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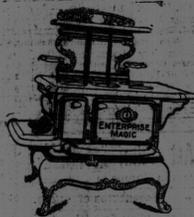
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NOT A LAWYER IN TOWN WOULD DEFEND McDUGALL

Free Speech Man Has Managed to Secure Counsel in Moncton, and the Hearing Stands Over Until Tomorrow

C. Bruce McDougall, the editor of the Free Speech, who was arrested in Moncton yesterday afternoon by Detective KILLEN on a charge of publishing defamatory libel, is having a rather difficult job to secure counsel for his defence. Almost every member of the legal profession in the city was approached by his two brothers this morning, but none cared to take hold of the case, which was postponed until tomorrow morning.

Mr. McDougall was brought to the city last night. A large crowd gathered at the depot to get a glimpse of the information culminated in his arrest on Wednesday last, and yesterday morning Detective KILLEN left for Moncton on the pretence—so he told the press—of other business, but news of the arrest reached the city during the afternoon.

Chief Clerk detailed five special policemen in anticipation of any demonstration at the station. He was met by a large crowd of people, and a few caustic remarks hurled at the prisoner by the crowd, everything went smoothly. He was immediately placed in a cab and driven to central station, where he spent the night. His request that he be allowed to arrange for his defence was postponed until this morning, with the above mentioned result.

After an hour and a half of waiting, while vain efforts were being made to secure counsel, the case came before Magistrate Ritchie. Police Clerk Geo. A. Henderson read the information accusing the prisoner of publishing defamatory libels against Dr. A. W. Macrae, July 31st, Mayor Balfour, July 19th, Daniel Mullin, June 21st, and Mrs. W. H. Ritchie, July 19th. The prisoner heard the charges with apparent indifference, but afterwards declared that he was innocent of the charges. He was conducted to the city hall, where he was held in custody until this morning, when he was released on a warrant for selling copies of the paper, July 19th, 19th, 19th, and 19th, which Ritchie had obtained from the office of the Queen on Union St. E. S. Ritchie here interrupted the proceedings stating that as McDougall was unable to obtain counsel in the city successful efforts had been made in Moncton. In justice to the legal profession, Mr. Ritchie asked that a postponement be made until said counsel arrived. This was acceptable to the prosecution and the case was postponed until tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock.

WIFE MISSING; HE SEEKS CLAIRVOYANT

Mrs. W. C. Benson, of Belleisle, Has Disappeared. Was Weak Mentally, Through Long Illness—Crowd Searching But Belief is That She is Drowned.

This morning's train from Belleisle Creek brought William C. Benson, a respected farmer of that district, to the city on a strange errand. Last Wednesday morning his wife disappeared from her home and up to the present no trace of her has been found. Mr. Benson is not a superstitious man, but at the present time he is convinced that his wife is somewhere in the water.

He searched the city the entire morning but was unable to locate anyone who would undertake to give him any information. He also made an effort to secure bloodhounds with the aid of a close watch on her. At no time, however, has he been able to locate her. He was also unsuccessful in his attempt to secure bloodhounds with the aid of a close watch on her. At no time, however, has he been able to locate her.

About a week ago she left her home at Belleisle Creek to visit her mother, Mrs. Wm. Higgin, who lives at Case Settlement, about a mile from her own home. Her actions during the past week had not caused her mother any alarm, but the latter had been looking after her carefully. On Wednesday morning she took her daughter's breakfast to her room and returned only a few minutes later to find the room empty. She searched the premises and found a note pinned to the wall which stated that she had been taken to the beach since her husband's death last winter is nearly prostrated with grief and anxiety.

Mr. Benson was accompanied to the city this morning by his brother-in-law Wm. Huggard, of Case Settlement.

EYE-WITNESSES TELL THE STORY OF HOW NICHOLAS LAGANIE WAS MURDERED

Don't Let Any of Others Bluff You. Pay No Attention to All the Contest Rumors.

Do the Best Work You Can for Yourself—A Word to New Subscribers.

We wish once again to call the attention of contestants and subscribers to the fact that it takes some little time after subscriptions are turned in to get them properly routed. The SUN and STAR wishes that everyone who has helped out a candidate in this great contest should be properly and regularly served with their paper.

Should your paper not appear until a day or two later than you expect, show us the consideration of realizing that we are handling an unusual amount of new business; you will receive full credit for the time from the date the paper is started to you. If your paper then does not come regularly, we shall esteem it a favor if you will notify us at once.

It is impossible to accompany each carrier on his route daily and therefore the only possible way for us to tell whether your carrier is doing his duty is to let us know whether or not you are getting your paper as you should. We are running this contest to make permanent friends of our subscribers, not simply to help candidates to secure the handsome prizes offered, and we appreciate that the only way to hold your good will is to give you satisfactory service.

TOO MUCH PUBLICITY INJURES THE I. C. R.

But There Are No Roads in Europe to Equal It.

Says Hon. George P. Graham—Conditions are Different There—British Firms Want Quebec Bridge Job.

MONTREAL, Aug. 20.—There is no better state owned railroad on the Continent than the Intercolonial, was the remark of Hon. George P. Graham, Minister of Railways and Canals, who returned yesterday from a study of the railway and canal systems of Great Britain and the Continent. He will report to the Government a comparison between the state owned and corporation roads. The conditions are different, he said. These roads were short and the traffic was greater. Here the hauls were long and there was a sparse population. He found that the rates for passengers were about the same, perhaps a little higher, while the rates for freight were very much higher than in Canada. Some of the roads owned by the small states paid large dividends which was a thing the people of Canada would never stand.

The chief drawback to the Intercolonial, he said, "is that the details of all expenditures are made public. Every little tender is made public and the contractors get the chance to force up the price. In Germany these details are not given out and the management is able to get an advantage in buying. The roads are discussed in the Landtag but the details are not asked for. Give us less publicity and we can make the Intercolonial pay and well."

While in England he had an offer from one of the largest firms there to build the Quebec Bridge. They took all information and will put in a tender if given a chance. The "canal system" is a thing the people of Canada have no free canals as in Canada. When the work on the Georgian Bay canal will begin he could not say, as there were many big things on hand at present.

Preliminary Hearing in the Italian Trial Opened Today in Woodstock—Prisoner Seems Indifferent—Will Be Defended by George W. Fowler

WOODSTOCK, N. B., Aug. 20.—That Sandy Monacelli is not worrying over his fate was apparent when he came to court at ten o'clock this morning in company with sheriff Tommas and Chief Kelly to have his preliminary examination for the murder of Nicholas Laganie. He can talk a little English when necessary. Magistrate Dible and stipendiary Magistrate Holton presided. Solicitor General McLeod represented the crown, T. C. L. Ketchum is stenographer, and Christopher Nichols is acting as interpreter. G. W. Fowler has been engaged as counsel for the prisoner and he wired this morning instructing Sandy to reply that he had nothing to say to the charge against him. Louis Digregard, who was in court and is the principal witness, will be heard this afternoon.

Evelyn Wallace, sworn, and in reply to Solicitor General McLeod, said she lived in Beechwood, Carleton County. She knew the prisoner, had known him a prisoner for a week before August 5th. She knew Laganie for two years, met him in Beechwood, saw him a week and a half before August 5th at Beechwood. He came on a Sunday night a week before the shooting and said that the cars were warm, although if he could stay there, get consent and stayed from Sunday till Thursday night and returned on Saturday night. Sometimes other Italians would be there. The prisoner was there two evenings before the 5th August. He was there on Saturday and Sunday. Did not know of any trouble between Nick and the prisoner. On Sunday 5th August, Nick was at the house of the Italian, On Sunday the prisoner was there during the day. He came at 3 o'clock in company with this boy Diagradi in court. The murdered man came about 3 o'clock. The only Italian present were the three Italians mentioned; no others present but my husband, my father, myself and little girl, June Ketch, was not there. Was present when the murdered man arrived.

Mrs. Wallace then drew a picture of the interior of the house on request of the Solicitor General. She was in the kitchen; the prisoner, murdered man and Louis Digregard were in the dining room with papa. Heard them talking in Italian, though not in a friendly manner. They were two were sitting in the northwest end of the room near together. The room was about 7 by 10 feet. The dining room table was in center of the room. These boys did not stay at her house. Nick and his cousin Angelo were there for the night. Nick said, "I'm going to bed." He said "I'm going to bed." Nick and Sandy were talking. She fastened the back door, and when she came back she found the murdered man there. (Continued on Page 7.)

