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SUNDAY REST AND LEGISLATION

The allies of the church come from unexpected quarters, and their voice is lifted up in street and market-place. Now it is a statesman who has been compelled to acknowledge the economic value of foreign missions, and then a labor union demanding a seventh day of rest.

Too often the church has given the impression that in seeking for a Sabbath rest it was contending for its own pet institution, or for some command or legislation that it had received to hold.

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Some years ago the locomotive engineers of the great American roads addressed a petition to its president, asking for the removal of Sunday trains and complaining of their Sunday work as a great hardship.

The idea is not to secure a complete cessation of work on Sunday, but to give each man an opportunity for a day's rest in seven. In a small city it is easy to forbid street cars to run on Sunday, but when a city stretches over miles and miles of area, a different problem at once presents itself.

the barbers, with one exception, petitioned the council for an ordinance closing their shops on Sunday. One barber rendered a law necessary to protect the rights of the others. A great majority of the citizens may desire to close their shops on Sunday; but it is necessary to give to the wish of the majority the sanction of law; for if there is no such law, the minority, opening their shops would soon force the others to do likewise.

TAXES AND LAND VALUES. Lloyd George's great budget provided for the valuation of all the land in Great Britain, and the work of the men engaged in this activity is going on apace. This was the part of the budget most hated by the landlords. They were terrified at the idea of their land being valued, knowing that when the people would see these great land values, they would tax them and stop putting rates on the homes of the people and their work in the fields and factories.

The rates at present press most heavily upon the poorest people live, who are least able to pay them. Small houses and cottages, shops, market gardens and small holdings are rated up to the last penny, but large private parks and grounds, and tracts of land reserved for sport and pleasure contribute very little in proportion.

It was largely on the question of land reform that the Liberal party won their great victory under Campbell-Bannerman in 1906. He promised at that time to make the country "more of a treasure ground for the poor, and less of a pleasure ground for the rich."

Mr. Lloyd George declares that the party has been speaking long enough about land and the taxation of land values and that the time has come for serious action. If the government deals effectively with the land problem and taxes the land values fairly, it will have more effect upon the labor unrest than many minimum wage bills.

OUR FARMING METHODS. Proofs are not wanting that better agricultural methods are needed in New Brunswick. One fact that impressed members of the British touring party who were lately in the province was the vastness of the opportunity for the agriculturist and the lack of the best methods of conducting farms.

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ADVANCING DEMOCRACY. The claim which is made by Roosevelt is that he seeks to break the power of a politically entrenched plutocracy, and to attain to a government of the people for the people. No event in American history since the civil war is at all comparable in importance to the present crisis he has forced upon the country. He has rendered

a notable service to the cause of democracy. He may be actuated, as his enemies declare and as many of his friends suspect, by personal ambition and desire for power, but he has struck a mighty blow at the power of monopoly and special privilege. A wound to kill a man need not be as deep as a well or as wide as a church door, and he has delivered one that is deep and wide to the strongly undemocratic tendencies in the country.

MESSAGE FROM THE DEAD. Reports come from time to time of those who have been receiving messages from Mr. Stead, who went down with the Titanic. It is difficult to say how many times within the last two decades, communications with the dead have been definitely established, if we are to believe eminent divines, distinguished scientists and college professors.

The regular result of the nomination in Chicago is a complete travesty upon popular rights. Had the direct primaries been extended to every state, it is reasonable to suppose that Taft would not have been able to secure a single delegate. The operation of the party machine and the operation of the steam roller enabled him to control the convention. The wheels of this party machine may have turned with ease and smoothness, but Roosevelt has knocked it out of gear.

Both the great parties are in flux; they are visibly breaking up. With the first great bolt from the Republican ranks, independent voting was denounced as little short of treason to the flag. Those who conceded that Blaine was unfit for the Presidency thought that only a great national emergency would justify them in repudiating partisan ties.

LABOR UNREST. The Greeks despised manual labor. Aristotle says: "All kinds of labor and business of any kind is incompatible with happiness and virtue." On another occasion he declared that no vocation such as is followed by the vulgar herd of artisans or laborers can ever promote the moral well-being of man.

BRITISH AND CANADIAN PREFERENCE. When Britain is asked to tax her food supply for the sake of her colonies it should be noted that she imports an average of ten shillings per week per family of food products. Twenty-six per cent. of this is from her colonies, and the other twenty-four per cent. from foreign countries.

NOTE AND COMMENT. The London dock strike drags along, but it would appear that the strikers have failed because of the spirit manifested by their leaders. Mr. Bryan appears to be desirous of emulating the example of Colonel Roosevelt and stirring a rumpus in the convention at Baltimore. He is not, however, as impressive a figure as the rough rider.

BURGLARS AGAIN BUSY IN MONCTON. Moncton, N. B., June 24—A bold burglar was committing a series of burglaries in Keith's billiard parlors. Mr. Keith went to the billiard room about half past eight, and upon entering the place he saw a man bearing a heavy coat through a rear window. He gave chase, but was unable to catch him.

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Quebec is the largest province in Canada by about 300,000 square miles, with Ontario in second place. Under good Liberal control Quebec is also becoming one of the most progressive provinces, especially in regard to agriculture and good roads.

Another English gentleman who has made a tour of Canada with the intention of making his home in this country has decided in favor of the province of New Brunswick. Many more would make the same decision if they were as well informed.

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BENJAMIN KILBURN, OF KILBURN, DEAD.

Victoria County's wealthiest resident passed away yesterday—was a self-made man and never attended school.

Andover, N. B., June 25—(Special)—Benjamin Kilburn, considered the richest man in Victoria county, died at his home at Kilburn at 10 o'clock this morning of cancer of the stomach, aged 83 years.

He is survived by his wife, formerly Miss Harper, of Jacksonville, whom he married in 1833; four daughters—Beatrice, Alvina, Gertrude and Mary; one son, Fred, a farmer in the town of St. John, and Mrs. B. L. Gaskin, of Kilburn. He had been a member of the Andover Masonic lodge for the past thirty years, and a member of the I. O. O. F. He was postmaster at Kilburn at his death, a prominent temperance worker, and a valued member of the Methodist church.

