

# ENGINEER TAKES BLAME FOR WRECK

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### FORTY-ONE DEAD

## Fog Prevented Engineer from Seeing Signals -- Bride and Groom Among Victims -- Hos- pitals Unable to Care for All Wounded.

Corning, N. Y., July 4.—Westbound Lackawanna passenger train No. 9, from New York, due to arrive at Corning at 4:47 a. m., composed of two engines, a baggage car, three Pullman and two day coaches, in the order named, was demolished at Gibson, three miles east of Corning, at 5:25 o'clock this morning by express No. 11, due at Corning at 5:10 a. m.

Forty-one persons were killed and between fifty and sixty injured. Many of the victims were held in a curiosity bound to Niagara Falls, who had boarded the train at points along the Lackawanna from Hoboken to Buffalo.

The wreck was the worst in the history of the road. It came, according to Engineer Schroeder of the express, was his failure to see the signals set against his train. The morning was a foggy one and he said he could not make them out.

The wrecked train stood on the main track blocked by a stopped extra freight train. There was no fire out, according to Engineer Schroeder. All the signals which he declared it was too foggy to see were just around the curve.

The flying express plunged past them and crashed into the rear of No. 9, bringing death to more than two score of its passengers. Twenty have so far been identified. They are:

- The Known Dead.**
- William M. Armstrong, Hoboken, N. J.
  - Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brandt, New York City, (married yesterday and on wedding trip).
  - Herman Dyak, Newark, N. J.
  - Mrs. C. E. Erwin, Chicago.
  - Mrs. Edith A. Hess, Scranton, Pa.
  - Dr. E. V. Ivey, of Bellevue Hospital, New York; home, Suffolk, Va.
  - Mrs. Anna Hill Jones, Scranton, Pa.
  - George Laird, Brooklyn, N. Y.
  - Evelyn Lovary, colored, Newark, N. J.
  - Antonio Novaka, Scranton, Pa.
  - Antonio Nelson, Jersey City, N. J.
  - F. C. Pratt, Buffalo, N. Y., travelling salesman.
  - M. Patonak, immigrant, ticketed to Buffalo, N. Y.
  - Regina P. Pravelowski, Russia.
  - Mrs. Lillian Reynolds, Brooklyn, N. Y.
  - Mrs. Lucy Setteducati, New York.
  - James Smith, colored, Pullman porter, Newark, N. J.
  - Ernest Schultz, Buffalo, N. Y.
  - John Zelman, Scranton, Pa.

Running at high speed. Schroeder had taken train No. 11 at Elmira 15 minutes before it was a few minutes late the stretch of track from Elmira to Corning is fitted for fast running and he was sending his train along at the rate of 45 miles an hour. No. 9 was supposed to be half an hour ahead of him. He never had any warning until he met out the outline of the rear coach of No. 9 through the fog that was crawling up the mountain from the river below. He saw the lights of the rear coach of No. 9 through the fog that was crawling up the mountain from the river below. The shock threw the train off the track and the locomotive splintered on a few rods further to splinter the two day coaches filled with excursionists and tear through the last of the Pullmans. Schroeder said that the impact was so great that it threw him from the cab and threw him on his shoulder on the roadbed practically instant.

The one hundred ton monster continued its plunge through the middle of the train, grinding everything in its path. It seemed as if it would cut through every car. Then when it was finally blocked by a mountain of debris piled in front of it, it remained on the road bed in the midst of the devastation it plumed had created while thousands of persons rushed in every kind of vehicle to the scene to lift and pry the dead and injured from the tangled mass of wreckage.

Rescuers were quickly on the scene. There was plenty to do, and their work was difficult. In what seemed an incredibly short time hundreds of automobiles had lined the highway which led to the wreck, and the work of getting the injured to the hospitals and the dead to the morgues was impeded by the blocking of the road.

A detail of police from Corning did their best to keep the rescuers' path clear, and by 8 o'clock physicians, who had been rushed to the scene in motor cars, had started all of the wounded on their way to the hospitals or were giving emergency attention to victims on the scene.

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# REGINA NOT ALONE THE STORM BELT

## Reports from Mounted Police Commissioner Show Cy- clone Did Damage in Other Towns in West.

Special to The Standard. Ottawa, July 4.—The Saskatchewan government has at last replied to the message sent two days ago by Acting Premier Perley asking for information as to the Regina catastrophe. A telegram was received by Mr. Perley today from Hon. Walter Scott, premier of Saskatchewan as follows:

"Reply your kind message, second, may state a few localities in Saskatchewan experienced heavy wind storms Sunday, but we have no report of any fatalities or extraordinary damage elsewhere than in Regina. I will request Mayor Macrae to fire you official list of killed here."

Confirmation of the impression that the cyclone did considerable damage elsewhere is contained in a telegram from Commissioner A. B. Perry, of the Mounted Police. Commissioner Perry wired: "Reports are being received of damage by storm north and south of Regina. Patrols are out following track of storm and collecting full information. Only one death outside of city recorded."

Reports from the Mounted Police Commissioner show that the cyclone did damage in other towns in West. The following are some of the reports received:

Special to The Standard. Regina, July 4.—Bedford, at the head of the harbor, eight miles from Halifax, was badly hit by fire tonight. Five houses being destroyed between 10 and 11 o'clock and the blaze not by any means under control.

The houses burned consist of a group built about seven years ago belonging to J. E. Roy, one of them occupied by himself and the others by tenants. The Halifax fire department were asked for assistance at 11 o'clock and apparatus is being sent with to take charge of the fire fighters.

Forest fire continue to menace Dartmouth and the campers along the lake are in great alarm. The Bedford fire has no connection with the Dartmouth blaze.

Later. Halifax, July 5.—The Bedford fire destroyed four houses of J. E. Roy before it was under control at 1 o'clock this morning.

# WOMEN'S FOREIGN MISSION SOCIETY MEETS AT CHATHAM

## Annual Session of Branches of Miramichi Presbytery Opened Last Evening -- Usual Addresses to be Delivered.

Special to The Standard. Chatham, July 4.—The annual meeting of the Women's Foreign and Home Mission Societies of the Miramichi Presbytery takes place in Chatham this evening and Friday. The first meeting commences at 7:30 this evening in St. Andrew's church hall and at 8 p. m. Miss Mabel, of Bathurst, and Rev. Gordon Pirih, missionary agent for Trinidad, will give their customary addresses, while there will also be an address of welcome and several musical selections.

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The statement which comes from an authoritative source points out that the reduction is a temporary measure designed to meet the cement shortage in eastern and western Canada. The reduction is in no way in conflict with the well established policy of the conservative party and of the Borden government of grants adequate protection to Canadian industries.

With regard to the adequacy of the protection, it is pointed out that the duty under the Fielding tariff of 1907 is about 52 cents a barrel. Cement sold freely in the United States at 70 cents a barrel. There is a duty of about 75 per cent on Canadian cement. Thus when the duty is cut in two for four months the cement manufacturers have a protection of 37 per cent. In May the average protection enjoyed by Canadian manufacturers is 25 per cent, therefore under the reduction the cement manufacturers have over 10 per cent more protection than the average of manufacturer.

Freight Rates a Factor. In addition there are the freight rates to be reckoned. Here the position as regards eastern Canada is that the through freight rates given by Western Ontario have been increased twice since last year—in March and again in May. The total increase is equivalent to 22 cents a barrel, thus the increase of freight rates nearly equals the remission of duty.

Thus in the Ontario market the Canadian cement manufacturer enjoys the following protection against the American: Freight rate 60 cents per barrel and duty 26 cents per barrel. Total 86 cents per barrel.