EREGTED A MONUMENT TO THE GERMAN DEAD

Officers Cross the Line and Unveil Memorial to the Dragons Who Perished in Famous Charge

THE RETURN RUSH TO BOSTON HAS BEGUN

Two Direct Trips on Saturday Evening—Austin Brought 250 Here This Morning.

Returning tourist travel by steamboat lines has shown a large increase during the past week. Accommodation on the Eastern Steamship Company's boats is heavily taxed. The war was in the States is gradually passing and the tourists are anxious to return to their homes. Nevertheless, there is a good incoming traffic on the steamers. The Calvin Austin reached port this morning after a pleasant trip from Boston. She brought upwards of 200 passengers, chiefly tourists. There has been a heavy demand for accommodation for the return trip of the boat Saturday evening. Several hundred tourists are planning to return on the Austin. LeBaron Thompson, travelling freight and passenger agent, stated this morning that every opportunity would be afforded Americans to return home for Labor Day. On Saturday evening, September 4, the company will have two direct trips to Boston. The Calvin Austin will leave at 7 o'clock, while the large steel turbine Governor Cobb will leave at 8 o'clock. These trips promise to establish a record for returning traffic.

Mrs. Sherwood Skinner entertained at an enjoyable luncheon at the golf club yesterday. Those present were: Mrs. Haxon Haxford, Mrs. Sharples, Mrs. Geo. W. Jones, Mrs. C. H. Eason, Mrs. Fred Seyrs, Mrs. Buray, Mrs. J. D. Haxon, Mrs. Clara McCheson, Mrs. W. W. White, Mrs. Geo. Blair, Mrs. Walter Clark, Mrs. Stuart Skinner, Miss Ada Hayward. After lunch bridge was played. Mrs. Eason was the prize winner.

KING ALFONSO CHANGED; HAS GROWN SIDE WHISKERS

The Family Hardly Know Him, Especially Since He Has Had His Hair Clipped

LONDON, Aug. 20.—A San Sebastian despatch says that King Alfonso has paid a brief visit there, coming from Madrid in order to see the Queen and the Royal children. His Majesty's appearance caused a mild shock among the members of the court who remained in San Sebastian when the King went to Madrid. During his absence, King Alfonso has grown side-whiskers like those worn by his father, Alfonso XII. In fact he looks like a different person altogether. While the whiskers appeared most of his hair has disappeared being now cut very short.

CHILDREN BEHEADED BY INSANE MOTHER

Woman, Released from Asylum, Killed Two and Sought to Murder the Other Four

EAST GRAND FORKS, Minn., Aug. 20.—Mrs. Anton Strauss, mother of six children, residing at Tabor, ten miles northeast of this city, killed her one year old daughter and three year old son yesterday by chopping off their heads with an axe. She then ran to the nearest neighbor to borrow a gun to shoot her other four children, who were working with their father in a field. The woman was released from the state asylum three months ago.

CHICAGO STRIKERS REFUSE TO ACCEPT AGREEMENT

Had Approved the Settlement Arranged, but at the Last Minute Declined to Endorse It

CHICAGO, Aug. 20.—The street car strike in Chicago has been settled by agreement on a graduated wage scale entered into between the officials of the unions and the companies, but the employees of the West and Northern lines have now refused to ratify the agreement. Their action of last night was a complete surprise. Many of the younger conductors and motormen clamored for a strike but President Wm. Quinn of the local union held that in check and on leaving the hall telegraphed W. D. Mahon, International President of the Amalgamated Association of Street and Electric Railway employees, to come here at once and make an effort to avert a walk out.

CARTER'S POINT RACE.

The entries in the second race for the Carter's Point race to be sailed tomorrow, are—John Frodham, Wabeno—J. E. McDonald, Clinch—Church Bros. W. E. Bowman is officer of the day. The race starts at 3.15 p. m. over a course from Belyak's light house to a buoy off Carter's Point and back to the starting point.

The St. John County Royal Scepter Chapter will meet tonight at 8 o'clock in Orange Hall. All members are requested to be present.

A FATAL FIGHT IN PITTSBURG PRISON

Guards Discovered a Tunnel Dug by the Prisoners

And Later Two Convicts Attacked Each Other With Knives—One Will Die—Number Placed in Irons.

PITTSBURG, Aug. 20.—The discovery of the secret tunnel leading out of Riverside penitentiary by which, it is believed, the big financiers there conspired to make their escape, was followed last Monday by a desperate fight with knives between two convicts whose names the authorities withheld. One of the combatants was so badly injured that he is expected to die, and the other is in a serious condition. The cause of the duel is not known, but it is believed to have been a result of the discovery of the tunnel plot, one of the convicts blaming the other for the revelation. The scene of the fight was at dinner in the great dining hall when suddenly the two convicts sprang from their chairs and clinched. The fight was fierce and lasted for some time the rest of the prisoners because the rest of the prisoners seemed ready to stampede in the excitement. The whole body of convicts was covered with riot guns before the fighters were pulled apart, both gravely wounded.

Another result of the tunnel plot discovery was the placing in iron of a number of prisoners suspected of taking part in it. Among them is James Boyle, the kidnapper of Willie Whitt.

VANGOUVER PEOPLE KILLED IN A JOY RIDE

Three Young Ladies Harled to Death Over a Sea Wall at Seattle—Others Narrowly Escaped

SEATTLE, Wn., Aug. 20.—Three young women and one man, the driver of an automobile, met death, and two young men narrowly escaped, when a large touring car going at a high speed crashed through the railing of the lost trestle over the tide flats. All the members of the party were from Vancouver, B. C., except the driver of the car, who was a Seattle man. The tide was at flood when the automobile crashed through the rail and the victims were hurled into several feet of water. Miss Mary Paul, a sister of one of the dead, and Miss Kate Hancock were rescued by a boatman who heard their cries and found them clinging to the wrecked auto. All of the young women are said to belong to prominent families in Vancouver.

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I. W. Gribble, Socialist organizer, addressed a large crowd at the foot of Coburg street last evening. He argued that labor power was a commodity bought and sold in the market just the same as any other thing offered for sale and subject to the same conditions and laws, the sellers naturally wishing to sell dear and the buyers to buy cheap.

Yesterday morning Geo. Lewis, of Kennedy street, was seized with a fit on Main street and falling heavily to the sidewalk his forehead was cut. He was carried into Durkin's drug store and Dr. C. M. Pratt summoned. The doctor worked with him for about half an hour, when he was sufficiently revived to proceed home with the help of a friend.

The many friends of Gene McAuliffe will be pleased to learn that he is at last improving in health. A letter from Mrs. McAuliffe to a friend in this city, received a day or two since, states that Gene is taking in every ball game in Lynn, Mass., where his home is at present. His wound is healing rapidly and Lynn doctors have examined the case and highly praise the treatment which Dr. W. W. White, of this city gave Gene, saying that he did wonders to save the boy's life. It is expected that the wound will be entirely healed in three weeks. Gene has just signed a contract for ten weeks in Yonkersville. At the end of that time his own company will go on the pole.

The police force is once again at full strength. A new man having been sworn in yesterday afternoon at three o'clock by Magistrate Ritchie, George H. C. Clarke is the new officer. Up to recently he was the proprietor of the West Side Moving Picture Theatre. He is well known, his name being especially prominent among carmen. He is about thirty-five years of age, well built, weighing about 150 pounds, and is slightly over six feet in height. He is of sandy complexion. Officer Clarke went on duty last night on Market Square. The new appointment, having been made, Officer Bowes' opportunity of being taken back—and it seemed pretty likely for a time—has been destroyed. It, however, has been rumored that Officer Journeay will not remain long on the force as he is a young man and does not feel inclined to deprive himself of an opportunity of reaching the height of his ambition. In such a thing comes to pass, and re-officer Bowes was given another chance his many friends would be pleased to see him again on the force.

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A bold attempt at robbery was made last night about ten o'clock. Officers Ross and Journeay were standing on the North wharf when they heard glass breaking. On discovery it was found an attempt had been made to enter Phillip M. O'Neill's warehouse on North wharf. Three men were seen going from the building, and the officers started in pursuit of the burglars. They followed the three men to Smythe street, up Smythe street to North street, up North street to Drury lane, where the policemen lost track of their men who evidently had taken a duck.

On the conclusion of the regular business meeting of the Alexander Temple of Honor last evening, Grand Worthy Recorder Woodruff, of Franklin, N. J., and Grand Worthy Templar Simon Full, who have here in the city for the past three weeks in connection with the grand convention, delivered farewell addresses. A short programme was carried out which included a vocal duet by Messrs. MacBachern, and readings by J. L. Robertson, Rev. George Titus of Coburg St. Christian Church, was initiated to membership in the temple during the course of the evening. Messrs. Woodruff and Full leave for their homes today.