SIR GEORGE WHITE, FAMOUS BRITISH SOLDIER, DEAD. London, June 24—Field Marshal Sir George Stuart White, governor of (Belga) Hospital, London, home for aged soldiers, and one of the most distinguished soldiers in the British army, died today in his seventy-seventh year.

ST. JOHN PEOPLE WERE PAID \$213,500 LIFE INSURANCE LAST YEAR. New York, June 26—During 1911, a total of \$213,500 was paid out by life insurance companies in Canada and the United States. According to figures compiled by a trade publication here, the year was a prosperous one, and there was an increase of \$400,000,000 over 1910 in policies written in the country for 1911 reaching nearly \$1,000,000,000.

OFFICIAL FIGURES IN KINGS ELECTION. Hampton, N. S., June 24—(Special)—In Sheriff F. W. Frazier's court declaration day, the following declaration of official figures was made: Jones, 2,666; Murray, 2,640; Robinson, 2,596; Pearson, 1,939; Flewelling, 1,816; Wetmore, 1,820.

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INTERESTING HORTICULTURAL MONUMENT TO APPLE

Errected in Honor of McIntosh and Its Discoverer. A ceremony unique in the fruit growing in the or in took place at Dundela (Ont.) on June 24. A monument was unveiled to the McIntosh apple tree. The farmers of Dundela planted a marble stone close to the tree which stood the original McIntosh apple tree that succumbed about 1847 after the storm and the blight of 1847.

Writing from his home in Peoria, Ill., a correspondent asks the question whether he can apply the form of a spray, to rid his bushes of the worms that have on their work of destruction. As to the use of hellebore, Professor Surface replies that "found it efficient to mix said flour for the currant worm, and it is certainly efficient to mix said flour with five or six parts of hellebore, when left overnight for a few days, in a sack like a tin baking powder, and part its efficiency to the flour mixture, and can be used by dusting over the leaves or by avoiding the trouble and expense of using it, and certainly efficient to mix said flour with five or six parts of hellebore, when left overnight for a few days, in a sack like a tin baking powder, and part its efficiency to the flour mixture, and can be used by dusting over the leaves or by avoiding the trouble and expense of using it, and certainly efficient to mix said flour with five or six parts of hellebore, when left overnight for a few days, in a sack like a tin baking powder, and part its efficiency to the flour mixture, and can be used by dusting over the leaves or by avoiding the trouble and expense of using it, 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R. GEORGE WHITE,
FAMOUS BRITISH
SOLDIER, DEAD

London, June 24--Field Marshall Sir George Stuart White, governor of Chelsea hospital, London's home for aged soldiers, one of the most distinguished soldiers of the British army, died today in his eighty-seventh year. He passed through tremendous life as a soldier, fighting his battles in all parts of the world, went through the terrible hardships of the Indian mutiny in 1857 as a young soldier, taking part in many engagements in the Sepoy war.

JOHN PEOPLE WERE
PAID \$213,500 LIFE
INSURANCE LAST YEAR

New York, June 26--During 1911, a total of \$62,946,000 was paid out by life insurance companies in Canada and the United States. According to figures compiled a trade publication here, the year was prosperous one, and there was an increase of \$40,000,000 over the previous year, the total for 1911 reaching nearly \$1,000,000,000.

OFFICIAL FIGURES
IN KINGS' ELECTION

Hampton, N. S., June 24--(Special)--Showing F. W. Freeman's court declaration of the following declaration of official result was made: Murray, 2,660; Murray, 2,596; Pearson, 1,810; Murray, 1,810; Wetmore, 1,838.

MADE THE MOST OF IT.

poor peasant on his deathbed made. He called his wife to him and said, "I have left you my horse to my parents. Sell it, and hand over to me the money you receive. I leave you my dog; he is valuable, and will serve faithfully. I have left you my wife; she is promised to obey, and in due season will be the mother of a son. I leave you my horse and dog. How can I be so sure of your care?" enquired a farmer.

ABE MARTIN

Why is it that the best butcher on the island scales weights as much as other three? The least said is soonest mended.

INTERESTING AGRICULTURAL FEATURES FOR OUR COUNTRY READERS

HORTICULTURE

MONUMENT TO APPLE TREE

Erected in Honor of McIntosh Red and Its Discoverer.

A ceremony unique in the history of fruit growing in this or in any country took place at Dundas (Ont.) on Saturday. A monument was unveiled to an apple tree. The farmers of Dundas county (Ont.), by popular subscription, have placed a marble stone close to the apple tree that succumbed only recently after having the storm and its natural causes for over 100 years. To mark the spot where stood the tree that gave to the world one of its most luscious and most famous varieties of the kind of fruit to be eaten, the McIntosh Red apple, the donors have done a noble deed. At the unveiling address were delivered by Hon. J. S. Duff, Minister of Agriculture, Toronto; J. T. Macoun, Dominion Horticulturist, Ottawa; Prof. W. S. Blair, Macdonald College, Ottawa; Dr. John Harkness, Irena (Ont.), and Harold Jones, Mattland, Andrew Ross, M. P., chairman of the monument committee, presided.

BORERS IN FRUIT TREES

Carbon bisulfide is used for borers in trees by either injecting it into their holes with a syringe, or by dipping a small tuft of cotton into the liquid, and pushing this saturated cotton into the hole, and then plugging it with fine wire putty or grafting wax. The fumes of the liquid will penetrate the hole and find the insect larva and kill it. It is thus much cheaper as a time-saver, and much less injurious to the trees than the old-timey methods of attempting to hunt the borers by means of a knife. Of course, this applies to the destruction of those borers which enter the trees and leave a partially open tunnel which the gas can penetrate. Among these are the round-headed and flat-headed borers of the pomace fruits, or apples, pears and quinces.

POULTRY

FIXTURES IN HEN HOUSE

Careful Attention Must Be Given the Equipment--Encourages Laying.

A laying hen spends more than half her time either on the perch or on the nest, so it is very evident that these fixtures in the hen house should be given careful attention for the sake of the comfort of the fowls and also because it is to the poultryman's interest from a pecuniary standpoint.

