

Homeless People Suffer Through Delay of Militia Department in Forwarding Tents and Blankets

Heavy Rain Poured Down Upon Unsheltered Thousands Amid the Ashes of Campbellton—Only Shelter is That Provided by Relief Parties—Intoxicated Men Make Trouble.

First Complete Story of Fire Written by Town Clerk, Who Passed Through Terrible Experience—Steamers and Shipping Saved Many Lives—Reports of Fatalities Without Foundation.

(Written for The Standard by John Reid, Town Clerk of Campbellton, himself a heavy loser.) Campbellton, N. B., July 13.—Practically the whole town now lies a smouldering mass of ruins as a result of the disastrous fire which started here Monday afternoon.

load of provisions reaching here about 8 o'clock yesterday morning. Mayor Stewart, of Dalhousie shortly afterwards arrived with a steamer load of supplies, to be followed later on by the Dalhousie Lumber Company's tug with another load from that firm.

MAJOR SENT TO JAIL FOR THREE YEARS

Chief Executive Of Lawrence Still Holds Office Behind Prison Bars—Convicted On Conspiracy Charge.

WAS ELECTED ON REFORM TICKET

Salem, Mass., July 13.—With the conviction and sentencing of Mayor William F. Whittem, of Lawrence, and several other residents of that city on conspiracy charges in the superior court here today, the political scandals which have stirred the city of Lawrence for some time past, reached a sensational climax.

GENEROUS AID FOR SUFFERERS FROM THE FIRE

Bank Of Nova Scotia Donates \$5,000—Boston Proffers Help—Lieut. Governor Talks Of Situation.

That the people of the city and province are alive to the exigencies of the situation of Campbellton's homeless and are prepared to render all possible assistance in the relief of the distressed is plainly apparent to all. The Bank of Nova Scotia has taken a leading part in the work of relief by subscribing yesterday \$5,000 worth of supplies.

Not only from the remotest corners of New Brunswick, but from the generous-hearted people of New England across the border, comes contributions and offers of aid. Yesterday the following message was received by Campbellton from the Boston Post:

BAPTISTS AID CAMPBELLTON

CANADA DID NOT KEEP THE AMERICANS

Story From Washington To Effect That 15,000 Settlers In Alberta Have Returned To United States.

An Associated Press despatch from Washington, says:—The tide of emigration of home seekers to Canada, which has been the subject of great concern to the administrators of the public domain for the last few years, has turned, in the opinion of officials of the reclamation service. Thousands have returned, and a great many more are expected back soon.

Practical Sympathy Manifest at Annual Meeting of Association Opened at Sussex.

Collection Taken for Stricken Church—Large Attendance on First Day of Conference.

Special to The Standard. Sussex, July 13.—At the United Baptist convention today reference was made to the great loss sustained by the church at Campbellton. It was moved by the Hon. Geo. E. Foster that a committee of five be appointed to consider the whole situation and report to association at once.

REPORT ON AFFAIRS OF J.T. WHITLOCK

Total Assets Will Exceed Liabilities By Nearly \$50,000—Indebtedness To Defunct Bank Large Proportion.

NAME APPEARED ON MANY NOTES

Special to The Standard. St. Stephen, N. B., July 13.—The inspectors appointed by the creditors of J. T. Whitlock, late cashier of the St. Stephen's Bank, have prepared the following statement of his affairs with the bank. Liabilities. Notes made by him for his own benefit \$60,590.56. Other notes made by him as collateral \$19,695.50. Joint notes in which his name is one of many for money largely used by others, \$63,357.50.

Those That Remain. District Supt. Price's residence and the Kelly House, immediately behind it; A. M. Mowats, D. C. Firth's, Mrs. Muthhead's, and F. S. Blair's residences on the hill. The new mill of the Richards Company at Richardsville was about destroyed together with a large quantity of lumber.

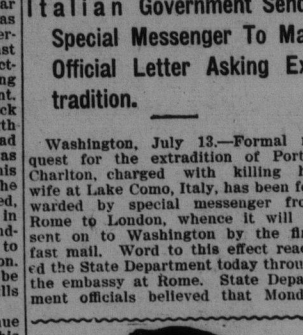
Tents Have Not Arrived. The work providing shelter for the homeless has not been as satisfactory as anticipated owing to the non-arrival of tents which were expected from Sussex. Hundreds of people are huddled under trees and fortunately the weather is warmer tonight.

Lt. Governor Tweedie arrived in the city yesterday from Chatham. His honor is taking a vigorous part in aiding as far as possible, the stricken people of Campbellton.

MAKE DEMAND FOR CHARLTON Italian Government Sends Special Messenger To Mail Official Letter Asking Extradition.

