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**THE WEATHER**

Southerly wind, fine and cool; Wednesday, variable wind, fair and warmer.

## SEVEN LITTLE ONES LOST LIFE

### Bodies Found Today in Partial Ruins of St. Malachi's Home

#### ALL THOUGHT SAFE

#### Fire Invaded Institution Where 750 Children Lived—Good Work in Rescue—Hebrew Home Thrown Open For Them

New York, Aug. 31.—That seven little children, inmates of St. Malachi's Home for Children at Rockaway Park (L. I.), were suffocated in a fire which destroyed a portion of the home last night was discovered today by firemen digging in the ruins of the building. There were 700 children in the institution, which is conducted by the Sisters of St. Joseph of Brooklyn.

#### All Little Tots

Most of them marched out of the building in good order last night, when the fire alarm was sounded and it was supposed that all had escaped until the little bodies were found in the smouldering embers today. Nearly all of those burned to death were under five years old.

The portion of the dormitory in which they slept was directly over the laundry, where the fire originated. How they were overlooked in the work of rescue last night or whether there were other bodies remaining in the ruins could not be determined this morning, as most of the records of the institution were destroyed or inaccessible. The names of the burned children were unknown.

The fire was discovered in the laundry in the north wing of the home at 8 o'clock today. Three hundred and fifty small children were in their cots on the third and fourth floors of that wing, and some of the older children were attending evening prayers in the chapel. As the alarm sounded the older children marched from the chapel to the board walk along the beach, and the nurses and attendants rushed to the work of carrying the little children from their cots in the floors above. Firemen assisted in searching the halls and dormitories and found a few children lingering in the halls too frightened to leave the building, but the rescue work had been conducted with such dispatch and good order that it was believed that all the children were out of the building. While the flames were licking up the north wing of the big building, the children were being carried to the care of their nurses on the board walk. Some of the sisters made a determined effort to reach the store house to secure blankets to cover the babies of whom there were many scores, but the storehouse was filled with smoke and inaccessible.

#### Shelter in Hebrew Home

After several lengths of hose had burnt, and the north wing had been completely destroyed, the firemen checked the flames and saved the Hebrew Home nearby with a large number of inmates. A large number of children from St. Malachi's Home were given shelter in the Hebrew Institution, and others were taken into the various hotels and boarding houses on the beach. Edward Chancy, a Boston shoe merchant, was one of those who aided the sisters in finding shelter for the homeless children. The damage to the building amounted to \$25,000. The search for more bodies was continued today in the fear that other children had been buried.

## NEW ICE BREAKER STANDS TEST WELL

### Makes Speed of 18.4—Emigrants to Canada in Seven Months 53,923

London, Aug. 31.—The Canadian Associated Press Glasgow correspondent wires that the six hour official trial of the ice-breaker Earl Grey recently built for the Canadian Government was a great success. The mean speed on a measured mile was 17.34 knots, and the top speed 18.4 knots. Emigrants to Canada during the seven months of the year numbered 53,923, to the United States, 45,445.

## NEW SECRETARY OF PORTO RICO

San Juan, P. R., Aug. 31.—George Cabot Watson, member of the United States House of Representatives, has been appointed secretary of Porto Rico to succeed William F. Willoughby, who has been elected president of the executive council. Governor Briggs is not at the request of Representative M. E. Olmsted, chairman of the committee on insular affairs, is consulting the business men and political leaders here, with regard to the advisability of amending the Foraker act as the coming session of congress.

It is the after effect of experience that counts.

## FAMINE THREATENS IN WAKE OF MEXICO FLOOD

Monterey, Mexico, Aug. 31.—Following the great flood, the food supply is a serious problem in the city at the present time and prices on nearly every article have soared. Bakers are unable to bake the regular supply of bread, as many of their ovens were flooded during the rains and there is a scarcity of wood in the city. Corn is plentiful, but practically all the mills for grinding it have been destroyed.

## NEW BILLS OF LADING RECEIVED

### C. P. R. Here Receives Copy—Must be Uniform Bills After Oct. 1—A Circular Letter.

In consequence of the decision of the Board of Railway Commissioners for Canada, in July, that all Canadian railways must use a uniform bill of lading, the C. P. R. has received some of the new forms. The new order will come in effect on October 1. Forms of bills of lading prepared by shippers and in use after October 1, 1909, must contain the precise language of the new contract and conditions must conform to the requirements with respect to color distinction for "order" shipments and "straight" consignments, and to the prescribed size, 8 1/2 inches wide and 11 inches long.