TO KILL CURRANT WORMS

Writing from his home in Pennsylvania, a grower of currants asked the state zoologist whether he can apply heliothere in the form of a spray, to rid his currants of the currant worm. His zoologist replied that he has used heliothere in the form of a spray, to rid his currants of the currant worm, and that it is very effective.

THE NEED OF SUMMER
SPRAYS FOR VEGETABLES

Insecticides and Fungicides as Necessary to Market Gardener as Plow or Harrow--Specific Cases--Potato Enemies.

Insecticides and fungicides have become so necessary to the market gardener as the plow or harrow or other implement. It is useless to attempt to grow vegetables without the necessary insecticides and fungicides to put up a proper fight against the various insects and fungoid diseases which he must meet.

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SOME GOOD DAHLIAS

The decorative type of dahlia has always been my favorite, although there are quite a number of the standard type that are very well, especially in the winter. Mrs. John Walker being one that I would not be without. Mrs. Winters and Henry Patrick, decorative whites, are good and free blooming. Delia, a new variety, is one of the best of the decorative class. Grand Duke Alexis, a very large white with sometimes a tinge of pink, is a good one. The petals overlap to the point.

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- 1. Don't keep eggs in a damp place.
- 2. Don't hatch your next winter's layers after June 1.
- 3. Don't allow the male birds with the flock after you are through hatching.
- 4. Don't compel the hens to make their nests in the extra large, but clean, provide one nest for every four hens.
- 5. Don't allow the nests to become filthy.
- 6. Don't set hens where other hens can lay in the same nests.
- 7. Don't wait until ready to go to town to clean the nests.
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- 9. Keep your eggs in clean cases and fillers, with excelsior on the top and bottom of each case.
- 10. Male birds have no influence on the number of eggs laid.

HOT WEATHER CHICKS

Hatching operations will have to be carried well into the hot months of summer than most breeders if they are to expect the full number of chicks planned for at the beginning of the season. The spring weather is exceedingly backward in all parts of the country, and good spring weather--the kind that makes chicks grow and thrive--is not in evidence until well into the month of May.

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ALLAN LINER STEERAGE
PASSENGERS HELD
AT GROSSE ISLE

Quebec, June 26--The Allan steamship Pretorian, which arrived at Grosse Ile this afternoon, has been detained to land some 100 steerage passengers, a suspected case of smallpox having developed. The Pretorian will arrive in Quebec tomorrow morning.

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Premature Explosion of Gun Kills One and Injures Twenty-two, Four of Whom May Die.

GENERAL

RECIPE FOR CORNED BEEF

The following is a well tried recipe for corned beef, and found very satisfactory for home use. The pieces commonly used for corning are the plate, rump, cross ribs or brisket, or, in other words the "cheaper cuts" of meat. The pieces should be cut into convenient pieces, say five or six inches square. It should be the aim to cut them all to about the same thickness, so that they will make an even layer in the barrel. Weigh out the meat and allow ten pounds of salt to each 100 pounds. Sprinkle a layer of salt one-quarter of an inch in depth over the bottom of the barrel; pack in as closely as possible the cuts of meat, making a layer five or six inches in thickness; then put on a layer of salt, following that with another layer of meat. Repeat until the meat and salt have all been packed in the barrel, care being used to reserve salt enough for a good layer on the top. After the packing is done, add to each add, for every 100 pounds of meat, four pounds of sugar, two ounces of baking soda and four ounces of salt, dissolved in a gallon of water. Repeat until the barrel is full. Sprinkle a layer of water, which should be sufficient to cover this quantity of meat. A loose board cover, "lighter down" and a utility brood, half piece of iron, should be put on the meat to keep all of it under the brine. In case any should project, mold would soon start and the brine would spoil. If it is more likely to spoil at that time than any other season. If the brine appears to be rosy, or does not drip freely from the finger when immersed and lifted, it should be turned off and new brine added after carefully washing the meat. The sugar or molasses in the brine has a tendency to ferment, and unless the brine is kept in a cool place there is sometimes trouble from that source. To secure thorough corning, the meat should be kept in the brine twenty or thirty days, but can be kept there all summer.

KEEPING CREAM SWEET

As the warm season comes on, the difficulty of keeping cream sweet on the farm becomes greater. The rancher is busy putting a crop of silage and a crop of corn can be produced with less moisture than can be most of the other farm crops. A dry season or a month or two of dry weather is liable to cause a failure to get a catch of grass and the same dry weather also results in a shrinkage in pasture, while on well prepared and well cultivated fields a crop of silage and a crop of corn can be produced without a check.

WOODSTOCK MAY GET
EXPERIMENTAL FARM

Woodstock, N. B., June 24--(Special)--Declaration of agricultural progress in connection with the experimental farm, which will probably be established here, was most favorably impressed with C. L. Smith's farm as a location and steps were probably taken in connection with the property.

MARION FLAIGLER LED
CHATHAM GRADE 8

Chatham, N. B., June 26--(Special)--The results of the High School entrance examinations are announced today. Forty-seven pupils tried the examinations and of these Marion Flaigler led. Those in the first division are Marion Flaigler, 92.2; Esther Fenbrook, 87.2; Jean Stewart, 86.1; Ellis Sailer, 78.1; Jean Stewart, 75.4; Thelma Richards, 75.1; Len Lawton, 74; Francis McMillan, 73; Lemuel Sewell, 68. Those who passed division 1 numbered seven; division 2, conditional, eight; division 3, fourteen; failed, three.

WARRIORS WELL KNOWN SCULPTOR

Jersey City, N. J., June 25--Announcement of the marriage of Frank Edwin Elwell, a sculptor, to Miss Anna Benjamin, of Truro, Nova Scotia, today came from the home of the bride's friends.

THE GLORIOUS TWELFTH

The committee having in hand the annual July 12 celebration of the Orange men, which is to be held at Moncton, have arranged that two special trains will take the brethren. They will start at 7.30 a. m. and 8.30

Will you be one of the 108 farmers who will receive your Prize Contest checks?