Washington, July 13.—Formal request for the extradition of Porter Charlton, charged with killing his wife at Lake Como, Italy, has been forwarded by special messenger from Rome to London, whence it will be sent on to Washington by the first fast mail.

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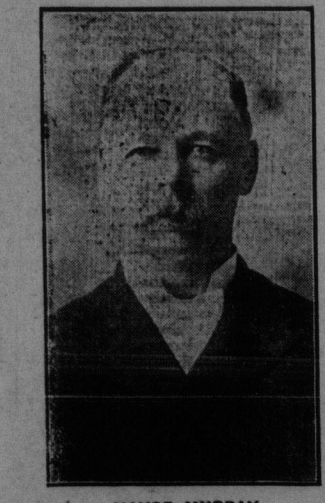
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London, July 13.—Dr. Leslie Dodd Ward of Newark, N. J., was elected vice-president of the Prudential Insurance Company, died here this evening.

Dr. L. D. Ward, of Newark, N. J., Passes Away in London—Was One of Original Incorporators.

CAPE BRETON MAN COMMITS SUICIDE Michael Shea Drinks Carbolic Acid At Glace Bay With Fatal Result—Recently Released From Insane Asylum.

Sydney, N. S., July 13.—In a temporary fit of insanity, Michael Shea, aged 38, drank a bottle of carbolic acid this evening, and died about 6.30 o'clock near his home in Glace Bay.



MAYOR MURRAY Who Heads Relief Committee.

Liquor Found. A quantity of liquor which had been saved from the Intercolonial Hotel, and taken to a field back of the town, was confiscated by the militia this afternoon. It is said that the liquor was being sold to the "Trustees."

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MANUEL WILL NOT RESIGN

Story Arose From Declaration Of Boy King That He Desired Only Country's Good—Paper Taking Plebiscite.

Lisbon, July 10.—A rumor was recently sent broadcast by a news agency to the effect that the young King of Portugal, overwhelmed by the cares which he inherited from his assassinated father and brother, had decided to abdicate in favor of his uncle, the Infante Alfonso, Duke of Oporto.

It seems that the rumor arose from a conversation the King had with one of the editors of O Mundo, the chief Republican paper. The King remarked that, although he and the editor might have different political ideas, yet they were agreed in preserving the peaceful state of Portugal.

Under the inspiration of His Majesty's words the editor of O Mundo is attempting to obtain a plebiscite of Portugal as to the idea of having the monarchy turned into a republic.

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It is to be hoped—every one here hopes—that should King Manuel decide to abdicate the session of the Legislature will be an act of peace, but the King will be tragically misled if he is foolish enough to talk about "in favor of" the favor is all the other way.

As for the policy of non-abdication, which is by far the most likely to be adopted, its value in statercraft is on the knees of many and various gods whose counsel will probably have Horace's ironic "virtus potius nummos" as its frame.

It is essential that a Queen be found for him soon, and for the matter of that, just so soon as may be. But where is the Catholic Princess—and there are not so many of them—whose parents are prepared to gamble her safety, even against so nice a prize as a crown, when that crown may prove more uneasy even than the head that was to wear it?

The next chapter of European history, and in letters of blood, if the inevitable cannot be more reasonably set forth in lawyer's ink. It is useless to talk of foreign intercession to maintain a rotten kingship.

A really rich Princess might save the situation for the throne. But this "might" is fine drawn. The Portuguese Republic is already margined against

Firemen at Amherst Make Fine Showing

Delegations from Many New Brunswick Towns Take Part in One of the Finest Parades Ever Held in the Provinces—Moncton Band Takes First Prize in Competition.

Amherst, N. S., July 13.—When Amherst undertakes any work it never does it by halves. The Old Home Week celebration is a case in point. Since early dawn Monday morning everything has been going with a swing and the visitors to town are simply carried away with amazement at the elaborate programme of entertainment prepared for them and so far carried on without a hitch.

Today the third day of Old Home Week celebration was Firemen's Day and the fire laddies certainly did their share in making the day a success.

The procession this morning was one of the best ever held in the province, both in the point of numbers and the appearance of the men. The handsomely decorated apparatus of the local departments added much to the appearance of the parade.

Relief for Campbellton. Continued from page 1. They took along a car of provisions from Newcastle and attached to the same train was one from Bathurst, which also contained some tents.

Mr. James Power accompanied the Bathurst car. Later he met Father Wallace, who stated that arrangements had been made for the immediate erection of a building to be used as a hospital and church.

People Optimistic. "The people of Campbellton are all optimistic and are a unit for building up their prosperous town again," said Hon. Mr. Morrissey.

One Killed and Two Dying in Manitoba. Swan Lake, Man., July 13.—Fred Koskely is dead, Kenneth Ross is dying and Geo. Kilborne has two bullets in his body as result of a fight with John Bowlerwell on Monday.