As regards western and Maritime Province conditions it is pointed out that the smaller independent factories sell only in Ontario, and ship neither east nor west. Four-fifths of the cement used in Canada is made by the Canada Cement Co., and this company alleges that it is hampered by lack of facilities for lakeside rail transportation to eastern and western markets.

Whatever the reason the government found that the shortage was so great that in the Maritime Provinces there was threatened a complete stoppage of public works, while in the western cities there was danger of a stoppage of building and paving; so that thousands of men might have been thrown out of work.

The price of cement at Fort William recently was \$1.23 a barrel; at Winnipeg \$1.95; at Saskatoon \$2.50; at Calgary \$2.50; at Edmonton over \$3.00. These prices are determined by adding to the Fort William price the freight rate of one cent a ton a mile; for the four hundred miles from Fort William to Winnipeg the rate is 20 cents a hundred weight.

May Establish Western Plants. In addition to the freight rates there is the alleged difficulty of getting cement forwarded at all within reasonable time. Spurred by the action of the government the Canada Cement Company is ordering four vessels to take care of their western shipments. It also states that it is contemplating the erection of plants in the prairie provinces. The railways, for their part, have given large orders for rolling stock and are making every effort to overcome the congestion.

The government is committed to adequate protection of native industries; but national considerations govern its action; and in an emergency such as that which has arisen in regard to this matter the case for

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Three men rushed out of the crowd and implored policemen to arrest the man. While the policemen were seeking a hallway to the roof, the fellow on the ledge, with the antics of a crazy man, was disporting himself, slipping at every few steps and almost falling to the pavement. Soon a policeman, with a faded blue suit and upturned night-stick, bounded across the roof, took the man by the nape of the neck and sent him sprawling upon the tin surface. He was heartily cheered by those who had gathered to witness the scene.

All a Bluff. It was learned afterward that the man walking on the ledge was a maniac. He had set fire to a building in the lower section of the city, and escaped from the police there after a running fight. On the way he upset fruit stands and peanut roasters. A crowd pursued him, taking a Broadway car as he escaped until he reached 45th street. There policemen who had been apprised by telephone were waiting for him. When he observed the trio he jumped off the car and darted into a hallway. He made his way to the roof. His foolhardy expedition along the ledge followed.

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## WHITE HOPE VANQUISHED IN THE NINTH ROUND

### Fight One of the Most Brutal on Record-- Police Had to Interfere--Johnson Had it Easy--Champion Challenged by Jeanette and Palzer.

Rineside, Las Vegas, N. M., July 4.—Jim Flynn's whole hope expired today in the ninth round of his scheduled fight with Champion Jack Johnson. Flynn's face was chopped and cut frightfully by Johnson's deliberate blows and in the ninth round Capt. Cowley of the New Mexican state police pushed his way to the ring and declared the contest ended as a brutal exhibition. For three rounds Flynn had realized his inability to defend himself and frantically tried to butt his way to victory. At times he leaped a foot from the ground endeavoring to crash his skull against the champion's jaw.

Again and again Referee Smith warned him to stop and Flynn made no defense. "He's holding me, he's holding me," he would declare. Smith and in the next clinch he would try it again. When the police interfered Referee Smith, through the announcer, awarded Johnson the fight. Johnson made no serious effort to hurt Flynn at any time during the nine rounds. Apparently he held himself in check even when Flynn's butting tactics were at their worst. Johnson bore not a single mark of the fight beyond a slight cut inside his lower lip.

Flynn's supporters from Pueblo, perhaps 200 in number, sat together and were prepared to greet their man when he arrived. Up to this time there has been no calling of bets at the ringside, and a complete absence of yelling or signs of enthusiasm.

At 2:04 Official Announcer Tommy Cannon, of Oklahoma City, took the ring to call attention to the "several hundred ladies" who were present, and asked that the spectators remember their presence when it came to show their respect for the champion. It was the first sign of life at the ringside. Cannon then announced a boy sized preliminary four rounds of the fight. The boy was named Jeanette and was a family affair. The boxers were Kenneth Day, weight 135 pounds, and Freddie Day, 62 pounds. The fight was scheduled for 2:30. The Day family came from Colorado Springs.

**Preliminary Bout.**  
Before the midgets opened fire, Cannon introduced Cass Tarter, a huge ox-like man with white hair and aspirations. He challenged the winner that is of the Johnson-Flynn bout of the day.

The officials of the Johnson-Flynn bout announced at the ringside were: Edward Smith, of Chicago, referee; timekeepers for the club, Otto Floto of Denver; for Flynn, Al Terney, of Chicago; also stakeholder; for Johnson, Tom Flanagan.

**Jeanette Challenges.**  
A telegram addressed to the referee, Jeanette, was delivered just before the fight. It was signed Alton Brothers, New York, and was a \$20,000 offer for a Joe Jeanette-Johnson match in that city. Another message from New York asked that Johnson be challenged from the ringside for Jeanette. It added that Victor Brewer of Paris, offered Johnson \$30,000 for a thirty round contest there with Jeanette.

Al Palzer wired a challenge to the winner, saying he had posted a \$5,000 forfeit in Cincinnati. Luther McCarthy wired Flynn a win or lose challenge, the fight to be in New York if arranged.

Abe Pollock of Denver and Eddie Cochran of Kansas City were present as alternate referees. At the request of Johnson, Mrs. Johnson was transferred to another box in order to be nearer the champion's corner. Flynn appeared to be in exceptionally good humor and spent much of the time sauntering about the ring greeting friends. Flynn, enjoying Mrs. Johnson, shouted "Ain't you pulling for me, Mrs. Johnson?" The champion's wife smiled but said nothing. The principals then donned the gloves. Johnson withdrew his objection to the gloves provided by the ring officials, who previously ordered a special set for his own use. It was noticed that the champion wore a same striped bath robe that had given him service in his Reno battle.

Flynn was introduced to the crowds as the "fighting freeman of Pueblo." His early reception was then duplicated. Johnson was then presented as the champion heavyweight of the world. His reception was likewise. After the men had discussed the rules, time was called at 2:45.

**First Round.**  
"Will you shake hands, Jack?" queried Flynn, as he opened the battle by rushing in to ring.

"No," retorted the black.

Flynn kept in close but Johnson easily avoided his attempts and



## AD. WOLGAST GIVEN FIGHT BUT RIVERS REALLY WON IT

Vernon Arena, Los Angeles, Cal., July 4.—Ad Wolgast, with the aid of the referee, Jack Welch, retained his claim to the lightweight championship today in the Vernon arena when he was given the decision over Joe Rivers, of Los Angeles in the 13th round. Rivers had practically the better of every round save one or two in which Wolgast had a slight shade.

In the 13th round Wolgast tired and bleeding profusely, suddenly struck Rivers a vicious left in the groin. At the same instant Rivers' right landed flush on Wolgast's jaw and the champion went down and out. Diergaardt, manager, Referee Welch counted the Mexican youth out, and then turned to the unconscious Wolgast and declared him the winner.

Three hours before the big battle preliminary boys appeared, the great octagonal arena was almost filled, and from numerous entrances the throngs still poured in. The day was painted a brilliant red, reflected the sun with an almost blinding glare. Both fighters weighed at 130 o'clock and failed to tip the beam at 133. Before coming to the arena Wolgast according to members of his retinue, picked up the Maloney got the decision ten rounds. The second preliminary of ten rounds was between Pete McVey, one of Wolgast's sparring partners, and Dan Cullen, of Los Angeles, at 133 pounds. McVey won it. The vast crowd filled every part of the big arena.

The Diamond Belt put up by McCarty for the winner was brought into the ring in its plush case. Its gleaming clasps were flourished at the crowd and a yell went up "McCarty, McCarty." McCarty went into the ring and started a speech, probably the first he ever attempted in his career of fight promoting.