THERE will be twelve cash prizes in each of the nine provinces (108 in all) in the 1912 Prize Contest for Canadian Farmers. The 1911 Contest was so successful in awakening interest in the use of Concrete on the farm, that a second contest, in which three times as many prizes are offered, was decided upon for this year.

The Contest this year is divided into three classes, "A," "B," and "C," and there will be four prizes in each class. First prize, \$50; Second prize, \$25; Third prize, \$15; Fourth prize, \$10. There are also three \$50 Prizes, three \$25 Prizes, three \$15 Prizes, and three \$10 Prizes, for each province.

DESCRIPTION OF CLASSES

In Each Class there will be First, Second, Third and Fourth Prizes (\$50, \$25, \$15, and \$10) for Each Province, as follows:

CLASS "A"—Prizes to be awarded to the four farmers in each province who use most "Canada" Cement on their farms in the year 1912.

CLASS "B"—Prizes to be awarded to the four farmers in each province whose photographs of the best concrete work done with "Canada" Cement on their farms in 1912.

CLASS "C"—Prizes to be awarded to the four farmers in each province who send in the best description, telling how any piece of concrete work was done with "Canada" Cement. Entries for this prize must be accompanied by photographs of the work.

Don't think that you must use a large quantity of cement in order to win a prize. The quantity of cement used is not counted in Classes "B" and "C." Many of last year's prize winners used very little cement.

When you enter the Contest, you have a chance to win a cash prize of \$50 as well as the certainty that you will add a permanent improvement to your farm. If you haven't a copy, be sure and ask for our book, "What the Farmer Can Do With Concrete." It will not only suggest many improvements that you can use in entering the Contest, but will tell you all about the use of concrete on the farm.

Just write your name and address on the attached coupon, or use a postal card, and we will send full particulars, a copy of "What the Farmer Can Do With Concrete" to you absolutely free.

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JOSEPH DOUGLAS TRUEMAN LOSES LIFE BY DROWNING IN THE RAINY RIVER DISTRICT

Sad News Sent to Family Tuesday in Brief Telegrams— Was in Canoe With Secretary of Smithsonian Institute When Craft Was Upset—Highly Educated and One of the Finest Young Men This City Has Produced—Held De- grees from U. N. B., Queen's and Wisconsin Universities and Boston Tech.

Wednesday, June 28. The sad news of the death of Joseph Douglas Trueman, son of Mrs. and the late Judge Arthur I. Trueman, of this city, was received here yesterday afternoon. Mr. Trueman was connected with the Dominion Geological Survey department and lost his life by drowning while on an expedition for the department in the Rainy River district, Ontario.

During the past year discoveries of fossil remains of great antiquity have been made in the region around Deep Rock Lake in the Rainy River district and his apparent acquaintance with the geological survey department and his interest in the scientific work on account of his special qualifications for the work. Mr. Trueman was chosen to head the party which was to carry on further investigations in the district this summer and on account of their importance he was accompanied on the expedition by Dr. Walcott, secretary of the Smithsonian Institute. When the accident, which resulted so tragically, occurred Mr. Trueman and Dr. Walcott were together in a canoe. The frail craft was upset and both were thrown into the water. His companion was saved but Mr. Trueman was lost. Further details have not yet been received but those who were acquainted with Mr. Trueman and knew his ability as a swimmer and his familiarity with canoes, realize that only exceptional circumstances could have caused his death in this way.

Mr. Trueman was born in St. John twenty-eight years ago and resided here until he left the city to complete his education. Besides his mother he is survived by two brothers, J. MacMillan Trueman, barrister, of this city and Harold Trueman, of the staff of the Bank of Montreal in Chatham, Ont., and three sisters, Mrs. Wood, wife of Rev. George Wood of Chatham (N. B.), and Misses Jean and Kathleen, at home.

The news of the fatal accident, which is believed to have taken place on Tuesday morning, was received in telegram from Dr. R. W. Brock, director of the department at Ottawa, who communicated with Dr. Murray Macdonald, a close friend of the family. Dr. George E. Matthew, the local geologist, and A. C. Sheppard, of the department, who is at present lo-

REFUSES TO QUIT PARTY TO HELP ROOSEVELT

Governor of Nebraska Decides He Will Not Help Organize "Progressive" Party.

Lincoln, Neb., June 26—Governor Aldrich today announced that he would not serve on the committee of eighteen appointed by Governor Johnson, of California, to take the lead in organizing the new "Progressive" party composed of Roosevelt adherents. Governor Aldrich declared he would "stay regular."

Politicians interested in preventing a schism in the party in Nebraska have evolved a plan for fusion of the third party and the regular Republicans on everything but the presidential ticket.

PASSED CIVIL SERVICE EXAMS.

Ottawa, June 25—The list of successful candidates in a competitive examination for clerkships in sub-division B of the second division of the inside civil service, announced today, includes: Joseph A. Munneil, Port Arthur; Frank H. Blake, Norton (N. B.); J. L. A. Gagnon, St. Claire (Que.); Wilfred J. Johnson, St. Catharines; John B. Mason, Fenelon Falls (Ont.); Wm. D. Armstrong, Ingonish (Ont.); W. D. Cram, Carleton Place (Ont.); Charles Griffiths, Toronto; Clarence L. Fusa, Peterborough; C. J. Talley, Picton; Wm. J. McNeill, West Marguash (N. S.); Harold C. Watt, Grand Manan (N. B.)

LOST OPPORTUNITY

Sir Thomas Lipton tells a humorous story of a Scotchman who went to a race meeting for the first time in his life. The old man's friends persuaded him to risk sixpence on a horse—a forty to one chance.

With much trepidation, the Scotchman handed out the sixpence and, strange to relate, the horse won. When the bookmaker handed out a sovereign and sixpence to Sandy, the latter could not believe his own eyes.

"Do you mean to tell me I get all this for my sixpence?" he asked.

"Yes, do," replied the bookmaker.

"Ma conscience!" exclaimed Sandy. "Tell me, now, how long has this thing been going on?"