The case of F. E. Williams Co., Ltd. The N. B. Cold Storage Co., Ltd., was resumed before Mr. Justice White in the Circuit Court yesterday morning at 9:30. Adjourment was made at 12 o'clock until 9:30 this morning.

ville Citizens Band, Sackville Fire Department, proceeded by chief in carriage. Robb Engineering Company's Fire Department, with decorated hose reel, officers in carriage, Smart's Minstrel Band, Rhodes Curry Company Fire Department.

The entire route traversed by the procession was thronged with people anxious to see the parade and the men were liberally applauded. The music by the different bands along the route was inspiring both to the men marching and to the spectators.

Woodstock Helps. Woodstock, July 13.—Without calling a meeting of the council, Mayor Jones this afternoon with the consent of the aldermen, sent \$200 to the relief of the fire sufferers in Campbellton.

Truro Votes \$500. Truro, July 13.—At a meeting of the citizens tonight called by Acting Mayor Stackford the town council was authorized to send \$500 to the Campbellton relief committee.

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COBALT SILVER FOR ENGLAND

61 Cars Worth \$3,500,000 Going to Bullion Brokers—Crop Report Shows Satisfactory Conditions.

Ottawa, July 13.—Sixty-one bars of silver bullion left Cobalt on Monday afternoon consigned to Mocatta and Goldsmid, bullion brokers for the Bank of England. The value is more than \$3,500,000 and the shipment weighs over two tons.

The condition of mixed grains is nearly the same, being \$4.53 this year, \$5.58 last year and \$4 in 1908. Hay and clover is better this year than in either of the previous years. Being \$1.42 compared with 76 in 1909 and \$1.88 in 1908.

United Baptists in Annual Session. Continued from Page 1. The Bible training work done by Brother Bynon was heartily endorsed by the association and vote of thanks accorded him.

Much Lumber Burned at Rooth Station. Fredericton, N. B., July 13.—A serious fire took place this morning at Rooth station, C. P. R., main line west of Fredericton Junction and Meads Junction and reports up to the time of writing state that thousands of dollars of manufactured lumber have been burned and that the woods are also ablaze.

196 Moulders Out at Hartford, Conn. Hartford, Conn., July 13.—Demanding an increase in wages from \$3 to \$3.50 a day and a reduction of working hours from 10 to 8 per day, about 196 moulders employed in twelve local iron foundries went on strike today.

Train Dispatcher Was Dismissed. Cincinnati, O., July 13.—Albert Smith, train dispatcher for the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton railroad at Dayton, has been relieved of his position. He was dismissed, officials said today more than a week ago, for payment upon delivery, which was to be believed that rain will stop the forest fire before much damage is done.

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How Wright Brothers Measure Altitude

Two Yardsticks Measured the Brookins' Flight of Over 4,000—Determined by the Spread of Wings of the Biplane.



WILBUR WRIGHT IN ACT OF DETERMINING ALTITUDE OF AN AEROPLANE.

Indianapolis, July 13.—The Wright brothers have a novel and ingenious method of determining the altitude of a Wright biplane. The instrument is as simple as it is ingenious, consisting of a little bit of tin with little projecting spikes or prongs, and a common yardstick, such as department stores give away as advertisements. The tin is bent about the yardstick so that it slips easily from end to end.

The photograph shows Wilbur Wright using this instrument in measuring the altitude of the aeroplane driven by Walter S. Brookins, which he is spreading out on the big aviation meet in this city. As the machine was climbing toward the 4000 feet line when the measurement was taken, two yardsticks, end to end, Orville Wright is seen in the picture at the right.

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TRAIN OFFICIAL

Official Dominion Immigration Officer, Insulted Canadians And Had To Apologize

Ottawa, July 13.—After being kept quiet for some time, it is known that the Dominion Immigration official who insulted Canadians on a train at Windsor, Ont., was forced to apologize by W. Taylor, editor of the Sentinel Review, Woodstock, Ont. The woman whom he was insulting when Mr. Taylor protested was Mrs. Percy Tressider, of St. Louis, Mo., who was on her way to Ottawa to spend the holidays with her father-in-law, G. C. Tressider, 58 Mulchmor street, clerk in the department of public works.

What The Ladies Are Doing. Local Council of Women Will Forward Money and Supplies to Fire Sufferers.

Relief Work in the City. A special meeting of the Local Council of Women was held in the Guild rooms, Prince Wm. St., yesterday afternoon to decide upon the means the council would take to aid the sufferers in the Campbellton fire.