AEROPLANE COLLISION NARROWLY AVERTED

Dramatic Feature of Trial Flights at Rhinos—Wrights Spun for Infringement of Patent.

REHEIMS, Aug. 19.—The American aviator, Glenn H. Curtiss, at Rhinos, today added a dramatic feature to the trial flights of his aeroplanes by skillfully dodging the machine of another aviator, and averting a collision in the air, which seemed imminent.

The feat was accomplished when, for the first time in history, three biplanes flew in the same sky over the same place.

All were flying rapidly when accidentally Curtiss saw M. Dumaine's an Antonette, monoplane approaching at right angles and on the same level with him. As quick as a flash Curtiss realized the danger and elevating his machine, it instantly shot upwards and soared away over the Frenchman.

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—Wilbur and Orville Wright, the aeronauts, today entered suit in the United States Circuit Court here against the Aeronautical Society of this city, charging infringement of patent rights on their aeroplane inventions. The Wrights complain that the society procured from the Heris-Curtis Company and Glenn H. Curtiss, licensing machines alleged to infringe the Wrights' patents and secured Curtiss to give public exhibitions for which an admission fee was charged.

BOSTONS BUY NEW PITCHER
MILWAUKEE, Aug. 19.—Pitcher Cliff Curtis of the Milwaukee Association base ball team, was sold today to the Boston National League Club. He will leave for his new berth at once.



HALIFAX MEET CLOSES TODAY

HALIFAX, N. S., Aug. 19.—The Maritime golf championship contest was continued today and will likely be concluded tomorrow.

In play-off between C. L. Lawson and Professor McKenzie, for place in the championship round, Professor McKenzie won out.

Championship play was started in the morning and resulted as follows: Dr. T. F. Sprague, Woodstock defeated W. T. Sprague, Woodstock. W. A. Henry defeated Prof. McKenzie. H. M. Wylie defeated C. A. Evans. C. M. Sprague, Woodstock defeated C. J. T. Stewart. H. H. Smith defeated Peter Jack. J. H. McClure defeated R. H. Murray. G. T. Henderson defeated Owen Jones. G. T. Henderson, New Glasgow, defeated Judge Wallace.

The afternoon play in the championship round resulted as follows: W. A. Henry defeated Dr. T. F. Sprague. C. M. Sprague defeated H. M. Wylie. J. H. S. McClure defeated H. H. Smith. G. T. Henderson defeated D. McNeill. The result of the play for the consolation prize was as follows: W. T. Sprague defeated Prof. McKenzie. C. A. Evans defeated C. J. T. Stewart. Owen Jones defeated Judge Wallace.

The semi-finals in both the championship and the consolation will be started tomorrow morning.

BIG BICYCLE MEET

Plans for one of the biggest bicycle and athletic meets that has been held in St. John for some time are now under way. The meet will be held on Saturday, October 5, under the auspices of the Every Day Club. The events will be as follows: Twenty mile bicycle race, then mile senior road race, five mile intermediate road race, 100, 200 and 400 yards dashes, high jump, broad jump, pole vault and shot.

The best line of prizes ever put up in St. John will be awarded the winners in the sports. Chief among the prizes will be the Dunlop trophy, first prize for the twenty mile road race.

TO WRESTLE GUTCH

Zbyzsko, Polish Marvel, After the Championship—Weights 270 Pounds.

Another European wrestling marvel is to invade the United States this year with the idea of wrestling the world's catch-as-catch-can title from Frank Gotch. He is Stanislaus Zbyzsko, known to the wrestling world as Zbyzsko, and he is due to arrive in New York from London about September 15.

NOT TOO LATE YET FOR THE GLANTS TO WIN

It is not too late for the Glants to win the National League pennant. They are going at a fast clip now and if they keep it up the fans expect to see them make a roaring finish. It is a fact that the team began to take a new lease of life from the moment that Cy Seymour resumed playing and Fred Morie appointed Tophay on first base. When the Glants return they will doubtless receive an ovation, not only because of their great playing against the Cubs in Chicago. New York fans lately met their great playing against the Cubs in Chicago. New York fans lately met their great playing against the Cubs in Chicago.

COFFEY THINKS JEFFRIES AND JOHNSON WILL FIGHT

While Promoter Coffey of Colma, Calif., believes that Jeffries and Johnson will eventually meet in the ring, he is not getting excited over the preliminary work that has been done toward matching them. When the promoter was asked the other day if he would be bidder for the bout, he said: "I suppose that I will, but at the present there doesn't seem to be anything to bid for. When a contractor bids for the construction of a house he sees the plans and specifications, doesn't he? Well, then a fight promoter ought to know what the men have agreed to. Jeffries and Johnson have agreed to nothing. I wouldn't even know to whom I would have to send a bid. Johnson has as much right to receive the bids as Berger to Jeffries. When Jeffries and Corbett decided to fight they signed articles and then called for a fight. That's what the pair ought to have done."

TOWN FOR SALE, BUT RESIDENTS OBJECT

How Tenants of Earl Fitzwilliam Would Suffer if His Wish is Carried Out.

LONDON, Aug. 19.—The population of the prosperous little borough of Higham Ferrers, numbering about 8,000, view with dismay the proposal of Earl Fitzwilliam to sell the town. Lord Fitzwilliam's contract over Higham Ferrers is more complete than mere leases indicate. His estate comprises 75 per cent of a town of 1945 in the borough.

The inhabited houses on the estate's estate number 18, and the assessable value of the property is \$1,150,000 out of a total of \$4,400. The King, as a matter of fact, is a much larger landowner here than the Earl, but the Fitzwilliam estate is in the heart of the town, whereas most of the people live, and where nearly all the business is done.

PRINCESS-AGRESS ON VISIT TO LONDON

Alfred, Through Her Husband, With the Royal Family of Russia.

LONDON, Aug. 19.—A Russian princess, who is one of the leading actresses in the theatre, has just arrived in London.

She is the wife of Prince Barintinsky whose brother married a daughter of the late Alexander II, Emperor of Russia.

This is her first visit to England, and the main object of her mission is to study the British stage, and, if possible, open for a short season with a Russian play at one of the London theatres.

Known on the Russian stage as Mme. Yourlevsky, she has played the leading roles in many plays since 1871 in Paris, Vienna, Berlin and other large towns of Europe.

She is a tall, dark handsome woman, with fine, large, expressive eyes. Dressed entirely in black, she made a striking figure.

IT WAS A SURPRISE

The New York American League Club officials were surprised yesterday when they learned that the national commission had awarded the franchise to the Philadelphia club, which virtually means that he will be turned over to the Cincinnati Reds. The New York club turned Youngs over to the Macon Club last spring with an option on his services. Manager Williams says the Macon Club had a better offer to sell Williams.

O'DOLE TO JOIN BOSTON RED

BOSTON, Mass., Aug. 19.—Marty O'Dole, of Brockton, base ball team, the crack pitcher, has been sold to Boston Red Sox. This deal was closed with owner Taylor of the Boston team today by Manager Flanagan. O'Dole will stay with Brockton the remainder of the season. His debut with the Red Sox will be O'Dole's second appearance in major league work. Last season he was given a tryout in the fall with the Cincinnati Nationals and was with them until the beginning of the baseball season, when he came back to the Brockton team.

FEATHERWEIGHTS ARE MATCHED

WILKES-BARRE, Pa., Aug. 19.—Joe Burke and Bert O'Donnell, featherweights of this city, who have been doing well against some of the best men in their class, were matched today for a fifteen round go before the club offering the largest purse. They will weigh in at 120 pounds ringside and each has posted a side bet of \$500.

CATCHER McLEAN WILL NEVER PLAY BALL AGAIN

CINCINNATI, O., Aug. 18.—Catcher Larry McLean, who was injured in Sunday's game by colliding with Thomas of the Boston Braves at the home plate will never be able to play ball again. The doctors who examined him Wednesday said that when his injured knee cap heals it will be stiff and will keep him from running.

THE JEFFRIES-JOHNSON BOUT

Will Jeffries on his return to this country next month, sign another twenty weeks vaudeville contract. In his behalf Berger recently named Jack Woodruff, who has just arrived with Johnson, which would give Jeff plenty of time to rake in the coin at the theatre.

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CANADIAN NEWS

SYDNEY, N. S., Aug. 19.—Nell McNeil, a native of this diocese, but now a contractor and builder, and one of the leading business men of Boston, Mass., has recently presented the Antigonish University with a beautiful summer residence, situated on the shore of the Gulf of St. Lawrence about eight miles from the town of Antigonish. The gift is designed as a vacation and health resort for the use of the professors of the university during the summer holidays, and will be very much appreciated.