**Preliminary Goes.**  
Tommy Maloney, the English middleweight, and Bob Graham, of Los Angeles, began the first preliminary at 1:25 p. m. Maloney got the decision ten rounds. The second preliminary of ten rounds was between Pete McVey, one of Wolgast's sparring partners, and Dan Cullen, of Los Angeles, at 133 pounds. McVey won it. The vast crowd filled every part of the big arena.

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**A Poor Prophet.**  
Rivers was first to enter the ring, climbing through the ropes at 2:24. A great roar greeted his appearance. He was smiling as he passed around the ring shaking hands with his admirers. To all he appeared most confident.

"There will be a new champion in an hour or so," he remarked.

Rivers' seconds were announced as Joe Levy, Roger E. Cornell, Andy Rivers, Young Al Kaufman, Willie Rooney and Bill Aldrich.

At 3:23 Wolgast climbed into the ring amid a great cheer. He turned, shook hands with Rivers and went to his corner. A coin was tossed for corners and Wolgast won, choosing the southwest with the sun at his back. Wolgast's seconds were Tom Jones, Hobo Dougherty, Pete McVey, Mickey McKenzie and Frank Brennan McCarty.

**Called at 3:45.** Rivers led the signing and they clinched. Rivers landed three lefts to the face in quick succession and Wolgast covered. Rivers

## HOULTON AND MARATHONS CLASH TODAY

There should be fast baseball for the local fans today and tomorrow when the Marlthons and Houlton will clash. Today's engagement will start at 3:30 and that on Saturday at the usual hour of three o'clock. Winkler or Winter will do the twisting today with the champions in for the former. For Saturday either Corey or Al Sweet will work.

The Greeks succeeded in pulling out two victories in Houlton yesterday but the contests were both fast and the fans thoroughly enjoyed the sport. There is no test in the league capable of putting up snapper ball than the same Houlton bunch, and their place in premier position is well earned. Now that the Greeks have hit their stride, there should be great sport for those who witness the games today and tomorrow. Jimmy Evans, the little man with the big voice, who made such a distinct hit with the fans last year, will be on the job today and will probably hold the indicator in league contests for the remainder of the season.

**Round Eleven.**  
Wolgast missed left to wind and Rivers hit him three times without a return. Rivers put a hard left to jaw. Both clinched and merely rolled out of the ring. Rivers seemed to force the fighting. Wolgast could not hit him hard, and clinched. Rivers then stood still and took four or five hard lefts and rights to the jaw but never wince. He then sent in a hard left, staggering the champion. Wolgast's smile had disappeared and he seemed very tired. Round even.

**Round Twelve.**  
Wolgast sent in a right to the wind, rushing Rivers to the ropes. Wolgast then tried hard to land on the wind, but could not get through Rivers' blocking. Time and again the champion missed, Rivers attempting to follow up his advantage. Both rushed and head to head, it was a clinch at the end. Rivers had the better of the mixing. Rivers round.

**Round Thirteen.**  
Rivers rushed, they clinched, both holding on. Wolgast nearly went over from a right to the jaw, but bored right in, putting left to the wind. "Take your time Joe," shouted Manager Levy to Rivers. "You're not him." Twice Wolgast missed. Rivers putting in lefts to the face. Wolgast was getting wilder than ever but Rivers kept writing in and was fighting head to head. Wolgast suddenly crouched and sent in a terrific left directly over Rivers' groin. At the same instant Rivers put his right to Wolgast's jaw and the champion went down and was practically out. Rivers fell writing in pain and the referee began to count. Claims of foul were made in behalf of Wolgast. These claims were not heeded by Welch. The referee picked Wolgast up from the floor and declared him the winner. His seconds had to carry him from the ring.

**A Robbery.**  
Rivers was lying on the floor, but in a moment arose. The ring was instantly a scene of confusion. Seeing the crowd coming announced that Wolgast was the winner and immediately disappeared. "It was the worst case of robbery in the history of the American ring," said Manager Levy. "Never before have I seen a referee pick up a man and then give him the decision. The foul blow struck by Wolgast was seen by every one near the ringside. It was the third or fourth time the champion had landed on Rivers. The sum total of it all is that Wolgast knew he was whipped and resorted to his foul tactics to save himself. No one connected with Wolgast's camp would say a word, and all of them jumped in an automobile and quickly left the pavilion."

**THE CHURCH LEAGUE.**  
Last evening the Fairview Baptists by a score of 13 to 11. The batteries were Ferris and Gray, Fairville and Campbell and Toole for Ludlow. The Charlotte Street Baptist team won from Fairville Methodists by a score of 3 to 2. Batteries: Carleton and Gardner for Charlotte street church, Baker and Fox for Fairville.

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## GREEKS TAKE TWO AT HOULTON--CAPITALS DEFEAT WOODSTOCK

Special to The Standard.  
Frederickton, July 4.—Frederickton showed Woodstock into the cellar of the N. B. and Maine league race, today by defeating the Colts by a score of 6 to 4.

The Woodstock players started some of their rowdy tactics, but it did them no good. Capt. Duff was ejected from the game for shaking Empire Duffy, while Manager Nicholson was warned by the police for shouting at the umpire from the bench and was told that if he persisted he would be ejected from the grounds.

If the Woodstock team had played baseball instead of grouching, the result might have been different. Frederickton had a break in luck that counted for a lot, while the rocky work of the Woodstock infield Chick McLaughlin's generosity with bases on balls and opportune hitting by the locals factored in the result was O'Donnell's lame exhibition in throwing to bases, the Pets being credited with eight stolen bases during the game.

Brown, who pitched for Frederickton was hit hard at times, many of the hits being long wallops for extra bases, but he kept the hits so scattered, except in the three innings he

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Open Letter to the Small Fruit Growers

Dominion Fruit Inspector writes on Value of Proper Packing—Helping to Make Name for Province.

St. John, July 4, 1912. To the Editor of The Standard.

Sir,—No province in our Dominion is better adapted for small fruit growing than New Brunswick. Our bright sunshine and other climatic conditions not only put a sprightly flavor in our fruits, but under a system of good cultivation grows them sufficiently large and attractive to make them sought after in any market on which they may be placed. The area on which they may be grown in the province is very wide and ample. Our provincial markets take a very large proportion of the small fruits grown and when this demand is met we have open markets in Montreal, Toronto, and Halifax for our surplus product; we have also the markets of the New England States that we might avail ourselves of later in the season and when their berries are out of their markets.

My purpose in this letter is to deal entirely with the market end of the business, hoping that the information it may contain will help all who are interested.

First, as to size of packages or boxes. The "Fruit Marks Act," and "Fruit Packages," as amended in 1907-8 and revised in 1910, requires that the standard berry box shall hold 4 1/2 of an imperial quart, which is practically the wine quart. It also provides that a smaller box may be used, but if used shall have the word short stamped on the side in letters not less than one-half inch square. Unfortunately I think some of our small fruit growers are marketing their berries in those small boxes, not marked, and thus making themselves liable to a fine of law to a penalty of 25 cents for each box placed on the market. Aside from the penalty imposed they are doing very much to depreciate the price, thus demoralizing the market and making everyone feel unpleasant who handles their berries. I notice that them for home consumption, while on the other hand those growers who use the full quart box, who pack their box full and make it look attractive are punished in the shrinkage in prices occasioned by the use and sale of the small box.

Second, as to straight, honest packing. It is a great delight to open a crate of berries and find a standard size or full quart box nicely packed full to the top and made attractive. You find the growers name and place of residence in full upon the crate and possibly on every box, where it ought to be.