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Large advertisement for the St. John, N.B. Dominion Exhibition, Sept 5 to 15. Features include Eastern Canada's Greatest Fair, Grand National Exposition, Industrial, Agricultural, Horticultural, Live Stock, Horses, Dairy, Educational, Natural History, Forestry, Minerals, Fish, Game, Apiary, etc. Also mentions \$25,000 in generous awards and new buildings.

WANTED CITY OF ST. JOHN 6 per cent. BONDS Due May 1st, 1911 W. F. MAHON & CO. Investment Bankers.

Listed Stocks Our Circular No. 453, gives valuable information regarding eighty-one issues of railroad and industrial stocks listed on the New York Stock Exchange.

WE WISH TO SEND, WITHOUT CHARGE, our regular Weekly Financial Review to all investors desiring to keep well informed on conditions affecting their securities.

CANADIAN PACIFIC ASK For information ABOUT THESE TRIPS NOW ON SALE TO Pacific Coast, British Columbia, Montana, Arizona, Etc.

"S. S. May Queen" This popular steamer leaves St. John, N. B., Wednesdays and Saturdays for Grand Lake and Salmon River at 8 a. m., returning Thursdays and Mondays, touching at Gagetown.

DOMINION ATLANTIC RAILWAY S. S. Prince Rupert leaves Reed's Point Wharf daily at 7.45 a. m., connecting at Digby with trains east and west, returning arrives at 5.30 p. m. Sundays excepted.

N. B. Southern Railway On and after SUNDAY, June 19, 1910, trains will run daily, Sunday excepted, as follows:— Lv. St. John East Ferry .. 7.30 a. m.

SCENIC ROUTE. Steamer Maggie Miller leaves Millerville for Summersville, Kannebeca Island and Baywater daily (except Saturday and Sundays) at 6.45 and 8.30 a. m., 2, 4, and 8 p. m.

LASSITUDE SHOWN IN STOCK MARKET

LITTLE DOING ON WALL STREET

New York, July 13.—The stock market today showed signs of lassitude, the day which was not out of harmony with weather conditions in the financial belt.

FINANCE

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET

Table of stock prices for various companies including Am. Copper, Am. Beet Sugar, Am. Car and Fdry., etc.

PRODUCE PRICES TRADING IN AMERICAN CENTRES

New York, July 13.—FLOUR—Quiet and unchanged. Receipts 14,497. WHEAT—Spot barely steady. No. 2 red, 109.1-2 c/c to arrive elevator.

OTHER BANKS AFTER UNION OF HALIFAX

The Montreal Herald has it on the best authority that the Royal Bank was not the only bidder for the Union Bank of Halifax.

CLOSING STOCK LETTER.

By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co. New York, July 13.—The market came back strong from the bear camp of yesterday, which was based upon the canon of German interference in Nicaragua.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PRODUCE MARKETS. Range of Prices. Wheat. High. Low. Close. July .. 106 1/2 103 1/2 103 1/2

THREE BIDS FOR UNION OF HALIFAX

MONTREAL

Table of stock prices for Montreal companies including Cement Pfd., Converters, Crown Reserve, etc.

PRODUCE PRICES TRADING IN CANADIAN PRODUCE

Montreal, July 13.—The local coarse grain and flour markets continue strong, following price advances in Winnipeg and Chicago, but no actual change in prices is quoted locally.

MONTREAL COBALT AND CURB STOCKS.

Table of stock prices for Montreal Cobalt and Curb stocks including Beaver, Nancy Helen, N. B. Cobalt, etc.

THE STEEL COMPANY OF CANADA, LTD. 6 per cent.

First Mortgage and Collateral Trust Gold Bonds Due 1940 Prospectus containing full particulars will be mailed upon request.

THE STEEL CO. OF CANADA, LTD. 6 per cent. BONDS

These Bonds are dated July 1st, 1910, due July 1st, 1940, interest payable January 1st, and July 1st.

Table of bond denominations and interest rates: DENOMINATIONS \$100, \$500, \$1,000. CAPITALIZATION. Authorized. To be issued.

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TENDERS FOR EXHIBITION FENCING!

Tenders will be received at the office of the Exhibition Association up to noon, July 15th, for 800 feet more or less of Fencing to enclose Exhibition grounds.

G. T. R. WINS GOOD RESULTS OUT AT BOSTON FROM CEMENT MERGER

Boston, July 13.—The Railroad Commission has granted permission to the Grand Trunk Railroad to build proposed line between Fall River and South Bridge, Mass.

COLUMBIA HAS NEW PHILOSOPHY SCHOOL

New York, July 13.—The cornerstone of the faculty of philosophy building of Columbia University was laid Monday afternoon at 5 o'clock.

JAPANESE DIPLOMATS PREFER THE SUMMER

Washington, July 13.—It is a remarkable fact in connection with the negotiations of the Japanese-Russian pact executed on July 4th that many such actions of Japanese have been taken in the summer when diplomats of virtually all other countries were away from their posts on vacation.