"Though Sandy had 'greenhorn's luck' and 'picked the winner' on his first venture, he might not do so again in 99 times out of 100, as those who 'follow the ponies' could tell him. The man who wants to place his 'sixpences' on a 'sure thing' should investigate the Canadian Government's Annuity System, information in regard to which may be obtained at any post office or application to the Superintendent of Annuities, Ottawa. Your letter is carried free of postage.

APOHAQUI PRESENTATION

Apohaqui, June 25—At the monthly meeting of the ladies' aid in the home of John A. Northrup, Berwick, on Monday evening last, a purse of money was presented by Mrs. J. E. Fenwick on behalf of the congregation to Mrs. A. C. Bell, the pastor's wife, in appreciation of her services as organist of the church and teacher in the Sunday school and worker in the other organizations of the church.

In making the presentation, Mrs. Fenwick spoke of the cordial relations that have existed between the pastor's family and the congregation during the four years past.

Mrs. Bell made a suitable reply and thanked the people for their many acts of kindness while living among them.

Mrs. Bell and family will soon move to Andover, and Rev. J. F. Rowley will be his successor on the Apohaqui circuit.

MICHAEL BRAYSON DROPPED DEAD WHILE PETTING HIS COLTS

Well-known Victoria County Man Had Accumulated Much Wealth.

Andover, June 26—(Special)—The funeral of Michael Brayson, of Bairdville, one of the best known residents of Victoria county, was held this morning, in interment being made at Clearview. Mr. Brayson was 60 years of age and unmarried. He was born at Bairdville, where by hard work and thrift he accumulated wealth estimated at about \$50,000.

His death was very sudden. Having taught colts to come to the porch of his house and feed from his hand, Mr. Brayson was caring for his pets in this way yesterday when he dropped dead from heart failure. He had been suffering from Bright's disease. Two sisters survive, one living at Bairdville, the other at Eaton (Me.).

"I hear old Bill has been working all this week."

"Yes, ain't it terrible what some people will do for money!"

WELSH SUFFRAGETTES SLUGGED McKENNA

King George and Queen Mary Wit- nessed the Assault on the Home Secretary.

Cardiff, Wales, June 26—King George and Queen Mary, who are making a tour of South Wales, were brought face to face with suffragette militancy this afternoon when a suffragette broke through the police cordon and sprang at R. McKenna, the cabinet minister, in attendance on their majesties.

The king and queen were proceeding to the cathedral at Llandaff when a woman named Helen Cram, muttering threats against cabinet ministers enjoying a tour of the country, while women were staring in prison, hurled herself upon the home secretary. At the same time as her attack on Hon. Mr. McKenna, she shouted an appeal to the queen to help the suffragettes.

The woman was promptly dragged away by the police and lodged in jail.

MONTREAL MAN KILLED IN ROW OVER DRINKS

Young Italian Shot Restaurant Proprietor Dead—Arrested by Lookers On.

Montreal, June 26—Louis Guay, proprietor of a restaurant on East LaGauchetierre street, was shot and killed this evening at the door of his establishment by Domenico Bivano, a young Italian, with whom he had quarrelled over the price of some drinks.

The Italian was seized and held by others in the restaurant. He will be arraigned on a charge of murder tomorrow.

STEEL INTERESTS WILL SEE GOVERNMENT ABOUT TARIFF LATER

Ottawa, June 26—President J. H. Plummer of the Dominion Steel Corporation is in Ottawa today interviewing the minister of railways regarding the new line from Springfield to Wallace, over which coal will be shipped to the steel works.

Plummer stated that at a later date the steel interests would again submit their tariff views to the government, but at present nothing was being done.

P. E. I. POSTMASTER FOUND DROWNED

Charlottetown, June 25—(Special)—The body of Peter Arsenault, aged 38 years, postmaster at Howland, Prince county, was found at daybreak today in a brook which it is supposed he had attempted to cross on a log from which he slipped. He left home Monday morning and was not seen alive afterwards. Search for the body continued all night and on Tuesday a break. He leaves a wife and one child.

of Interest to Women

In cleaning out the bureau drawers and closets do not throw or give away underclothing that is marked with the initials of the buttons and seams of these pieces make the very best of dust rags, mop cloths and cloths for cleaning woodwork or paint.

After several years' usage every sewing machine is likely to clog up with fine dust which the machine oil collects on the bearings. As soon as the machine begins to work heavily, take out the shuttle, and then give every movable part a generous bath of gasoline.

If your last year's Panama straw hat is yellow and faded, wash it in a warm castor oil soap lather, to which a few drops of ammonia have been added. Rinse well in tepid water, using a soft nail brush, and then rub with a soft, clean rag until the hat is thoroughly dry.

When putting down new linoleum, place a strip of pasteboard, covered with glue, under each seam, pushing the edges of the linoleum close together and pressing down firmly under heavy weights overnight. The seam hardly shows and the edges will not break.

Keep your keying out of closets where there is a musty smell. Next to the weather stripping with a felt edge, not rubber, and nail it to the bottom of the doors on the inside. The felt should just touch the floor which will trap the dust and keep it from coming in.

Cover your bedspreads with a slip of unbleached muslin or ticking, sewing tapes to each corner to keep it taut on firmly. This will protect your mattress from iron rust, wear and tear, can be taken off and shaken every week, and washed clean when soiled.

Dampen the hair with cologne water before winding it on the curlers and it will keep the curl in. Hair should be left on the curlers until dry. Anything containing gum arabic leaves an ugly white powder on the hair, which is anything but pretty.

And fruit stains must be taken out before the material is washed. Powdered starch applied thickly and left on for half an hour will generally obliterate the marks.

A mixture of salt and lemon juice is another good remedy. Next to stannous chloride, rub the part each side with yellow soap, then cover with a paste of starch and cold water. Rub in well and expose to air.

Unvarying results may be had with soft-boiled eggs without the trouble (and uncertainty) of timing them or the necessity of hurrying in serving. Place the eggs in a vessel—in or graniteware being best—that can be covered. Do not put the vessel on the range. Pour sufficient boiling water over the eggs just to cover them; then place the cover on the vessel and let it stand till ready to serve. The eggs will never harden to more than a creamy consistency.