These people are helping greatly to make a good name for New Brunswick grown fruit, to elevate it to the higher plane, where it properly belongs, on account of its quality and I notice that their berries are the first to find a purchaser. The fact is, our citizens want quality, and straight packing, regardless of price, and those who do not meet the requirements and demands of the market, must not complain if their business, duration of employment with each, salary required, and references as to character.

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NOTES OF INTEREST

Miss Audrey Lusby Executes Brilliant Art Work at Belleville College—Annual Exodus to Summer Resorts.

Amherst, July 4.—Miss Audrey Lusby, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. E. Lusby, who has been attending Albert College, Belleville, Ont., returned home on the C. P. R. last Thursday evening. Miss Lusby has won high honors in Albert this year. Although only a student at the institution for six months, she won high distinction in the number of her classes. Her drawings in fruit, especially a study in oranges and bananas received the highest commendation from the examiners. She took first rank both in water colors and china painting. Miss Lusby is desiring of the plan of our monthly work which she achieved in Albert College during the past term.

Gordon Purdy, of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, New York, is spending his holidays at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Clarence Purdy, Eddy street.

L. V. Dickson, of Whycliffe College, Toronto, who will leave shortly for the mission field in India, is in conference with the Anglican church, and arrived in Amherst yesterday and spent a month in our town studying the constitution of the church, which is being carried on here with a view of adapting the plan of work to his labors in India.

The wedding of Miss Josephine Landry, sister of R. W. E. Landry, barrister, Yarmouth, and James Albert Hanway, of the firm of Ralston, Hanway and Ralston, of this town, took place at St. Ambrose church, Yarmouth, Tuesday morning. The bride was a travelling suit of grey, Miss Dolly Hanway, the groom's sister, was bridesmaid and the bride's brother, was best man. Mr. and Mrs. Hanway left on a wedding trip through New Brunswick and Nova Scotia after which they will reside in Amherst.

Miss Kathleen Hurley, of St. John, who was in town for several days, the sister of Mrs. F. D. Stanton, left for her home yesterday.

The Misses Verna Hunter and Hazel Rye, of Moncton, spent the week-end in town the guest of Miss Mary Gillan, Lawrence street.

Mrs. R. Heber Burrell and daughter Kathleen, left yesterday for Charlotte town to spend the summer in that city, the guests of Mrs. Burrell's mother.

The annual summer migration of Amherstians to Amherst Beach, Tidnish and other summer resorts has now at Amherst Beach are Mrs. Douglas Trenholm and family, Mrs. J. P. McCallum and family, Mrs. J. P. Ashburn and family.

J. M. Curry and C. D. Denno, who have been on a salmon fishing trip to Barrat, returned home yesterday.

Mrs. W. V. Chapman, of the Robb Engineering Co., left yesterday for Halifax to visit his daughter, Mrs. E. D. Smith.

Mrs. Thomas Dunlop left for Grand Free, N. S., Tuesday where she will spend her summer months.

Mrs. Thorley Pugsley and daughter, Kathleen, left today for Tidnish where they will be the guests of Mrs. Wood for several weeks.

Mrs. G. K. McKee who has been seriously ill for some time, is much better, and leaves tomorrow for Montreal to pay a visit to her son, Rupert, of that city.

Mrs. W. F. Smith and family and Miss Hemmerson left yesterday for their summer home in Westworth.

Mrs. Geo. Hewson and daughter, Miss Blanche Phillips left yesterday to spend a fortnight's vacation in Sussex and other towns in the neighborhood.

The Farmers' Dairy and Produce Company are now open for business in their new store, 500 Main street, and are prepared to furnish customers, either wholesale or retail, with reduced cream, egg butter, buttermilk or skim milk.

The new company, composed of a number of the most progressive milk dealers, have fitted up very attractive premises and it will be their aim to see that only the best stock is supplied, so that customers can count on satisfaction. The stand is a favorable one, and as the company is prepared to attend promptly to all orders either by person or telephone they may count on a reasonable share of the public patronage.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., returned home recently. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Moore and Mrs. Wm. Moore and family have gone to spend the summer at their cottages, Northport.

Miss Kathleen Cooke, daughter of Mrs. George Cooke, Montreal, is in town the guest of Miss Rose Smith, Colonial Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Gillespie and the Misses Gillespie left Monday for the Valley, Hans county, where they will spend the next two months at their summer cottage.

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DOMINION DAY AT TOWN OF ALBERT

Opening of New Public Park Marked by Successful Sports and Dedication Proceedings—Pastor Makes Change.

Albert, July 2.—The Dominion Day celebration here was a great success. A new public park was opened and duly dedicated.

The grounds were tastefully decorated with bunting and evergreens. Refreshments, music, fruit and confectionery stands and a dancing pavilion were well patronized.

A special train from Hillboro arrived at 9 a. m., well crowded, bringing the Hillboro brass band, which enlivened the proceedings with good music.

A Polymorphian parade through the village around through Riverdale and terminating at the new park was a very amusing spectacle. The scene of merry making was changed from the park to the public hall in the evening, where with games and dancing, the young folk thoroughly enjoyed themselves till the day was over.

Over \$700 was taken in by the committee which will leave a handsome net sum to assist in making improvements on the new grounds.

A foot race was pulled off at 7.30 p. m., in which J. E. Easton, of Amherst, N. S., Peter Bernard, of Dorchester, N. B., and Blankhorn, a local sport, took part. Easton won the three mile run in 19 minutes flat, having twice lapped the others.

Blankhorn got second place. The Indian took a tramp in his side which reduced his speed.

The July session of the Albert County council met at the court house today at 10 a. m. Warden J. C. Prescott presided. All committees were present except Com. Smith of Coverdale. There was very little business to do and the session was over at 4 p. m.

STATE THEY WERE DISMISSED BECAUSE THEY JOINED UNION

Boston, Mass., July 3.—When the state board of conciliation and arbitration resumed its hearing in connection with the investigation to determine the causes of the strike on the Boston and Maine railway system only about 15 uniformed strikers were present. Five former employees of the company testified that they knew of no reason for their discharge except that they had joined the union. They were some delay while Judge Vague, counsel for the strikers sent for more of the men to take the stand.

HAMMOND VALE NOTES.

Hammond, Vale, July 2.—The heavy frost of Sunday night did much damage around here.

Several of our boys are attending camp at Sussex.

Alan McArthur went with W. P. Tonier's big team to join the artillery at Petawawa, Ontario.

Mrs. Smith and little Miss Gladys of Lakeside, who spent a week with her daughter, Mrs. W. M. Alexander, returned home today.

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Orman left for P. E. I. today.

Little Harlan Malley who was taken sick with appendicitis last week is much improved.

Mrs. Kelly gave a tea yesterday in honor of Miss Smith, of Lakeside, which all the ladies in the neighborhood attended.

Mrs. W. P. Fowler and children, accompanied by Mrs. Beretson, spent last week in Havelock.

Master Visden Robison, of Havelock, is visiting his cousin, W. P. Forster.

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Poughkeepsie, N. Y., returned home recently. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Moore and Mrs. Wm. Moore and family have gone to spend the summer at their cottages, Northport.

Miss Kathleen Cooke, daughter of Mrs. George Cooke, Montreal, is in town the guest of Miss Rose Smith, Colonial Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Gillespie and the Misses Gillespie left Monday for the Valley, Hans county, where they will spend the next two months at their summer cottage.

Rev. Dr. D. A. Steel received word Monday that his son, D. C. Critchton Steele, was married to Miss Gretchen Purple, of Lake Chelan, Washington, Wenatchee, in that state on June 24th.

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ST. JOHN, N. B., FRIDAY, JULY 5, 1912.

