ireland tragedy.

ALBERT IS PLEASED

A telephone message from Edin, Albert county, to police headquarters at 7:30 this morning asked if the capture had been made, and expressed much pleasure when informed that Collins was in the custody of St. John officers and would be brought to this city today.

GOOD WORK OF POLICE

The news of Collins' capture was not generally circulated in St. John until the appearance of this morning's papers, but rumors were flying about all yesterday afternoon and an especially persistent one about six o'clock had him captured at St. George.

GOVERNMENT WILL CONTINUE THE RESTRICTIVE MEASURES

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 25.—The attention of the military authorities has been drawn to the service uniform of the American army and its qualities of serviceability and invisibility are greatly admired.

A LIVELY SCENE IN POLICE COURT

There was considerable excitement in court this morning when Mrs. Myers, Schwartz and Mrs. Silver aired their grievances before the police magistrate.

MRS. LANGTRY LOSES VOICE

NEW YORK, Aug. 25.—A cable despatch to an American paper from London says Mrs. Langtry, the actress, has suffered an entire loss of voice, which is due to nervous shock.

THE TIMES NEW REPORTER

Mr. Peter Binks bought some Canadian Marconi stock at 11-8 to 2, he took a day off to count his profits and figure out how he could invest them for the benefit of St. John.

SCANDALOUS INSINUATION

The statement that Supt. Murdoch of the water department, has permitted aid to get into his pipes is repudiated by every member of St. Andrew's Society, and of Clan Mackenzie. They declare that no true Scot would permit aid to prevent the circulation of liquid in his pipes, and that the charge bears malice on the face of it.

TRAIN AUDITORS ARE IN TROUBLE

Lady Passenger on I. C. R. Pullman Accuses One of the Train Auditors of Insulting Her---The Matter Has Been Reported to L. B. Archibald the Superintendent.

MONCTON, Aug. 25 (Special)—The "train auditors" have got into more trouble with passengers on the I. C. R., and the matter has been reported by the train officials to their superior officers.

BANK CHANGES

Some changes are announced to be made in the Royal Bank staff here. Mr. Haliburton has been promoted and sent to the Fredericton branch, while Mr. Johnson, of Fredericton, comes to Moncton.

CALLED ON GIRL MET BY POLICE

NEW YORK, Aug. 25.—Locked up at police headquarters is a young girl charged with the larceny of \$5,000 worth of diamonds several months ago.

FOUND CHICKENS IN EGG SHIPMENT

TORONTO, Ont., Aug. 25 (Special)—A freight chucker at the G. T. B. freight sheds, while superintending the transhipment of eggs forwarded as local freight from London, found strange sounds issuing from one of the crates and on opening it found two little chickens and the broken shells from which they had just hatched.

WILL FAREWELL TOMORROW

Lieut-Colonel and Mrs. Sharp have received their farewell orders from Commissioner Coombs and will leave their farewell meetings in old No. 1 barracks on Monday.

GOOD BYE TO HOLIDAYS FOR THE ACTIVE SCHOOL WORK BEGINS ON MONDAY

The city schools will reopen on Monday next after nine weeks' vacation. The expectation is that the attendance will be fully up to the average, if not greater than usual.

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THE NEW "PETER PAN" BELT. SHIPPING

A big lot of them on sale now at popular prices. This is the belt which fastens in the back or the front as the wearer wishes.

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Financial and Commercial

CHECK IN MOVEMENT AND PRICES IRREGULAR

The Action of the Money Market Gives Pause to the Speculators--Money Market Conditions--Discussing Gold Imports.

(New York Herald, Thursday). There was a further curtailment in business yesterday on the Stock Exchange...

CHARACTER OF THE TRADING. The irregular course of prices, together with the declines of previous days, has naturally checked the enthusiasm of the market...

SPECULATIVE SENTIMENT. Generally speaking, the board sentiment is bullish, and the reaction in prices is explained in the theory that the underlying by pools has checked an indiscriminate movement of the public...



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About fifty years ago the commander of a squadron blockading the mouth of the Mississippi, notified the war department at Washington that he had offered \$25,000 to permit a cotton laden vessel to pass out to sea unmolested.

His name? Well, it is forgotten. The world don't like to remember such men. His breed is extinct. It has been exterminated, just as the buffalo has been exterminated to make room for the potato bug and other pests of his character.

Polard loaded his pipe. Said he, "Justice is a farce from position, but Merit is the street corner peanut vendor and the milk peddler are Rockefeller and Armour in embryo; it is only the want of opportunity that keeps them out of America's hall of fame."

REAL ESTATE IN SASKATOON. Edmonton Paper Speaks of Values--St. John People Heavy Investors.

The Edmonton Journal in a recent issue says: Real estate in Saskatoon is booming these days and people are investing large sums in the town. A block in the vicinity of Twenty-Third street on First avenue, was sold for \$20,000.

Table with columns: PORT OF ST. JOHN, VESSELS BOUND FOR ST. JOHN, Steamers, Annapolis, Liverpool, Aug. 18, Prangeline, 147, London, Aug. 19, etc.

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Royal Household Flour Best for Bread & Pastry

THE OGILVIE FLOUR MILLS CO. LTD. MONTREAL. OPENS St. John Exhibition SEPT. 1st. CLOSES SEPT. 8th.

Lodging Bureau opens Monday morning, August 27th, on the First Floor Canada Permanent Block, cor. Market Square and Prince William Street.

Wanted-- TWENTY-FIVE SPECIAL POLICE. Apply to W. W. CLARK, Chief of Police.

Season Tickets-- Sale of Season Tickets, 13 admissions for \$1.00, stops August 30th. Buy one now and save money. After Aug. 30th nothing but regular tickets--Prices, Adults 15c--will be on sale.

Exhibitors-- All Exhibitors must have their Booths completed not later than Saturday, September 1st, at 6 p. m. Labor is scarce and it will pay Exhibitors to complete their Booths AT ONCE and avoid the rush.

OUR FALL STOCK OF Men's Furnishings Arrive. It will be but a very short time until the fall chill will be in the air, and then you will be scurrying around looking for such necessities as Fall Underwear, Top Shirts, Sweaters, Heavier Socks, Fall Hats and Caps, and of course men, and boys too, are always interested in neat and dressty ties, good-fitting collars, and all the little fixtures that add so much to one's comfort.

- OUR FALL STOCK IS COMPLETE IN THESE LINES. Fall Underwear, 50c. to \$2.50 Each. White Dress Shirts, 50c. to 1.50 Each. Colored Shirts, stiff bosom, 75c. to 1.00 Each.

J. N. HARVEY, 199 to 207 UNION STREET, OPERA HOUSE BLOCK.

DEATHS. PETERS--At her residence, 22 Wright street, on the 24th inst., Lieut. E. G. G. Peters, the late Edward B. Peters, of the late 10th Regiment, 13th Maine, died at 1.30 o'clock, from St. Paul's (Vallay) church.

TO DOUBLE OUTPUT (Montreal Witness). It was announced on Thursday that the management of the Canadian Rubber Co. has decided on extensive improvement to their plant, situated in the east end of the city.

MARINE NOTES. The schooner Matilda, Capt. DePrie, is at the wharf of the steamer Agosta at Louisbourg, loading for Halifax.

CONDENSED ADVERTISEMENTS. WANTED--ONE CHAMBERMAID, TWO kitchen girls, one waitress. Apply at once, GRAND UNION HOTEL. 8-24-06.

WANTED--SALESLADY, ALSO AN ASSISTANT MILLINER, at J. K. STORBY'S 8-24-06.

WANTED--A WOMAN OR A GOOD GIRL to assist with housework. Apply at 8 o'clock in the evening at No. 10 German street. 8-24-06.

WANTED--SIX BRIGHT YOUNG LADIES to act as ticket sellers during exhibition. Apply to MEYER COHEN, on "The Pike," Monday, 10 a. m. 8-24-06.

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Circulation of The Times.

Week Ending Aug. 18th, 1906.

Table showing circulation figures for Monday through Saturday, with a total of 42,532 and a daily average of 7,089.

STAND BY THE PORT

The Sun is not speaking by the book when it credits the Times with complete satisfaction with conditions at the Sand Point berths.

