

NAVY READY TO REST CASE IN SUTTON INQUIRY

Davis, of Counsel for Dead Cadet's Mother, Satisfied With Developments of Case So Far...

Annapolis, Md., July 23.—The navy practically rested its case today in the re-investigation of the death of Lieut. James N. Sutton...

GREY BACK FROM ABROAD LOOKS WELL

His Excellency Welcomed Upon Reaching Quebec Yesterday.

Special to The Standard. Quebec, July 23.—His Excellency the Governor General arrived at 10 o'clock this morning on board R. M. S. Empress of Ireland...

SPOONERS FALL OVERBOARD BUT ARE RESCUED

New York, July 23.—John Force, of Christopher street and Julia Burns of Ninth Avenue sat on a strapping piece of the wharf at Twenty-sixth street and North River on Tuesday night...

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Cambridge, Mass., July 23.—Through the discovery today of the body of Stewart McTavis lying fully clothed on a bed in the Hotel Florence near the Cambridge courthouse...

THIS STRIKE LIKELY TO BE SETTLED

Lynn, Mass., July 23.—According to Frank Kidder, business agent of the packing room employees...

Special to The Standard. Lynn, Mass., July 23.—The prospect of the reopening of the factory of James Phelan and Sons, the third one affected by the strike...

RIFFLES LEAVE FOR MANITOU 200 STRONG

Montreal, July 23.—Two hundred strong, the Victoria Rifles, Montreal's crack rifle regiment...

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SIX CANADIANS IN FINAL STAGE FOR KING'S PRIZE

Semi-final Shot Off Yesterday and Ten of Team Are Eliminated—McInnes and Huggins Lead in Second Stage With 190 Points—Sprinks, Who Tied For First Place in Preliminaries, Has Off Day—The Score in Detail.

Table with names and scores for the King's Prize shooting competition. Includes names like Russell, Sprinks, Huggins, and scores for various stages.

COAL COMPANY OFFICIALS CLAIM TO HAVE MADE GAINS

Strike Situation Satisfactory, They State, From Company's Standpoint—Output Shows Substantial Daily Increase and More Men Return To Work—Yesterday Figures Only 5,000 Tons Short of Usual Output.

Special to The Standard. Gloucester, July 23.—The coal company officials claim that the situation is satisfactory from the company's standpoint...

HOLD-UP IS DENIED BY ERIE MEN WORKERS GO ON STRIKE

New York, N. Y., July 23.—Conflicting reports of the hold-up on the Erie R. R., in which western-bound immigrants were the victims...

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BRIAND FINALLY SUCCEEDS IN FORMING NEW CABINET

After a Day of Many Conferences Premier is Able To Announce Ministry—Briand Pledges His Government To Carry Out the Clemenceau Programme and Promises Cessation of War Between Capital and Labor.

Paris, July 23.—After a day of conferences, Aristide Briand succeeded in forming a new French cabinet and officially announced the success of his endeavors to President Fallieres at 10 o'clock tonight...

NOR IS THIS ONE LEUNG LIM

Though It's True He's a Chinese and Has a Bowery Haircut.

New York, July 23.—Still another short haired Chinaman suspected of being Leung Lim, the supposed murderer of Elsie Sigel...

DEATH ROLL NOW NUMBERS TWENTY-FIVE

Houston, Texas, July 23.—Twenty-five people dead, more than fifty seriously injured and a property loss of approximately \$1,000,000 was the estimate...

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WESTFIELD OUTING ASSOCIATION. Big List of Events For Field Sports To Be Brought Off This Afternoon.

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SHIPPING NEWS FROM N. S. PORTS

Annapolis Royal, N. S., July 23.—The steamer Tafus, which arrived at Sydney, N. S. W., on Wednesday, brought five survivors of the Norwegian bark Erro, from Chimbote, April 1 for Newcastle, N. S. W., which was wrecked June 18 on Middleport Reef. Seventeen of the ship's company, including Capt. Anderson, his wife and four children lost their lives when the ship was wrecked. The survivors tell a story of fearful privations resulting from the lack of food and water. One of them alleged that the captain's wife threw her children overboard because she feared cannibalism. Eight searchers for the ship Norwood arrived at Yarmouth on Wednesday morning and four more came across this morning. This completes the ship's crew and will proceed for Buenos Ayres at the first chance. On Sunday morning while lying in the sound the Norwood took bottom. Capt. How came ashore and secured the services of the tug Fredrick V., which towed the ship to a point off Cape Forchu. Yesterday afternoon Captain R. M. Ferguson and Obed Murphy held a survey and decided that the ship had not been injured. The term schooner, Tobeatic, of Liverpool, N. S., which has been discharging coal at Yarmouth, for Killam Brothers, sailed for Liverpool on Sunday at noon. While in port the Tobeatic was sold to parties at Newfoundland. She will proceed from Liverpool to Sydney to load coal for St. John's, Nfld., from which port she will take a cargo of fish to Brazil. Capt. Gledert will return from the command of the schooner when she reaches Liverpool. The steamer Masda, which left Yarmouth for Halifax on Thursday evening arrived at her destination on Friday evening at nine o'clock. The Yarmouth men who went down on the Masda returned home on Saturday evening. According to dispatches from San Francisco forty per cent. reinsurance is being paid on the overdue ship Brock Castle which left Portland, O., for Ipswich, Eng., on December 14, last, with a cargo of barley and has not been heard from since. The bark Belmont which has been loading at Halifax on Thursday day and will sail within the next day or two. She will proceed to Buenos Ayres with about 1,400,000 feet of lumber. The bark Brockwell arrived at Stamford, Conn., on Saturday. She came up from Buenos Ayres with a cargo of quebracho wood in 52 days. After discharging she will come to Yarmouth where she will load lumber for Buenos Ayres. The schooner Mita German is loading laths at Yarmouth for New York and will proceed at once.

DR. JONES BACK FROM CENTENNIAL

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, July 23.—Chancellor Jones, of University of New Brunswick, who attended the Darwinian Centennial celebration at Cambridge, as the representative of the Senate, returned home. He says that many prominent scientists were present, and that the affair was successful in every way. A party of fifteen Italians arrived here by boat this afternoon to work on the Transatlantic cable. A large number of farmers in this vicinity have commenced haying and report the crop on the uplands to be slightly below the average. The case against W. A. Lindsay, restaurant keeper, charged with being drunk on Sunday, was dismissed by Police Magistrate Marsh this morning, for want of evidence. His Honor stated that the instructions of the Act in future, and he intimated that offenders would be severely dealt with. He did not believe that cigars or soda water could be properly classed as drugs, and their sale on the Sabbath would be stopped. As to restaurants, they would in future only be permitted to serve meals on Sunday at certain hours. J. L. Howley, who has been on the staff of the Royal Bank here, has been transferred to St. John. Dr. Samson and N. W. Brown, lecturers for Canadian Government examinations system, were this morning entertained to a drive about the city by Mayor Chouart. The public schools of the province, both city and county, will re-open on August 26.

Table with 2 columns: Name and Amount. Includes entries like 'Bentley Majority of Fifty by Election', 'Official Returns Yesterday Gave A. F. Bentley Majority of Fifty by Election', and a list of names and amounts.

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SCIENCE PLAYS HAVOC WITH COST OF TANNING

Unassuming German Chemist Living in Red Bank, New Jersey Has Discovered New Process—He Repels Advances Made by Trusts and Proposes to Treat Leather at Own Plant.