## THE LIBERALS AND IMPERIAL PREFERENCE.

The fact cannot be disputed that in the last Dominion election the people of Canada pronounced against an unqualified trade alliance with the United States and reaffirmed their belief in Imperial Preference, ultimately to develop into a system of preferential trade within the Empire. The charge was made during the campaign that the Liberal party and its press were advocating a policy of Continentalism. The charge was indignantly denied and perforce declarations were made that their loyalty to the cause of Empire Preference was unbounded. The preference given the Mother Country by Sir Wilfrid Laurier was paraded to prove this point. There can be no question that some time previous to the general election Sir Wilfrid Laurier and his party were not only in favor of the British Preference but of its extension throughout the Empire. In a cable to the London Chronicle, an organ of the Asquith Government, in 1910, the Canadian Premier declared: "The Dominion sticks by the principle of the British Preference and hopes it will be extended throughout the Empire."

So far so good. The point to be explained is the attitude of the Liberal party today on this extension of the preference throughout the Empire. Are they still obsessed with the idea of a trade alliance with the United States or has Imperial Preference again become their guiding star? An editorial in the Telegraph, the organ of Mr. Pugsley, who was a prominent member of the late Liberal Government, throws some light on the question. Openly and with unobscured glees it announces what it declares is the "death of Tariff Reform" in the Old Country. "Mr. Chamberlain's fallacies," it says, "are no longer to be used by the Unionists in by-elections. A remark by Disraeli, hoary with age, 'protection is not only dead but damned' in Great Britain at least, is given much prominence. 'It is something to have established that fact,' adds the Telegraph, with evident satisfaction.

Admitting, for the sake of argument, "the death of Tariff Reform" in Great Britain, and giving due weight to the uncoincidental joy of Mr. Pugsley's organ over the event, where do Mr. Pugsley and his party stand on the extension of the preference throughout the Empire? The adoption of Tariff Reform by the Mother Country is the keystone in the arch of Empire Preference which the Dominions Overseas are now building. It was the fear of the completion of the "Imperial commercial band reaching from England around the world to England again," which spurred President Taft to evolve the Reciprocity Agreement which he well knew, if ratified, would destroy it. Mr. Pugsley's organ, which presumably is speaking for the Liberal party, in the satisfaction it derives from the alleged "death of Tariff Reform," is clearly an opponent of Empire Preference. In the ranks of the Liberal party the policy of Continentalism still prevails.

The Telegraph's joy at celebrating the obsequies of Tariff Reform is somewhat premature. The policy inaugurated by Mr. Joseph Chamberlain was never more popular or had so firm a hold in the Old Country as it has today. The recent by-elections provide ample proof that former adherents of Free Trade, appreciating its inefficiency, are identifying themselves with the Tariff Reform movement, which is destined to succeed in England as it has already succeeded in Scotland and Lancashire. Throughout the world the policy of Protection is steadily gaining ground. The United States and Germany, to quote two leading foreign countries, and the British Dominions beyond the seas—the most progressive states in the world—are Protectionist, and New South Wales, which was Great Britain's own Free Trade colony, has now followed their example and is already gaining by the change. As far as the United Kingdom is concerned no great political reform of equal importance has been so widely accepted in nine years.

How the battle goes, and how vain are the hopes of Mr. Pugsley's organ that Tariff Reform is dead, can be gathered from the following extract from a speech of Mr. Austen Chamberlain at a banquet to Hon. George E. Foster at the Constitutional Club in London on Tuesday of this week:

"It is to Canada under its late Government," he said, "that we owe the first step towards a system of Imperial Preference. To the already good fortune of Mr. Foster in linking Canada with the West Indies by a Trade Agreement, he is now engaged in an effort to link up the Dominions among themselves by a system of Imperial Preference. We blush to think that for the moment you, Mr. Foster, are precluded from the hope that the Motherland itself should take part in such a commercial union, but for the moment only. Before long, however, we will have a different Government. Each by-election brings the day nearer, and before long there will be a Government that will grasp the hand you have extended to us, whose first task and whose proudest duty it will be to co-operate with you in creating these bonds of Commercial Union which will foster and cement the strength of the Empire. Canada is a great Imperial sanatorium. It to rejuvenate our nationality. It offers us, if we want them, employment for skilled workmen and a field for investment fully reproductive. Imperialism is the sentiment which has a practical application, and I believe that the practical application must be given if the best is to be made of this Empire and all its parts. I am still a Preferentialist. To bind the people of an Empire together I know of no other way so effective as the interchange of sentiments and products. Even now, when the idea of Preferentialism has not been taken up by all parts of the Empire, good work is going on underneath, because the commerce between the different parts is continually increasing and as it increases so will they be brought more closely together."

In the face of this emphatic declaration by one of the leaders of the Unionist party, Mr. Pugsley's organ mendaciously announces the "death of Tariff Reform," which means, in other words, the death of Imperial Preference. It is satisfactory to know just where the Telegraph and its party stand on this question. The virus of Continentalism has done its work.

## THE TWO PLATFORMS.

The Democratic and Republican candidates for the Presidency of the United States having been nominated, some interest naturally attaches to the platforms on which Mr. Woodrow Wilson and Mr. Taft will appeal next November for the support of the people. Mr. Roosevelt having retired to his tent to cogitate on the

issues which are to form the bulwarks of the Progressive party will, doubtless, be heard from later.

Taken as a whole, the Democratic platform contains much that does not leave room for controversy. It is evidently designed to win the allegiance of the "progressive" element. A downward revision of the tariff, such as will not injure the legitimate business interests of the country, is a prominent feature. The activities of the trusts are to be curtailed by a strict enforcement of the criminal provision of the Sherman Act, and there is a strong declaration in favor of the principle of personal suit as enunciated by Senator O'Gorman of New York. In the currency plank the Aldrich Central Bank plan is condemned, and recommendations are made for a revision of the banking and monetary laws.

There are provisions for the encouragement of the merchant marine without the use of subsidies, and the promotion of agriculture. The platform advocates the limitation of injunctions, in the interest of labor unions, urges Federal assumption of the Mississippi river problem; favors the independence and neutralization of the Philippines "as soon as a stable government can be established," also a parcels post and the extension of the rural free delivery service. In the way of reform there is a plank for the enactment of an income tax law and a provision for the election of Senators by popular vote. The platform declares for a constitutional amendment limiting the tenure of President to one term, the length of the term being left to the discretion of Congress. No pronouncement is made for the referendum and recall, but an elaborately framed demand is included for preferential primaries for the choice of national delegates and national committeemen—the latter a clear invasion of the life field of dissemination in the opposing party.

The Republican platform is more concise than usual, and is noteworthy in that it does not deal with particular measures but rather with issues in general. No direct reference by name is made to any pending legislation. The administration is commended and President Taft is complimented for his "comprehensive, fair and vigorous dealing with all issues."

Ignoring the leading policies of the "Progressives," the platform advocates a currency reform, amendment of the criminal clauses of the Anti-Trust Act, the simplification of civil litigation and the procedure for impeachment of judges. On the tariff, belief is reaffirmed in protection. The import duties should be high enough, while yielding a sufficient revenue, to adequately protect United States industries and wages, but some of the existing rates should be reduced. Readjustment should be made based on information obtained by an expert commission, that is to say, the tariff board. The tariff bills passed by the Democratic House are condemned without reservation.

Other declarations are for scientific inquiry into causes of increased cost of living; a more flexible currency system; a Federal trade commission to handle business complications that now go before the courts; preservation of the inviolability of the courts' power to enforce laws; extension of the civil service; legislation to prevent corruption from contributing funds to campaigns for Federal offices; continuance of the conservation policy; a parcels post system with rates governed by the length of carriage of parcels; protection of American citizens abroad and for a new treaty with Russia; for the revival of the merchant marine; continuation of the policy of reclaiming arid lands; the liberal improvement of harbors and rivers; relief from all undesirable immigration and economy and efficiency in government.