RECIPROCITY

A recent despatch from Victoria, B. C., suggests a limitless possibility of the effect that a widely circulated report creating two wealthy Chinese residents with having secured control of a Victoria newspaper, to fight the \$500 head-tax, in order to secure the entry into Canada of an army of cheap labor from the orient.

HALIFAX DOES WELL

The supervised playground which Miss Marshall Saunders and other members of the Women's Council in Halifax succeeded in establishing for the holiday season this year, proved so successful that there can be little doubt regarding the future of this work for the children in that city.

a very interesting address, made these thoughtful observations, that of much wider application than to the city of Halifax.

"The great majority of school houses have stood empty and useless many hours out of the twenty-four, besides in vacation time remaining with locked doors during the entire twenty-four. Why not make these buildings a real advantage to the people of the neighborhood?"

Replying to the Pope's recent encyclical M. Clemenceau, French minister of the interior, has issued a circular to all prefects to seek rigorously all educational religious establishments which have remained open or have reopened, despite the laws of July 1, 1901, and July 7, 1904.

The Liberals of Nelson, B. C., have named as one of their candidates for the provincial legislature a native of this province, Mr. J. Fred Hime, ex-minister of mines for British Columbia.

RECENT DEATHS

Miss Harriet Peters, a prominent member of the Women's Council, died yesterday afternoon at her home, 22 Wright street, after an illness of some months' duration. She was a daughter of the late Edwin Peters, and therefore a grandchild of the late Attorney-General Peters.

Rufus L. Wilson, a well known resident of Carleton, died quite suddenly at his residence, 102 King street, on Friday. Mr. Wilson had been troubled with heart failure for about four years, and took a bad turn Thursday night, and he never recovered.

Mrs. Catherine, widow of Patrick Lombard, died at the residence of her son, 31 Brooks street, yesterday morning. She was a native of St. John's (Nfld.), and is survived by two sons and three daughters.

Sackville, Aug. 24.—The death of Mrs. Chas. Thompson, of Upper Sackville, occurred yesterday, aged sixty-nine years. Besides a husband, three sons survive—Harry, of Stellerton (N. S.); Arthur, a successful medical practitioner at Newton (Mass.); and Douglas Thompson, D. D. S., of the same city.

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THE MOUNTAIN GOD

By Florence Wilkinson, in the September McClure's. There is a mountain god, they say, who dwells Remote, untouched by prayers or temple bells; A god irrevocably who compels The hidden fountains and the secret wells Upward and outward from their cloistered cells; He calls them, calls them, all the lustrous day, And not one rippling child dare disobey. There a god who dwells within your eyes Like that veiled god of mountain mystery.

IN LIGHTER VEIN

REJECTED SOAP. Lady—"Did the natives like the perfumed soap I sent them?" Returned Missionary—"No, madam, they hit into it, and threw it away." Detroit Free Press.

HER QUALIFICATIONS. An applicant for the post of mistress in a country school was asked: "What is your position with regard to the whipping of children?" She replied: "My usual position is on a chair, with the child held firmly across my knees, face downward."—Banal World.

OUGH TO SUIT. "Does your new chauffeur give satisfaction?" "Yes; I think we are going to be very well pleased with him. He ran over two people yesterday and managed both times to get away before anybody discovered our number."—Pittsburgh Dispatch.

THE TIME OF THE TROUBLE. "I always pitied Adam and Eve for being driven out of Eden in such insufficient clothing, just as winter was beginning." "How do you know it was winter?" "Why, it was just after the fall, wasn't it?"—Cleveland Leader.

HUMOR OF THE HOUR. "John," said the wife, gently, "you are interested in temperance movements, are you not?" "Of course I am," he answered. "Well, suppose you go and make a few of them at the pump handle. I was a pair of water once."—Smith's Weekly.

RATHER ROUGH. Above the stairway there flickered a candle and then a deep voice called from the shadows: "Katherine, Katherine. Who is that sandpapering the wall this hour of the night?" "No one down here, father, dear. I guess it must be next door." The candle vanished and then from the gloom of the parlor: "George, you big goose. I told you never to call on me unless you had been shaved."—Chicago News.

SOME INTERESTING NEWS FROM MAINE

Miss Sara Cogswell, daughter of Capt. and Mrs. Albert Cogswell of Calais, was united in marriage Wednesday evening, Aug. 22, with Charles Gilmore of Milltown, N. B. by Rev. A. J. Padelford. The bride was gowned in champagne silk and carried a bouquet of white carnations. She was attended by her sister, Miss Carrie Cogswell, who wore white chiffon over pale green taffeta, and carried pink carnations. William Gopher of Milltown, N. B. was groomsmen. Following the ceremony a reception was held. Mr. and Mrs. Gilmore will make their home in Milltown, N. B. The bride was the recipient of many beautiful presents in silver, cut glass and bric-a-brac.

A pleasant surprise was caused in Brewer by the announcement of the marriage of Bertie Leslie Higgins, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Edward Higgins to Miss Annie Rita Roma, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Roma of Dartmouth, N. S. Mr. Higgins and his bride went to Northport in a carriage and visited Mr. Higgins' family who were summering there, and when the happy couple returned to Brewer they displayed a marriage certificate to the many surprised, but happy friends.

VERY FINE SKATER

Miss Darling Gives Wonderful Exhibition of Fancy Roller Skating in Victoria Rink. A big crowd attended the Victoria rink last night to witness the exhibition of Miss Jessie Darling, of Providence. A large number enjoyed a skate previous to this event. About 9:30 Miss Darling made her appearance attired in a pink costume and as she glided around the rink she was heartily applauded. She gave as her first feat the cross roll, then the music step, following with the cut off, long rolls, outer and inner edge forward and back; five different styles of waltzing; single foot, three styles; promenade and return forward and back; promenade cut off, Philadelphia twist, flying mercury, crossed foot turn, heel and toe, grape vine single and double; figure eight, serpentine and clefting with the locomotive hop. It would be difficult to particularize, but the grape vine which was done flat footed—a feat seldom accomplished by fancy skaters—was very attractive. The different styles of waltzing also evoked applause. The serpentine and figure eight, flying mercury and locomotive hop came in for favorable comment. The latter is a most difficult act. The exhibition from the first held the closest attention of all. Miss Darling will give an exhibition this afternoon and again tonight.

DAMAGED BY WATER

Just received 120 dozen COTTON STOCKINGS, slightly damaged by water on steamer. Ladies' Plain Seamless, Fast Black, 10c and 15c. Children's Ribbed, Fast Black. Sizes 7 1/2, 7 3/4, 8, 8 1/2, 9, 9 1/2, 10c pair. Less than wholesale prices.

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We offer you during the closing days of this August sale—dependable, splendid furniture at the cost of making and selling. This big sale will end on Friday next. Don't miss this opportunity.

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An Old Fashioned Dinner.

Green Corn, Green Peas, Wax Beans, Carrots, Beets, Turnips, Cauliflower, New Cabbage, Tomatoes, Cucumbers, Sweet Potatoes, Celery, Lettuce, Radishes. J. E. QUINN, City Market. Telephone 636

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COLLINS CAPTURED LAST EVENING; A BOONY RIVER MAN PUT POLICE ON TRACK

Thomas J. Collins, the New Ireland murder suspect, was captured yesterday afternoon near Lee Settlement, twelve miles from St. George.

During the morning the detective had been active in what is known as the lower district of that section of the county.

At 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon, near Lee Settlement, twelve miles from St. George, a man answering to the description of the alleged slayer of Miss Macaulay was taken into custody.

There was an unconfirmed rumor last night that he had made a confession.

Today it is expected that Detective Killen and the prisoner will reach the city.

Those comprising the party at the time of the arrest were Detective Killen, Marshall MacAdams, Frank George, P. A. Sullivan, of the Boony River Hotel, Frank Kehoe, James Hill and Walter Burbank.

A shot was fired, but it was directed toward the sky. Apparently, however, it served the purpose well, for Collins dropped as if from sheer fright and permitted himself to be taken without offering any objection.

The following particulars were telephoned from St. George last night: On Thursday night it will be remembered that a stranger resembling Collins was seen on the road by Lake Utopia by T. R. Sheraton.