TORONTO, Aug. 19.—Two thousand young men left Toronto for Winnipeg today in the first harvest excursion.

STEWARTVILLE, N. S., Aug. 19.—A Marconigram from Indian Harbor, near Hamilton Inlet, Labrador, states that the steamer Beardless passed inward to land a cargo of seals on August 12. This is a remarkably quick passage, being five days across the Atlantic from land to land. She left Liverpool for Labrador on August 6 and passed Inishnabur, Scotland, August 7. The Beardless is commanded by Captain Grove. She is in the lumber carrying trade.

MONTREAL, Aug. 19.—Cable advices were received here today that Admiral Lord Charles Borel of Ghibellina will sail for Canada tomorrow on the Allan Line, Virginia, reaching Montreal on Friday, the 27th. Admiral Borel will spend Saturday in Montreal, after which he will go to Niagara Falls for Sunday and on the following Monday will open the Toronto exhibition. Arrangements are now under way for a special trip through the Canadian west for the famous British admiral after his visit to Toronto.

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WANTED

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SITUATIONS VACANT—FEMALE

WANTED—Girl in bookbinding. Apply to B. HEANS, 109 Prince William Street... WANTED—Girl for general housework...

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FOR SALE—CHEAP—An 18 foot boat in good order... FEASIBLE PROPERTY FOR SALE—That well known property owned by the late Lawrence McManis...

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TO LET—Small five room flat, hot and cold water, electric lights... WANTED—A girl for general housework...

WANTED

WANTED—Vest makers wanted at once... WANTED—Woman for general housework... WANTED—A girl for general housework...

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Synopsis of Canadian North-west Land Regulations

Any person who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years old, may homestead a quarter-section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta.

FOR THE CANADIAN NATIONAL EXHIBITION.

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BUILDING TENDER

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 1 o'clock, Friday, August 20th, for all trades in connection with a 4' tenant house to be erected on Murray street, North End.

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CANADIAN PACIFIC

TORONTO EXHIBITION

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THE SHORT ROUTE

THROUGH SLEEPING CAR FROM HALIFAX. Leaves Halifax, 8:00 a.m.; Sydney, 11:30 p.m.; New Glasgow, 7:15 a.m.; Truro, 11:05 a.m.; Pictou, 8:30 a.m.; Amherst, 12:38 p.m.; Sackville, 12:15 p.m.; Moncton, 2:30 p.m.; Sussex, 3:54 p.m.; St. John, 5:50 p.m. Arrives Montreal 8:05 a.m.

EMPRESS MAKES ONE OF FASTEST TRIPS ON RECORD

QUEBEC, Aug. 19.—The C. P. R. steamship Empress of Ireland arrived in port at 7:45 this evening, after making one of the fastest trips she has ever made.

MANY TESTIFY AT VAN BUREN

VAN BUREN, Me., Aug. 19.—At the session of the international waterways commission held here for some days to receive a report on the operations of the Madawaska Log Driving Company, a number of the employees of the St. John Lumber Company then testified.

KILLED BY A VIGILANT COW

ST. CATHERINES, Ont., Aug. 19.—Thomas Archibald, an aged farmer, living on the outskirts of the city, is dead as a result of an attack made on him by a cow last night.

GREEK FLAG AGAIN HOISTED OVER CANADA

Militia Powerless—Cons's Want Guarantee That It Will Not Occur Again. CANEA, Island of Crete, Aug. 20.—In the armed Candia, the largest city of Crete, was today re-hoisted the Greek flag in the presence of a squadron of militia who were powerless to prevent the proceedings.

CAMPBELL'S FIGHT FOR ANCIENT CASTLE

Duke of Argyll, Head of the Clan, Enters Claim Against Kinsman. EDINBURGH, Aug. 19.—A remarkable action, in which the Duke of Argyll seeks to prove that the castle of Dunstaffnage, a picturesque, historic castle, was sent for trial by Lord Johnston in the court of session, Edinburgh, yesterday.

How to Avoid Sea Sickness

Take along a box of Mother's Seal and Train Sick Remedy. It has recently been reported that the Duke of Argyll and his predecessors have failed to maintain and upkeep the castle, with the result that it has fallen into a ruinous condition.

SORRY TO LOSE MR. ROBINSON

Telephone Company Directors in Session Pass Resolution. Last evening the directors of the New Brunswick Telephone Company held their regular quarterly session in this city.

AMUSEMENTS

MAY ROBSON. May Robson says she plays freak characters because she wants the money. Isn't that a shame? "Of course, the stress of trouble and uncertainty is over now," she observed, "but once upon a time I did need the money."

GREAT ART FILM AT "STAR"

NORTH END. The Star Theatre in Union Hall has something extra fine for its patrons to-night and all day Saturday. This is the great Pat Art film "The Eternal Romance," a gorgeously colored picture in which four of the leading actors and actresses in France take part.

The answer was most interesting.

"By so doing I found that I could put a little more butter on my bread," Miss Robson naively answered. "When it was first necessary for me to earn my way in the world," she continued, "I decided to become a painter. I succeeded fairly well, but that's a slow way for a girl to make money, and I tired of it."

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NICKEL TODAY AND SATURDAY

For the week-end the Nickel has a setting good show—something like Friday pictures and Saturday holiday folks. Last evening the String Quartette sprang a gem in the form of its popular hit, "Remember My Melody in F" and Victor Herbert's dainty "The Merry Widow."

THE LEOPARD QUEEN AT H. H. H.

Today the H. H. H. presents one of the most wonderful pictures of the year. The Leopard Queen, is a strong dramatic picture, embracing some magnificent scenery. It is also a picture of Miss Ames, the famous leopard queen, and her troupe of five performing leopards.

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ELEVEN OF ORINOCO'S CREW PERISH IN BERTHS

LUNenburg, N. S., Aug. 19.—The schooner Orinoco, Captain Larkin, of Gloucester, Mass., on his way to the Banks, sank and filled in three minutes yesterday morning twenty-five miles off Sambro. When the helmsman let the vessel up to the wind to clear the jib sheet, she came around and caught the sails back and capsized.

Twelve of the crew were below asleep and one man succeeded in getting on deck. The other eleven went down with the schooner.

The names of the lost men are: Wm. Meuse, Tusket; Stephen Delong, Tusket; Wm. Vanenburg, Argyle; Howard Whitehouse, Argyle; Bernard Crowell, Argyle; Chas. Shaw, Argyle; John Meuse, Ed. Brook; Peter Walsh, Piacentia, Nfld.; John Walsh, Piacentia, Nfld.

There were five men on deck, who were all saved, viz.: Captain Larkin, Public; Jas. Shaw, Argyle; Jas. Vanenburg, Argyle; Sullivan Hubbard, Tusket; Ernest Stanley, Missel, Me. Jas. Babine, Ed. Brook, N. S., was the only one saved from drowning.

Wm. Vanenburg and Chas. Shaw, a boy 12 years old, were brothers of

THE SUICIDE IN BOSTON OF PATTERSON OF NEW GLASGOW

(Globe Globe.)

Clarence Patterson, 43 years old, of New Glasgow, N. S., died at the City hospital relief station in Haymarket Square at 6 o'clock last evening as the result of bullet wounds in his left breast and abdomen.

It is the firm belief of Dr. Drown of the hospital, and Chief Inspector Joseph Dugan of the police department, both of whom talked with Patterson before his death, that the wounds were self-inflicted.

Before his death Patterson told several contradictory stories and made an effort to conceal his identity, finally, however, admitting that Clarence Patterson was his real name.

Patterson's relatives, a brother and sister, living in New Glasgow, N. S., were informed of his death by telegraph. They are coming to get the body. It will be taken to the North Grove street morgue today, where Medical Examiner Magrath will perform an autopsy.

Patterson walked into the "Relief Hospital at 11.25 yesterday morning and said he was suffering from a headache. He was taken into the accident room and the surgeon found two bullet wounds in his abdomen.

When asked where he received the wounds, Patterson replied: "In Boston."

"Some one shot me," he said. "Do you know who shot you?" he was asked.

"No, it was a man unknown to me," he answered.

"On Tuesday night," said Patterson, "I went to a lodging house in the West End and hired a room, paying 75 cents for it. I went up one flight of stairs and went to bed. At 11 o'clock in the morning a man came into the room and shot me."

"For a time he would say no more. When pressed later he said his name was Charles Fraser and that he was 41 years old and lived in Concord, N. H. The physician was puzzled to understand, if his story was true, how he was able to walk about for seven hours after the shooting.