## A PANHARD OF 1891.

A primitive, almost prehistoric automobile relic, a survival from early days, according to the New York Post, forms one of the most interesting exhibits in the new Motor museum just opened in London. Despite its crude construction and antiquated "lines," it deserves the respectful attention of the modern manufacturer. It is a Panhard car of the vintage of 1891, and was still in use by its owner, the Abbe Gavois of Ranneville, France, when retired from active service for exhibition purposes. A working life of twenty-one years must be pretty close to a record for gasoline machines. France, of course, has an advantage over other countries because of her early entrance into the automobile field. But many generations of later cars, French as well as "Uttander," have come and gone, vanished into the "worm-out" scrapheap, while this rugged old hulk has plodded along in the service of the Church.

Perhaps the orderly religious atmosphere in which this automobile's life was passed accounts in part for its longevity. The Abbe Gavois certainly indulged in no joy-riding to rack his old bones, and its youth was not spent in riotous speed dissipation.

A (white) hope, deferred, maketh the heart of many a speculative sportsman sick.

## Current Comment

(Vancouver News-Advertiser.)

One of these days some irate citizen will give some of our fool motorists the courtesy they so richly deserve. The reference is to the fellow, generally some youth, who tries to drive on both side of the street and in the middle at the same time. There is no use in summoning him before the police court, for the statute does not penalize pure insanity. De minimis non curat lex. Nothing will meet his case but a horsewhip, or perhaps a slipper, diligently applied by muscular hands.

(Edmonton Journal.)

The most optimistic forecasters as to the Western wheat crop put it at 300,000,000, while the most conservative say 250,000,000. Among the former is Sir William Mackenzie. But the figures do not cause anything like the surprise that was occasioned the first time that an estimate was made by a responsible man that one hundred million bushels would be produced.

(Colborne Progress.)

These two weeks past have been strenuous weeks with ye editor. The old woman has been creating a rag carpet. Every old piece of clothing in the house has fallen a prey to her shears. We are afraid to pull off our breeches and go to bed. If our delinquents would only help us provide an extra pair it would relieve this nervous strain.

(Toronto Mail and Empire.)

Before the Fall it is likely that Regina will have ceased to show a single scar for the disaster that has destroyed the lives of so many of her citizens and wiped out millions of dollars worth of property. The recuperative power of the West is one of the wonders of Canada.

(Boston Transcript.)

Again does it appear how difficult it is to nominate a sitting Congressman for President. Only Garfield since the war was named while in Congress, and the only other Washington official so chosen was Taft while Secretary of War.

(Toronto News.)

A San Francisco woman has lost a pearl necklace worth \$75,000. The burglars luckily overlooked a piece of porterhouse steak which was lying in a drawer of the

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To Song Writers: Here's a suggestion for a catch line—"Will They Bolt at Baltimore?"

Message delivered by Judge Parker's little boy to Senator Root's hired man: "Pa wants to borrow your roller for a week."

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MANAGER PROG—Well, what do you know about the game? OUTFIELDER SPIDER—I catch about a million flies a year. Never miss 'em.

MANAGER PROG—Sign this contract, quick.

## IRON DUKE WAS NOT ALWAYS IRON, SAYS LADY SHELLEY'S DIARY

(By Clarence Rock.)

London, July 2.—Great men, regarded through the eyes of a competent woman. That is the title of the recently published diary of Lady Shelly, which has lain dormant for nearly a century till all the mentioned are passed beyond the range of our mundane laughter or reproach.

Richard Edgecombe, her grandson, has edited the diaries and John Murray has published them. She was a young woman who had an extraordinary curiosity and courage as well as freedom from reproach. And, the very kernel of the diary is the friendship and intimate talk with the Duke of Wellington, who was her lover but the few years between 1812 and 1816. The Iron Duke was not always iron. When he was foisted in 1814, on his return from the Peninsular war, he rose with a broad smile—and could begin only with "I want words to express—The prince regent promptly interposed. My dear fellow, we know your actions and we will excuse your words, so sit down." This the duke did says Lady Shelly, "in all the dullness of a schoolboy who had been given an unexpected holiday."

Lady Shelly found the duke in Paris after Waterloo, and heard from his lips how he saved the Jena bridge—which the Prussians had sworn to blow up—by posting a British sentry there. "You may blow up the bridge if you like," said the sentry, "but I don't stir from here." The duke was a disciplinarian, and the bridge still stands. It was a privilege for the young woman to ride over the field of Waterloo with the story from Wellington ringing in her ears. She saw the bed he had slept in on the morning of the battle. The landlady owns that she hid herself in the wood during the battle. But Waterloo, the centre of the firing, was absolutely untouched. Wellington told Lady Shelly one small story of Waterloo among many. "We were riding together into rather too hot a fire."

I stopped him, and said, "must not go there, for if anything should happen to me the battle is lost." "Uxbridge said, 'By the way, should anything happen to you, with a few minutes' delay I gave him my instructions for a retreat—as a legacy! Soon after a ball he and I may have passed one of my horse, but the finger of God was upon me."

The Iron Duke has been accused of the crime of having seduced her, his eyes glancing and his voice broken as he spoke of the losses at Waterloo. "I hope to God, he said, that I had not fought my last battle. It is a bad thing to be always fighting. While in the thick of it, I am too much occupied to do anything, but it is wretched just after."

"I am wretched even at the moment of victory, and I always say that the duke was a disciplinarian, and you will find the victorious duke in a Paris garden during the occupation with a bunch of bread and an apple in his mouth. The duke began to play with the child—dirty though it was—and the little creature was so pleased with him that she would not let any one else touch the apple or his knee."

## PERFORATED NICKEL GOINS TO BE ISSUED QUICKLY IN FRANCE

Paris, July 3.—The abolition of the copper coinage of France has just been decreed by the government. All the 10 and five centime pieces are to be replaced by perforated nickel pieces and the issue of the new currency is to be effected as quickly as possible.

It appears from the report of M. Klotz, the minister of finances, that the present copper coins were condemned some years ago as the result of an official investigation, objection being made on the grounds of their lack of cleanliness, heavy weight and facility of oxidation. At a subsequent date a special commission considered the practicability of replacing the copper coins with aluminum but these latter were reported upon unfavorably.

In June 1911 the then minister of finances appointed a further commission which after a prolonged investigation made a report that was not considered satisfactory, whereupon M. Rene Benaud, the under-secretary of state for finances, took the matter up. Various experts and others interested were consulted and the use of perforated nickel pieces instead of coins with a single hole in the centre was advised on the grounds of the prejudice of the French public to the latter.

It is estimated that some 80,000,000 of francs worth of new nickel coins will shortly be issued of the value of 5, 10 and 25 centimes each, the old copper coins being withdrawn as fast as the new pieces are put into circulation. The old issue consists of 7,000,000 of francs worth of copper coins and 10,000,000 francs worth of 25 centime pieces in silver.

Allowing for the usual loss of 20 per cent, it is estimated that some 59,000,000 francs worth of copper pieces will find their way back to the mint in exchange for the new issue.

These will be used for the making of one centime pieces and for copper currency in the French colonies, as well as for filling the many foreign orders received for copper coins.

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On another lady: She lived a life of virtue and died of the cholera morbus caused by eating green fruit. In the hope of a glorious mortality, at the early age of twenty-four. Reader, go thou and do likewise.

ST. PETERS, 3; ST. MICHAELS, 1. The St. Peter's baseball nine defeated the St. Michael's team by a score of three to one in a fast game on the St. Peter's grounds last evening. The batteries were: for the winners, McGovern, Gibbs and Dever, and for the losers, Riley and Elliott. The game went five innings and was watched by a large number of interested spectators.