It was soon after leaving that he was seen and recognized by T. A. Sullivan, of the Boony River Hotel, who was driving a party of lady tourists.

The detective and Marshall MacAdams did not wait for a second invitation. The twelve miles was covered in fifty minutes.

TWO MEN AND A WOMAN AND LOVELY INGONISH

Which Tells How Commodore Stewart and W. Frank Hatheway Saw the Place, the Lady they Met--The Millionaire American's Domain--The Glorious Scenery.

Few provincial writers can equal Commodore Stewart of the Chatham World in racy descriptive letters.

"Let us go up to Ingonish," said a friend to me at Redwood as they sat at the table in the dining room.

"I had never heard of Ingonish, but I agreed to go, and my friend said he would find out when the boat left all about it."

"And he did, and the only definite information he could get was that the boat left at seven o'clock Friday morning and returned when the weather permitted."

"I noticed a lady passenger who was somewhat out of tune with her surroundings. Was she going to Ingonish alone, to view the scenery? No, was she going home from Boston or somewhere else on a summer visit? If so, she wasn't one of the usual travellers of that class."

"As we steamed past Sydney Mines and the headlands beyond, on our northward way, discussing the scenery and the prospects of a big sea coming up with the east wind."

"And very beautiful, wonderfully picturesque is Ingonish. Smoky Head, with its granite feet in the deep water, and its sides clothed with stunted fir, nine hundred feet high, guards the southern entrance to the bay."

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stream, and this is the entrance to the little bay under the overhanging hills. There is a lighthouse, embankment to prevent the washing of the sand into the channel, and no fewer than three government wharves inside, at two of which our steamer touched. Two great guides, or canoes, thrust themselves into the mouth of the little river flows into the basin.

And we are like these as strangers, but, thanks to the lady who was with me, we were welcomed by her people, and were invited to dinner after she had explained to them that it was no matter whether they were prepared or not, that "the gentlemen were nice, and only wanted to see the place."

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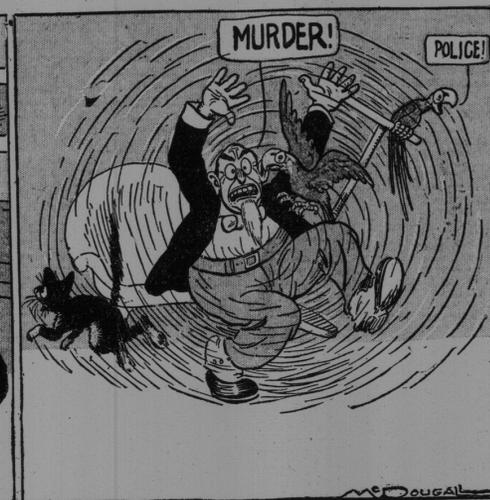
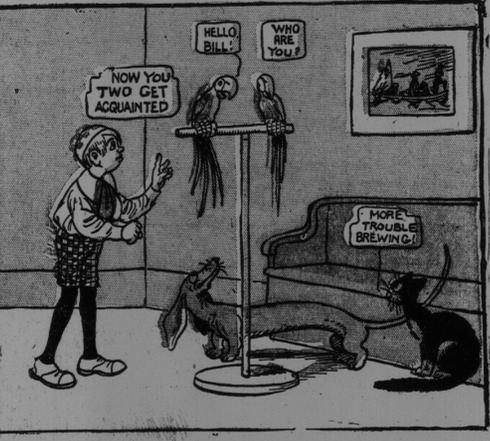
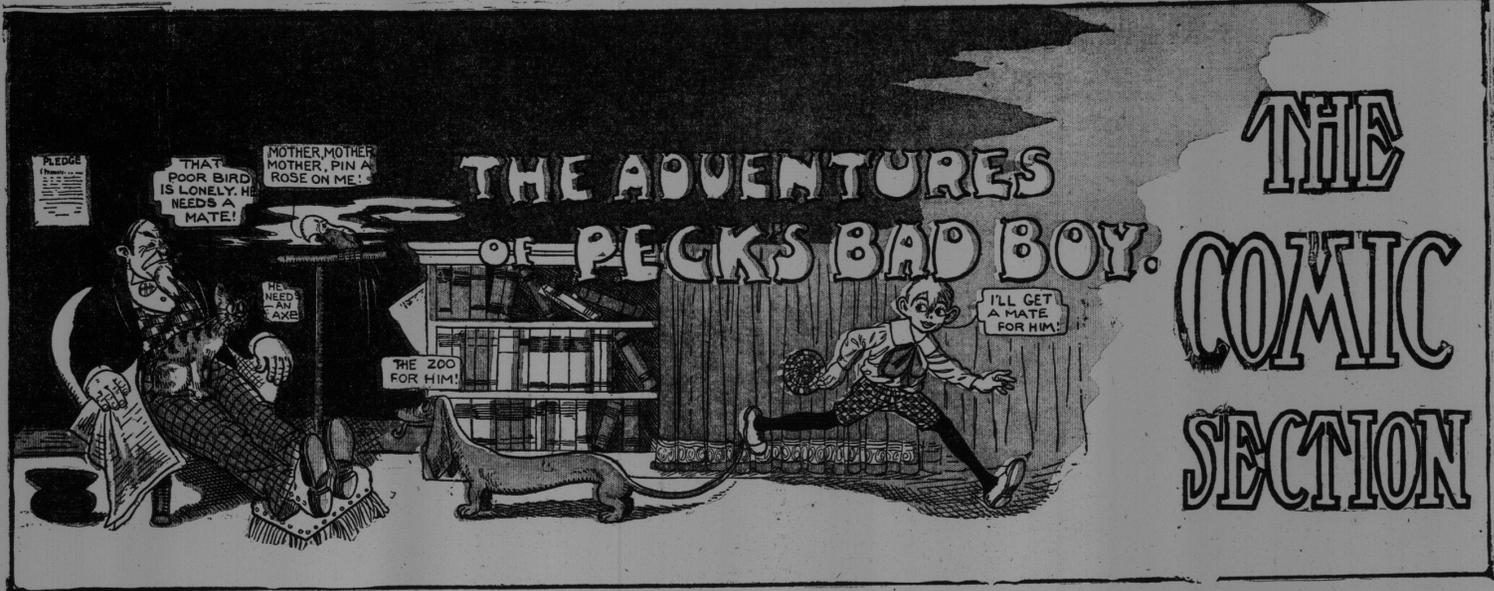
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AUTUMN SUGGESTIONS OF PARIS TRIMMINGS

(By Nina Fitch). PARIS, Aug. 18.—Somebody writes: "Please tell us of autumn and winter trimmings..."

Paris, great milliners and dress-makers betake themselves likewise to some summer resting place, where new secrets are sought out in chaste privacy...

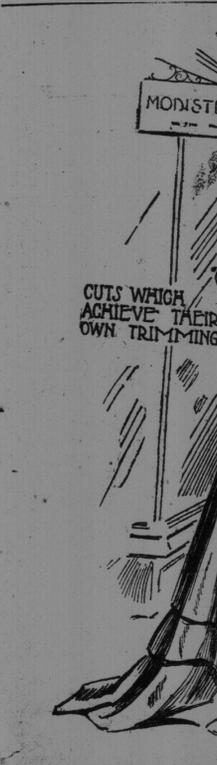
tricks of Paris know that they have only to inquire to obtain the name of some millinery conjurer of note.

entirely in knit pleats. A large hat, in Louis XVI. genre, of black tulle and paradise plumes, crowned the stunning set-up.

brooches, and on a threadlike chain of the same, of inconceivable delicacy, are strung large jet beads alternating with small diamonds in pure white.



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NOTICE OF SALE. NOTICE is hereby given that by virtue of a Power of Sale contained in an indenture of Mortgage...

EQUITY SALE. THERE will be sold at Public Auction, at the Court House (so called), in the City of Saint John, at the hour of twelve o'clock (noon) on Saturday the thirteenth day of October next...

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ART AND COMMON SENSE. (New York Times). Excessive common-sense. There is a great deal of loose talk about the subject by persons who have not taken the trouble to ascertain the great facts.