New York, July 23.—Offered \$200,000, which he refused, for a process he has discovered that is bound to cause an upheaval in the tanning and heavy leather industry, an unassuming and little-known German chemist of the Associated Leather Trades of New York State, and the leather trust from time to time have made overtures to him to adopt his process. But this wise German chemist, with the shrewdness of his race, has declined to enter into any dealings with the combine. Several months ago an offer came to him from that source of \$200,000 and a position for the rest of his life, but it did not appeal. Lately, it is understood, a far more substantial offer has originated from the same source.

But having proved to his own satisfaction that the process of the leather experts that he has a process that will speed the methods of treating leather so that it can be placed on the market in 14 days, Hoch appears satisfied to keep control, and reap the rewards that are sure to be his, into the millions, apparently. What Hoch's process or method is, remains a secret with him. All that is known about it is the fact that it does not require hemlock bark, the most important fact in the tanning trade, and the further fact that, owing to the short period required to treat a hide, his method will release the vast sums tied up in these hides for seven months, while undergoing the process of being made into sole leather and booting.

Hoch has proved in his experimental Jersey tannery that with fifty men he can tan 1,000 hides a day, whereas at the present time to accomplish the same result, a force of 600 men are necessary. In a roundabout way, in fact, by way of Hoch's German home town, more than seven years ago two New York capitalists of large means became acquainted with what Hoch was trying to accomplish. As his experiments went on, these men, who have unlimited means, became more and more interested in Hoch's work and for several years they have made possible his carrying on experiments in tanning, and he was enabled to equip his experimental plant in New Jersey, where he has been at work.

With their further aid and confidence, Hoch now proposes to give the advantage of his discovery to the world and cheaper sole and belt leather will be the result. How the leather trust will take to the idea remains to be thrashed out, but what the Chrome process of tanning did to the industry many years ago, is about to be repeated under the Hoch formula, with tenfold energy.

Hoch is going to begin by giving hides to the trade tanned under his method from a well-equipped factory plant in Newark that went by the wayside some years ago, when the leather trust began throttling tannery in the country, and it is said to have within its big walls modern machinery worth at least \$300,000.

BRAZIL ONLY AWAITS CANADIAN AWAKENING

Realization of Great Market by Dominion, Thinks Willson Hart, Would Directly Tend to Trade Development—Necessity of Tariff Adjustment.

Annapolis Royal, July 23.—J. Willson Hart, son of the Rev. J. R. Hart, Granville Ferry, has discovered a new market for the Annapolis Valley apple. Mr. Hart has been director of the state model farm at Sao Paulo, Brazil, a position which he occupied for four years. He is spending the summer in the Maritime Provinces and will take a position in an agricultural college in Costa Rica next autumn. In an interview concerning Brazil, Mr. Hart said the absence of direct and regular communication between Canada and Brazil was a hindrance to the development of trade. "I think there are excellent chances to increase Canada's share in Brazilian trade," said Mr. Hart. "This province produces just what Brazil needs, and they import nearly all their fruit from Europe."

FALLS DEAD WHILE AT WORK IN GARDEN

East Gloucester, July 23.—Mrs. Zilphia Treffery, a well known and highly esteemed resident of East Gloucester, while standing in the yard of her residence about half past one Thursday afternoon, was struck with a shock that proved fatal. Her little grandson who was playing in the yard, had just thrown a brick at her feet and hastened to the house to give the alarm. Mrs. Treffery had never been recovered from the death of her oldest daughter, Mrs. George H. Wilcox, which took place on June 10th, and which was caused by pneumonia, with whom she resided. Her taking away is indeed a great blow to her children and grandchildren to whom she was a most devoted mother and grandparent. She was a regular attendant at the Chapel street Baptist church and at the Rockville, Yarmouth, Congregational church, of which latter body she was a prominent member. She was a woman of strong religious principles and very admirable characteristics. The death occurred at her marriage to the late George Treffery, was Miss Zilphia Dennis. Besides her two sons, George Treffery and Captain Melbourne F. Treffery, four sisters survive, Mrs. Lucy Dennis of New York and Mrs. Weston and Mrs. Killiam of Yarmouth.

NO MONEY FOR AIRSHIP THIS YEAR

Washington, July 23.—The United States is not likely to make great progress during the next fiscal year as a result of any encouragement of freed inventors by Congress. Last year General Allen, chief signal officer advocated an appropriation of half a million dollars for experimental work and he succeeded in not having that estimate sent to Congress by the War Department, but in having it favorably acted upon by the committee of the whole house only to meet defeat before the appropriation bill was passed in the House itself. This year there is such close paring of estimates that it is not likely that any money will even be asked for this purpose. The Board of Ordnance of the army now has \$45,000 for airship experiments, \$25,000 to be paid to the Wright brothers if they succeed in making a flight of ten miles at the rate of thirty-six miles an hour, and \$20,000 to A. M. Hering if he meets similar requirements.

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ANNAPOLIS ROYAL

Annapolis Royal, July 23.—A very pretty wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William McFarlane, Wallace, on Tuesday, when their daughter, Anna Ethel, was united in marriage to Allan Reeves of South Wallace. The ceremony, which was performed by the Rev. A. L. McKay, pastor of the Presbyterian church at South Wallace, was witnessed by a large number of invited guests.

FRENCH CARDINAL FINED

Bordeaux, July 23.—The Correctional Court here today condemned Cardinal Andrieu to pay a fine of \$1 and costs. South Abbe Carreau, as an accomplice, was fined \$5 for inciting to disobedience of the laws under the act separating the Church and State. Cardinal Andrieu was charged with having incited a breach of the law by the allocation which he pronounced at the cathedral of Bordeaux on the occasion of his enthronement. Neither fine was paid.

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### THE SELKIRK CENTENNIAL FAIR.

Barring the contingencies that make vain all predictions and all plans for the future, Winnipeg will, three years hence, have the first great world's fair ever held in the Dominion. The Selkirk Centennial has passed the speculative period and has reached the stage when organization begins. This fair, like several others on this continent, is connected with a historical incident. The date signifies that a century has passed since white people first settled as permanent colonists in the Canadian West. From this point of view the country is older than the Upper Mississippi Valley, or some of the Middle States. But the Red River pioneer settlement of 1812 remained a pioneer settlement, scarcely more than a post, for nearly three score years. For the purpose of this fair the Canadian West began one hundred years ago. But for the beginning of effective settlement, even on the Red River, we go back only one third of that distance. Throughout the West economic history begins with the Canadian Pacific Railway.

But the story of the Selkirk Settlement is a romantic background for the proposed demonstration. Lord Selkirk began with Prince Edward Island and planted in that province a colony of Scottish people whose descendants testify to the value of the stock from which they sprang. It was another and harder matter to plant a Scottish colony on the Red River. These adventurers had to reach their homes by way of Hudson Bay, after spending a winter at one of the company's posts on that uninviting coast. The journey on foot and by canoe to the proposed settlement north of where Winnipeg now is, must have been a cheerless march. But there remained a worse experience. The rival trading organization of the Hudson Bay Company met the new settlers as enemies. They found themselves involved in a fight that was none of their making, but which cost them many lives, and the absolute destruction of their first homes. During the lifetime of the first settlers, this strife went on, and many of the Selkirk men left the country as soon as they could. The descendants of those who remained are in all the western provinces, but there are farms along the river between Winnipeg and Selkirk that have been handed down from father to son and still stand in the name of the original family. It is an interesting circumstance that a St. John boy, Chester Martin, the Rhodes scholar and holder of the Brassey Historical Fellowship from Oxford, has been appointed by that university to make research into the records of this Selkirk colony.

While the incidents commemorated by this fair are full of interest, the exhibition itself is the event of the greatest significance. In 1912, Winnipeg will be a city of 150,000 population. The western provinces will have had three more years of immigration from abroad, of migration from the East, and of natural increase. Quick railway construction will have continued, and the area in crop will be wider.