When in need of a patch to mend seat of a little boy's pants of wash suits, and no material apparently is available, take the underside of the big sailor collar, thereby making a better match than even the new goods. Replace the underside of the collar with anything suitable.

A wooden hand to be used in place of one's own when cleaning gloves is a boon maker. Hand practice this little economy. Naptha and gasoline, as every one who has used them knows, are apt to leave the human hand that has been inserted in a glove irritated and sore.

In laundering the skirts made of pique, cotton goods or of woolen material, it is better to pin them to the line by the waistband, so that they will hang straight down, instead of by the hem. If pinned at the top they will shrink evenly all around instead of sagging, as they often do by the other method.

Instead of spreading out sheets and ironing them by themselves try this plan: Fold the sheet in half, then quarter, lay on ironing board as though to iron. Now on the rest of clothes on top sheet, turning it toward pieces so as to reach all parts, finally folding, and begin on another sheet.

CANADA'S "BLACK HOPE" ON OLYMPIC TEAM DISMISSED

Howard, the Winnipeg Athlete, In- subordinate During His London Training.

London, June 26—The Canadian Olympic team is training hard at the Crystal Palace. The negro athlete, J. A. Howard, of Winnipeg College, has been dismissed from the team on charges of insubordination. Critics here had picked him to win the 200 metres sprint at Stockholm.

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SUSSEX STRIKE FOR SHORTER HOURS WAS SHORT LIVED

Sussex, June 26—A strike has broken out among the employees of the Sussex Manufacturing Company affecting all told about forty hands. Yesterday about half that number went out, saying they wanted a shorter day. The factory in which they have been working has been running ten hours a day and they want an hour taken off. Up to noon today there was a general strike. The strikers are still fifteen men employed about the yard and shop.

This afternoon all but eight men returned to work under the old conditions.

ANDOVER BALL PLAYER BREAKS AN ARM IN GAME

Andover, N. B., June 26—(Special)—While running after a foul fly back of home in the game of baseball between the Juniors of Perth and Grand Falls this morning, Elery Price, of Perth, tripped over a log and fell, breaking his right arm at the elbow. The boy finished the inning, but on attempting to had found his arm was useless and swollen rapidly. The broken member was reset by Dr. Earle. The Perth boys won two games by the scores of 20 to 9 and 14 to 8.

PORT WILLIAMS MAN DIES OF HIS INJURIES

Halifax, N. S., June 26—Kenneth Lee, who was accidentally shot while protesting himself from assault by three men in the streets of Port Williams yesterday, died in the infirmary here this morning. Owing to his weak condition no ante-mortem statement was taken.

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Lee was an English gunnery farmer and had been in this country eleven years. He was a fine type of Englishman.

He was taken to the infirmary on his way to Mr. Lee's home and demanded to see a servant working there.

\$10,000 Halifax Fire.

Halifax, N. S., June 26—(Special)—Fire in the plant of W. & A. Moir, engineers and machinists, on the great wharf, \$10,000 damage. All the patterns were destroyed covered by insurance.

TOO MUCH TO GO THROUGH.

A lawyer picked his way to the edge of the subway excavation and called down to Michael Finnerty.

"Who's wantin' me?" inquired a large, rawboned one.

"I am," said the lawyer. "Mr. Finnerty, did you come from Castellar, County Mayo?"

"And was your mother named Mary and your father named Owen?"

"They was."

"Then, Mr. Finnerty," said the lawyer, "it is my duty to inform you that your Aunt Kate has died in the United States leaving you an estate of \$40,000 in cash."

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REV. ROBERT WILSON, PH. D., DIED AT HIS HOME EARLY MONDAY

Was One of the Leading Men of the Methodist Church in Canada—An Able Preacher and Writer, and a Hard Worker—Death Came Peacefully After Long Life of Toil.

Rev. Dr. Wilson was born on February 18, 1833, at Fort George. His father was Sergeant Peter Wilson, of the Ninety-third Highlanders, who came to Canada at the time of the rebellion of 1837...

REV. ROBERT WILSON, PH. D.

Passing away as if sinking to sleep at the close of a day of toil in the service of his Master, Rev. Robert Wilson, Ph. D., one of the hardest thinking, most earnest preachers and versatile writers the Methodist church in the maritime provinces has ever known, died early yesterday morning after an attack of acute indigestion which his falling strength could not overcome.

He passed peacefully away soon after 3 o'clock Monday morning. Many friends called at the stricken home yesterday to express their sympathy and to view the death of the distinguished preacher and writer was received with genuine regret.

Before entering the ministry, however, he served as school teacher for a few terms and from the time he left college he took an active part in all affairs of human interest, being foremost in the temperance movement, a leader in religious thought and an earnest worker on one side or other of the great political questions of the day.

Referring to the noble life just ended, he said: "So far as I have been able to call up, the different circuits where Dr. Wilson labored, I have found evidence of his splendid efforts. Perhaps the highest tribute I could pay him would be to say that he left his circuits better than he found them."

OBITUARY

Mrs. Elias Russell.

Lower Derby, N. B., June 28.—The death of Mrs. Elias Russell occurred at her home, Lower Derby, on Wednesday, June 28, after a brief illness of less than two days.

Mrs. James J. Bostwick.

The death of Mrs. Bostwick, widow of James J. Bostwick, of this city, is announced in Newton Centre (Mass.) Many friends in St. John will learn the news with deep regret.

Mrs. Thomas P. Hanford.

Halifax, N. S., June 28.—(Special)—Mrs. Hanford, widow of T. P. Hanford, of St. John, died suddenly this morning at her residence in Lucknow street.

Fred R. Branscombe.

Moncton, June 28.—(Special)—Word was received in Moncton this morning of the death of Fred R. Branscombe, of Corn Hill, Kings county, which occurred in the Mary Fletcher hospital, at Moncton, N. B.

Mrs. Elias Towner.

Sackville, June 28.—(Special)—Mrs. Elias Towner, of Rockwood, aged 79 years, was found dead in her home at Sackville, N. B., on Monday morning.

Mrs. George L. Slipp.