YOUR PAINFUL CORN. What it wants is the soothing attention of Putnam's Corn Extractor, which lifts out every root and branch in short order.

Best informed authorities on the situation in Maine estimate that the total 1906 pack to date is between 40,000 and 50,000 cases short of the total number to this date last year.



OUR TWENTIETH CENTURY CANADA

New Glimpses of the West Through Eastern Eyes, by Frank Yeigh, Toronto.

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Let us talk of the mountains for a time—our vast Canadian ranges, mighty, majestic, far-spread, from the boundary line of a neighbor country to the sky line of the northern horizon. For we have more things in Canada to grow eloquent over than men and wheat and railways and prairie, and water powers, and divided trade, we possess one of the grandest mountain countries in the world.

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From God's plains to God's hills. The transition from the rolling sea of fertile lands to the rolling sea of mountains is dramatic in the extreme, especially as seen from the high perch look-out of the engineer. It is an acrobatic feat in itself to climb into the cab of a modern Mogul locomotive, but once there, and tucked away in a corner, the amateur engineer feels as if he were able to look down upon all creation. One feels too as if he were a part of the mighty monster as it thrives with its life of steam and whistles and its song as it gallops away the curving miles. A race horse on wheels but look! there's a race horse on legs, for a Shony Indian, mounted on a sturdy little steed is galloping madly into Morley Station to meet the approaching train. Where! but the heads of the horses do fly over the wheels, bearing his red burden as lightly as a child. It is a half mile course along the track, and with the wind that plays upon the pasture hills of the Bow Valley, the Indian speeds—and wina! and we in the engine rejoice in his victory.

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the mountain sides to Cougar Mountain and its marble caverns. On the way we started pheasants and grouse, marmots and porcupines—everything but bears, though it is their special habitat. At last we reached the cavern world, where Cougar Creek, soon after being freed from a glacier, plunges into a black hole in the mountain side, its exit being as yet unknown.

Deutscher—he who discovered the caves—has been appointed official guide, and to his tender mercies I committed my way and my humble self. Equipped with lamps and ropes and surplus candles in case of accident, we were soon under way, literally as well as metaphorically, the initial cavern having a straight descent eight ledgers long, followed by several others laid horizontally over immense pot holes filled to the brim with ice cold water. I know it to be ice cold for I slipped into one of them. One cannot begin to describe a taste of this, and I am sure that no Canadian cave would be so cold as this.

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HONORABLE JOHN COSTIGAN

New Brunswick's "Grand Old Man" comes out strongly in favor of "Fruit-a-tives."

Who has not heard of the Honorable John Costigan? He is to-day one of the most powerful, as well as one of the oldest, figures in Canadian politics. He was one of Sir John Macdonald's ablest lieutenants, and for nearly 30 years held various portfolios in the cabinet.

Today at the age of 71, he is the idol of the electors of New Brunswick, and a power to be reckoned with in Parliament.

His rugged eloquence—biting sarcasm—and ready repartee—make him at once the dread of his opponents and the delight of his conferees.

When a public man of the Hon. John Costigan's position voluntarily testifies to the marvelous cure effected by "Fruit-a-tives," it is bound to carry convincing weight with the whole Canadian people.



OSWATA, Ont., 233 Cooper St., Jan. 8th, 1906.

You know what fearful trouble I have had all my life from constipation. I have been a dreadful sufferer from chronic constipation for over thirty years and I have been treated by many physicians and I have taken many kinds of proprietary medicines without any benefit whatever. I took a pill for a long time which was prescribed by the late Dr. C. M. Church, of Ottawa. Also for many months I took a pill prescribed by Dr. A. P. Rogers, of Ottawa. Nothing seemed to do me any good. Finally I was advised by Dr. Rogers to try "Fruit-a-tives" and after taking them for a few months I feel I am completely well from this horrible complaint. I have had no trouble with this complaint now for a long time, and I can certainly state that "Fruit-a-tives" is the only medicine I ever took that did me any positive good for constipation. I can conscientiously recommend "Fruit-a-tives" to the public as, in my opinion, it is the finest medicine ever produced.

(Signed) JOHN COSTIGAN.

Was ever medicine put to a severer test than this? Here was a great Public Official, who had suffered for more than 30 years with Chronic Constipation. The leading physicians of Ottawa prescribed for him without affording any permanent relief. Finally, as a last resort, "Fruit-a-tives" were ordered. And in THREE MONTHS, Mr. Costigan WAS WELL.

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AN OLD NOTION

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Pete the Peddler or A Boy's Start in Life



CHAPTER II.

Miser Mims was the last person the boy Pete would have turned to for help or advice, and his astonishment was great at the kindly words of the old man. People had said that he had no heart for the misfortunes of others, and that he would pinch the face off a cent, but those who talked the hardest against him knew him the best.



"IF I COULD FIND A CERTAIN OLD TRUNK."

"Yes, sir." "Then, of course, you can read and write and figure. If you were trustee with a secret do you think you could keep it?" "I might have told it to my mother, but she is dead now. I don't think I could look to me like a boy who talks too much, and I'm going to trust you. People around here think that I have no other business than to lend money. When I am gone for days at a time they think I am lending to the farmers or collecting my interest. I am doing nothing of the kind. I am not a rich man, though I would be if I could find a certain old trunk. In that trunk are papers showing that I am legally entitled to half a million acres of pine lands in this State and in the State of Michigan, besides water privileges and stone quarries. When I lost the papers a lot of speculators stepped in and claim the whole thing, and I cannot beat them in law until I have my proofs."

"And how did you lose your trunk?" "In sending it by express it was misdirected and went to another town. After sixty days it was sold at auction. I did not learn of this for months. All they could tell me was that the man who bid it off seemed to be a farmer and they thought he lived in this part of the State. I have traveled through six counties on foot and made inquiries, but I have not been able to hear of it—the old trunk."

up in business, and no one must know that I am hunting for that trunk. When you ask about it you must be very cautious. The speculators know that I lost my papers, but they don't know how, and I don't want them to know. The papers are at the bottom of the trunk, with a false bottom over it, and the man who has it doesn't know about them. The outside of the trunk is covered with calfskin with the hair on it, and on the lid is a star made of brass-headed tacks."

Miser Mims and the boy talked for an hour longer, and then things were settled. They were to go over to Johnsonville next day and make ready for the boy's start, and that was what happened. Pete told Mr. Clark and others that he thought he could find something to do over there, and he was a mile on his way when overtaken by Miser Mims. The first thing was to go to a store and buy a stout outfit for Pete, from hat to shoes. Mr. Mims did not seek to beat down the price. Then they bought a trunk, and, going to a dry-goods store, they stocked it with articles of trade. The merchant was told that Pete was an orphan and he made the prices very low and spoke many encouraging words. He knew Mr. Mims well, and he did not look down on him because of his old age.

The two put up at a hotel for the night, and after supper the miser showed Pete a map of that part of the State, with all the highways marked thereon, and said: "Now, here we are, at Johnsonville. You will take this road leading to Jonesville, which is sixty miles away. It will take you a week to reach it. When you have reached that city you will travel ten miles west and return by this other road. It will take you fifteen or sixteen days to make the round trip. By that time you will need more goods."

"You may meet some bad tramps on the road," said Mr. Mims, "and it would be well for you to carry a stout cudgel to defend yourself. On your next trip perhaps you will have a pistol. New to bed, and an early start in the morning." (To be continued.)

HOW THE TEMPERATURE WAS ADJUSTED.

BY SARAH NOBLE IVES.