COATES Don't Let Him make you rich with any other Gin— or you won't like it half so well. Easy to remember, too— COATES—the original Plymouth GIN.

American League Averages

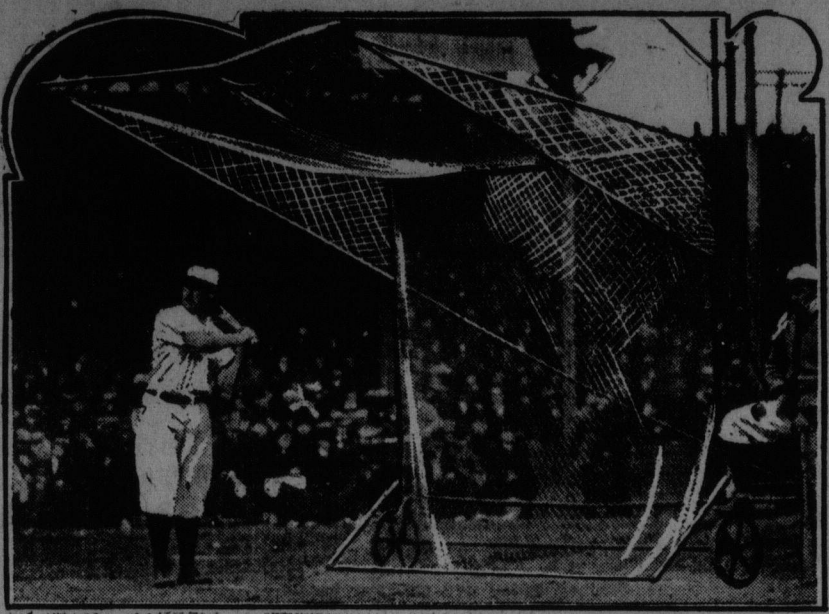
Favorites in Rain

Red Sox Win Again

Batting Cages Helps Batter to Learn to Clout Ball Hard

Races for All the Favorites

KETCHELL'S STRONG FIGHTING FACE



"MATTY" MCINTYRE PRACTICING BEFORE TIGERS' BATTING CAGE.

Batting cages, first introduced in big league circles by Hughey Jennings, are becoming more popular. Other managers have learned to their sorrow that the Tigers almost always clout the ball hard and timely, and Jennings has said the batting cage was, in his opinion, the cause of the splendid hitting of the members of his team.

Then every man on the team can take his turn at the bat and the pitchers can use all the speed and curves they want, as no matter how wild a pitcher may be, it is not probable he would fail to land his ball in a net offering as large a target as the closed end of the cage. It does away with the danger of a foul tip getting away and hitting someone in the stands.

Jim McGuire has ordered one of the cages for his Naps, and college players have been using them for years. For teams in need of batting practice the cages appear to be just what is needed.

Rain Did Not Interfere With Racing Sport at Moosepath Yesterday--Goodacre Shows Old Strength and Heads Yankee Lady--Judge Dunden Won Royal Hotel Stakes.

Notwithstanding the pranks cut up by old Jupiter Pluvius, yesterday, the effect was not sufficient to dampen the enthusiasm of the large crowd who attended the afternoon programme at Moosepath. Shortly before the first event was called the rain came down in torrents and the commodious tent was crowded with men, while the grandstand afforded protection for the fair enthusiasts.

The heavy downpour of rain didn't affect the enthusiasm any. It was the liveliest crowd that has attended the programme at Moosepath. The big tent looked after the men folks and the grandstand afforded ample protection for the softer sex.

It was a great day for the favorites and out of the six events four winners picked in yesterday's Standard carried off the honors, while the other two were placed.

The Standard's racing expert yesterday picked four winners out of the six events, the record of the meeting. Nearly every horse mentioned, barring the scratches, finished in the money.

Goodacre Comes Back. The five furlong event was perhaps the most exciting of the day. Goodacre, who has not been exhibiting his best lately came into his own. It was a great fight between him and Yankee Lady and not until the tape was crossed was it possible to pick the winner. Stephens' nifty losing by but a short head.

The third and fourth events were not particularly interesting and Ned Carmack and Our Nugget had things pretty much their own way.

RED SOX ARE HITTING HARD

Chicago Americans Defeated

5-1--Naps Give Yankees Bad Trimming--Tigers Take One from Senators.

Boston, July 13.--Walsh was batted today and the locals won the first game of the series from Chicago, 5 to 1. Rain prevented a double header, but two games will be played tomorrow. Stahl made his third home run within a week and also drove out a three bagger. The score by innings:

Table with columns for team, runs, hits, errors, and score. Shows Boston 5, Chicago 1. Includes batting order and individual player statistics.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Table listing game results for the National League, including teams like Chicago, Philadelphia, and Cincinnati, with scores and dates.