Sussex, N. B., June 28.—(Special)—The death of Susan Merritt, widow of George L. Slipp, took place here this evening.

James McClellan.

Florenceville, June 28.—(Special)—The death of James McClellan, of East Florenceville, at the advanced age of ninety years, occurred on Monday.

Mrs. Nancy Howlett.

Andover, June 28.—(Special)—One of the oldest residents of the community, Mrs. Nancy Howlett, died at her home in Bairdville early this morning as a result of paralysis at the age of 82.

William Kerr.

William Kerr, of Rev. George's street, of the Calais cemetery, was dead after an illness of only two days. Death was due to heart trouble.

Mrs. Walter Chamberlain.

The death took place last night at her home in "Windy Hill," Mrs. Chamberlain was the daughter of the late Nathan and Jean Clark, of Model Farm, and besides her husband, she was survived by her son, Howard W. Clark, of Model Farm; Ernest M., of Quispamsis; Otis J., and Charles N., of St. John; and two sisters, Mrs. N. of St. John and Mrs. Nettie of Waugh, of Douglas, York county.

BRYAN THROWS A BOMB AMONG THE DEMOCRATS

(Continued from page 1.) Evidently they passed the word that the resolution as modified was not objectionable. The success of the proposition then was certain.

Another Wilson Demonstration.

Temporary Chairman Parker began pounding for order at 12:45 p. m. When the opening prayer of Rabbi A. Guttmacher ended, the convention plunged into the South Dakota contests, R. S. Morris, of Pennsylvania, submitting the minority report favoring the Wilson delegates.

As the debate on the South Dakota case continued it was seen that the line between the forces on the one side and the Bryan forces on the other would be sharply drawn. The vote was impatiently awaited and after the first two speeches of the day, the vote was taken.

A Progressive Platform.

The platform to be adopted by the Democratic convention was under consideration during the entire day, first by Mr. Bryan and Senator O'Gorman of the resolutions committee, later by the sub-committee of eleven, of which Senator Kern, of Indiana, is chairman, and in the end by the full committee representing all of the states of the union and their delegates.

Immediately after their task was assigned them, Messrs. Bryan and O'Gorman shut themselves up in the committee room and worked hard. They were sufficiently satisfied with the situation to announce a meeting of the full committee at 10 o'clock, for the purpose of having that organization pass judgment upon the platform.

A Victory for Wilson.

Baltimore, June 27.—The Bryan-Wilson platform was adopted by the Democratic convention today when the delegates overturned the report of the credentials committee and seated ten Wilson supporters.

CAMP SUSSEX NOW DOWN TO HARD WORK

(Continued from page 1.) Some of those who have more experience are given telegraphs and signal from one station to another, with generally a transmitting post, by means of flashing mirrors to the sun. This is an interesting procedure and is regarded with careful attention by those unfamiliar with the "jumpy-iddy" language, the sending of messages through the air in great distances by means of the Morse code and the aid of the sun.

Bread Supply.

The huge oven embedded in the clay in the rear of the Army Service Corps lines are now turning out the bread supply for the vast host of men in camp and most of them are the happy possessors of quality appetites. It is no mean task to keep them in bread.

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CONNAUGHTS LEAVE QUEBEC FOR MARITIME PROVINCES JULY 23

Montreal, June 27.—It is semi-officially announced that the Duke of Connaught and his family will leave Quebec for the Maritime provinces on July 23 en route to the maritime provinces. The itinerary has not yet been arranged.

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LOCAL NEWS

The Restigouche Salmon Club has purchased from Howard Wight a property in Eildon, Restigouche County.

O. Warren Stinson, who has been accounting for the abandonment of the St. John office, has severed his connection with the railway and has gone to Fredericton to accept a position with the Corbett Construction Company. Mr. Stinson was decidedly popular and many friends will regret his departure and will wish him every success in the change he has made.

The work on the Courtenay-Bay contract is being carried forward steadily by Doherty & McDonald, and rapid progress is being made. The big steam shovel which does the work of 100 men, is eating its way into the bank and it has been found necessary to send for another locomotive to handle the engine in the material excavated. The engine is being brought from Quebec, where it has been in use on the Transcontinental and will arrive here next week.

With finer weather conditions the geographical survey party which is engaged in making a topographical map of St. John and vicinity has been making excellent progress. Mr. Sheppard, of Ottawa, who is in charge of the work, has completed the survey of the western section of the city and is now engaged in the eastern section. The party is camped on the Mansfield road and yesterday shifted their camp to the Red Head road. The other party, under the direction of Mr. Falconer, is in camp at Baywater.

The St. John Clearing House Association has sent a communication to the common council asking for better police protection. The association is of the opinion that the extent of more than 200 and they feel that this should entitle them to all the safeguards that could be given when the new patrol system is installed that a box be placed in the vicinity of each bank so that they may be assured of constant police protection.

The University of Manitoba recently conferred on Daniel McIntyre, the superintendent of Winnipeg schools, the degree of L. L. D. Following this the school board of that city presented to him the academic robe of his degree, accompanied with a congratulatory address. Dr. McIntyre is a native of Dalhousie, N. B., and a graduate in arts from Dalhousie University, Halifax, and was superintendent in Portland, St. John, for several years. For the past twenty-five years or more he has been superintendent of the schools of Winnipeg.

The closing exercises of the Nerepis Station school, over Miss Beulah Knowlton, a native of Dalhousie, N. B., and a graduate in arts from Dalhousie University, Halifax, and was superintendent in Portland, St. John, for several years. For the past twenty-five years or more he has been superintendent of the schools of Winnipeg.

The home of Mrs. R. E. Smith, Queen street, was the scene of a happy gathering on Monday evening, when a novelty shower was tendered to Miss Bessie R. Short, of the millinery department of M. R. A. Ltd., who is soon to be one of the principals in a happy event to take place in the city.

CHAMPMAN NOTES

Chipman, June 27.—Principal Fox and Miss Gouline are attending the teachers' institute in Fredericton. Miss Odessa Smith, of Bellisle, and Miss Bessie Smith, of St. John, are visiting the latter's mother here.