Many influences will combine to make this a great fair. Winnipeg is rich, enterprising and ambitious. Manitoba province will be determined to make the fair a triumph. All the western provinces claim the attention of the world, and desire such advantage as the presence of the most intelligent, most prosperous, and most receptive and open minded of travellers and tourists can afford. The great railway organizations, some of which have hands to sell, while all have the strongest possible interest in the rapid development of the resources of the country, will be active and practical promoters of, and investors in, the enterprise. The Dominion Government which has expended hundreds of thousands in exhibitions in Italy, Belgium, the United States and other foreign countries, must feel a greater interest in a world's fair in our own land, where every visitor contributes something to the income of the Dominion, and where each is a possible investor or settler in this country.

Never will a great fair have been held in a country which holds out to the visitor such opportunities for investment and enterprise. This exhibition will take its millions of visitors to the very border of the greatest area of rich uncultivated land to be found in the world. It will show a country already producing bread sufficient for a whole population of England, from soil which only a few years ago had never been scarred by a plough.

We in the East are accustomed to think that the revel across the continent passes us by. But of the multitudes which visit the great fair, many will pass this way. New Brunswick will have something to show in this exhibition. This province is awakening to her opportunities, and reaching out for her share in the development of the Dominion, and in the attention of the people of other lands.

### A COSTLY LUXURY.

The Canadian Royal Mint is out of work. All the silver coins that can be circulated have been made. There are no gold coins made except for souvenirs and it would not pay to make them, because the Royal Mint in England does it without charge. The only work going on at the Mint is striking copper coins which is so small a business that the whole annual supply could be

made in London for the cost of operating the Mint at Ottawa ten days.

The cost of coining in London all the silver annually required in Canada has been less than that of operating the Canadian mint three months, without taking into account the interest charge on the building.

Before the mint was established, it cost, one year with another, \$20,000 to \$25,000 a year for the manufacture of all the new coins required. We built a mint at a cost of more than half a million so that the interest charge alone is about equal to the whole previous cost of coining. The Department of Public Works maintains this property at a large cost. The Department of Finance operates it at a cost of \$75,000 a year. And it earns \$25,000.

The master of the mint is paid \$4,500 a year salary and \$1,000 in lieu of a free house. The superintendent is paid \$3,400 a year. The accountant and assayer have each \$3,000. There are several other officers. All these are supervising the corps of men doing work which would only cost \$20,000 to \$25,000 in the open market. This year probably \$15,000 would pay for it all.

Money would be saved by closing up the whole establishment, allowing the machinery to rust out, retaining all these high priced officers and leaving them idle at full pay, allowing half pay to all employees for the rest of their lives, and paying the mint in London to make our coins.

### NEW BRUNSWICK AND THE POTATO MARKET.

A delegate will be nominated by the produce traders of this province to go to Cuba and other West Indian Islands to promote the sale of New Brunswick products, chiefly potatoes. The Provincial Government is ready to pay the expenses, but is not making the appointment a matter of political patronage. This matter has become urgent by reason of the prohibitive tariff which practically destroys any United States market New Brunswick had for potatoes, and most other farm products.

Potatoes have always been regarded in this province as an important crop, and this view grows stronger. The statement made by Dr. Landry that last year's crop was 3,000,000 bushels larger than that of the year before, was in round numbers, but it was not far from the fact as the increase was 2,644,000. It is true that last year's yield was above the average, and that of the year before was poor, but there has been a steady increase in the acreage devoted to this crop, as the following table shows:—

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| 1904 | 35,240 |
| 1905 | 37,256 |
| 1906 | 39,613 |
| 1907 | 45,029 |
| 1908 | 46,700 |

In the same five years the turnip crop increased from 5,024 to 5,907 acres. But the acreage in buckwheat was reduced 61,574 to 58,444; that of barley from 3,904 to 3,418; and wheat from 20,410 to 17,579. Oats remain the favorite crop, increasing from 178,074 to 191,865 acres. If we go back ten years more we find more land in potatoes than five years ago, but not so much as last year; less in turnips than last year; no less than the same in oats as five years ago, and 27,133 acres in wheat, or nearly 60 per cent. more than the present crop.

But the change is more evident if we take a county like Carleton which produced last year nearly one-quarter of the potatoes grown in the province. Ten years ago Carleton had 3,490 acres in potatoes, and there was no increase for the next five years, as in 1904 only 3,309 acres were in potatoes. In 1905 this was increased to 4,027 acres; in 1906 to 4,879 acres; in 1907 to 5,407 acres; in 1908 to 8,637; and this year there is a further increase. The neighboring county of Victoria increased the potato crop in the last five years from 1,000 acres to 2,567 acres.

If a market for New Brunswick potatoes can be found and developed, there are infinite possibilities in this crop. The best wishes of the province will be with the Government, the farmers, and the dealers, who are giving their attention to this trade.

### TELEPHONE RATES.

Some three thousand families in this city will not be pleased to know that telephone rates are to be increased. A good many of these subscribers are selling some things at higher prices than were formerly paid, and find it impossible to do business otherwise. The company which provides the telephone says that it is in the same position. The case made by the management is stated elsewhere.

Here is a case where the people cannot go elsewhere and buy cheaper. The company is a monopoly. It does not have to bargain with its subscribers. These may give up the telephone if they find the price too high, if they can do without it. But since many cannot do without the telephone, and since in the end there is an appeal for a municipal or provincial service, and because the service is of a public character, it is fitting that the company should take the public into its confidence and give reasons. This, the management declares it is willing to do.

### THE COAL STRIKE.

The Cape Breton coal strike drags its slow length along. It is discussed cautiously by the outside press which recognizes a distinction between this trouble and the ordinary strike. This is a case where a large body of union workmen remain at work, and have no grievance. Another large body of union men are idle and claim to have reason for striking. Only last year the company and its men made an agreement, to be in force until the end of this year. The union which made this agreement stands by it, but a number of the men who were then in the association have joined another, and so consider themselves free to repudiate the old contract made in the name of the former society. In these circumstances those people at a distance who would naturally sympathize with a body of men at strife with their employers have some hesitation. The Provincial Miners' Association is an old and reputable labor organization, and there is a feeling that a company which commands its confidence must have some right on its side.

### THE CHANGE IN ST. JOHN COUNTY.

It is a frivolous business trying to explain the loss of the anti-Hazen majority by pleading the non-resident vote. The Standard in making comparison of the votes of 1908 and 1909, took account of the resident vote only. Including non-residents the majority of Mr. Lowell over Mr. Mosher last year was 374. Mr. Lowell's majority in the non-resident vote was 66. Mr. Lowell's majority in the resident vote was 308. Mr. Bentley's majority over Mr. Mosher is 50. Decrease in majority of resident voters 258. Decrease in total majority 324.

Rev. Dr. Pringle may be assailed by the Liberal press and politicians at a distance, but his own Sydney church stands by him. A Liberal moved and another seconded the resolution which was adopted at the recent mid-week service commending Dr. Pringle's conduct and language at the general assembly.

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#### PORT OF ST. JOHN

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Sch. Manuel R. Caza, (Am.) 258, Gayton, New York, P. McIntyre, hard coal.  
Sch. Muriel B. Walters, 99, Walters from Antigua, L. G. Crosby, molasses.  
Arrived, July 22.  
Sch. Arthur J. Parker, 113, Parker, Boston, McClary and Co. bal.  
Sch. G. H. Perry, 99, McDonough, Boston, C. M. Kerrison, bal.  
Stmr. Calvin Austin, 2853, Pike, Boston, W. G. Lee, mdse and pass.  
Coastwise—Schrs. Amelia, 108, Wrayton, Halifax via ports Aurora, 182, Ingersoll, Grand Manan and old; Schr. Mayflower, 26, Chute, Hampton, N. S., and old.