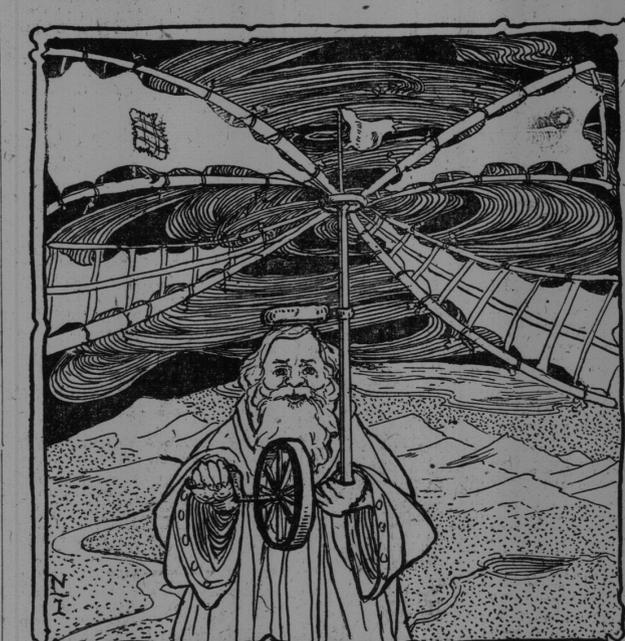
About the time that the Head Apprentice was setting the Water System, he had another big problem forced upon him. It grew out of the same situation—the gradual cooling of the Earth's surface. Although the Earth had ceased to be so scorching hot, there really was no cool weather anywhere. Somehow or other, the temperature must be arranged before any decorating and embellishment of the world could be attempted.

Now, there was still plenty of heat, so much that the Atlantic and Pacific oceans boiled all around the edges, and the Head Apprentice grew a little impatient and wanted to hurry up the cooling process. So he made a wonderful machine—the most marvelous one ever known. In a few minutes he had the hot weather, and as fast as he could pile it in it would come out of the other end away down to zero.

At first he caught a terrible cold from being exposed to these extremes of heat and cold, and it settled on his lungs and nearly finished him before he had finished the Earth. Then he betrough himself of an old weatherproof coat that he had packed away, and he fished it out and put it on, and it saved him.

The cold weather machine was located near the Equator, to which it was firmly roped, with the ends pointing North and South. Into the North and he stuffed the hot weather, and he poured out the hot weather toward the South. The first thing the Head Apprentice knew the South Pole was from so hard that the ball bearings were spoiled, and it got so brittle that it cracked off in little bits, and that is why the explorers of to-day never can find it. The Earth shivered so at that end that she lost her balance and her orbit got bent, and it never since has been a perfect circle.

The Head Apprentice began to be frightened, and he picked up his machine in a panic, whirled it around and pointed it the other way, with the result that the North Pole froze up, too. It looked as if the hot weather was going to be destroyed, for it was now running into the machine without any effect. There was no time to be lost. Breaking off a tall mountain peak, he brought it down with a thundering crash on the cold weather machine, and it smashed into a thousand pieces. This terrific disturbance generated an immense amount of heat, and that went rolling around the Equator at such a tremendous rate that it made the head of the Head Apprentice swim.



HE MADE A CRANK THAT HE COULD TURN WITH HIS HANDS.

such a tremendous rate that it made the head of the Head Apprentice swim. He got his wits collected after a while and faced the situation calmly. His machine was broken, the cold weather was all at the Poles and the heat at the Equator. In between there was a great empty space without anything at all. To go from the Poles to the Equator was as abrupt a change as to eat ice cream and drink hot coffee immediately after. Some way must be devised to get the heat and cold mixed together in the empty spaces of the Earth's surface.

After much deliberation he made a mill. It was a windmill to look at, with great sails hundreds of miles long. The only trouble with it was that in those days there was no wind to turn the mill. He couldn't run it by steam, for the gentleman who invented the steam engine had not been born. The Head Apprentice soon saw that he must run the thing himself. So he made a crank that he could turn with his hands. Then he set the mill on his head, and proceeded to take a little trip around the world midway between the North Pole and the Equator.

As he walked he ground merrily away at a crank and sang loudly to cover up his real anxiety. It was easier, of course, to move with the motion of the Earth's roll, so he started off toward the West. The sails of his mill caught the hot air on one side and the cold on the other. As they revolved a mixture was formed—the loveliest balmy air you ever heard of—neither too hot nor too cold, but just right exactly.

He named this region the North Temperate Zone. Now he had made one mistake, and that was in walking with the direction of the Earth's roll. His rapid gait and the whirl of the sails made the Earth spin faster, and the Head Apprentice became so dizzy that he grew lightheaded. Pretty soon he lost his footing, and began to slip and faster he went; his brain began to whirl and things turned black. He had all but lost consciousness when he thought of a very simple thing. Why not turn around and go the other way? With a mighty effort he whirled himself and started East. When presto, change! His movement began to counteract the whirling of the Earth. Things grew calm and gentle, and finally came to a dead calm, so that the Head Apprentice fell asleep and took a hard-earned rest of several years.

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lamps. They lighted the house with candles. There were three in the dining-room, two were on the mantel and one stood on the dining table. Annie could not get the dress without a light, or, if she could, she certainly did not wish to. Annie looked at the candle on the table. It seemed a very simple and easy matter to pick up the pretty porcelain candlestick and carry it by its handle to the closet in which the new dress hung. Annie did this with a long, thin, in a moment she was skipping in her usual way, while the candle hopped about, the flame dipped and struggled and the melting wax left a row of drops that looked like pearl buttons on the carpet.

Annie opened the closet door and held the candle inside. A moment later there was a smell of burning wool. Annie set the candle down on the bedroom floor and caught the skirt of the dress together in her hands, not because she knew what to do, but because she felt she must do something, and by some queer chance did the best thing. Fortunately, she was not hurt. The fire went out easily, but the pretty new dress was ruined. An ugly hole with ragged, scorched edges disfigured the middle of the front, just where it would be seen most.

Annie liked to sit up as late as her mother would permit. Mrs. Baker returned soon, expecting to find her wide awake and dancing, as usual. The candles stood where she had left them. A pile of clothes lay in the middle of the floor. The door leading to Annie's bedroom was ajar. Mrs. Baker took a light and went softly to the bedside of the little girl. Annie did not move. Her mother thought she was asleep and kissed her softly before returning to the dining room, where she sat by the fire mending and singing in a low voice.

Annie, miserable and wide awake, rubbed with her fingers the spot where her mother's kiss had fallen. "I don't serve to keep it," she said, in low whisper, the melody her mother was singing seemed to her mournful beyond hearing. She cried and cried. By and by she could endure her sorrow no longer. Soon, then, there was a soft rushing of

bare feet over the carpet. Annie upset the mending basket and ran into her mother's arms, sobbing heart-brokenly. Mrs. Baker held her close, smoothing her hair tenderly. "What is it? Have you dreamed a bad dream? Have you been afraid?" "I'm afraid—I'm afraid you'll die, mamma," little Annie sobbed out. "You'll die and go away—because—because—Oh, I'm such a naughty—such a naughty, bad—but I wish I didn't."

"You must, indeed, have dreamed," Mrs. Baker said. "Do not be afraid about me. I am always well. I think I may live until you become a sweet old woman and your little curls have all turned gray." "It just wasn't asleep; I was just awake. My eyes got, ashamed, went to hide in the bed. My eyes couldn't look at your eyes, mamma. I guess I don't want any pretty little plum colored velvet cape; I—I guess I don't."

MR. SPARROW'S REPLY.



"Poor man," said kindly Mrs. Wren. "Do have a good wash now."

LITTLE ANNIE AND THE PLUM-COLORED DRESS.



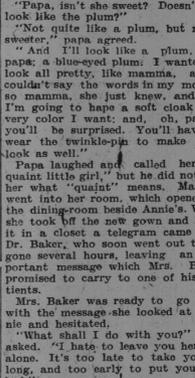
BY CLARISSA DIXON.

Little Annie Baker was fond of pretty things. Her big blue eyes were always in search of wide skies, bright light, splendid color. She thought her mother's face the most beautiful in the world, and she liked to see it in a setting of pretty dresses.

One day when Annie had been looking at a collection of pictures she laid them down and said: "Mamma, if you had a dress the color of that plum, you know, the plum I wouldn't eat, the one I kepted to look at, you would make pictures all shamed. Won't you have a dress the color of that plum?" Mrs. Baker laughed gaily and said: "I'm going to see Madame Amelle to-day and you may go along if you will keep quiet and sit in your chair."

"I can't ever be still, but may be the lady with the scissors'll let me stay on her step while you go in." "I think she will not send you outside unless you upset her spool-basket." Annie was soon bounding and dancing along the street beside her mother.