This order places the Canadian railways on the same footing as the United States railways, which use a uniform bill of lading as the result of the order of the Inter-State Commerce Commission.

The Canadian Freight Association have issued a circular to shippers embodying the new order. It follows:—

The new bills of lading approved by the board of Railway Commissioners of Canada become effective on the 1st October, 1909, and after which date they shall be the only forms to be used by all railway companies subject to the legislative authority of the parliament of Canada.

With these new bills of lading are combined a shipping order and memorandum acknowledgment which may be briefly described as follows:—

1st. One form for use in connection with what are termed "straight" consignments, consisting of the bill of lading, shipping order and memorandum acknowledgment (all to be printed on yellow paper), and the shipping order and memorandum acknowledgment (to be printed on blue paper).

2nd. One form for "order" shipments, consisting of the bill of lading (to be printed on yellow paper), and the shipping order and memorandum acknowledgment (to be printed on blue paper).

A supply of blank forms of bills of lading upon request. Shippers who, for their own convenience, desire to print their own bills of lading can obtain copies from the secretary of the association.

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The division into two forms, one of which is white and the other in color, yellow and blue, was adopted to meet the unanimous wish that the "order" bill of lading should be of a distinctive character to prevent, so far as possible, fraudulent changes being made after the bill of lading is issued, and it was urged by both the shipping public and the bankers as a necessary safeguard to their commercial transactions, it being recognized that the shipping order and memorandum acknowledgment approved by the board of Railway Commissioners for Canada, will commend themselves to every shipper.

As much work will be required upon the part of the railways to print and distribute these new forms of bills of lading before 1st October, 1909, the advisory committee urges prompt action.

## KLING HAS OFFER FROM CINCINNATI

Kansas City, Aug. 31.—John Kling, who refused to play this year, has received a telegram from Clark Griffith of the Cincinnati club, accepting Kling's terms to go to Cincinnati. Kling said he made the figure high because he did not want to play. Griffith asked him to wire assurance that would report for duty next season.

Kling will think the matter over till tomorrow and then take definite action.

An observing spinner says it would keep half a dozen harvesting machines busy gathering in the crop of wild oats sown by some young men.

## FIGHTING BETWEEN SPANIARDS AND MOORS IS GENERAL ALONG THE MOROCCAN COAST



SPANISH TROOPS IN OUTWORKS NEAR MELILLA. LES ESPAGNOLS AU MAROC.

Lihom, Aug. 31.—Special despatches received here from Melilla, Morocco, say the fighting is general on the Moroccan coast. The new Spanish artillery has wrought terrible havoc among the Moors, who have lost 1,600 men in the last three days. The Spanish casualties amount to 330.

A Spanish column has destroyed three villages near Restinga. A Moorish deserter who has come into the Spanish lines declares that Spanish prisoners are being horribly tortured and mutilated. They are then decapitated and their dead bodies flung into a hole on Mount Gurgas.

## STOP TRAIN ROB EXPRESS CAR OF \$1,000

### Bandits, in Western Style, Hold up Train and Shoot Conductor—Escape to Mountains.

Lewiston, Pa., Aug. 31.—Robbers stopped a west-bound express train on the Pennsylvania railroad at the Narrows, eight miles east of here, at 2 o'clock this morning, robbed the express car of \$1,000 in gold, and escaped into the mountains.

Conductor Poffenberger, of Harrisburg, was shot through the hand in a fight with the robbers.

The crew of the train resisted the robbers and one of the crew was shot through the arm. The spot where the robbery occurred is a ideal location for a hold-up, the mountain and paths lead to almost impenetrable fastnesses in the woods. The robbers placed an obstruction on the track and the engineers sighted it in time to save his train. The unusual stop brought Conductor Poffenberger forward. One of the masked men opened fire upon him and the train stopped.

The safe in the express car was taken from the car by the men, but it was not heavy enough for them to handle, and they did not succeed in opening it. The train held up left Philadelphia at midnight.

## FINED \$50. FOR CHIPMAN ACTS

### Walter Bishop Drunk and Causing Disturbance—Goid Ring Stolen and Recovered

Chipman, N. B., Aug. 31.—(Special)—Walter Bishop was fined \$50 and costs for being drunk and causing a disturbance on the main street running through Chipman. The costs were paid and the fine allowed to stand. The complaint was laid by Albert Bolya, police constable.

About two weeks ago a gold ring, valued at \$50, belonging to Mrs. Craig, was stolen from Chipman House. The matter was placed in the hands of Police Constable Bolya, and he recovered the ring and returned it to the owner.