Coastwise—Stmr. Connors Bros, 49, Warnock, Chance Harbor and old; Westport III, 49, Coggin, Westport and old.  
Sch. Arthur H. Wright, from Barbados, L. G. Crosby, molasses.  
Cleared, July 23.  
Sch. Eva C. 250, Leaux, Elizabeth, New Jersey.  
Sch. Romeo, 111, Sprags, Bridgeport, Conn.  
Sch. Ronald, 268, Wagner, New York with 1,720,000 laths, Randolph and Baker.

Sch. Lewanka, 298, McLean, City Island, Lob. Shorn, Cuthbert and Co., 1,951,000 Spruce laths.  
Stmr. Ransom B. Fuller, Mitchell, Boston via Maine ports, W. G. Lee.  
Coastwise—Barge No. 5, McAloney, Parrsboro.  
Sch. Frances, Gesner, Bridgetown, Stmr. Westport III to Yarmouth, with passengers.  
Aurora, 182, Ingersoll, Grand Manan with passengers, baggage and mails.  
Sch. Hustler, 44, Hill, Walton, N. S.

Vessels in Port.  
Steamers.  
Manchester Shipper, 2542, Perry Glasgow.  
Brunswick, 72, Potter, Canning.  
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Clifford I. White (Am.), 259, Faulkingham, C. M. Kerrison.  
C. P. Colwell, 82, Sabean, C. M. Kerrison.

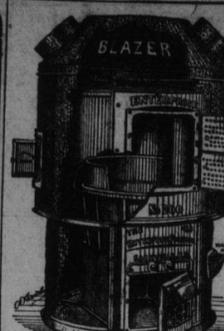
Eva C., 218, A. W. Adams.  
G. M. Roberts, 295, R. C. Elkin.  
Frances, 68, Gesner, Bridgetown.  
Hattie Muriel, 84, Cole, River Herbert.  
Jennie A. Stubbs, 159, Dickson.  
Lewanka, 298, R. C. Elkin.  
Lizzie N. Patrick, (Am.) 412, Machias, J. Spiano and Co.  
M. D. S. 190, Sound, Colwell.  
Lottie Beard, 238, Hodgden, J. Spiano & Co.  
Moama, 384, Williams, P. McIntyre.  
Nettie Shipman (Am.) 228, Bennie, A. W. Adams.  
Orlole, 124, McLean, Boston.  
Romeo, 11, Sprags, Boston, P. McIntyre.  
Ronald, 268, J. W. Smith.  
Tay, 124, Scott, Hyannis, P. McIntyre.  
Wm. Mason, 388, C. M. Kerrison, Yarmouth Packet.

Vessels Bound To St. John.  
Steamers.  
Shenandoah from St. Johns, Nfld., 18th, via Halifax.  
Romney, St. Michaels, July 15.  
Rappahannock, at St. John's, Nfld., 18th, via Halifax.  
Oceano, Bermuda via Halifax, July 19th.  
Strathcona from Fall River, July 18, Amelia, from Halifax, via ports, July 20.  
Kentucky, sailed from Boston, July 23.

Schooners.  
Astraea, (Dan.) Barbados, July 9, W. H. Waters, New York sailed from Salem, July 22.  
Anna A. Booth, Bridgeport passed Vineyard Haven, July 22.  
Aldine, New York, July 22.  
Schr. Henry D. May, Vineyard Haven, July 20, for Halifax.  
Brig. Harry, New York, July 29 for Chatham.  
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GRAIN MARKET  
VERY QUIET  
YESTERDAY  
Special to The Standard.  
Toronto, July 23.—Millers and dealers  
are not inclined to trade and are  
awaiting an adjustment of prices ow-  
ing to the arrival of new wheat.  
Ontario Wheat—No. 2 red, white, or  
mixed, \$1.20 to \$1.22 outside.  
Manitoba Wheat—No. 1 Northern,  
\$1.36; No. 2 Northern \$1.33 1/2; No.  
3, Northern \$1.32 1/4 on track Lako  
ports.  
Oats—No. 2, white, 57 to 58 cents on  
track Toronto; No. 2 white 53 to 54  
cents; No. 3 white, 52 cents outside;  
Canada western, No. 2, 55 1/2 cents;  
No. 1 extra feed, 54 1/2 cents; No. 3  
54 1/2 cents.  
Manitoba Flour—Quotations at To-  
ronto are: First patents \$6.20; Second  
patents \$5.70; strong bakers \$5.50.  
For export of 90 per cent. patents  
24s Glasgow freights.  
Ontario Flour—Ninety per cent.  
winter wheat patents, 45.40 to 45.50 in  
buyers bags on track Toronto, 45.25  
to 45.35 outside.  
Millfeed—Manitoba brass \$22 to \$23  
per ton; Shorts \$23 to \$24 on track,  
Toronto. Ontario bran, \$22.50; Shorts  
\$24 track, Toronto.  
Hay is easy owing to the liberal  
receipts and the falling off in the de-  
mand for export account. No. 1, \$14-  
50 to \$15, extra No. 2 \$13 to \$13.50;  
No. 2, \$11.50 to \$12; Clover, mixed,  
\$10.50 to \$11; Clover \$9.50 to \$10.  
Old crop potatoes are in fair de-  
mand and as supplies of good stock  
are limited prices are maintained at  
\$1.15 to \$1.25 per bag.  
The local butter market is steady,  
finest creamery being quoted at 21  
7 1/2 to 22 cents in round lots and at  
22 1/4 to 22 1/2 cents in a jobbing way.  
Receipts today were 6918 packages  
against 4026 for the corresponding  
date last year.  
Eggs are firm owing to the fact that  
the receipts are comparatively very  
small and a fair volume of business  
is passing daily.  
Selected stock is quoted to the pro-  
ducers at 23 cents; No. 1 Canded at 20  
cents and straight gathered at 19  
1/2 cents per dozen.  
Str. Kentucky bound here from Bos-  
ton to load deals, for the west coast  
of England, sailed from Boston yes-  
terday morning at 11 o'clock.

"PROSPERITY  
IS AMAZING"  
Pres. Brown of the New York  
Central Comments On Great  
Yield of Agricultural Crops.  
New York, N. Y., July 23.—At a  
meeting of New York Central direc-  
tors today, Pres. W. C. Brown, who  
had just returned from a western  
trip, said:  
"The crops this year will be enor-  
mous both in yield and in value.  
The agricultural prosperity of the  
country is amazing. The farmer will  
receive a greater return for his pro-  
duct than ever before.  
"I went to my boyhood home in  
Iowa and found there that the farm-  
ers are receiving \$1.20 a bushel for  
their wheat at their nearest railway  
station, 65 cents a bushel for their  
corn, and 7 cents for their soybeans  
and the hoof. This is unprece-  
dented and means unprecedented  
prosperity."  
Senator Dewey, who came over from  
Washington to attend the meeting,  
said:  
"The farmer is the rich man of the  
country today. He never before en-  
joyed such high prices for his prod-  
uct or was blessed with such boun-  
tiful crops. I judge the progress of  
prosperity by railroad receipts. For  
the past two months the receipts have  
been 25 per cent. higher than last  
year and equal to those of 1907. The  
great crops will tax the capacity of  
the roads, but they are in better con-  
dition to meet them than ever before."  
In answer to questions about New  
York city terminals, Senator Dewey  
said: "The New Haven road has de-  
finitely abandoned the idea of enter-  
ing New York by the roundabout way  
of Long Island and will continue to  
make the Grand Central station its  
terminal."