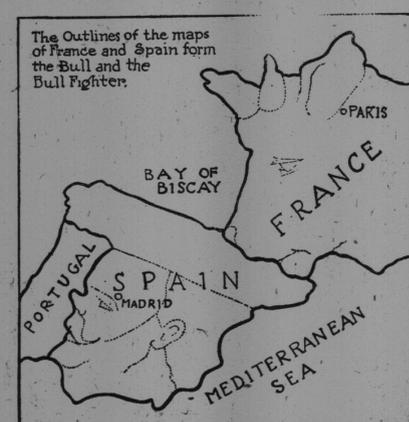
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Here are five pieces which, when put together, should form a perfect cross.

Try this, and if you find it too hard refer to the solution in the child's left hand.

A FUNNY GEOGRAPHICAL LIKENESS.



The Outlines of the maps of France and Spain form the Bull and the Bull Fighter.

SCARED THE SPECULATORS.

No doubt hundreds of our merchants still remember the great boom of copper some thirty years ago. Oliver Ditson, the then famous music publisher, was knee-deep in it. A sudden decline and he became the loser of many tens of thousands of dollars. In Boston, State street people smiled, and said aloud that music folks should stick to their pianos and not meddle with copper and brass. Dame rumor even had it that Oliver Ditson would go into bankruptcy. When he himself heard of it, he dispatched an ornate letter to the bears and bulls, warning them to keep their knowledge to themselves, lest he would invite them to pay a visit to Charles street jail.

# In the World of Sport.

### BASE BALL

The executive of the inter-society base ball league met last evening in the St. Joseph's rooms, the protest of the St. Joseph's club was taken up. The St. Joseph's club had the game by virtue of an agreement made before play was started that the contest was to be called at 7:45 o'clock.

The executive decided that as four full contests had not been played it did not constitute a game. The F. M. A.'s protest was therefore sustained and by a unanimous vote it was decided to replay the game next week. The date will be settled by the respective managers.

If the F. M. A.'s defeat the St. Joseph's team it will meet a play-off between St. Joseph's and St. Peter's for the first place. As a result of last night's contest the league standing is as follows:

Club	Won	Lost	P.C.
St. Joseph's	11	8	.57
St. Peter's	7	7	.50
F. M. A.	7	10	.41
St. Rose's	3	13	.19

### National League

At Chicago—Philadelphia, 0; Chicago, 6; second game, Philadelphia, 2; Chicago, 7.

At St. Louis—St. Louis, 5.

At Cincinnati—Brooklyn, 6; Cincinnati, 0.

At Philadelphia—Philadelphia, 7; Detroit, 2.

At Pittsburgh—Pittsburgh, 6; New York, 3.

### American League

At New York—Cleveland, both games postponed, postponed.

At Boston—St. Louis, 7; Boston, 5.

At Philadelphia—Philadelphia, Detroit, postponed, rain.

At Washington—Washington, Chicago game postponed, rain.

### Eastern League

At Jersey City—Montreal—Jersey City, postponed, rain.

At Providence—Buffalo, 3; Providence, 0.

At Rochester—Rochester, 0; Rochester, 0.

At Baltimore—Baltimore, 3; Baltimore, 3 (4th game called by agreement in the seventh).

### DIAMOND NOTES

Big Mack, the elephantine first baseman, let out by Toronto, leads the Southern League in batting.

The Baltimore papers say that Catcher Malachi Kittredge, the new manager of the Montreal team, is a has-been.

Howard Camnitz, once a Pittsburgh pitcher, who has been twirling effectively for the Toledo American Association team, has been purchased by President Dreyfus, and will be back with the Pirates next month.

Pitcher Oberlin, who was a member of training squad at Hot Springs last spring, and who was sold to Milwaukee, has been purchased by the American League, and will likely be assigned to the Boston Club.

According to reports from that city, the people of Chicago are just now a trifle baseball dippy. Their teams lead the National and American Leagues.

Jake Gettman is the star of the Buffalo Club, both at the bat and in the field. He is batting .398 and fielding .989. Jack White is batting .322 and fielding .977.

Jim Connor, the veteran second baseman, formerly of Providence, and who was with Montreal and Toronto this season, was released by the Wilkes-Barre team, of the New York State League.

After nearly two years' absence from duty on account of illness, Catcher Criger got back into the game for the Boston Americans on Friday, but lasted only two innings, when he had to retire on account of an injured finger.

Manager Clarke of Pittsburgh is not likely to do much experimenting this fall. He thinks he has one of the best clubs in the country, and will keep it intact so long as it has a chance of bettering its present position in the race.

With the exception of Chicago, no other club has made so much trouble for Pittsburgh as the reorganized Brooklyn team has done. Donovan's club has also made a great showing against the Giants, but has always been handicapped by injuries to its players when playing in Chicago.

The Toronto team has lost 31 games by a single run. In addition to this, out of 27 extra-inning games, participated in by the team, the tail-enders have lost 16. Of these extra inning battles six lasted ten

innings, six eleven innings, two twelve innings, one fourteen innings, and one fifteen innings. These are the cold figures. With an even break in luck Toronto would now be occupying a place in the first division, and possibly one of the contenders for the pennant—Toronto Star.

It has been suggested that the winners of the three big minor leagues of the country—the Eastern League and American Association and Southern League—and, possibly, the Western League, should get together, and arrange for a series of post-season games. Let the three teams draw lots to see which would play first, and the winner of the first series of, say five games, meet the other team in the final series. Let the league officials take it up and arrange all the details, instead of leaving it to the managers, as the national commission arranges for the world's championship series between the majors.

It now looks as if Buffalo has pretty near a clinch on the Eastern League pennant. While it may be expected that Buffalo will not increase its lead to any extent away from home, all that it will have to do to win the pennant is to come home from the present series just a little ahead of the others, and as the remaining games of the season are to be played at Olympic Park, it is hard to figure how Buffalo can lose the coveted flag. Buffalo is certainly a home team, that is to say, it plays better ball at Olympic Park than it does anywhere else. With the rooting of the fans, and the encouragement that it has by leading the Eastern League race, the other clubs will have to do some pretty tall hustling to beat out the Bisons—Buffalo Courier.

Yesterday afternoon's play in the tennis tournament at Fredericton resulted as follows:

Wilson Addison, b. h. (Con.) ... 1 2  
Princoen Heleh, b. m. (McDonald) ... 1 2  
Vena Boy, b. g. (Murphy) ... 1 2  
Lawson, b. g. (Gee) ... 1 2  
Spill, b. g. (Gerrity) ... 1 2  
Lambert, b. m. (Anderson) ... 1 2  
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### THE TURF

Readville, Mass., Aug. 24—Nutmeg, owned by (Lotta) and Jack Crabtree, of Boston, won the principal portion of the Massachusetts \$9,000 stake for 2:14 trotters, the leading event on the grand circuit card at the Readville track.

Six thousand people had little else to do but watch the sport, for the pool room was vacant.

The other two events, the Readville for the 2:08 trotters and the 2:12 pacing class, went principally to Manabett and Wilson Addison.

Three exciting finishes marked the 2:13 pace. Wilson Addison won the first and third, while Princess Helen after going into the first heat, took the second and, though leading in the third, lost her chance by a head to a furlong from the wire. Summary:

The Massachusetts 2:14 Trotting Purse \$9,000, divided, \$3,000 each heat.

Nutmeg, b. g. (McIntyre) ... 1 1  
Princess Helen, b. m. (McDonald) ... 1 1  
Albie Jan, b. m. (Kenny) ... 1 1  
Imperial Allerton, b. g. (Gee) ... 1 1  
Hedder, b. g. (Demarest) ... 1 1  
Berty Brook, b. m. (Ther) ... 1 1  
Kintree, b. m. (Clark) ... 1 1  
Wanda, b. g. (Gee) ... 1 1  
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Girls', Sizes 5 to 10 1-2, 65c. up to \$1.35

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In order to make room for other goods coming in, we have decided to offer our customers 1,200 YARDS TAPESTRY AND WOOL CARPETS AT SACRIFICE PRICES. These prices are only for the balance of this month, so come early and get a bargain. 40c. Tapestry Carpet, now 32c.; 50c. Tapestry Carpet, now 38c.; 55c. Tapestry Carpet, now 42c.; 48c. Tapestry Carpet, now 37c.; 60c. Tapestry Carpet, now 52c.; 70c. Tapestry Carpet, now 54c.; 75c. Tapestry Carpet, now 60c.; 80c. Tapestry Carpet, now 68c.; 90c. Tapestry Carpet, now 70c.; 60c. Tapestry Stair Carpet, now 47c.; 65c. Tapestry Stair Carpet, now 51c.; 80c. Wool Carpet, now 61c.; 40c. Union Carpet, now 32c.