PAPER FOUND IN HAT A CLUE.

Chief Inspector Dugan came to the hospital and talked with Patterson. Chief Dugan examined the hat and found a paper which was bought at a store in Concord, N. H. In examining the hat Chief Dugan discovered the name of Patterson, and this fact told him he believed his name was Clarence Patterson. He then advised that his home was in New Glasgow, N. S.

Patterson also stated that he had worked in Concord and Manchester, N. H., but he strenuously refused to admit that he had shot himself.

"I have been employed in the Page belting mills in Concord for a long time but I lost my job and came to Manchester and from Manchester I came to Boston. I have been in Boston only two days and I was out of work and discouraged. I went into a lodging house in the West End Tuesday night. I slept sound until 4 o'clock in the morning, when I was awakened by a strange man. I never saw him before. He came up to my room. I spoke to him and he was startled. He immediately drew a pistol and began shooting at me. He fired five shots and then ran out. I got up, dressed and walked out into the street."

"Did you tell anyone you were shot?" asked Chief Dugan.

"No," he replied. "I met a policeman when I reached the street and asked him to direct me to the hospital, which he did."

Patterson was told that his story was unreasonable inasmuch as he had walked about for seven hours with his wounds. He said he had no pain, he forced a smile to his face and remained silent. He said he did not know the name of the lodging house or its location.

STORIES INVESTIGATED.

Chief Dugan began an investigation of Patterson's stories. He telephoned the police of Concord and was told that Patterson was in the city until 4 o'clock and had worked in the Page belting mill. He was discharged because of dissatisfaction with his habits, it was stated.

According to the Concord police, he tried to get his job back but failed and became despondent, threatening to kill himself. He left his lodgings at 17 Albion street, Concord, and went to Manchester, where he was arrested on a charge of drunkenness. He then came to Boston and registered at the Crescent House at 359 Tremont street on Saturday, the 7th. He remained there until last Sunday afternoon. He told the clerk and guests that he was tired of living, but he thought he would go to his home in New Glasgow and visit his brother and sister.

On Saturday night he gave the hotel clerk \$15, which he asked him to put in the safe and keep for him. On Sunday he packed his belongings, took his money and bade the clerk and the guests good-by, saying he was going to Nova Scotia on the 7 o'clock train that evening. He left the hotel at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon and no more was seen or heard of him until word of his being shot was brought to the hotel by the police.

Yesterday a letter came to the hotel addressed to Patterson in a woman's handwriting. It was postmarked Concord, N. H., Aug. 12, 1909, and mailed at 1.30 p. m.

The letter is being held by the police. It is given to Patterson's brother.

When his clothing was searched at the hospital no papers were found and there was only cents in money.

No revolver or bullets have been found as yet by the police who are trying to locate the place where the shooting was done.

It is the theory of the police that Patterson shot himself Monday and Tuesday nights in a cheap lodging house and that after his funds became pretty low, he purchased the revolver with a view to ending his life. It is believed that he went to some back street and placed the revolver muzzle close to his breast, fired the three shots, then throwing the

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"I THOUGHT I WAS A GONER"

Without Food on Crazy Raft 27 Hours—Dog on Fishing Boat Cause of Pierson's Discovery.

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—"By golly, I thought I was a goner!" said Madden Pierson, the missing seaman of the wrecked schooner Edgemoor, when he was picked up by the fishing schooner Irene and Mary, after drifting without food or sleep for 27 hours on a crazy raft of lashed spars. Then he took a long pull from the captain's flask, swallowed a cup of piping hot coffee and turned in without further comment. Not until he awoke from a sound sleep did he complete his narrative.

While Pierson was rolled up in blankets below, Captain Ericsson of the Irene and Mary was making something of a hero of Sport, a black curly-haired spaniel, the mascot of the schooner. For an hour before the rescue Sport had been snuffing the air and yelping excitedly. Puzzled by the dog's behavior the captain kept a dog look-out, and when he saw what looked like a buoy slipped from its moorings he headed the schooner for the spot. Soon he could make out with the aid of his glasses the figure of a man waving his handkerchief. It was Pierson.

Refreshed, fed and in dry clothes, Pierson modestly told his story. He is a big blonde Swede, 43 years old, with a Viking mustache.

"I had just made fast a lifeline shot out to by the coast guards," he said, "when I was washed overboard by a comber. I didn't jump or have time to think of it."

"When I got my head out of the smother of foam I saw a lot of driftwood near me. There were iron bolts on it and loose ends of cordage. With these I lashed myself together, and they floated so that I could stand erect and wave my shirt. It was early morning and I could see the land. I waved my flag all night. I fought off sleep and the numbing cold."

"All day Tuesday I shouted and waved my flag. All night I fought off sleep and the numbing cold."

"Sixteen vessels, one a revenue cutter, passed me, but I could not attract their attention, and I was often out of sight in the trough of the seas."

"At last I could see when the Irene and Mary changed her course that the outlook had brightened. I have been a sailor for 22 years, but no schooner ever looked so good to me as the Irene and Mary beating up toward me."

The rescue of Pierson, 10 miles off Atlantic Highlands and about 18 miles from the outer side of Long Island, where the Edgemoor went ashore early Tuesday morning, accounts in full for the fate of the missing seaman. Pierson was brought to New York tonight and fitted out with new clothes by Captain Pierson. He expects to ship again, windjamming his trade.

AT RUSSIAN MANEUVERS.

Report That Gen. Hamilton, of the British Army Has Been Invited Causes Much Interest.

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 18.—Great importance is attached in military circles here to the report that General Ian Hamilton of the British army has been invited to attend the Russian military manoeuvres. Heretofore only French army officers have been admitted to the military councils of Russia.

The manoeuvres will be devoted to the defence of the Baltic coast and St. Petersburg against an imaginary German invasion.

DYNAMITE IN NAVAL GOAL.

Supposed Cartridges Found in Supplies for British Ships.

LONDON, Aug. 19.—A despatch from Portsmouth to the Daily Graphic says there is much alarm there, owing to the discovery three lately of supposed dynamite cartridges among coal shipped to Portsmouth for the battleships.

The latest find of this character was during the coaling yesterday of the cruiser Duke of Edinburgh. The correspondent says the mystery has not yet been explained.

CITY DISAPPEARING.

Gradually Slipping Into the Indus River—Dera Ghazi Khan, in India, Has Population of 25,000.

DOMBAY, Aug. 19.—The fate of the prosperous Punjab city of Dera Ghazi Khan, which for months has been gradually slipping into the river Indus, is now being hastened.

Nothing can be done to prevent the encroachment of the water. The prospect of the city going on very rapidly, from 50 to 100 feet of the river front is being swept away every day, and by one, two, or three mansions and hovels are disappearing in the swift stream.

Every effort of competent engineers to devise a way to protect the city has been futile. Dera Ghazi Khan has a population of 25,000.

"RAT" SAVES THE LIFE OF ITS FAIR OWNER

She is Thrown From a Car and, Alighting on Her Head, Has Narrow "Squawk."

TRENTON, N. J., Aug. 19.—Miss Daisy Pfeiffer did not lose her head when she was thrown from a car today, but she came mighty near it.

She is still wearing it in its accustomed place in due spite to the presence of mind of a pet "rat" which had concealed in her front hair at the time.

Bystanders who witnessed the accident say the size of the "rat" and the nest that had been made for it prevented Miss Pfeiffer's head from going under the wheels.

She fell off the car head first, the sound of her striking the wheels and causing her to rebound to safety. She was picked up unhurt, but the courageous "rat" did its fare so well. It had the stuffing knocked out of it and died without a squeak.

HER STEEL "RATS" SAVE WOMAN FROM DEATH

Blows of Highwaymen Rained Upon Her Rebound From Hair Updo.

CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 19.—Although saved from death by steel "rats" in her hair while striking two footpads who robbed her early today of diamonds and jewelry valued at \$1,500, Mrs. Mabel Moore, of No. 666 California avenue, is under the care of a physician at her home. She was beaten severely.

The robbery occurred in front of Mrs. Moore's home. Leaping from behind a clump of bushes, the two men threw revolvers against Mrs. Moore's head.

"Drop that satchel or we'll kill you," said one of the footpads, pressing the muzzle of his revolver against her forehead.

Mrs. Moore sprang aside, knocked the revolver away and tried to run up the stairway of her home. The next moment she was seized. The robbers beat her on the head with their weapons until she sank unconscious on the stairs. Then they took the chateaufort bag off her wrist and fled.