VERDI A REAL  
ENOUGH ARGOSY  
8,000,000 or More of Gold  
Going On Her Bound for  
Argentina.  
New York, July 23.—By the Verdi,  
sailing today for Buenos Ayres, will  
go away from New York more gold  
than ever went at once before from  
this port to South America. The ship-  
ment of \$8,000,000 was arranged for  
up to last night and it is possible that  
that amount will be increased by  
noon, the hour at which the Verdi  
sails. It is very seldom that so much  
gold leaves the country at once even  
in Europe. In all, including today's  
consignment, \$38,750,000 has gone to  
Argentina from New York since the  
first of the year.  
The National City Bank sends to-  
day \$2,225,000; Heidebach, Ickel-  
mer & Co., \$1,500,000; Speyer &  
Co., \$1,000,000; Kidder, Peabody &  
Co., \$1,250,000; L. G. Akerman, Boston  
American Bank, \$500,000. Of the Na-  
tional City Bank's shipment \$1,000,  
000 is by Louis Dreyfus of the Pro-  
duce Exchange.  
The engagements made yesterday  
were \$500,000 by the Bank of Com-  
merce, \$250,000 by the Anglo-South  
American Bank and \$500,000 by Louis  
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Fredericton; L. G. Akerman, Boston;  
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Mrs. J. A. Birkenell, Cambridge; W. A.  
Webster, Boston; W. H. Brindell, E.  
N. Gilman, Haverhill; H. L. Eber  
and wife, Worcester; Andrew Henry,  
Robert Henry, Jersey City; Mr. and  
Mrs. L. C. Brine and child, Boston;  
Miss N. and Mrs. C. F. Brine and  
daughter, Boston; J. A. Emery, Phila-  
delphia; W. H. Perkins and wife, Pitt-  
sfield, Mass.; Mr. Calvin Austin, Walde  
Richards, Jolin H. Rice, Alice B.  
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Mr. and Mrs. R. A. March, D. A. Wil-  
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FALL OF CLEMENCEAU WILL  
NOT AFFECT CANADA'S TRADE  
Those In Touch With France State That Most Likely Success-  
ors To Late Premier Are All Friendly—Hebrette Bergevin  
Talks.  
"The fall of the Clemenceau gov-  
ernment will cause a general feeling  
of regret among Canadian people be-  
cause the premier and his cabinet  
have always been very good friends  
of the Canadians, and also because  
they have constantly patronized any  
movement that was created to bring  
about closer relations between the  
two countries."  
Such is the opinion, says the Mon-  
treal Star, of Mr. Archille Bergevin,  
ex-M.L.A., for Beauharnois, who crossed  
the ocean several times on special  
business for the Dominion Govern-  
ment. Mr. Bergevin was reticent as  
to the nature of the missions which he  
was interested in, and which brought  
him in close connection with the  
members of the Clemenceau ministry,  
but it is known, through Mr. Her-  
bette's last year's speech at the ban-  
quet tendered to him, in Montreal,  
that they had much to do with the  
Franco-Canadian treaty and other im-  
portant financial questions.  
"It is true," said Mr. Bergevin, "that

THAW THE  
PICTURE OF  
A TYRANT  
BRIAND MAY  
BE PREMIER  
THINK SOME  
Clemenceau's Cabinet Was  
One of Puppets—Few Re-  
grets For His Downfall.  
PARIS, July 23.—Everybody is  
busy cabinet making, the most fa-  
vorite form being the reconstruction  
of old materials of the present cab-  
inet, with M. Briand as premier.  
This would accord with M. Clemen-  
ceau's view of his defeat, that it was  
a personal incident, not marking dis-  
approval of the ministry's policy. In  
support of this view he could plead  
that the Ministerial policy received  
a vote of confidence, 333 to 151, on  
Thursday last, or less than a week  
before the Premier's adverse vote.  
It would undoubtedly appeal to M.  
Clemenceau's sardonic spirit to see his  
colleague attempt to play Hamlet  
without the Prince of Denmark for  
outside of M. Briand they are little  
more than puppets, successful only  
when, like M. Pichon, Minister of  
Foreign Affairs, they act under their  
chief's direct inspiration. One of the  
most successful scenes in a music hall  
review this season has been a re-  
presentation of a Cabinet meeting  
with the chief actor made up as M.  
Clemenceau. The other Ministers are  
acted by little boys, all made up as  
Clemenceaus.  
There may be some who regret M.  
Clemenceau's fall, but they are not  
heard from. Even his strongest  
supporters disapprove of the tone he  
employed last night, feeling that if  
conference were a humiliation it  
serves no good purpose to revive and  
perpetuate that humiliation. After all  
the Algeiras convention has been  
the keystone of France's policy in  
Morocco, and France appealed to it  
as justifying every step she took.  
Those who rejoice at the downfall  
of the Government are making their  
satisfaction very evident. The Gen-  
eral Confederation of Labor and the  
postal employees are very much elated.  
The offices of Humanite are illum-  
inated tonight with red lanterns.  
The financial world is delighted at  
the possibility of getting rid of M.  
Caillaux, Minister of Finance, and his  
taxation schemes.  
The victory which overthrew the  
Clemenceau regime in the Chamber  
of Deputies, consisted of 63 Unionist  
Socialists, 39 Rightists and National-  
ists, 62 Radicals, 21 Progressivists  
and 1 Left Republican.

So Declares Aged Mother In  
Booklet Recently Published  
Her History of the Celebra-  
ted Case.  
New York, July 23.—Mary Cooper  
Thaw, mother of Harry K. Thaw,  
slayer of Stanford White and now in  
the White Plains, N. Y., jail awaiting  
a ruling as to his mental competence,  
yesterday issued a booklet in which  
she attacks District Attorney Jerome,  
criticizes insanity experts and calls  
Justice Dowling, who presided at the  
last trial a tyrant. She says:  
"When I returned from Europe in  
July 1906, I found a cowardly com-  
bination, made up of men of profes-  
sional standing, together with disap-  
pointed blackmailers, perjurers and  
others, all working in the interests  
of the very rich companions of Stan-  
ford White, to prevent a trial which  
they feared would result in exposure.  
"They set to work to blacken the  
reputation of my son, an average  
young man with a chivalrous nature,  
as shown by his attempt to break up  
these disreputable places. Then some-  
thing never before known in any trial,  
the entire family—living and dead—  
was attacked by slandersous false-  
hoods. The influence at that time  
was tremendously strong. They pre-  
tended that my son had delusions re-  
garding Stanford White and his com-  
panions and the places he called  
home."  
"Young girls were lured by their  
Oriental magnificence into these dens.  
White searched for victims untouch-  
ed by violence, and the heinous-  
ness of his crimes was that a child  
whose confidence he had won under  
the pretext of parental interest, was  
as a rule, hopelessly lost to justice.  
"What an outcry such a sentence  
would create throughout civilized  
Europe and throughout free Amer-  
ica. There could be no denunciation  
too severe for a Russian judge who  
pronounced it. There could be found  
no newspaper that would not echo  
the United States or in the whole of  
Europe, outside of Russia, which would  
dare venture to approve or sustain  
a sentence as unjust and cruel and  
so violative of every constitutional  
safeguard.  
"Well do I recall that gloomy after-  
noon of Feb. 1, 1908, when I, in my  
hotel, and my daughter waited with  
anxiety for the verdict. It is not  
necessary to describe our feelings  
nor is it possible for anyone to con-  
ceive of the horrible shock when, less  
than an hour after we were telephoned  
of his acquittal, and while we were  
expecting him to enter the apartment  
at any moment, came the fateful mes-  
sage of this tyrannical procedure by  
trial judges. So summary were  
the proceedings that my son was not  
permitted to return to his cell or  
gather up his papers, nor was any  
time allowed him to see his family.  
The doctor who has examined my  
son—17 in all—during three years  
agrees with the decision of that un-  
impeachable and able commission which  
in April, 1907, said that Thaw was  
and is sane."  
"After Dr. Baker's queer visit to  
the district attorney's office in New  
York, in April, 1908, he contradicted  
himself. Yet nothing is more obvious  
than that Mr. Jerome and his asso-  
ciates also believe him sane or they  
would not so persistently have sought  
to prevent a hearing on his sanity."