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No doubt your boy or girl needs an article of headwear for school. Anderson has what is new and correct. Golf Caps, 25c. to 50c. Skull Caps, 50c. to 75c. Cloth Tams, 50c. to 75c. Leather Tams, 30c. Glen Caps, 50c. to 75c.

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WARNING TO Exhibition Visitors

Owing to the rush we meet with during the closing week each exhibition year we are obliged to turn away hundreds who come to St. John solely for the purpose of enjoying our services, but who neglect calling until the last few days of their visit. We would strongly advise all to call early and avoid the rush, so that they will not be compelled to return some disappointed at not having been able to avail themselves of our superior workmanship and moderate fees. PARENTS should take notice that the holidays are rapidly drawing to a close and that it is in the interest of their own children and those of others in the community that their children's teeth should receive proper attention. We can give them the attention they require, without affording pain and at very attractive fees. BOSTON DENTAL PARLORS, 427 Main Street. DR. J. D. MAHER, Proprietor.

LATE LOCALS

DIDA, the mysterious, mystifying creation of a woman out of nothing. The King's Daughters' Guild - Gospel service on Sunday at 4 p. m. All welcome. Furness steamship Evangeline, Captain Heely, arrived in port last night from London via Halifax with a general cargo. Coal steamship Cape Breton, arrived in port this morning from Louisbourg, C. B., with a cargo of coal. Registrar Jones reports two marriages for the present week. Also sixteen births, five boys and eleven girls.

Rev. David Lang of St. Andrew's church will address the seaman's meeting in the Chipman house on Sunday night. Rev. John Erb, of St. Antonio, Texas, will preach tomorrow both morning and evening services at Victoria street United Baptist church. Rev. C. W. Forster, who has accepted a call to Worcester, Mass., will preach the farewell sermon at St. Ann's church, Frederick's, tomorrow.

Mrs. A. B. Lyons gave a birthday party at her home, 8 Sydney street, last evening. Many friends were present, a very pleasant evening was spent. The members of the Y. M. S. of St. Joseph's are requested to meet in the hall tomorrow, Sunday afternoon, at 1.30, to attend the funeral of their late brother, M. D. Sweeney.

Give the Union Clothing Co. a call to-day and invest in one of their new suits—Special attention is called to their fall clothing that is arriving daily. St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, German street, Rev. David Lang, M. A. P. D., pastor. Services at 11 and 7, conducted by the pastor. Sunday school at 2.30 p. m. All are cordially welcomed to the services.

Two cars of hemlock boards were shipped to the American market Thursday evening, from Fredericton, by H. C. Mackay for A. F. Randolph & Sons. The price of hemlock on the local market now is \$13 per thousand.—Gleaner.

Before starting to school, the eyes of children should be carefully examined by a competent optician and any error of refraction of defective sight that may be present should be corrected. Failure to do so will soon after be manifested by weak eyes, headaches, etc. Consult D. Boyaner, optician, 38 Dook St.

A man named Vail, a brother of Harry Vail, the famous professional carman, was brought to this city on the steamer Victoria Hospital in the ambulance. While working in the bayfields at Margerville he contracted pleurisy from sitting on the ground after getting overcast while baying.—Fredericton Gleaner, Aug. 24.

A very pleasant social was held last evening at the cottage of Mrs. R. Campbell, Seaside Park. An interesting programme was arranged, consisting of songs, recitations and instrumental selections. Several solos were rendered in a pleasing manner by Miss M. McCarey of Moncton. Justin Daley of Boston rendered several piano selections, while Miss Helen O'Brien recited a couple of stirring poems. Refreshments were served.

Mission Church St. John Baptist, Paradise Row—Rev. P. Owen-Jones, priest in charge, services tomorrow, Sunday, day after Trinity—Holy Eucharist (plain), at 8 a. m.; high celebration and sermon at 11 a. m.; and a sermon and sermon at 7 p. m. The celebration at 11 o'clock will be taken by Rev. C. D. Schofield, and Rev. Dr. Duffy, of St. Mary's, will preach both morning and evening, besides ritual. All seats free.

axe talk. Some people think that all axes are alike, but the lumberman who has a lot of men in the woods knows the difference. He knows what an expense it is to have a man tramp back to camp to replace an axe. This annoyance and trouble can be avoided by using Campbell's Axes, which are made of the best material and cost a little more money, but will do the work required of them, saving time and delay in getting out of the woods.

Indications point to a very large number of visitors to the exhibition, as well as many family removals. Everyone is expected to be on the ground for the big furniture sale at Amund Bros., Ltd., Waterloo street, as every piece of high-class furniture is being sold at reduced prices. This well-known firm has a reputation of selling the best and strongest furniture at lowest prices, and those who are making extra preparations for the fair should do their purchasing at the above store, as this sale will only last for a few more days.

A SEASHORE MEETING

Weather permitting, the next field meeting of the Natural History Society will be held on the grounds of W. F. Burdett's residence, Crouville, on Wednesday afternoon next.

This will be a seashore meeting, and will thus afford a pleasant variation from those previously held this season at inland points. Addresses are expected from Dr. Mathew on the geological features of the locality, from A. Gordon Leavitt on the bird life on the seashore, and from Wm. McIntosh on sea-shells, etc., while the flora of the seaside will interest the botanical section of the society. The outing will take the usual form of a basket picnic and all members of the society and their visiting friends are cordially invited to be present.

Backboards will leave the north side of King Square, opposite Park Hotel, at 1.30 p. m. Fare 25c. for round trip. If weather indications are unfavorable, the meeting will be postponed to Thursday or Friday.

NO JAIL MATRON YET

A sub-committee of the board of public safety, appointed to consider the question of appointing a jail matron, and after sitting a patrol wagon system here yesterday afternoon to discuss the matter. Mrs. David McLean and Mrs. T. H. Bullock were present as representatives of the Women's Council; Councilors Lowell and Donovan for the municipality; Chief of Police Clark also attended. Ald. Vanwart and Bullock were the only members of the sub-committee present. After considerable discussion it was decided to allow the matter to lie over and to consult the sheriff.

ANOTHER POSITION

W. J. Campbell, of Westfield, has been selected by the employment bureau of the Currie Business University, Ltd., to fill the position of bookkeeper for G. Hevenor, St. John Copper and Brass Works.

WANTED - TWO WAITRESSES, ALSO first class cook. Highest wages paid. Apply BOWEN RESTAURANT, 29 Charlotte street.

THE CUBAN REVOLUTION

Government Troops Recapture San Juan de Martinez from the Insurgents, but Doubt if They Can Hold It.

HAVANA, Aug. 24.—A force of government artillery under command of Captain Pujols today captured San Juan de Martinez without resistance. This town was taken Aug. 23 by a band of insurgents operating under Pino Guerra. At San Antonio de Los Baños, Havana province, 21 miles southwest of Havana, a detachment of rural guards today encountered a band of insurgents. Of the two were killed, their comrades dispersing. While the troops were being conveyed by railroad train from Pinar del Rio to San Juan de Martinez, ordinary traffic on the railroad was suspended. There has been no interruption of railroad communication by insurgents. There is grave doubt if the force of government troops now at San Juan de Martinez would be able to withstand an attack by the force of Pino Guerra. Aside from slight encounters in the provinces of Havana and Santa Clara, nothing of importance has transpired there today. The enlistment of rural guards and volunteers is going on very slowly in the provinces, but in the city of Havana enlistments are somewhat better. The city council this afternoon appropriated \$50,000 for the support of the city militia. It is there are two heart signs, the interior and exterior, under command of General Sanchez Aguirre. The government expects that the steamer Mexico, which will sail from New York on Saturday, will bring eighteen rapid-fire guns, 10,000,000 cartridges and 12,000 shells. The insurgents have been absent from San Luis since early this morning, but no exact date has been ascertained. Havana, Aug. 24.—Col. Jose Estrampos, with forty-five recruits from Havana was fired upon by eighty insurgents ambushed behind a wall near Guanabo. The recruits were routed and three of them were killed and six wounded.