That the woman's skull was not fractured by the robbers' blows, the police say, was due to the "rats" she wore in her hair.

TONIGHT

Every Counter has Bargains of Great Interest to Friday Night Shoppers.

Fancy Shirt-Waist Belts
Tinsel and silver belts with new gilt band buckles. Large assortment of colors.
Value 28c to 35c.
Tonight 19c ea.

Moreen Underskirts
Tonight
A newly imported Underskirt put on at two prices. Underskirt with wide flounce.
Worth \$1.25
Sale 88c.

Ladies' Vienna Hand Bags
Fine Soft Leather Hand Bags. A novelty imported to sell at \$1.50 but balance of the lot to be sold. Come in brown, green, navy or black, at
50c to clear

Ribbons: Hair Ribbons
The greatest value yet shown this season. Wide Taffeta Ribbons—nice and firm for hair bows.
Value 20c.
Our special 15c yd.

Large Pearl Belt Buckles
Value 25c. For Wash Belts,
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Sale of Silks—
Hundreds of Yards
Blacks and colors—Waist lengths, dress lengths and shorter pieces of the best silks are on sale tonight at the Silk Counter.
You will find this a rare opportunity. Great bargains.

Fancy Linens—Reduced
Odd Pieces such as Tray Cloths, Sideboard, Small Table Cloths, Squares.
All Reduced to Clear

Men's Fancy Socks
Only a few dozen left. Come tonight sure if you want any.
Regular 25c, 35c.
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Tonight we put on sale special importations Russian Net Velling in Brown, Navy and Black.
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Fourth Grand Prize---\$350 MOTOR BOAT

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3 Trips to Boston and New York
3 Diamond Rings
3 Scholarships
3 Ladies' Desks

- 3 Trips to Boston and New York
3 Scholarships
3 Bicycles
3 Gold Watches
3 Morris Chairs

Table with 2 columns: Name and Prize Value. District No. 1. Ladies and Girls.

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Military and Naval Forces Organized on New Basis

Imperial Conference Closed Successful Sessions Yesterday

Official Statement of Decision to be Made Shortly

Times Demands Imperial Flying Squadron as Naval Nucleus

LONDON, Aug. 19.—The final meeting of the Imperial Defence Conference was held this morning, when it was understood that a resolution was brought forward to the effect that all military and naval forces shall be so organized that each shall be in a position to render efficient service at any part of the Empire.

AN IMPERIAL DEFENCE PLAN FINALLY SETTLED

A Business Education The Stepping Stone to Success

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ATTENDANCE. From the second year of its inception this school has enjoyed a larger scholarship attendance than any business school in Eastern Canada.

THOROUGH BUSINESS TRAINING. This class of training can only be secured in a school controlled by a teaching staff of experienced business men, a member of legal profession who has had long practice in law and a competent modern English teacher.

ENVIRONMENT. Prominent business men, many of whom are skeptical as to the idea of any business college's capacity for teaching business as it is transacted in the office, have been forced to admit, after inspecting our pupils in the actual performance of their every-day routine, that they could detect no difference whatever between our methods and the modern office methods.

MODERN METHODS. No school in Canada presents such a valuable business training proposition as this school. Instead of teaching ancient and modern methods, this institution sends its trained representatives to the various manufacturing and business offices, gathering new ideas and systems for the rapid execution of overhauling business methods, and keeping in close touch with the ever-increasing rapid changes in the business world.

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BLIND BOY A SUICIDE BARCELONA AGAIN WHEN MIRACLE FAILS UNDER CIVIL RULE

Long Despondent, He Loses All Hope Because Sight is Not Restored

MADRID, Aug. 19.—A civilian, Jose Miguel, was shot this morning at Barcelona in fulfillment of the sentence of a court martial. He was one of the organizers of the revolt at St. Andrea del Papirar and defended the place against the government troops and agents.

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—Losing all hope after a prophesied miracle which would restore his sight had failed to materialize, Peter Kelly, a Brooklyn youth, committed suicide at his home this morning by inhaling gas.

THE FEAT OF THE VIRGIN FALLS ON August 15, and on Sunday Peter was taken to Conroy Island. A bathing suit was hired for him and he was led to the edge of the water, where he splashed around. Today was to be the day of the miracle, but when Peter awoke it was to find that he was still blind.

Good advertising often marks the difference between profitless inaction and profitable activity.—Profitable Advertising.

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

FINANCIAL BRIEFS.

Things were getting pretty warm in the financial world this time two years ago, with Wall Street feeling the preliminary tremors of the great October panic.

Two years ago today there was a bad smash following the announcement that the Bank of England had increased its discount rate from 4 to 4 1/2 per cent.

News also came of the failure of the big Pope Manufacturing Company.

One stock in the August, 1927, dip distinguished itself, and that was Metropolitan Street Railway, which collapsed 44 points, from 81 to 37, on sales of 60 shares.

A receiver was appointed on September 24, 1927.

American Tobacco was also conspicuous, with a dip of 23 points between quotations.

In an interview Mr. Robert Melchen said:

"The farmer holds the key of the position, and I hope he will use it to his own profit, both in Ontario and Manitoba."

"That sounds good to the farmer, but where does the consumer come in?"

"London is also having a big boom in Egyptian shares, due to the prospects of a big cotton crop in Egypt."

The Egyptian group in Thimroton Street has been practically dead since the crisis, which followed the slump in Egyptian land three years ago.

At that time London speculators sustained some severe losses, and Canadian operators bigger losses still, with the result that the market has remained neglected and under cloud, until the present revival.

A sub-committee of the United States National Monetary Commission will visit Canada in September to make a personal examination of our monetary system.

The sub-committee will consist of Representative Vreeland, chairman; Senators Burrows and Daniel, Representatives Weeks and Robert Bonney.

The meeting of Steel directors attracted some attention to that company's affairs, and while no information was given out by the directors, there is every reason to believe that the position of the company is highly satisfactory. A dividend on the common stock some time a year hence would not surprise the Street any.

(Wall Street Journal).

Estimating the value of C. P. R. lands at \$2.4 million, the average value of the last year, the company has laid away for future use the amount of \$15,600,000, which can be expended or disbursed as it comes in, as the land is not capitalized and does not appear as an asset of the company.

The Alberta Pacific Elevator Company reports that this year the grain storage of the province will be 1,200,000 bushels in excess of last year. They alone have erected 30 elevators this year, of which 7 were built in southern Alberta.

Excellent samples of winter wheat are being submitted to grain men in the country for the past fifteen years claim that the majority of the samples will grade number one. Reports from all portions of the province show that the yield will be tremendous.

Oats are reported as being as plump as barley, and old-timers in the country claim that grain never in their experience had as splendid an appearance as today. Some districts report that the average wheat yield will be 35 bushels per acre, but the majority of the districts predict 20 bushels per acre.

GOLD EXPORTS TO CANADA.

The first exportation of gold to Canada this year was announced yesterday by the Bank of New York, which is to send \$200,000. The movement had been forecast some weeks in advance by the fluctuations of exchange.

INTERNATIONAL SWINDLERS.

MONTREAL, Que., Aug. 19.—The local department of the Canadian Pacific Railway here asserts it has discovered a huge conspiracy to mislead that and other corporations through false claims for damages for personal injuries in alleged accidents. The claimants are alleged to have a regular organization, with branches in Chicago, Toronto, Vancouver and other places, and to carry on systematic fraud by means of false witnesses.

Three arrests have been made and others are promised. The conspiracy is said to involve a number of lawyers and physicians.

WHY HAS C. P. R. ACTED SO BADLY DURING BULL MARKET?

There has been a great deal of conjecture as to the failure of C. P. R. stock to respond to the bullish feeling

Personal Paragraphs

J. Fraser Gregory returned to the city of Montreal today.

Harry Sealey returned to the city today from Salem, Mass.

John Wilson, M. P., came in on the Atlantic express at noon.

Arthur Nesbit arrived in the city on the Montreal express today.

W. Henry Irvine, formerly of this city, who has been lately located in the west, arrived in the city today. He is on his way to Halifax to assume charge of the Nova Scotia district for the New York Life Insurance Company, with which he has been connected for a number of years.

Miss Edith, Theodos and Josephine McKenna returned this morning from a visit to Harvey.

Colby, brother of West St. John, left on the C. P. R. express for Halifax at noon today.

Jack O'Brien, of Fredericton, passed through the city today on his way to

TRIED TO STAB WOMAN WHO REPULSED HIM

Australian Laborer Missed His Shot—Now in Jail

Melbourn Hold-Up Man Faces a Long Sentence—Man Struck by Train—Death of Kingston Auditor.