## NEW EQUIPMENT FOR NORTHERN PACIFIC

St. Paul, Aug. 31.—The Northern Pacific announces that its new equipment upon which the builders have been exerting every effort toward quick delivery will be delivered in the near future. Several of the cars have been already received. There are sixteen standard sleeping cars, and these will immediately be placed in service on the Northern Pacific Limited. Eight of the cars will contain fourteen sections and one drawing room, and eight cars will contain ten sections—two staterooms and one drawing room. The Northern Pacific recently received thirteen locomotives from the Baldwin works and seventeen more are ordered. The combined weight of each engine, with its loaded tender, is 276,970 lbs., the tenders having a capacity of twelve tons of coal and seven thousand gallons of water.

## FROST HITS CROPS ALONG NASHWAAK AND OROMOCTO

### Damage Done Last Night—Only 35 Above in Fredericton This Morning—Six Scott Act Cases—Fines For Illegal Salmon Fishing.

Fredericton, N. B., Aug. 31.—(Special)—A heavy frost last night along the Nashwaak and Oromocto resulted in considerable damage to crops. At seven o'clock this morning the thermometer here registered 35 above zero.

General Superintendent Downie, of the C. P. R., accompanied by his sister and niece spent last night here and went to St. John this morning.

Six Scott Act cases, all for first offences, were acknowledged in the police court this morning.

Hon. John Morrissey arrived at noon to attend a government meeting tomorrow. The body of Mrs. Wm. D. Richards, who died while on a visit to California was taken to Boston by special train this afternoon. Rev. J. H. McDonald conducted services at the residence of H. H. Gomer, University avenue.—A large number of relatives and friends accompanied the body to Boston.

Three cases against residents of Kingsclear and Queensbury, charged with fishing salmon in the close season were in the police court this morning. Talmage Currie was tried ex parte and fined \$20 and costs. Charles Howland pleaded not guilty but was convicted and fined \$10. A similar penalty was imposed on Benjamin Goodwin. The complaints were lodged by Fishery Overseer McKay.

## ST. JOHN WELL REPRESENTED IN CHATHAM Y.M.C.A. SPORTS

### List of Entries Complete Today Shows Good Men From Many Points Will Contest For Honors.

Chatham, N. B., Aug. 31.—(Special)—Entries for the Y. M. C. A. sports to be held here tomorrow closed last night. The list of entries is as follows:—

100 yards—Jack Morrissey, C. K. Mersereau, J. M. Douglas, Newcastle; Roy Dryden, Fred Boyard, E. D. C. St. John; W. L. Landry, Logville; E. W. Ferguson, Moncton; Joseph Wood, W. W. Watling, Chatham; J. M. C. A.

220 yards—Landry, Ferguson, Morrissey, Mersereau, Douglas, Boyard, Dryden, Wood.

440 yards—Watling, Dryden, Douglas, Mersereau, Morrissey, J. A. Lea, Moncton; Landry; Half-mile walk—Alphonse Mallet, Chatham; Lea, Watling, Jos. Dickson, Chatham.

One-mile run—Fred S. Cameron, Ramble; Andrew, Michael Thomas, Charlotteville; Hy. Dickson, Chatham; Bernard Cripps, Chatham; Clarence Fawcett, Moncton.

Running high jump—Harold Murray, Lea, Moncton; Wood, Watling.

Running broad jump—Landry, Lea, Wood, Watling.

Running hop, step and jump—Watling, Wood, Lea, Landry.

Shot put—Joseph Trainer, Chatham; Lea, L. J. Loggie, Chatham; Watling.

## BIG POLICE SHAKE-UP

### GREECE QUIET SOLDIERS IN BARRACKS

#### Eight Patrolmen Transferred From North to Division

#### Places Taken By Men From City Beats—In Interest of Department, Says Chief Clark Confirming the Report

Athens, Aug. 31.—The formation of the new cabinet has markedly eased the situation. The troops which took part in the meeting at Goudi Camp Friday returned this morning to their barracks. There has been no disturbance of public order.

As a decree has been made public according to which the officers and soldiers' constitutional changes will probably be made in accordance with their demands. The city has resumed its usual aspect. It may further be remarked that no incident took place during these two days.

The presence at the head of the government of M. Avramichalis, who is well known for his moderation, tact and great ability, inspires the greatest confidence. He declares that the attitude of the government was inspired by the most loyal and conciliatory sentiment. Greece, added the premier, will pursue a pacific policy and will always show deference to the advice of the great powers, an attitude which has been the means of earning for Greece the good will of the nations.