BRADSTREET  
ON CANADIAN  
TRADE OF WEEK  
(By Associated Press).  
New York, July 23.—Bradstreet's  
state of trade-to-morrow will say of  
conditions in Canada: Orders for fu-  
ture delivery are good; travellers are  
meeting with much better inquiry  
and there is an optimistic feeling in  
all lines. For all of this good pro-  
spects are largely responsible. Busi-  
ness failures for the week ending  
with Thursday number 24 as compar-  
ed with 24 in the corresponding week  
of 1908.

DEATHS  
Mr. Thomas Stead.  
Mr. Thomas Stead, who was strick-  
en with apoplexy on Tuesday, died  
yesterday at his home, Pitt street,  
never having regained consciousness.  
Mr. Stead's death will be heard of  
with very keen regret by the com-  
munity in general. He was born in  
London, England, 74 years ago. He  
came to St. John in 1876. He was mar-  
ried in 1870 in New York to Miss Ad-  
elle Arden Brown of that city. During  
the early years of his residence here  
he was secretary-treasurer of the  
Springhill and Pearsboro Railway. Of  
late years he has been connected with  
the Northern Life Insurance Company,  
and with the Board of Fire Under-  
writers as assistant secretary. Besides  
his wife, he is survived by one daugh-  
ter, Miss Frances Stead, and three  
sons, Geoffrey, of Chatham, N. B.;  
Austin C., of Montreal, and Basil, of  
Calgary, also two brothers, Samuel,  
of London, Eng., and Walter C. of  
Auckland, New Zealand. A funeral  
service will be held at St. Paul's (Val-  
ley) church at 3:30 o'clock on Sunday  
afternoon.

King's County Probate Court.  
Judge McIntyre held two sittings of  
the Kings County Probate Court dur-  
ing the past week.  
The estate of the late Mr. Joshua  
Prescott was in court. It proved to  
be one of the most valuable prop-  
erties under review for some time. The  
valuation was about \$42,000 real  
and personal. Letters of administra-  
tion were granted to Mr. Jesse T. and  
Crandall Prescott, sons of testator.  
In the matter of the estate of the  
late Mr. Richard W. Stockton, letters  
of administration were granted to Mr.  
Duncan Stockton. The property is  
valued at \$1,500, of which \$750 is life  
insurance.  
In the matter of the estate of the  
late Mr. Charles Oates, the passing  
of accounts engaged the attention of  
the court. The claims totalled some  
\$1,800, and the estate will pay about  
30 or 35 cents on the dollar

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COTTON MARKET. New York, July 23.—Cotton: Spot closed quiet 15 points higher. Middling uplands, 12.23; middling gulf, 12.60; sales, 1,821 bales. Galveston—Quiet, 12. New Orleans—Steady, 11 1/2. Savannah—Quiet, 12 1/2. Charleston—nominal. Memphis—Quiet, 11 1/2. Consolidated—Net receipts for seven days, 19,186; exports to Great Britain, 12,517; exports to France, 3,930; exports to the continent, 6,005; exports to Mexico, 1,144; stock, 236,661.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PRODUCE. By Direct Private Wires to J. C. Mackintosh and Co. Wheat. High Low Close July 23 113 111 111 Sept. 108 106 107 Dec. 106 105 105 1/2

WINNIPEG WHEAT MARKET. The Oshive Flour Mills Co., Ltd., supply the following quotations on the Winnipeg wheat market: July 128 Oct. 106 Dec. 102

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THE MONTREAL STOCK MARKET

Table with columns: Share, Previous High, Low, Close. Lists various stocks like Am. Copper, Canadian Pacific, Dominion Steel, etc.

WEEKLY REVIEW OF LOCAL AND FOREIGN FINANCIAL MARKETS BY J. C. MACKINTOSH & CO.

The week has developed nothing of great importance in financial markets in the way of news. The disposition of the public is still a waiting one with no readiness to throw securities over at sacrifice prices and on the other hand, either the market or the market maker is waiting for the market to move.

The London market continues more or less a disappointment so far as bread and butter and grain are concerned. The public are very apathetic and outside of the mining department there is but little speculative interest.

Of the \$32,000,000 Canadian government loan underwritten and offered for subscription in the London market, 51 per cent was subscribed by the public. Banking interests consider that the result was very satisfactory in view of the size of the loan, which was the largest ever attempted by the Dominion government.

There were no indications yesterday of any radical change from the speculative market which has prevailed for a fortnight past. It was evident that outside interest had somewhat subsided. But when prices were subjected to professional pressure, the market showed a decided reaction.

The Montreal Exchange is taking on a new life. Interest in Canadian securities is increasing with the growth of the country and is bound to contribute to the breadth of trading on Canadian exchanges. It does not have any very great attractions for the speculative buyer.

Domestic Steel issues have not done much one way or the other. Dominion Steel is quiet, but including the Dominion Steel issue, the market is to be stronger. These securities await the issue of the strike in Gloucester.

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STOCK MARKET MARKED TIME YESTERDAY

(By Associated Press.) New York, July 23.—The sluggish and torpid state of the stock market to-day was significant of a falling mood on the part of the speculation. The event awaited with most interest at present was undoubtedly the meeting of the United States Steel directors on next Tuesday to act on the quarterly dividend.

DUN'S WEEKLY REPORT SHOWS TRADE ACTIVE

(By Associated Press.) New York, July 23.—R. G. Dun and Company's weekly report of trade to-day was marked by a number of interesting features. With the outlook for the principal crops increasingly bright, with a continuation of activity in iron and steel and with this week an advance in copper and a widening demand for fall supplies of dry goods, the trade situation maintains its favorable position.

RED SOX LOST

Detroit, Mich., July 23.—Both parts of a double-header game between the Red Sox and the Tigers today, Detroit hit eight with which Detroit triumphed, decided the first inning. In the second game of the first game of the day, the Red Sox lost.

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SPORTS

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Old Rivals Will Meet This Afternoon in Exhibition Game at the Every Day Club Grounds.

The Marathons and Clippers, the old rivals, are scheduled to play an exhibition ball game at the Every Day Club grounds this afternoon.

Table listing players for Marathons and Clippers, including Catcher, Pitchers, 1st Base, 2nd Base, 3rd Base, Short Stop, Left Field, Right Field, Centre Field.

PLAY HERE AUGUST 5TH.

Ardington (Mass.) College Team Will Meet the Marathons in Two Games.

Mr. Charles Tilley received word yesterday from the management of the Ardington (Mass.) College team that they would be in St. John about August 5th and will play two games with the Marathons on that date.

THE BIG LEAGUES.

Rain Postponed All The Games in The East Yesterday.

New York, July 23.—Jupiter pluvius spilled his rain pots throughout the east today and the heavy downpour caused a general postponement of baseball games.

RED SOX LOST TWO.