KINGSTON, Ont., Aug. 20.—William L. Miller, city auditor, died yesterday.

Mr. Miller was about sixty years of age, son of the late Cephas Miller of Newburgh and a brother-in-law of Hon. John A. B. Aylesworth, Minister of Justice. He was appointed city auditor in 1924. A widow and two daughters survive.

BRANTFORD, Ont., Aug. 20.—What was very nearly a murder in the foreign settlement yesterday afternoon resulted in the arrest of Steven Laych, a young Austrian, on the charge of attempting to stab a woman who repulsed him.

Laych, who is a laborer, was arrested when he drew a stiletto and made a stab at the woman. In doing so, however, he stumbled and the knife flew into the air and struck a young girl on the forehead and snapped off.

NONETT, Bait, Ont., Aug. 20.—Leona, a laborer of Sudbury, while walking on the C. P. R. tracks was struck by the Blind River local and killed.

Police Magistrate Livingston has ordered David Irvine, aged 48 years, a professional burglar and hold-up man, who has served three years in prison on various charges, to be turned over to the Hamilton police, who want him on a hold-up charge. Irvine was arrested here for vagrancy and for carrying a loaded revolver.

His alleged part in the Hamilton case, was sentenced recently to ten years in Kingston penitentiary.

FOUND EXPRESS LOAD OF LOOT IN HIS ROOM

Walter Patrick arrested for robbing Arnold's Department Store.

Petty thefts which have been going on at Arnold's department store for some time culminated this morning in the discovery of a large quantity of loot in the room of Walter Patrick by Detective Killen.

While police authorities refuse to divulge details of the case at the present time, a Star reporter learned that articles had been missed from time to time at the store, three days ago Miss Arnold noticed Patrick sorting past cards, and later upon searching his pocket found seventeen watches which had not been paid for.

Patrick, who is a young man, was spoken to, but it was not until he was caught in a second theft yesterday.

The police were notified and at noon Detective Killen took an express load of goods, supposed to be from the young man's room.

In order to get the packages away from the store unobserved he would pay the grand boys to carry them to his room, saying that he was not going tonight home.

This latter fact was not learned by the management of Arnold's until Detective Patrick arrested this morning.

ALD. POTTS' STAND.

Ald. Potts, speaking to the Star today, said that his stand with regard to the fire department had been misrepresented. He had asked for no investigation. Some of the men of No. 1 Company came to him and complained of matters connected with their company. He told them that the proper way to make complaints was to lay them before the Safety Board, in writing, and this was as far as his connection with the matter went.

WEST IS ENTHUSIASTIC OVER LAYMEN'S MOVEMENT

Rev. W. T. Stackhouse, of Winnipeg, Talks of Campaign in Western Provinces—May Speak in St. John.

Rev. W. T. Stackhouse of Winnipeg, field secretary for the Laymen's Missionary Movement, passed through the city today on his way to Halifax, where he will address the annual Maritime convention of the United Baptist churches.

Mr. Stackhouse has just returned from the West, where, he says, the success of the movement has far exceeded their most sanguine expectations. Men are showing more interest in allying themselves more closely with the work and are contributing their money in a way that surprised even him.

Mr. Stackhouse crossed the line on his Pacific coast campaign and addressed large gatherings at Portland,

EVIDENCE ALL HEARD IN THE MONCTON ENQUIRY

Argument on Investigation of Magistrate Kay's Court Was Begun and Will Continue This Afternoon.

MONCTON, N. B., Aug. 20.—The enquiry by Commissioner M. G. Teed into the affairs of the Moncton police court and Magistrate Kay's conduct and administration there, was reopened this morning with all the lawyers in the case present. The evidence was concluded by brief testimony from three witnesses, Mr. Germain and W. Hazen Chapman, clerk of the county court. The latter produced papers in the Ardie Kennedy case and the former told of the report of papers in the case, argument was proceeded with. W. B. Chandler was first heard for the defence and in opening dealt with the evidence regarding the alleged bias and prejudice exhibited by the magistrate and chief clerk, the incidents quoted as largely of a trivial nature. Argument will be proceeded with this afternoon.

THIS MAN IS SORE ON THE FREDERICTON POLICE

Carroll, of Chatham, Claims Chief Wintler Did Not Try to Catch Johnson.

CHATHAM, N. B., Aug. 20.—A quiet wedding took place last evening in St. Andrew's manse, when Rev. Father Ellis England, daughter of Peter England, were united in marriage by Rev. George.

The deputy sheriff has returned from Fredericton, where he went in an unsuccessful search for Fred Johnson, who last week hired a rig from Carroll's livery stable to go to New Brunswick. He did not return and Carroll began to worry. By telephone he learned that Johnson was speeding with a rig towards Fredericton. Carroll gave the Fredericton chief of police a full description of the man and his whereabouts and instructions to be police to watch each road and catch Johnson any way possible. He is said to have only covered one road and Johnson escaped and is now making his way towards Fredericton. Mr. Carroll was much incensed at this piece of work and declared he would have followed Johnson in an auto and caught him had he thought Chief Wintler would have failed.

LOCAL NEWS.

To cure Headache in ten minutes use Knappert Headache Powder.

500 Hats for \$2.50, and 300 Hats for \$1.00. At Mrs. Brown's, 238 Union St.

You will find that the ads. that appear to you most are the stores that will appeal to you most.

ONLY A FEW DAYS LEFT.

Don't forget the sale of Fry Goods, Boots and Shoes now going on at J. Labou's Store, 233 Brussels street, will soon draw to a close.

When the digestion is all right, the action of the bowels regular, there is a natural craving and relief for food. When this is lacking you may think that you need a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They strengthen the digestive organs, improve the appetite and regulate the bowels.

Tonight at F. W. Daniel and Company's, Charlotte street, every corner has special items of great interest to Friday shoppers. Sale of black and colored silks, fancy linens, moreen petticoats, hand bags, special wide hair ribbons, Russian veilings, men's fancy socks. See advertisement on page 5.

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Magistrate Ritchie dealt with John Travis, Joseph O'Brien and Charles

Appropriate Wedding Gifts

In Rich Cut Glass Fine China—and Silver Ware Inspection of our display invited

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This want ad. "influence" makes employers see at once that you do business in a business way—have business ideas—realize that publicity is all the "pull" you need. And it would take a strong endorsement from a friend of the employer to be worth as much as this same want ad. influence.

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PURNISHED FRONT ROOM, on car line. 148 Carmarthen street, above Duke. 20-8-12.

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DR. CHASE'S OINTMENT

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A GREAT SALE OF CHILDREN'S COTTON DRESSES

Over 150 to be Sold at Half and Some at Less than Half-Price.

The lot consists of white lawn and muslin dresses and colored gingham, chambrays and print dresses, and they will fit children from 1 to 14 years of age. The White Dresses are priced as follows:—

\$1.00 quality are now priced 50c
1.25 " " " " 85c
1.50 " " " " 75c
2.00 " " " " 95c

The Colored Dresses are priced 50, 65, 69, 75, 85, 89 cents, \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50. These are just half their regular price.

School will soon begin and you will need new dresses for the children after the wear and tear of the holidays. This is a chance to get them at less than the cost of the material.

F. A. DYKEMAN & CO.,
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Special Price Reductions At Gilmour's

Business men — in fact EVERY man who appreciates the worth of a dollar—should look at the suits and light weight overcoats we are now selling at pronounced concessions.

We believe it is better for us to sell this clothing now, even at less than it cost us, than to carry it over to next season. Better for us — and better for our customers.

Hence these unusual values:—

\$12 to \$15 Suits now 7.50 Other suits reduced 20 and 25 per cent

\$15 Light Weight Overcoat; now \$12. \$7.50, \$10, \$13.50. \$15 Short Overcoats or Toppers, now \$5 to \$6.75.

Waterproof Coats, Half Price, \$5 to \$17.50; Rubber Coats at 20 per cent discount.

Not all sizes in all styles. Lines are broken. But if your size is here, as is probable, you will get a GENUINE bargain.

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50c, 45c, 65c, \$1.10 ea.

FRUIT JARS—Self-sealing fruit jars in Pint, Quart and Half Gallons.

TIN TOP JELLY-TUMBLERS—36c and 46c dozen.

WINDOW SCREENS—20c to 35c ea.

SCREEN CLOTH—60 yd.

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Table Linens

Bleached and Unbleached. All in at one price.

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Fine Quality 60 and 64 inches wide

Extra Special Value

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THE WEATHER

Maritime—Moderate to fresh westerly shifting to northerly winds, fair today and on Saturday slightly colder.