Among the claims put forward in the national defence issued by the officers of the army the following points are declared to be essential:—

First, the introduction of serious economies in the budget in order that the reorganization of the army and navy should have been attempted for several years, may be carried out on a more solid basis.

Second, the command of the army shall be confined to general officers under the inspection of the king. Royal princes shall serve in the army on the same conditions as other officers.

As far as the navy is concerned, the insurgents demanded the construction of a battleship, the suppression of the yards of the fleet, with the exception of one for the king, the construction of a number of destroyers and the repair of the three existing battleships.

The attitude of the troops, which after the formation of the new cabinet returned to the barracks, is admirable.

The cabinet hopes to prepare a scheme of national defence which will be approved by the chamber. Tranquillity is complete in both Athens and the provinces.

"Well, you know, I married an old man, don't you," said the woman, and she judge nodded his head in acquiescence.

"Why don't you try to beguiling money in a badge," she observed, and when she was permitted her freedom providing she departed for Houlton this evening, she exclaimed, "Thank you judge, I knew you'd uphold me for me acted like a rascal," and as she vanished into the corridor there floated back, "Give me the old cop instead of the new."

Six weeks ago a quarrel between the Bantroy woman and a painter was suppressed in Charlotte street place.

Thomas Willison, a one-armed man, pleaded his first departure from his recently adopted programme of navy curtailment when it announced that three new cruisers will be constructed for the Japanese navy. Each of the cruisers will be of 5,000 tons and the Curtis turbine will be used in the power plant.

The keels of the new fighting ships will be laid in the cities of Kur, Nagasaki and Kobe.

## WAS JAILER, CRIMINAL AND ACTRESS

### Remarkable Career of a Woman Who Died in the West Pennsylvania Hospital.

New York, Aug. 31.—A Pittsburgh despatch to the Tribune announces that Mrs. Kate Soffel, who liberated the Bidle brothers from the Allegheny County jail on January 30, 1904, died at the West Pennsylvania Hospital from typhoid fever. She was 42 years of age. Her eldest daughter, Margaret, is a nurse in the hospital, and cared for her mother to the last.

Mrs. Soffel was the wife of Peter Soffel, warden of the jail at the time of the escape. She obtained files and revolvers and accompanied the men who were condemned to death to Butler County, where detectives overtook the trio. In a fight in the snow the Bidles were fatally wounded, and Mrs. Soffel was shot in the side. She served two years in the Western Penitentiary. She afterwards appeared in a drama "A Desperate Chance."

## IMMENSE OLIVER INTERESTS START BATTLE WITH FRICK

Pittsburg, Aug. 31.—United States Senator George L. Oliver and the immense Oliver interests have started an active business fight against the Frick interests here for the past taken by Frick in opposing the election of Oliver.

The first gun was fired, according to local financiers, when two the largest steel companies—the Republic Iron and Steel and the Crucible—signed leases for office space in the new 25-story Oliver building, at an annual rental of \$125,000. Both the companies leave the Frick Building, which was erected some years ago by Henry W. Frick, after his row with Andrew Carnegie.





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NOT FEELING WELL

Sir Edward Morris is apparently not impressed with St. John as a winter port. That is because Sir Edward has not looked into the matter. He is not a competent authority.

RIGHT TO THE POINT

Under the title "a foolish crusade," the Halifax Chronicle makes this keen criticism of the course of such journals as the Halifax Herald and St. John Standard relative to imperial defence.

A LOST OPPORTUNITY

An Ontario gentleman has been making himself solid in Halifax. To the Herald he said: "Halifax is the best location for a steel shipbuilding yard in the east."

Only one thing appears to be necessary to complete this story. While he was in Halifax, which he was visiting for the first time, the Ontario man should have built the steamship. Why wait a year and a half for so mere a trifle as an erection of a steel-shipbuilding plant?

THE GRAIN TRADE

The New York Journal of Commerce is disturbed over the diversion of the grain trade from that port to the St. Lawrence, because the railways make the grain rate from Buffalo to New York too high.

EUROPE'S EXAMPLE

"In the subject of industrial schools and in practical, technical education for the masses, the United States take off its hat to continental Europe."

WHICH ATTRACT ATTENTION

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WHEN WE COME TO STUDY THE WORK

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WHEN NEW ZEALAND OFFERED A DREADNOUGHT

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NANCY

(An Idyll of the Kitchen.) In brown holland apron she stood in the kitchen; Her cheeks were rosy, and her cheeks all aglow; Her fingers coiled neatly, when I, indistinctly, stood watching while Nancy was kneading the dough.