Detroit, Mich., July 23.—Detroit won both parts of a double header from Boston today.

BATTERIES—MULLIN AND SCHMIDT; WOOD AND STAHL.

Second Game—Score by Innings: Detroit... Boston...

BATTERIES—SPEER AND STANAGE; COLLINS AND DONOHUE.

St. Louis, July 23.—Score by Innings: St. Louis... Boston...

BATTERIES—BALLIE AND CRIGER; WITHRUP AND STREET.

Chicago, July 23.—Score: Philadelphia... Boston...

EASTERN LEAGUE RESULTS.

At Montreal—Newark, 3; Montreal, 1. At Buffalo—Buffalo, 7; Baltimore, 2.

BOSTON SELLS BURCHELL.

Detroit, July 23.—The sale of Pitcher Burchell of the Boston American League team to Buffalo was announced here today.

GUNNER MOIR KNOCKED OUT.

South Wales, July 23.—In what was to have been a 30-round contest at the Kursal tonight, Young Johnson, an American, knocked out Gunner Moir in the second round.

Alyc Bell and Warren F. Winners at Moosepath

American Horses Cleaned Up Both Events at Moosepath Yesterday—Alyc Bell, 2.20 1-4, Won 2.19 Class, and With Driver Hayden Is Penalized For Not Trying To Win In First Heat of the 2.21 Stake—Frank Patch, 2.18 3-4, Took One Heat—Faster Track and Better Racing at Moosepath Yesterday.

(By J. D. Black.) The American horses cleaned up the big end of the money in the two events on the racing card at Moosepath yesterday.

Frank Patch was off a little. Frank Patch (2.18 3-4), the speedy little son of The Patchen Boy, did not race as well yesterday as he has on previous occasions.

THE 2.21 STAKE.

Frank Patch took the first heat of the 2.21 stake in slow time, all the horses having cooled out so much while waiting for Alyc Bell to appear on the track that they were not ready for a fast mile.

PENALTY FOR HAYDEN.

When Forced to Start Alyc Bell in the 2.21 Stake He "Pulled"—Amount of Fine Not Yet Stated.

THE STANDARD LEADS.

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THE 2.19 CLASS.

Alyc Bell could go fast when he was on the ground, and Alberta G. Was also there.

BETTER RACING.

More Exciting Finishes Than On Opening Day—Alyc Bell in the 2.19 and Orphan Girl in 2.21 The Contenders.

HOOF PRINTS.

The 2.15 and 2.24 trot today. There'll be racing at Sussex next week.

FAVORITE HORSES MAKE FIRST START AT MOOSEPATH TODAY

Seven Horses Will Make Their First Starts of This Season at Moosepath Today—Crescent and El Galo Are Favorites 2.15 Class and 2.24 Trot Provide Great Field.

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JENNIE W. IN GETAWAY-DAY AT DELORIMIER

Sunderlin's Mare Captures the Free for All at Montreal Meeting—Rain Puts Kibosh on Windsor Races.

Special to The Standard. Montreal, July 23.—This was a get away day at De Lorimer Park.

RACES AT WINDSOR.

Track Flooded and Remaining Two Days' Races of Meeting Are Called Off.

CHATHAM'S MEETING.

\$1,900 Hung Up in Purses For Three Days' Racing Labor Day Week.

The Miramichi's champion hustler, J. D. Johnston, is here booming the Chatham track's race meeting for Labor Day week.

BEST CARD OF SEASON.

Katherine F., Star and Ida E. Win Haverhill Races.

Haverhill, July 21.—The best card of the season was offered at Kenora trotting park this afternoon.

CLASS B MILE.

Katherine F. km (Kimball)... Northern Star kg. (Watson)...

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Star, km. (Ridout)... Alice, km. (Evans)...

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AN AMERICAN LEAGUER

St. John, N. B., July 12th, 1909.

DAVIS ATHLETICS

FORTY RUNNERS WILL START IN CHATHAM RACES

Chatham, N. B., July 23.—About forty runners, including the best amateurs and intermediates in the Maritime Provinces have entered the Y. M. C. A. long distance meet here on Monday evening next.



PROMOTER McCARY, OF LOS ANGELES IS SATISFIED THAT 10 ROUND NO-DECISION BOATS DO NOT DRAW THE MONEY.

Willie Lewis declares that he does not want any of Sam Langford's games. He has had a change of heart since he returned from England.

ATHLETICS BUY LIVELY, A PITCHER.

Little Rock, Ark., July 21.—Pitcher Lively, of the Montgomery southern league club has been sold to the Philadelphia Americans under a private option agreement.

FIGHTING TALK.

Jim Barry, who found it hard picking in Paris and England and returning to America a week or so ago, has been matched to box Jack Burns in Los Angeles in Aug. 10.

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THE WEATHER.

Maritime—Fresh southwest winds, cloudy and foggy, with local rains.

Toronto, Ont., July 23.—The centre of the disturbance is now in the upper St. Lawrence Valley, and continues to move slowly eastward. Rain has been general in Ontario from Lake Huron to Montreal, and local showers have occurred further east. Elsewhere in Canada, the weather has been fine. The temperature has been above 80 in the western provinces. Winnipeg—50, 80. Port Arthur—54, 78. Parry Sound—54, 78. London—62, 76. Toronto—60, 68. Ottawa—60, 62. Montreal—64, 74. Quebec—58, 76. St. John—52, 68. Halifax—58, 72.

New England Forecast. Washington, D. C., July 23.—New England: Showers Saturday; Sunday fair except showers in Maine, brisk south shifting to west winds.

Locket Found. A locket found on Douglas Ave., can be obtained at North End police station.

Dr. Spangler Improving. Friends of Dr. H. L. Spangler will be pleased to learn that his condition is very much improved. Dr. Spangler is being treated by Dr. A. D. Durham, osteopath, of Moncton, and Dr. W. S. Morrison, of St. John.

At The Seaman's Institute. An illustrated address entitled "The Voyage of Life" will be given at 8 o'clock tomorrow evening in the Seaman's Institute, by Evangelist A. W. Morrell, of Boston. Special music will be provided.

Editor of The Glengarric Here. Among yesterday's visitors was Mr. B. B. Keefer, formerly of the writing staff of the Ottawa Citizen, now editor and proprietor of the Glengarric of Alexandria, Ont. Mr. Keefer is crossing to Nova Scotia today on a visit to his two daughters at Kentville.

Drowned in the West. Word has been received by relatives in St. Stephen of the recent drowning in British Columbia of Miss Jennie and Annie Murphy, daughters of Mr. James Murphy, formerly of St. George. Their mother was a daughter of the late Mr. Donald McDonald, formerly of Bay Road.

River Steamers. The Sincennes brought between sixty and seventy passengers down the river yesterday. Quite a lot of blueberries were shipped and also some cabbages. The Champlain and Victoria also arrived, the latter bringing a lot of hay and the usual number of passengers. The Victoria returns to Fredericton at eight o'clock this morning.

Entertained At Dinner. Miss Lou McMillan entertained at dinner last evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Robinson. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Forbes White, Miss Nan Barnaby, Miss May Harrison, Miss Katie Hazen, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Schofield and Messrs. Alexander McMillan, Hugh McKay and Fraser. Bridge was afterwards indulged in. The prizes were won by Miss Hazen and Mr. Fraser.

Thos. Fleet Lumber Co. The matter of the Thomas V. Fleet Lumber Co., Ltd., under the winding up order came before Judge McLeod yesterday. Mr. F. R. Taylor, for the Bank of Montreal, and the assignee of bond holders, objected to the appointment of a liquidator, on the ground that the court had no jurisdiction under the petition. His Honor will consider the matter and deliver judgment on Friday next. Mr. H. A. Powell, K. C., Mr. A. Davidson, Mr. R. A. Lawlor, K. C., Mr. J. A. Haviland, appeared for the unsecured creditors.