EASTERN LEAGUE

Table listing game results for the Eastern League, including teams like Rochester, Buffalo, and Montreal, with scores and dates.

ERINS WIN JUNIOR GAME IN NORTH END

GOOD QUOT SCORES MADE LAST NIGHT

The Erins defeated the Pirates in an exciting game of ball in the Junior North End League series on the St. Peter's grounds last evening by the score of 8-7. The Pirates seemed to have everything their own way at the first and with darkness drawing nigh and the score 7-5 in their favor, it looked as if they had the game on ice.

Some classy quilting was witnessed on the grounds of the Newman Brook Quilt club last evening when Frank Powers and Harry Wilson defeated C. Dodd and E. Harrington in two games of quilts by scores of 21 to 20 and 21 to 18.

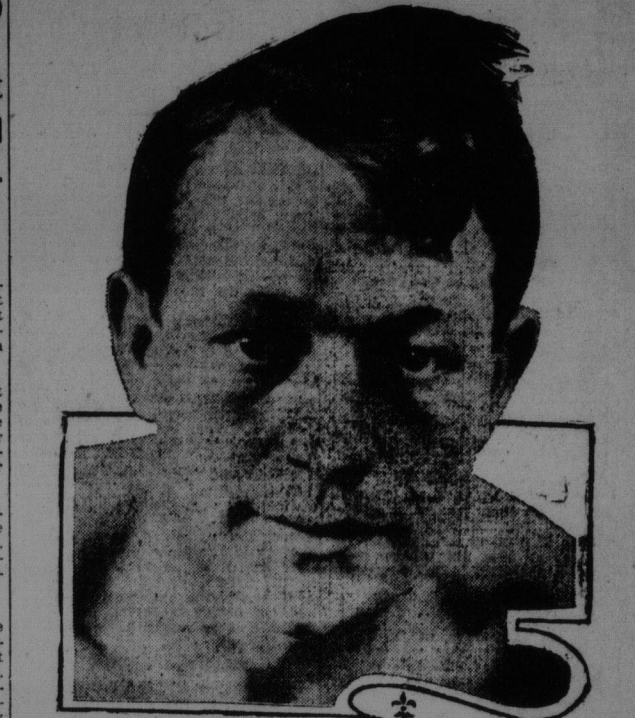
Whitby, Ont., July 13.--Ardie McLaughlin, who was convicted of murdering his wife at Carhara and who was sentenced to be hanged, this morning paid the penalty for his crime.

What looks to be a soft spot for a little wager is the 'Clown in the fifth race. This one fairly reveals in mud, and should lead from start to finish.

Old Dr. Young should come right back today, and romp off with the closing race, Jack Baker and Otego look the contenders.

The following are the entries for today's races:

Table listing race entries for various distances (1 mile, 20 yds, 1/2 mile, 1/4 mile, 3/8 mile, 1/2 mile, 3/4 mile, 1 mile, 1 1/4 miles, 1 1/2 miles, 2 miles, 2 1/2 miles, 3 miles, 3 1/2 miles, 4 miles, 4 1/2 miles, 5 miles, 5 1/2 miles, 6 miles, 6 1/2 miles, 7 miles, 7 1/2 miles, 8 miles, 8 1/2 miles, 9 miles, 9 1/2 miles, 10 miles).



This is Stanley Ketchell and his fighting face. Ketchell posed for this picture while in Boston recently. The Michigan Assassin is planning an active campaign, but it is noticeable his name has not again been mentioned as an opponent of Johnson. Once seems to have been enough for Stanley.

AMERICAN LEAGUE AVERAGES

The official batting averages of the clubs and players in the American league are announced. The club batting standing to July 4 inclusive, is as follows:

Table showing batting averages for various clubs: Detroit (.270), Philadelphia (.267), Boston (.266), New York (.265), Cleveland (.264), St. Louis (.264), Washington (.263), Chicago (.262).

The individual averages of 200 or over are as follows:

Large table listing individual player batting averages for 200 or more at-bats across various clubs and players.

VAGRANT AHEAD. ARELLANES REINSTATED.

Hamilton, Bermuda, July 13.--It was officially announced that the Vagrant won the race from New York by 45 minutes. The yacht encountered a gale for two days, and the best day's run of the winning boat was 248 miles.

REINTEGRATED

Boston, July 13.--Pitcher Arellanes of the Boston Americans, who was suspended following the double header with Cleveland yesterday, was reinstated, according to an announcement of President Taylor.