IN LIGHTER VEIN

"Does your wife enjoy roughing it?" "Does she? Say, you should see her in a bargain rub."

MY CHOICE

I'd rather sing some simple lay And have the world know it means me, than in such bewilderment to see At those who write for magazines.

THE QUESTION

"What makes the man?" "Highly the philosopher." "True," replied the purely commercial gentleman, "but do you think a man ought to be worth it?"

UNCLE EZRA SAYS:

"There's no need for anyone's borrowin' the trouble will take care of itself."

GOOD START

Father—"Now, look here, you girls—when you grow up you must be able to speak French and the other German."

HOW ABOUT IT?

"These summer engagements seldom result in matrimony." "Perhaps it is just as well. Disillusion would be a bitter-sweet."

THE SOVEREIGN TEST

How to keep the heart on straight, That's the thing to know; How to keep the heart sweet As the storm-wind blows; How to dwell in peace and bliss, That's the sovereign test; When a happy summer comes, Mosquitoes sing their best.

SAME OLD FEELING

"I was walking along the street in a western town," said a Louisville man, "when suddenly across the way I saw a Louisville girl whom I had not seen for years."

THE INGLENOOK PHILOSOPHER of Kennebecasis Bay.

Henry Hudson, an Englishman, whose birthplace is unknown, was the discoverer of the river which bears his name.

MORNING LOCALS

The I. C. R. double track between Moncton and Paines Junction has been opened for traffic.

FATHER CURRAN

Charlottetown, P. E. I., Aug. 30.—(Special)—The death occurred at Colorado Springs on Sunday of Father Curran, brother of Rev. Dr. Curran, of Charlottetown.

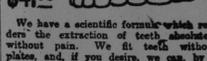
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MORSE AGAIN RISES IN WORLD

(Portland, Maine, Argus) According to the New York Sun Charles W. Morse expects to regain control of the Metropolitan Steamship Company at the foreclosure sale of that company next month.

OBITUARY

Miss Isabelle Johnson News of the death of Miss Isabelle Johnson, which occurred Monday at the residence of her brother-in-law, Richard Farmer, 295 Main street, will be learned with deep regret by her many friends.

MR. MORSE'S RECORD

The stockholders of record were Charles W. Morse, H. S. Carney and Arthur Brown, Morse's former secretary. It was understood that Mr. Morse had disposed of the stock in this company among friends who have faith in him, his idea being that he could accept their assistance in this way without putting the money in jeopardy from the judgments that are outstanding against him.

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MORE ABOUT FREE SPEECH CORRESPONDENCE COMES OUT

Examination off Until Tomorrow Morning—Judge Willing to Accept \$8,000 Bail for McDougall

Most of the time of the police court yesterday was taken up by taking evidence in the C. Bruce McDougall case. Adjournment was made till Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock, when the prosecution will probably close its case.

Continuing witness said that McIntyre, of the Evangelical church, wrote to Free Speech asking for the agency for the paper, but no answer had been received.

Declared before me at the town of Sussex, in the said county of Kings, this 30th day of August A. D. 1909. One of His Majesty's justices of the peace in and for the county of Kings, in the province of New Brunswick.

WE TREAT TOURISTS RIGHT HERE, SAYS VISITOR TO CITY

"One thing I like about you people up here is that you don't 'gouge' the tourist. A man coming here from the United States for a holiday can always rely on getting pretty good value for his money."

Mr. Gordon, who comes from the little city of McAllister (Okla.), is junior partner of the legal firm of Stewart & Gordon, of McAllister (Okla.).

Mr. Gordon leaves this morning for Boston en route to his home. Mr. and Mrs. Gordon leave this morning for Boston en route to his home.

VISITING RAILWAY MAN SPEAKS IN PRAISE OF I. C. R.

To be general manager of an important railway system at forty-two years of age, with one's hair barely tinged with grey, falls to the lot of but a few men, but E. Wells, general manager of the San Pedro, Los Angeles and Salt Lake railway with 1,100 miles of railway under his command...

NEW THOMSON LINER TO COME HERE IS FINELY MODELLED STEAMER

The new twin-screw steamer Tortona, launched on the 18th instant, at the Wallingford yard, Swan, Hunter & Wigham, and which will come here next winter, is an Italian service is a finely modelled four-masted twin-screw steamer with complete shelter deck. Her overall length is 461 feet, beam 54 feet, and depth 40 feet to the shelter deck.

NO WARM GREETING FOR GOMPERS AT THE CONGRESS

Paris, Aug. 30.—Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, was the dramatic centre of the first day's session of the sixth international trades union congress held here in London.