A Mild Protest. A quiet lady made a protest to the Standard last evening. This lady went to the Nickel Theatre and saw some good pictures. But she did not like the plot. The scenes were taken from the war of the American revolution and exhibited the victorious achievements of the patriots with the humiliating overthrow of the British. George Washington was a conspicuous and ever conquering personage. British officers appeared at great disadvantage. As a show the affair was all right but the protesting lady insisted that it is not a proper exhibit for St. John and she found comfort in the circumstance that there was no applause.

Complimentary Dinner. Last evening in White's Restaurant a complimentary dinner was given by the members of the Canadian Order of Foresters to Mr. R. W. Wigmore, on the occasion of his being elected a member of the Executive Committee of the High Court, Mr. D. R. Kennedy, superintendent of the order in the Maritime Provinces, was in the chair and representatives from the different courts in the city were present. After the excellent dinner had been disposed of, a pleasing programme consisting of songs and speeches was rendered, in which the following gentlemen took part: Mr. S. Holder, Mr. G. W. Lewis, Mr. H. Lowe and Ald. F. L. Potts.

PERSONALS. Miss Desale Irvine leaves this morning for St. George and will be the guest of Miss Edith Wallace for about 10 days. The many friends of Capt. Smith, of the Theresa Wolf, who has been quite ill for some time, will be glad to know that he is now able to be around again, and will resume charge of his vessel as soon as it returns from New York. Messrs. A. Bertram Harrison and George Middlein, of New York, and Mr. Heber Vroom and Mr. Walter Harrison, of this city, left yesterday for a few days' yachting on the river. Mrs. J. D. Hazen returned from New York yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. Murray of Fredericton are in the city visiting friends. Ald. Carvell, of Chatham, and Ald. Bagnall, of Newcastle are in the city for the races. Mr. W. H. Barnaby and Judge Forbes returned last evening from a fishing trip on the Oromocto. Miss Aileen Taylor of Ottawa is visiting Miss Ethel Emerson, Germania street.

NEW SCHEDULE OF TELEPHONE RATES FOR ST. JOHN NEXT MONTH

Details of Increased Charges Proposed by N. B. Company—Comparative Statement of Prices Charged in Other Cities—St. John Figures Generally Lower Than Elsewhere—The Directors' Position.

So far as The Standard can learn the telephone rates in this city will be changed next month as follows:— For a special line residence telephone, present price \$25.50 a year; future price \$30.00. For a business telephone, present price \$40 a year; future price \$45. For a party line with two telephones, present price \$20; future price \$24. For a party line with four telephones, present price \$18; future price \$22. For a party line with eight telephones, present price \$18; future price \$18.

It is said that there will be no change in the charge for switches or branches in the same establishment. From inquiries made yesterday as to the reasons of justification, if there was any for the increase it was learned that the last statement of the New Brunswick Telephone Co. covering a period of seven months, showed earnings of \$200,000 and operating expenses of \$138,000, leaving a balance of \$62,000 or about \$100,000 a year. From this is deducted debenture and other interest, amounting last year to \$13,000. The report of the directors, however, indicates that the floating debt from which part of this interest comes has been paid off out of the proceeds of stock sales.

Dividends Take \$68,000. No allowance has been made in the statement for depreciation. More than \$68,000 is required to pay six per cent dividends. The directors do not believe that they would be justified in paying this dividend out of the above balance, as the difference would not give a sufficient reserve for depreciation and other contingencies. It is also said that when stock was issued at par, it was offered to all the subscribers to telephones and to all stockholders. The directors have been quite willing that the public should come in and get stock at the same price that the directors themselves paid, and so share all the gains in sight. This is their statement. The management states that there are 3,500 phones in use in St. John city, and its neighborhood. It is a well known fact that telephone business differs from other trades in that it costs more per instrument to operate a large number. Thus the rates are higher in the larger cities. But

TEXT OF BOXING BILL PASSED BY COMMITTEE

Sell and By-Law Committee Yesterday Approved of By-Law to Regulate Contests—Other Business Transacted.

The Bills and By-Laws Committee yesterday adopted the draft of a bill amending the schedule of rates at the public market, details of which have already appeared in the public press. The by-law limiting the washing of windows to the interval between 7.30 p. m. and 9.30 a. m. was also passed upon. The embodiment of Ald. Belyea's views in the matter of boxing exhibitions was adopted. The boxing bill provides that a license fee of \$100 should be paid for exhibitions on a written certificate from the Chief of Police. Of this sum \$25 is to be applied by the city to obtain the services of a qualified doctor who before the contest begins shall certify that the contestants are in proper physical condition. Contests are limited to fifteen rounds of three minutes each, subject to being stopped by the physician or Chief of Police. A competent referee to be approved by the Chief must be in charge. The Mayor will be authorized to appoint the physician who with the Chief of Police must also approve of the gloves to be used. The committee discussed the proposal of Ald. Potts to limit the rate of taxation to \$1.50 for five years. It is understood that Ald. Potts will confer with the comptroller as to whether the proposal is feasible and the matter will be taken up again at a latter meeting.

PLANS FOR TEMPLE OF HONOR CONVENTION.

Arrangements Completed for International Meeting Here August 8 to 12—Boys Had First Drill on Barrack Square Last Evening.

Plans are now definitely completed for the International convention of the Temple of Honor, to be held in St. John from August 8 to 12. A church parade is being arranged for the first day when some four or five hundred people are expected to march to Centenary church where divine service will be held. The sermon will be preached by Dr. Robertson, of Massachusetts. Most Worthy Recorder. A special day up river and a banquet are also being provided for. Last night contingents from the four local chapters met at the Barrack square and were drilled under the direction of Captain H. J. Smith. The boys are practising the formation of the several emblems of the order, and their evolutions will be one of the chief attractions of the field day. Most Worthy Templar, L. C. Whitaker, Asst. Post Office Inspector in this city, will preside at the meetings. Some 300 delegates, representative of the entire world are expected to be in attendance.

Off To Petewawa Today. The 3rd Regt. of Artillery is now ready for the trip to Petewawa Camp and will leave the city on a special I. C. R. train at 4 o'clock this afternoon. The officers who will go are as follows:— No. 1 Battery—Major W. H. Harrison, Capt. J. T. McGowan, Lieut. McKendrick. No. 2 Battery—Major S. B. Smith, Lieut. Ross, Lieut. Ryder, Lieut. McLeod. No. 3 Battery—Major L. W. Barker, Capt. Magee, Lieut. Magee. Col. J. B. M. Baxter may visit the camp before the close of the training, but will not leave today.

Two Close Shaves. A colored man working at the staving machine of Stetson, Cutler & Co.'s mills, Indian town, had two fingers nearly cut off by the machine Thursday afternoon. While tending a hand saw in the same mill, Northrup, one of the hands, in some way interfered with a log-drawing chain of spikes, with the result that the dogs of the chain gave him two pretty bad jabs in the arm. He was helped to Dr. W. F. Roberts' surgery on the corner of Douglas avenue and Main street and his arm bandaged up. The wounds are not serious. Just received a new lot of men's fine straw hats, (the being a manufacturer's clothing) some of the best \$3.50. Blue \$2.50. Special \$3.00 hats for \$1.99 and the best \$2.50 and \$2.00 hats for \$1.49 and \$1.00. B. Pidgeon, Cor. Main and Bridge Sts.

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