PERSONALS

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Mrs. William F. Doherty, Doctor Agatha Doherty, Miss Josephine Doherty and Miss Margaret Doherty, of "Albioncourt," Eglington, sailed for England on Wednesday on the steamer Royal George. They expect to remain in London and Paris for some months. Manning Doherty went to Montreal to bid bon voyage to his mother and sisters.

Miss Ethel Baird returned home from Fredericton, where she had been attending the summer at Truro and Picton (N. S.)—Montreal Star.

Lady Pope entertained a few friends last week in Ottawa at the tea hour at the home of her sister-in-law, Miss George Pope, who returned yesterday to Halifax.—Toronto Star.

AMERICAN LUMBER MARKET

EVERY FIRM; NOT SO THE MARKET IN OLD COUNTRY

Ocean Freight Rates High and Operators Are Manufacturing Largely for United States Demand—Steamers Slowly But Surely Taking Place of Sailing Ships Even in Coastwise Trade.

Conditions at this port have been improved both from the standpoint of the shipping men and lumbermen. For the first time in some years the American lumber market has been stimulated and just at a time when it is most desirable, on account of the dullness of the English market and high ocean tonnage. The diversion of the bulk of the shipments to the United States market has found tonnage hard in proportion to the demand, and coastwise freights have advanced materially.

To account for some of the conditions, many reasons have been given. The situation so far as the English market is concerned is unfavorable with extremely high ocean freights which combine to practically prohibit shipments. Were it not for the stiff ocean freights, things might not be too bad, however. Freights have advanced about twenty-five per cent. over last season's quotations. The demand for grain, cotton and oil tonnage has had the effect of boosting freights all along the line.

Out of St. John little less than \$3.75 has been paid of late, but as an indication of the way things are tending, one charter was fixed yesterday at St. John. In the Bay Fundy ports \$3 has been obtained quite readily, and northern ports have paid as high as \$5.25 and \$5.50.

LOCAL FIRMS OFFER TO ASSIST IN WORK AT FERNHILL

T. McAvity & Sons, Ltd., Give Foundation; W. H. Thorne & Co., Ltd., the Piping, and G. E. Blake to Do Erection Work.

At a meeting of the Fernhill directors in the board of trade rooms yesterday afternoon, the generous offer of three local firms to assist in the beautifying of the cemetery, was accepted and the result will be the erection of a substantial drinking fountain immediately at the head of the boulevard entrance from Westmead road. T. McAvity & Sons Ltd. offered to donate a handsome porcelain fountain about five feet in height. W. H. Thorne & Co. Ltd. will supply the piping for the water supply, and George E. Blake will contribute the work of erecting the fountain. The directors feel that the addition of this fountain to the improvements which are being effected in the cemetery, and are considering plans for bringing all parts of the cemetery into conformity with some general scheme.

HAMPTON VANDALS INJURE MOTOR BOAT

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St. John Fusiliers Services Attent

Throng of Out Home Tomorrow Soldierly-like A

Sussex, N. B., July 1.—All are to lead to Sussex today. A stream of visitors and sight into the broad expanse of while many others drove or the encampment and were gratified with the numerous interesting sights which are to be seen in every turn. The fine and cool.

While it was a holiday for a day of spectators, it was a day of the soldiers and the children, both for cavalry and infantry entered to the admiration and the crowd. Camera flashes were in evidence and some were caught by more than one of his or her photo album.

There were many things to see to be interested in from any entered the city of tents left again for home. As they forage over the stream they a body of recruits in signal attire in the secrets of More.

Then after viewing the sentry messages, the visitors wandered further along, and, looking for watching the cavalry and a drill, one of the most attractive of the holiday or any day's fine of covers and charging the infantry in various sections of the battalions against the enemy and the cheering themselves green and "blazing away."

The lives of No. 2 Field and presentable, were visited signs of approval and commendable cleanliness, and the also of the same of the Set. Each regiment had its colors and the day passed very peacefully all too quickly.

The field sports in the afternoon were a large gathering. Some were hotly contested and the was evinced in the outcome the soldiers also attended the dinner by Rev. Father McDevine church grounds and the garden in the evening. The outcome Allister. There was a large of these events.

The reception held by Major from the 28th regiment, was a fine function and those who favored with invitations to the joyed themselves.

The Sports. In the athletic contest of the lower field the 22nd regiment carried off the first honors the winners of the handsome donated by Capt. T. M. McAvity mental competency. Their 200 yards race, 400 yards race, 800 yards race, 1 mile race, 2 mile race, 5 mile race, 10 mile race, 15 mile race, 20 mile race, 25 mile race, 30 mile race, 35 mile race, 40 mile race, 45 mile race, 50 mile race, 55 mile race, 60 mile race, 65 mile race, 70 mile race, 75 mile race, 80 mile race, 85 mile race, 90 mile race, 95 mile race, 100 mile race.

Both the members of the which the contestants were at the hundreds of spectators who were crowded in, highly part in the manner in which the conducted, and applause was frequent body in camp had its quota of interest being evinced through events and winners were as follows: 220 yards—Brooks, 74th regt.; 400 yards—Brooks, 74th regt.; 800 yards—Brooks, 74th regt.; 1 mile—Brooks, 74th regt.; 2 miles—Brooks, 74th regt.; 5 miles—Brooks, 74th regt.; 10 miles—Brooks, 74th regt.; 15 miles—Brooks, 74th regt.; 20 miles—Brooks, 74th regt.; 25 miles—Brooks, 74th regt.; 30 miles—Brooks, 74th regt.; 35 miles—Brooks, 74th regt.; 40 miles—Brooks, 74th regt.; 45 miles—Brooks, 74th regt.; 50 miles—Brooks, 74th regt.; 55 miles—Brooks, 74th regt.; 60 miles—Brooks, 74th regt.; 65 miles—Brooks, 74th regt.; 70 miles—Brooks, 74th regt.; 75 miles—Brooks, 74th regt.; 80 miles—Brooks, 74th regt.; 85 miles—Brooks, 74th regt.; 90 miles—Brooks, 74th regt.; 95 miles—Brooks, 74th regt.; 100 miles—Brooks, 74th regt.

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