LETTER CARRIERS' CONVENTION

St. Paul, Minn., Aug. 31.—All arrangements for the biennial convention of the National Association of Letter Carriers are complete, and all the officers of the organization have arrived.

HIS LIFE FOR HIS FRIEND

New York, Aug. 30.—After a desperate fight in the surf to save his friend, Harry C. Myers, of Freeport, L. I., from drowning in Hempstead Bay, Stanley Roberts, a Baptist seaman, dropped dead of exhaustion on the beach this afternoon.

CANADIAN SPORTSMAN

The Canadian Sportsman has issued a grand special Canadian National Exhibition number, dated August 27. It consists of thirty-two pages, with many half-tone illustrations, interesting stories

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A SPECIAL SALE OF MOIRETTE UNDERSKIRTS

The Best Quality of Ladies' New Moirette Underskirts, Stylish, Durable and Comfortable, in Black, Brown, Navy, Gray and Blue, formerly sold at \$4.90, this lot for \$2.90 while they last.

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That we are selling at such Reasonable Prices? \$14.90 for a Coat Worth \$20.00. They are shown in brown, navy and black, have a wide and narrow stripe, are rubberized and guaranteed rainproof. A most stylish and serviceable coat for a popular price. All sizes. Silk Moire Rainproof Coats, regular \$24.00 quality, on sale at \$20.00. This is a very handsome rich coat and the material is of such a texture that the garment can be worn rain or shine. It does not look like a raincoat, but yet it is absolutely rainproof. Special Cravenette Coats, fall weights, \$5.65, \$8.25, \$9.50 and \$11.00. These jauntily tailored, are rainproof, semi tight fitting, come in two shades of gray, fawn, heather and green.

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Clearance Sale of Infants' Bonnets

In order to clear the balance of our summer stock of these goods we have made sweeping reductions. Silk, Muslin and Straw Bonnets that were from 75c. to \$2.00. Your choice now for 48 cents.

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SCHOOLS RE-OPEN

In a couple of weeks and the chances are that many parents have neglected giving their children's teeth proper attention.

Do not procrastinate. Delays are dangerous. Decayed teeth breed ill-health and are a menace to other school children. We make no charge for consultation.

DR. J. D. MAHER, 527 Main St.

CIRCULATION

Table showing circulation figures for the last seven months: January 6,716; February 6,978; March 7,165; April 7,189; May 7,003; June 7,029; July 7,028.

TO ADVERTISERS

We issue at 12 noon, Saturday, until further notice. Advertisers should have their copy at the Times office not LATER than five o'clock, Friday, p. m.

THIS EVENING

Moving pictures and illustrated songs at the Nickel. Motion pictures and illustrated songs at the St. A. O. H. dance in their rooms, Union street. Attractions at Seaside and Rockwood Parks. Clivette and his company at the Opera House.

LATE LOCALS

The board of public works will meet this afternoon at 3 o'clock. Argument in the Grand Falls Power case has been postponed until tomorrow morning at 10.30 o'clock. The three-year-old son of Carpenter Ward, who was lost, was found yesterday by the police and returned to his mother. Steamer Calvin Austin, Captain Pike, arrived in port about 9.30 o'clock, this morning and landed 340 passengers. Many are taking advantage of the excursion rate of \$5 and return. The Carleton Cornet Band will take the place of the City Cornet Band for tomorrow evening's concert at King Square, the latter playing in place of the Carleton band in Tilley Square, on Friday evening. The New Bedford auxiliary yacht Katrina 2nd, will come through the falls this afternoon. She has been up the St. John river on a pleasure trip. She will sail from this port tomorrow. George Reed, watchman of the steamer Calvin Austin, went on duty this morning, after a visit to his home in Calais. John H. Graham, head watchman of the Austin, left the steamer this morning for a vacation with his folks on the Hickey Road, St. John county. Diver Edward Lahey went down to the sunken bell buoy off the eastern end of Partridge Island today to put extra gear around it, so as to make it more secure when he places the screws to raise it. With the incoming tide, probably tomorrow morning, if fine weather continues, the work will be done. The members of Fairville Section J. T. of H. T. wish to thank the school board for the use of the vacant room in the Fairville school building, which they secured for them as a section room. All the members of the section are requested to meet at the home of the worthy governors, Miss Alice Stears, this evening at 8 o'clock, to make arrangements for fitting to the room. Plans and specifications have been prepared for the immediate reconstruction of the Marconi Wireless Telegraph Station at Glace Bay. The date for starting work is not fixed and no estimate is made as to when the new station will be ready for operation, but the company expects to have everything done in as short time as possible.