AT THE OPERA HOUSE

Seldom is a St. John audience aroused to such a degree of interest in play and players as was the case at the Opera House last evening. At the end of the third act, curtain call followed curtain call, until one and another and finally the whole company bowed their acknowledgments. The play is of deep heart interest, with an ever present element of southern comedy to relieve the pathos of the story. Then there are singing and dancing features as a part of the play itself, and not "thrown in promiscuously." The company is a large and strong one, and the play is clean, fresh, and well acted. The leading lady, is very winsome in appearance, clear-voiced, and admirably suited to the difficult part she sustains so well. The work of Miss Loria, as Amber Lister, is about as complete and clever a contrast as one could wish, while all of the many parts are well taken. The scenery and costumes are exceptionally good. Under Southern Skies will be repeated this afternoon and evening, and should attract large houses.

TONIGHT'S RACE

The Merritt-Follis race at St. Andrew's rink tonight is causing considerable talk about town, and yesterday afternoon two well known citizens, one an old school mate of Merritt's, got to arguing—and the result is that another prominent citizen is holding two hundred dollars until the race is decided tonight. Merritt won two races in Amberst. Follis won one in Moncton, and on other so that both are anxious to win tonight's race, and will skate to win from the crack of the pistol. After this race there will be a half mile boys' race between Nixon, Hunter and Finney, the eleven year old wonder. These boys for a half mile can give any skater in the city, having Merritt and Follis, a close race and tonight's race will be an exciting one. Both races will be started after the last band. The 2nd Band in attendance. No extra charge for admission.

PERSONALS

J. Dickson Fowler, of New York city, is visiting his father, J. A. Fowler, 31 Goodrich street. He is accompanied by his son and daughter. Miss Jessie Armstrong, daughter of E. J. Armstrong, left on the C. P. R. express yesterday on an extended visit to the west. She will spend six weeks with an aunt in Hancock (Minn.), and then go to Winnipeg to visit relatives there for some time.

The Misses Robinson, of Derby, will sail for Europe with a party of friends on the steamer Baltic from New York, Aug. 29. They will spend the winter months in Paris and Berlin studying music, and will visit the principal cities of Europe, returning by the Mediterranean. James Robinson, ex-M. P., and Mrs. Robinson accompanied their daughters as far as New York.

THE LAST HOLIDAY

Today's half-holiday will be the last for this summer, as next Saturday starts the first day of September.

The holiday was not observed as generally this year as it was in the two previous years, as the stores in some lines remained open. Those who were privileged to enjoy the half-day off, took full advantage of it in most cases by being away to the countryside, the beaches, or up the river.

It is thought next year if the movement is taken up earlier in the season it will be more generally observed, and that nearly all branches of trade will enter into it.

BOOMING SENATOR ELLIS

The New Freeman this morning starts a boom for Senator Ellis for the office of lieutenant-governor of this province. In the headlines of the article it describes the opportunity as "a chance for Sir Wilfrid and Hon. Mr. Emmerson to fully recognize the faithful, able, fearless and independent service of one who did more than any other to keep alive Liberal principles in New Brunswick and bring about party triumph."

The article, which is in the form of an interview with "a prominent citizen," objects very strongly to Premier Tweedie as a possible governor.

FUNERALS

The funeral of David T. Milligan takes place this afternoon from his sister's residence, Barker street, at 2.30 o'clock. Rev. Mr. Howard officiating. Interment at Cedar Hill cemetery. The funeral of Miss Jennett J. Malcolm takes place this afternoon at two o'clock from her residence, Westmorland road. Rev. Dr. Raymond will hold service at the house and grave. Interment at Fernhill cemetery.

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Colored Cashmere.

Pure Wool Cashmere, suitable for waists and children's dresses. We can give you the following shades: Light Blue, Cream, Pink, Green, Brown, Navy and several shades of Red. All shades the same width, 44 inches. The former price was 70c. yard, our special price is 42c. yard.

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THE NEWEST SHAPE.

The Best Style. The best quality of cloth, well made and perfect fitting are the Black and Navy Blue Cloth Street Skirts which we are selling at \$2.25 each. It is seven gore tucked down each seam and button trimmed. Size from 37 to 41 inch length, waist 22 to 32 inch. Another perfectly tailored Skirt, box pleated and fancy braid trimmed, in Black and Blue at \$3.75. These are two rare bargains in Skirts. Come at once before the sizes are broken.

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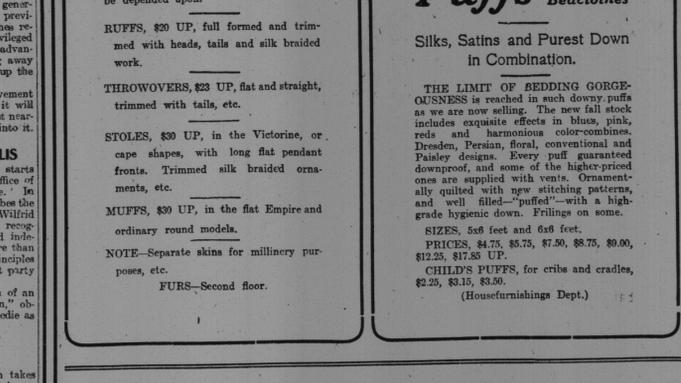
Akin to Old Laces, Gems and Family Heirlooms. THE LASTING AND INCREASING VALUE OF GENUINE MINK FUR is placing it upon a higher fashion plane. Its intrinsic worth makes it as valued as jewelry, genuine tapestries and rare old handsome laces. As wearing apparel it invariably commands admiration and respect, the lady wearing it being assured of stylishness in furs for years to come. Canada produces the finest mink—rich, soft, lustrous and handsomely marked. All over the world there is an insistent demand upon the market, and it is with difficulty this demand is met.

In presenting our new stock of mink goods we feel we are catering directly to all ladies—the moderate buyer as well as the lavish one. Every item mentioned below is of genuine mink, but prices have been carefully graded to meet the purse possibilities of all who really desire a fur wrap that can be depended upon.

RUFFS, \$20 UP, full formed and trimmed with heads, tails and silk braided work. THROWOVERS, \$23 UP, flat and straight, trimmed with tails, etc. STOLEES, \$30 UP, in the Victoria, or cape shapes, with long flat pendant fronts. Trimmed silk braided ornaments, etc. MUFFS, \$30 UP, in the flat Empire and ordinary round models. NOTE—Separate skins for millinery purposes, etc. FURS—Second floor.

AUTO VEILS, two and a half yards long in popular colors. Crepe de Chine and chiffon. Veritable head-wraps when driving, autoing, sailing. Excellent for fall trips. \$1.40 TO \$2.10. HAT AND FACE VEILS, 45c. UP. VEILINGS BY THE YARD. LACE VEILS, \$1.25 TO \$2.25. (Rear Main Store.)

Puffs Luxurious Bedclothes Silks, Satins and Purest Down in Combination. THE LIMIT OF BEDDING GORGEOUSNESS is reached in such downy puffs as we are now selling. The new fall stock includes exquisite effects in blues, pink, reds and harmonious color-combines. Dresden, Persian, floral, conventional and Paisley designs. Every puff guaranteed downproof, and some of the higher-priced ones are supplied with vents. Ornamentally quilted with new stitching patterns, and well filled—"puffed"—with a high-grade hygienic down. Fringes on some. SIZES, 5 1/2 feet and 6 1/2 feet. PRICES, \$4.75, \$5.75, \$7.50, \$8.75, \$9.00, \$12.25, \$17.50 UP. CHILD'S PUFFS, for cribs and cradles, \$2.25, \$3.15, \$3.50. (Housefurnishings Dept.)



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