HONG KONG

Hong Kong, July 13.--A Portuguese gunboat co-operating with troops today, bombarded the pirate settlement on the island of Colowan, destroying the houses and killing many natives.

The Chinese retaliated by storming and capturing the Portuguese military post. Portuguese reinforcements were sent to the scene from Macao.

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Advertisement for 'MASTER MASON' tobacco. Features an illustration of a man smoking a pipe and a pack of 'Master Mason' cut plug tobacco. Text includes 'An Excellent Tobacco', 'Cut from our original "American Navy" plug. Equally good as a smoke or as a chew. Made from the finest American leaf tobacco.', and 'ROCK CITY TOBACCO CO. QUEBEC.'

THE WEATHER.

Maritime—Fresh westerly winds; fine and warm. Toronto, July 13.—Intense heat has prevailed throughout the western provinces today, the temperature being considerably higher than 90 in many localities. Showers have occurred in Quebec and New Brunswick but elsewhere in Canada the weather has been fine.

New England Forecast. Washington, July 13.—Forecast for New England: Generally fair Thursday and Friday; moderate west winds.

AROUND THE CITY

Tennis Match on Saturday. The Fredericton Tennis Club has accepted the invitation of the St. John Club to play an all day match here on Saturday.

Tomatoes Arrive. The first consignment of ripe tomatoes arrived in the city yesterday from Alfred Vanwart, Wickham, Queens Co. This is considered unusually early.

Improving the V. M. C. A. Grounds. The V. M. C. A. has had a man at work for four days fixing up the grounds in front of the building. The land has all been dug up and rocks removed and seed will be sown in about a week.

Annual Meeting of Battle Line. The annual meeting of the Battle Line Steamship Company was held at Rothery's yesterday. Reports showed that the operations of the company for the year had been fairly successful when the condition of freights is taken into consideration.

An Approaching Marriage. It is understood that the marriage of E. Parker Baker, of this city, to a popular and prominent young lady of St. John, will take place early in September. Mr. Baker has many friends who will extend hearty congratulations. Mr. Baker will close his piano and music store here this month and remove to St. John.—Fredericton Gleaser.

St. George's Picnic. The annual picnic of St. George's church was held at Westfield yesterday, about 500 being in attendance. Except for about half-an-hour's rain during the afternoon, the day was fine, and the outing was enjoyed by everyone. George Lee won the prize for the gentleman's bean bag competition and Mrs. Lenihan that for the ladies'. The prize for the highest score in the bagatelle went to C. V. Wilcox.

Carlton Was Without Water. Carlton was in a condition eminently satisfactory to the Moral Reform Association for a few hours yesterday afternoon. It was a dry town. At about 1.30 the water was shut off much to the delight of the kids whose mothers were washing their faces for the afternoon promenade. The water remained off till about 5 o'clock. It was shut off in order to make connections with the new fire hydrant at the corner of Queen and Ludlow streets.

Professor Tweedie in The City. Prof. W. M. Tweedie, M. A. of Mt. Allison University, was in town yesterday, returning from Margaretsville, N. S., where he left his sister, Miss Tweedie, who will spend the summer months there. He expects soon to leave for Europe to spend some time in the Old Country, returning with Dr. B. C. Borden's party the latter part of August. To a Standard reporter, Prof. Tweedie said that the work of collecting subscriptions for the \$200,000 forward movement adopted by the board of regents at their June meeting would probably be begun immediately after the meeting of the board in September, when a campaigner would be chosen to tour the province.

CONCERT TONIGHT ON KING SQUARE STAND

City Cornet Band Will Render Good Programme This Evening—No Concert at Seaside Last Night.

The unfavorable weather last evening was responsible for the postponement of the band concert scheduled for Seaside Park. Tonight the City Cornet band will give a concert on the King Edward stand King Sq. The programme will be as follows: March, Belphezar, Brepnant; Overture, Lustopiel, Zela; Waltz, Over the Waves, Rosas. Selection from the opera Il Trovatore, Verdi. Cornet Solo (Aer Varie), My Old Kentucky Home, Rollinson, by special request, soloist, D. J. Galahar. Sextete, from the opera Lucia Di Lammermoor, Donizetti, by special request. Characteristic piece, Moonlight in Dixie, Misaud. Selection (Irish Airs), Ireland's Ireland, Dixon. Waltz, (Scottish Airs), Edinburgh, Hume. Characteristic March Two Step, Mr. Thomas Cat, Hall. March (Scottish Airs), Will ye No Come Back Again, Hume. Canada's National Air, O Canada, Lavalier. God Save the King. Director, Mr. Frank Waddington.

PERSONAL. Miss K. E. Currie, principal of the Louise school, Calgary, Alta., is spending the summer with her sister, Mrs. A. J. Sprout, Gerard, street, West, Campbellton, N. B.