LOCAL NEWS

Dunphy Downing was reported as resting easily at the General Public Hospital this afternoon.

Clearance sale of boys' suits at Pidgeon's, only three prices, \$1.98, \$2.48 and \$2.98; were \$3.00 to \$7.50. Save the difference.

School will open again next week and the problem of getting the Boys' Clothing outfit will be much more easily solved by visit to the J. N. Harvey Clothing Hat and Furnishings stores in the Opera House block. New Fall lines are now on sale.

The body of Barbara Gilson Sweeney, the three year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sweeney, of Brown's Flats, who was poisoned by taking some strychnine tablets on Wednesday, was brought to the city on the Elaine yesterday, and taken to the home of the child's grandmother, Mrs. William McLeod, Sydney street. The little girl, it is said, obtained the tablets from the stomach of a trained nurse who was visiting at Brown's Flats.

The Foresters' picnic to be held at Wolford, Saturday, the Royal Escort from St. John and Brunswick. Encampments of Royal Foresters will be in attendance to assist in the presentation of the Grand Cross of Merit to D. C. Linsley, P. H. C. R. The event will be one of the most notable in the history of Foresters in the province. The Royal Foresters will assemble at the Union Depot at 1:30 p. m. Saturday.

There will be a meeting of the Exhibition Association today for the purpose of hearing the reports of the various committees which were appointed some time ago to make arrangements for the 1910 exhibition. The reports will determine what action the association will take.

The death of Francis Arsenault took place last evening at his home Richmond street. The deceased was in his twenty-eighth year and is survived by his mother, three sisters and a brother. He was a son of the late Pascal Arsenault. Some months ago he contracted a cold and never recovered from his sickness. The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon.

A quiet wedding was solemnized last evening at the residence of Rev. W. B. Stewart, 11 Orange street, when Bertha, daughter of Richard Skinner, was united in marriage to Alfred Lee, son of Robert Lee, St. Peter's street. Miss Lee, a sister of the groom, acted as bridesmaid, while Charles Olney stood up with the groom. Only the immediate friends and relatives were present, and after the ceremony the happy couple went to Portland street, where they will reside. Many presents testify to their popularity.

ALDERMEN IN FAVOR OF PERMANENT PAVING

A majority of the aldermen seem to be in favor of taking some steps towards securing permanent pavements for the streets and the indications are that at this afternoon's meeting of the general committee will be decided that tenders shall be asked for the work on Germain street. As the work will involve the expenditure of money, a two-thirds vote will be necessary to pass any resolution of this nature, and the only prospect of blocking the matter would be the possible absence of some of the aldermen.

PROBATE COURT

Estate of Miss Sarah A. Tiedie, The accounts of Mr. James H. McAvity, executor and trustee for the past ten years, are filed. Citation issued to pass the same, returnable on Monday, the 27th day of September next. Mr. Fred R. Taylor, proctor.

Estate of Robert S. Jones, water. Deceased died intestate, leaving a sister, Caroline Sheppard, and a nephew, Nathias Jones, both of Boston. He was indebted to the commissioner of the General Public Hospital, and no one having administered, the deceased having left real estate to the value of \$500 and personal estate to the value of \$100, the commissioner authorized one of their members, Dr. Alex. M. MacRae, to apply for administration. Citation issued returnable on Monday, the 27th day of September next. Messrs. MacRae, Sinclair & MacRae, proctors.

MITCHELL-WILLIAMS.

In this city on the 18th of August at St. Mary's patronage, Mr. John H. Mitchell and Mrs. Sarah A. Williams were united in marriage by Rev. W. O. Raymond. The bride is a resident of St. John, and the groom, who has been in the employ of the Western Union for a number of years, is a resident of Woodstock. The bride was attired in a traveling suit of steel gray with black jet hat with steel gray roses. The groom's present to the bride was a gold bracelet set with diamonds. Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell take with them the best wishes of their many friends in St. John. They will leave on the 5:30 train for Woodstock, where they will reside.

DEATHS

McMASTER—At Milford, on 19th inst., Margaret McMaster, widow of James McMaster, aged 85 years. From the residence of her son, William McMaster, Church street, Milford. Service begins at 12 o'clock. Friends are invited to be present. Interment at Lorneville.

CLOSING EXERCISES AT CENTENNIAL GROUNDS

An Attractive Programme Arranged for the Wind-Up — Good Work Has Been Accomplished.

Centennial playground closed for the season this afternoon. An excellent programme was prepared and there was a large attendance at the grounds at 2:30 o'clock, when the exercises were started. The season at the playground for the children has been a happy one. Daily hundreds of tots have assembled at the school yard and enjoyed various games. But once again school calls the little ones to work and the playground sport ceases for another year.

Despite several disadvantages, Miss Nina Robertson, the supervisor, and Miss Alice Buckman have reason to feel proud of the success attained at the playground. Few realize the immense enjoyment the children have derived from the drills, games, swings, testers and other attractions. Not the least important feature of the playground was the kindergarten lesson, as well as instructions in burning and basketry.

In the classes the children have always given attention. The display of work surpasses that of former years.

The closing programme is an especially attractive one. At the opening of the afternoon's enjoyment Bernette Callaghan rendered a solo with a chorus of children's voices. Kathleen Robertson gave a recitation of welcome in a becoming manner. Other numbers in the programme are:—

Solo Celia Amund.

Recitation Elsie Allan.

Solo Agnes MacNeill.

Flag Drill Sixteen girls.

Recitation Marion Roberts.

Solo Mrs. Schmidt.

Solo Francis McClaskey.

God Save the King.

During the proceedings, Miss Nina Robertson will present her report on the playgrounds. The report deals in detail with the work that has been accomplished.

The games and other equipment will be stored away for the balance of the season. Thomas S. Hill has acted as superintendent at the grounds in an efficient manner. Mrs. D. P. Chisholm has assisted greatly as pianist.

UNSIGNED PETITION GOES TO WASTE BASKET

Ald. Vanwart Will Disregard Mysterious Document Which Reached Him Yesterday.

A petition asking for an investigation into the affairs of the No. 1 Fire Company was handed to Ald. Vanwart yesterday afternoon. As the document bore signatures or anything else to indicate its origin, the alderman threw it into his waste basket.

In conversation with The Star today, Ald. Vanwart said he received about a bushel of anonymous letters every year with regard to the affairs of the department, but he never paid an attention to any of them. "When man comes out into the open I am ready to meet him but not until then," he said.

While he could not say what steps would be taken by those who were interesting themselves in the matter, he did not think that there would be an further investigation. Chief Kerr might have his faults like any other man, but he had handled the department in a satisfactory manner for many years, and most of the citizens seemed satisfied with his methods.

Ald. Poir is quoted as saying that he will insist on an investigation, but the chairman of the Safety Board did not seem to take this very seriously.

LATE SHIP NEWS.

Arrived.

Sloop Walter C. 18, Belding, from Musquash, N. B.

Sir Aurora, 119, Ingersoll, from Grand Manan, N. B.

Sch Seaflower, 10, Thomson, from Chance Harbor.

Sch Marion, 170, Morse, from Grand Harbor.

Sir Westport III, 49, Coggins, from Westport, N. S.

Sch Centreville, 32, Graham, from Sandy Cove, N. S.

Sch Mikado, 50, Lewis, from Windsor, N. S.

Sir Calvin Austin, 255, Pike, from Eastport, Me.

Sir Ransom B. Fuller, 102, Mitchell, for Eastport, Me.

Sch Jennie, 98, Branscombe, for Scituate, Mass.

Coastwise.

Sir Prince Rupert, 630, Potter, to Digby, N. S.

Sloop Walter C. 18, Belding, for Musquash, N. B.

Sir Centreville, 32, Graham, for Sandy Cove, N. S.

Sch H. A. Holder, 84, Poir, for Alma, N. B.

Sch Mikado, 48, Lewis, for Apple River, N. S.

Sch Francis, 65, Geener, for Bridge town, N. S.

Arrangements have been completed for the game between the St. Peter's and Marathons tomorrow. The match will be played on the Shamrock grounds at 3 o'clock. Gilmour will twist for the Marathons, while Callaghan will pitch for the St. Peter's.

HURST PARK, Eng., Aug. 20.—The August two-year-old plate of 300 sovereigns, distance five furlongs, was run here today and won by the Chaffinch colt, Perseus and second, and H. P. Whitney's Blue Girl colt third.

NEW YORK, Aug. 20.—Whitlock Reid, U. S. ambassador to Great Britain, arrived today on the steamer Mauretania from Liverpool.

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