THE JUNIORS. In the North End Junior League last evening the Adelalides defeated the Mission by a score of 2 to 0. Lines:



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GREEKS TAKE TWO OF HOUTON-- THE HOLIDAY CAPITALS DEFEAT WOODSTOCK

Continued from page two. visitors scored, that with good support he pulled out of bad places. The locals made only two errors and both were of an excusable variety, although both counted in the scoring. Ganley drew three bases on balls, stole second each time and scored twice. With Keane he pulled off the double steal on O'Donnell. Keane scoring Johnny Murray got badly spiked in the knee by King in the seventh, when a Woodstock player attempted to get home on an infield hit. Murray blocked King off the plate and got his man, but had to quit the game. Duff and the umpire had their run in over a ball which the Woodstock captain hit to the left field in the sixth inning. The umpire called a foul, but the player thought it was a fair, and ran up and grabbed the umpire, shook him and got chased out of the game. The rowdy ball pulled off by the players and tolerated if not encouraged by Manager McLellan, is largely responsible for the Woodstock club's slide on the toboggan to last place.

The box score: Fredericton. ABRHTBPOAE

Table with columns for player names and statistics (AB, R, H, T, B, P, O, A, E) for Fredericton and Woodstock.

By Innings: Woodstock... Fredericton... Summary: Woodstock at Fredericton. Two base hits, Hoyt, O'Donnell, Cooney; three base hits, L. Conley, King, O'Donnell; homerun, Black; sacrifice hits, Keane, King, Cooney, McLaughlin; sacrifice fly, Duff; stolen bases, Keane (3), Ganley (3), Duggan, Murray, Cooran; double plays, Duggan to Fitzgerald, Burroughs to King; struck out, by Brown 5, by McLaughlin 2; bases on balls, off Brown 1, off McLaughlin 5; left on base, Fredericton 2, Woodstock 4. Time—1 hour 45 minutes. Umpire, Duffy.

Houlton, Me., July 4.—Thousands of visitors were here today to aid in the celebration of the glorious fourth and despite the fact that it was one of the warmest days in the history of this place there were only a few prostrations and some dizziness, with out hardly a breath of wind and the thermometer registering 98 in the shade, it was anything but comfortable in getting about town.

The morning was taken up with parades, band concerts and a baseball game. The afternoon's chief event was the opening of the new \$50,000 park which is rated as one of the best in the eastern states and in addition to a fast half mile track there is a skinned baseball diamond in the centre and spectators can witness horse racing and baseball for the one admission. The St. John Marathons.

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DEATH RATE IN CITY TAKES A BIG SLUMP

Only Fifty-two in June Against Much Larger Number for Month Last Year—Health Report.

The June health bulletin by Dr. G. G. Melvin, medical health officer, is as follows: The following cases of contagious disease were reported from the city during June. As has been the case for some months back, the city remains very free from acute notifiable contagious disease. The table exhibits the figures for the month, with those of last month and corresponding month of last year added for comparison:

Table showing death rates in the city for June 1912, June 1911, and June 1910, categorized by disease type (Diphtheria, Scarlet Fever, Typhoid, Measles, etc.).

The usual monthly table of deaths from all causes follows. It will be noted that the death rate shows a large drop from that of last month, and is very considerably under the corresponding month of last year. It is based upon an estimated population of 42,696.

Table showing the usual monthly table of deaths from all causes, categorized by age group (Under 5, 5-10, 10-15, etc.).

Most diseases can not be provided against except by ordinary careful living and trying to keep in good health, and even then we often fall victims to them. Smallpox is an exception to this rule. We can, almost certainly, so fortify ourselves against contact with it, need give us little concern.

A great doctor found this out in the 18th century, and since then small-pox instead of being one of the most universal and destructive of all diseases, has come to be one that causes very few deaths, and one that the great majority of people have never seen.

Indeed, so scarce has it become that in some countries of Europe—Germany, for example—it is almost wholly unknown. Yet Germany contains about nine times as many people as the whole of Canada, with millions of them far poorer and living in more unsanitary quarters than is the case with us.

It is hardly necessary to say, for every one knows, that these results have been brought about by vaccination. In some few other diseases, notably typhoid fever and the bubonic plague, somewhat similar processes have been tried for their prevention, but with nothing like the surety and success which have attended vaccination against small-pox.

Two questions of surpassing importance are being constantly asked: (1) At what age should a child be vaccinated, and (2) how often does it require to be repeated in order to protect against small-pox during life?

The answer to the first question is: At New York— .40000000—4 8 2 Jersey City— .021003100—7 6 2 Newark— .10000000—3 6 0 Jersey City— .00000000—5 5 3 Newark— .00000000—4 11 1 Providence— .00001600—1 5 3 Baltimore— .00000000—2 8 3 Covington and Schmidt; Danforth and Bergen. .30001100—4 11 1 Baltimore. .00000000—6 11 1 Barberich, Remetz, Batley and Schmidt; Vickers and Payne.

At Buffalo— .00021000—3 13 1 Toronto— .00120002—6 13 0 Quebec and Mitchell; Gaspar and Graham. Afternoon Games. Toronto— .01100314—10 17 1 Baltimore— .00000011—2 8 3 Mueller, Drucke and Memis; Jameson and McAllister.

At Philadelphia, afternoon game— Boston . . . . . 10000110—6 11 3 Philadelphia . . . . . 00100001—5 10 3 Hall, Benient and Carrigan; Bender, Brown and Lapp. Morning game— Boston . . . . . 01000110—3 9 1 Philadelphia . . . . . 00021100—4 8 2 Wood and Cady; Plank and Lapp. At St. Louis . . . . . 00000000—0 0 0 Detroit . . . . . 11100004—7 12 1 Mitchell, Hamilton, Adams and Stephens; Mullin and Staues. Morning game— Detroit . . . . . 20001120—9 10 3 New York . . . . . 00100000—5 4 9 Willet and Stange and Onahow; Baumgardner, C. Brown and Krilich and Alexander. At Chicago— Cleveland . . . . . 60000201—9 13 2 Chicago . . . . . 00000003—4 10 0 Gregg and O'Neil; White, Mogridge, Jordan and Block, Sullivan. Morning game— Chicago . . . . . 20000000—2 8 1 Cleveland . . . . . 00000010—1 6 3 Peters and Kuhn; Blanding and Easterly. At Washington— New York . . . . . 01000000—1 5 2 Washington . . . . . 10242100—12 14 1 Quinn and Street; Grooms and Henry. Morning game— New York . . . . . 00100000—5 4 9 Washington . . . . . 20021200—12 11 1 McConnell and Sweeney; Cashon and Altmuth.

EVIDENCE OF CITY'S GROWTH FOUND IN THE NEW STREETS

More than One Hundred New Streets Now Laid Out—Courtenay Bay Section and West End the Centres of Growth.

Over a hundred new streets have been laid out in St. John and its suburbs recently. It is true that the most of the new streets have been merely staked out ready for the contemplated growth of the city, but in some sections there has been some building up of new streets. In addition to the laying out of new streets, provision has been made for the extension of many old streets. Of the new streets laid out, 62 have been given names, many of which have an ambitious and attractive sound. Some of the town planners in the real estate offices, being very practical and considering the public convenience in the great future believed to be in store for the city of St. John, have distinguished their new streets by numbers. There must be 50 or more streets on the new plan of the city and suburbs, prepared by the staff of G. Murdoch, which are distinguished by numbers, and which may later be given names. The Courtenay Bay section is not the only part where there have been many new streets laid out. Over in Carleton, in addition to the extension of old streets, a score or more of new streets have been given a local habitation and a name.