LA TOUR SPORTS

ON LABOR DAY The sports to be held on the west side under the auspices of La Tour Section T. of H. on Labor Day are exciting interest among lovers of amateur sport. This organization has done much to promote sport on the west side and has created quite an interest in baseball. It is the intention to further promote clean sport during the fall and winter. The events are arranged for Monday afternoon are: For members of sections only: 220 yards and 880 yards, 3 mile, broad jump. Free for section members: 100 and 200 yards, Juniors 13 or under. Sections only. For all intermediate 15 years and under: 100 yards, 220 yards, 880 yards, 1 mile, 5 mile, high jump, broad jump. Among the entries received are Stanley Humphrey, Wm. Tufts, Robt. Lunnegren, A. McAlloney, Geo. Saul, H. Gardiner, H. McLeod, H. Ellis, C. Sharpe. Several others are expected within the next few days. Some of the prizes are: Medal, Hon. Robert Maxwell; silk umbrella, Jas. McAllan; 5 pound box candy, C. M. Brown; Fancy clock, H. Colby Smith; Fountain pen, T. H. Hall; Fancy clock, W. D. Baskin; comb and brush, West End Dairy; pair skates, Rev. W. R. Robinson; pearl knives, R. H. Parsons. The entries will close on Friday September 3. An entrance fee of 15c. is charged. All entries should be sent to R. H. Parsons, St. John West, who is chairman of the sports committee.

THE MILITARY CHANGES

Lieut. Col. Humphrey, successor to Col. White as D. O. C. for New Brunswick enters on his new duties today with considerable experience and a thorough knowledge of what is required of him. He does not intend to make any staff changes in the management of this district. While he is commanding the camp at Aldershot from Sept. 7 to 18, this district will be under control of Lieut. Col. Ogilvie who will leave today for his new field in P. E. Island and who will be succeeded here by Capt. F. W. L. Moore, R. O., as D. S. A. for this province. Owing to the latter's not assuming office for a short time it is probable that Captain Dudomane, R. C. E., will supply in his absence. Col. White will remain in the city for some weeks.

McDERMOTT BOYS SAVE LIFE AGAIN

Charles Bridges Overboard This Morning Rescued After Sinking Twice

Charles Bridges, of Germain street, nearly lost his life this morning by drowning. He was going along the face of Magee's wharf at Reid's Point, when he tripped over a rope and fell over the wharf into the harbor. His cry for help was heard by John and Gregory McDermott, who went to his rescue, and after a hard struggle they managed to get hold of the drowning man, who had sunk a second time.

THREE GARDEN PARTIES ATTRACT PEOPLE TODAY

Every Day Club Grounds, Silver Falls Methodist Grounds and Mrs. D. D. Robertson's, Rothesay

The Every Day Club garden party will be held on the club's grounds this afternoon and evening. A score or more of ladies will be in charge, with members of the club to assist. Supper will be served from 5 to 7 p. m. The grounds will be well lighted tonight and there will be music and numerous attractions.

There is a mysterious fortune teller, who will have a special booth, Band and orchestra will be present. There will be several guessing contests. The bright moonlight will aid in the evening's illumination. A garden party is to be held today at Silver Falls on the Methodist parsonage grounds and gives promise of being highly successful. A number of buses will filled with people left at 2.30 for the grounds. At 4.30 and 6.30 buses and bookboards will also leave. The committees in charge of the garden party are in part as follows: General committee—Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Hamilton, Thomas Shelington, Charles Bustin and J. E. Young. Both committee—Miss Hattie Clayton and Charles Bustin.

Supper tables in charge of Mrs. J. E. Young, Mrs. Charles Bustin and Mrs. William Knox. With such fine weather as is enjoyed to day large crowds should attend as an enjoyable outing is expected. On the grounds of Mrs. D. D. Robinson, at Rothesay a garden party is being held this afternoon by the Rothesay branch of the women's auxiliary. Those having charge of the party are, Mrs. F. Brock, Miss L. Fairweather, Mrs. D. Donville, Mrs. A. W. Daniel and Mrs. H. D. Robinson. Games will be played and supper served on the grounds and a delightful time is assured all who attend. The proceeds will be devoted to missionary work.