APPOSITE PAVEMENT WILL BE PUT DOWN ON GERMAIN STREET

Board of Works Last Evening Decided to Recommend Council That Hassam Paving Company's Representative Should Get the Work—Council Meets Today to Consider It.

At the special meeting of the Board of Works last evening it was decided to recommend the council to accept A. R. C. Clark's tender to pave Germain street with Apposite pavement, provided, Mr. Clark, who is acting for the Hassam Paving Company, is able to show that Apposite complex with the specifications prepared by the city engineer. A special meeting of the city council will be held at 11.30 this morning to ratify the recommendation of the board.

About that Petition. Ald. Willet wanted to know whether the petition of the Germain street residents complied with the act. Otherwise, he thought they might as well put on their hats and go home. Engineer Murdoch said the total street frontage, including churches, was 1965 feet, or 1704 feet without the churches, and the petition represented 905 feet. In the opinion of the recorder the churches had to be counted out, so that the petitioners represented over half the frontage of rateable property.

The Cost of the Work. Table with 2 columns: Item and Price.

AMATEURS WILL PLAY FOR FIRE SUFFERERS

"Friends" to be Produced by Theodore H. Bird and St. John Amateurs on Monday Night.

The St. John amateurs who, under the direction of Theodore H. Bird produced "Friends" at the Opera House last week will give a benefit performance for the Campbellton fire sufferers in the Opera House on Monday evening next.

WHAT ABOUT THAT MUCH-NEEDED FENCE?

City Council Taking Its Own Sweet Time Over the Erection of the Railway on Rodney Wharf.

St. John is looking for several things, and it won't be happy till it gets them. Among these are the fence on Rodney wharf and the Durant sugar refinery. The grand jury said some days ago that somebody ought to erect a fence on Rodney wharf, but it is expected that it will take a royal commission to find out who somebody is.

The latter was an alternative tender sent in by Mr. Clark. At this point Ald. Potts complained that the retaining wall on the Queen Square church was in danger of falling into the street.

The chairman instructed the street superintendent to find out whether the city or the church was responsible and have the wall repaired. Some discussion then followed on civic taxes, and the methods of carrying out local improvements in other towns.

Good For Fifteen Years. R. S. Low, a partner of Mr. Clark in the Apposite tender, was then heard. He said the Apposite pavement under ordinary traffic conditions would last from 10 to 15 years on Germain street somewhat longer. His company had offered to give a five years guarantee. If it wasn't for the difficulty of securing bonds, they could give a longer guarantee.

Ald. Baxter moved that a recommendation be made that the council accept the lowest tender, provided that it was understood that the contractor submit a sample of asphalt that when subjected to analysis would comply with the specifications and that the material laid should be equal to the sample. This was adopted.

TRINITY CHURCH HAS SUCCESSFUL PICNIC

Large Gathering at Watters' Landing—Sports Held and Exciting Game of Basketball—The Winners.

Very successful was the annual picnic of the Trinity Sunday school held at Watters' Landing yesterday. Large crowds left on the steamer Madestic at 10 a. m. and 1.30 p. m. returning by the Str. Victoria, at 8.45 p. m.

Boys' Races. No. 1—Boys 13 and over—1st prize, Cecil Markham; 2nd, Asa Blakeslie. No. 2—Boys 10 to 12 years inclusive—1st, Hugh Gregory; 2nd, Clifford Hyson.

General Races. No. 1—Quarter mile, 1st prize, Asa Blakeslie, 2nd prize, Cecil Markham. No. 2—For girls, 7 years and under, 1st prize, A. Belyea; 2nd prize, Elsie Root.

PAINLESS DENTISTRY. Teeth filled or extracted free of pain by the celebrated "HALE METHOD." All branches of dental work done in the most skillful manner.

KODAKS. All the New Kodaks are now in stock. Prices from \$5.00 up. We have everything for "The All by Daylight Way."

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A Large Stock of Trunks, Bags and Suit Cases Fresh from the Factory. We have been selling Trunks, Travelling Bags and Suit Cases at a lively rate this spring. Less than three months ago we received our spring stock, enough, we thought, to do us all through the season. We told you then that we were going to sell them at prices that would make them move more rapidly, and they did move much more rapidly even than we had expected, and we found it necessary to order again and a gain even larger lots than the first. Lately the third shipment arrived, they are a splendid lot and are on sale. TRUNKS \$2.00 to \$9.70 TRAVELLING BAGS200 to .950 SUIT CASES 1.50 to 17.50 ASK TO SEE OUR SOLID LEATHER SUIT CASE AT \$5.00. J. N. HARVEY, Tailoring and Clothing, Opera House Block, 199 to 207 UNION STREET.

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