NEW Y. M. C. A. MAN HERE THIS WEEK

W. H. Moore Expected Tomorrow or Thursday to Take Up Work Among the Boys

W. H. Moore, the new Y. M. C. A. work secretary for St. John is expected to arrive tomorrow or Thursday and will enter upon his duties immediately. He comes here with a thorough knowledge of the requirements of his office, and has had considerable experience in the work among boys. He has just finished a special course of instruction at Silver Bay, where the different branches of boys' work in the Y. M. C. A. are taught and thoroughly explained to every student. In Toronto, where Mr. Moore has lived for a number of years, he has been prominent in Y. M. C. A. circles.

HARBOR BOARD AND HON. DR. PUGSLEY

The harbor board will meet Hon. Wm. Pugsley, minister of public works, tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock. The recorder has the agreement for the west side transfer in readiness for the minister to look over. It will however, yet have to be ratified by the council.

THE VOLUNTEER ORGANIST

A play must be the real thing these days before a manager will deign or even dare to produce it. The days of unwholesome shows are past and any drama to be successful must be human as well as interesting. One play which can lay honest claims to being of the strictly wholesome type is "The Volunteer Organist," which is to be produced in the Opera House Labor Day afternoon and evening and the following two days.

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Particularly important are the special designs in new Worsted Suiting of exclusive novelty patterns at \$19.50, \$21.50 and \$23.50

All Orders Placed in August Are Subject to 10 Per Cent Off Regular Price

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Steel Pots and Sauce Pans

Among the Kitchen Utensils that have become very popular in the kitchen are the unbreakable steel Pots and Pans. These Pots and Pans are retinned on the inside and black on the outside. They are fitted with a retinned cover which is extra heavy. They are easy to clean and will heat quickly. They are noted for their wearing quality. Come and see them. We can also supply you with Lanterns and Lantern C'obes, Wash Tubs, Boilers, wringers and etc. It will pay you to look over our stock.

McLean, Holt & Co. 155 Union St.

Great Hosiery Values for Men

These Big Special Prices in Men's Half Hose Less Than Cost of Manufacture

- Lot no. 1—Men's fine lisle, cotton, cashmere half hose in black, tan, greys, blues, and fancy patterns, regular values 25c. to 35c. per pair. Special Sale Price 17c. per pair. Lot no. 2—Men's fine French lisle half hose in tans, blues, greens, greys and fancy effects, regular prices 50c., 75c. per pair. Special Sale Price 37c. per pair. Lot no. 3—Men's cashmere half hose in grey, brown, green, navy and tans with fancy effects, regular prices 50c., 75c. per pair. Special Sale Price 37c. per pair.

A Grand Round-up in Men's Washable Vests

Prices Greatly Reduced We had a larger stock and sold more washable vests this season than ever before. Now the season is getting well advanced we are desirous of closing out the balance of stock on hand, and we have marked them at very special prices to effect a speedy and complete clearance. Every size in stock from 36 to 46 excepting 42 and 44 and selections for almost every taste. Spots, stripes, checks and solid colors.

- \$1.00 Washable Vests now \$ .63 \$1.25 Washable Vests now \$ .84 1.75 Washable Vests now 1.13 2.25 Washable Vests now 1.87 3.50 Washable Vests now 2.23 4.00 Washable Vests now 2.73 4.50 Washable Vests now 2.98

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The ladies of St. John should consider themselves extremely fortunate in having in their own city a department such as this, providing a service identical with that of the leading metropolitan establishments. This extensive new room now permits of sufficient space to exhibit all the newest models to advantage, and our patrons may rest assured that every late idea in the world of ladies' and children's wear will be shown here simultaneously with other and larger cities. The following are new goods just in:

- LADIES' NIGHT DRESSES, DRAWERS, AND CORSET COVERS—Paris Hand Embroidered Corset Covers and Night Dresses with Low Neck and Short Sleeves. Very Handsome Models, prettily trimmed. Drawers to match. Per garment. \$1.10 to \$5.85. CHILDREN'S FIRST DRESSES—All hand made, finest tucks, embroideries and lace. Each \$2.10 to \$7.00. CHILDREN'S LONG CLOAKS—Very handsome corded Silks, embroidery trimmed, also in Cashmere. Each \$3.25 to \$16.50. LADIES' DRESSING JACKETS—in Flannel, Velours, Cashmere and Silk. Each \$2.35 to \$6.75. WINTER VESTS, DRAWERS AND COMBINATIONS—Silk and Wool, Cotton and Wool, and All Wool. From 25c. per garment up. INFANTS' BASSINETS—Trimmed. Each \$5.25. INFANTS' SMALL BASKETS—Trimmed. Each \$3.75. INFANTS' BASKETS—On stands, with drawer. Each \$7.25. Also Untrimmed Baskets in different styles.

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