Some of the new streets laid out by the real estate men and shown on G. Murdoch's plan of the city and suburbs, follow: Atlantic Ave., off Russell street, Arlington Ave. Belgrave Ave., Mt. Pleasant. Belmont Ave., Mt. Pleasant. Beach Ave. Bellevue Ave., off Spar Cove Road. Buena Vista Ave., off City Line. Blurry street, Harbor View. Battery street, Harbor View. Bristol street, off Old Loch Lomond Road. Bruce Avenue, off Old Loch Lomond Road. Beaver Avenue, Lee subdivision. Champlain street, West End. Courtenay Avenue off Red Head Road. Connaught Avenue, off Strait Shore Road. Cornwall Avenue, Harbor View. Carleton Place, off Prince Street extension. Dress street, off Charlotte street. W. E.

Downey Avenue, off Havelock St. W. E. Demonts street, off Prince street extension, W. E. Empress street, off Charlotte street extension, W. E. Elmore street, off Tilton Avenue, W. E. Hawthorne Avenue, off Westmorland Road. Hudson street, off City Line, W. E. Hudson street, off Charlotte street extension, W. E. Jardine street, off Old Westmorland Road. Jackson Avenue, off Adelaide street, Jean street, off Courtenay Avenue. Lawrence street, off Havelock St., W. E. Lewin Avenue, off Cushing street. Low Avenue, off Mt. Pleasant St. Marlette street, off Charlotte street extension, W. E. McCready Avenue, off Northern Square, North End. Mansfield street, off Tilton Avenue, W. E. Montreal Avenue, off Harding street extension. Moulson Avenue, off Harding street extension. Northern Boulevard, off Adelaide Road. Northern Square, off Adelaide Road. Ontario St., off Harding St. extension. Oliver St., Harbor View. Patricia Boulevard, off Adelaide Rd. Park Ave., off Red Head Road. Pine Ave., west of Sand Cove Road. River Ave., off Red Head Road. Regent Ave., off Mt. Pleasant St. Rockwood Ave., near the Park. St. Catherine St., off Westmorland Road. Sunnydale Ave., off Adelaide Road. Shaughnessy Ave., off Havelock St., W. E. Sherbrooke Ave., off Harding St. extension. Slum St., off Harding St. extension. Topeka, off Mt. Pleasant Ave. Virginia Ave., off Mt. Pleasant Ave. Victoria Ave., off Courtenay Ave. VanHorne Ave., off Havelock St., W. E. Woodlawn Ave., off Russell St. Wilton Ave., off Mt. Pleasant St. Windsor St., off Havelock St., W. E. Winona St., East of Gooderich Ave. York St., Harbor View.

Every child should be vaccinated within six months after birth. The operation has been gone through with some years before, but had not been successful and the persons were not protected though they have thought they were.

Every case of vaccination should days after the operation, and if it be a first vaccination and has not "taken," it should be repeated.

Our law does not enforce vaccination within six months after birth. It does, however, order that every child, before entering the public schools for the first time, must be successfully vaccinated. This is a good law, and is being strictly enforced in this city. In these cases it need cost nothing to become vaccinated, as the city provides for a free operation to all who may wish to take advantage of it. Each year, generally during July and August, certain days of the week are set apart for this purpose by the Board of Health. These dates are always announced in the newspapers before hand.

Will Show Britain's Power. London, July 4.—Wonderful as was the assembly at Spithead last year to commemorate the coronation, it will be exceeded by the fleet which will gather on Tuesday next. There will be 239 warships of every kind drawn up in six lines along a total length of thirty miles. Nineteen admirals' flags will be flown.

Downed at Nashwaak. News reached the city yesterday that Garnet Dryden had been drowned in the Nashwaak river on Wednesday evening. Charles Dryden, of 11 Pine street, a brother of the lad, left yesterday morning for his home in Marysville. The accident occurred while the lad was swimming. The family resided in St. John about three years ago.

Horse from Western Canada. L. W. Barker, of the National Drug Company, returned yesterday from the west. He had been as far as Edmonton with the Made in Canada train where the company had an exhibit. The train made 104 stops in 45 days, and attracted much interest all along the scheduled route. It was estimated that more than 200,000 people saw the exhibits.

Ordination on Saturday. Rev. Joseph McLaughlin, C. S. S. R., arrived yesterday morning from New York and will be ordained to the priesthood in the Cathedral on Saturday morning. The ordination which is set for 8:15 will be conducted by His Lordship Bishop Casey.

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**SHIPPING NEWS**

**DAILY ALMANAC.**

Friday, July 5, 1912.

Sun rises . . . . . 4.48 a. m.

Sun sets . . . . . 8.08 p. m.

High water . . . . . 3.16 p. m.

Low water . . . . . 9.46 p. m.

Atlantic standard time.

**VESELS IN PORT.**

**Steamers.**

Obi, 1960 Wm Thomson & Co. Orthis, 2894, Donaldson Line.

**Barks.**

Dana, 332, John E. Moore. Marion, 1452 W. M. Mackay.

**Schooners.**

Adriatic, 99, J. Willard Smith. Annie M. Parker, 395, R. C. Elkin. B. I. Hazard, 349, master. Beesie C. Beach, 284, J. T. Knight and Co.

**Calabria, 451, J. Spilane & Co. Evelyn, 287, master. Harold B. Cousens, 269, P. McIntire. Hattie H. Barbour, 261, A. W. Adams. Helen G. King, 126, A. W. Adams. Lancel, 99, C. M. Kerrison. Margaret G. 299, C. M. Kerrison. Oriole, 124, J. Spilane & Co. Kewa 122, D. J. Purdy. Swallow, 99, C. M. Kerrison. T. W. Cooper, 150, A. W. Adams. W. H. Waters, 120, C. M. Kerrison.**

**PORT OF SAINT JOHN, N. B.**

Arrived, Thursday, July 4.

Str Governor Cobb, 1556, Allan, from Boston via Eastport, W. G. Lee, 187 passengers and general cargo.

Schr Margaret O. 299, Knowlton, from Turks Island, B. W. C. M. Kerrison with 14,000 bushels salt for John Bealy.

Schr Hattie H. Barbour (Aug) 261, Hodgdon from New Bedford, Mass. A. W. Adams, ballast.

Schr Helen G. King, (Am) 126, Gough, from New London, Conn. A. W. Adams, ballast.

Schr Charles C. Lister (Am) 266, Robinson, from New York with hard coal for Fredericton.

Coastwise—Str Connors Bros. 49, Warnock, Chance Harbor; Brunswick, 72, Moore, Bass River; Westport III, 49, Coggin, Westport and cld; Schs Souvenir, 27, Outhouse, Tiverton and cld; Cornwall, 44, Hatfield, St. Martins cleared, July 4.

Ekn (Castol) (Dan) 199, Sonne, for Westport, Ireland, John E. Moore, 257, 123 feet spruce deck.

Schr Arthur J. Parker, 118, Burnt, for New Haven, Conn, John E. Moore, 141,302 feet spruce boards and scumming.

Coastwise—Str Brunswick, Moore, Parraboro, NB; Schs Ida M. Olenette, River Hebert; Julia and Francis, Leighton, Grand Harbor; Margaret Simmonds, St. George; Fred and Norman, Cheney, Sandy Cove.

Sailed, July 4.

Str Cromarty, Robinson, for Halifax via Wm Thomson and Co, general cargo.

**DOMINION PORTS.**

Halifax, July 3—Arrived—Str McElwain, Norfolk.

Cleared—Str Drinning Maud, Hillsboro, Pomeranian, Philadelphia.

Sailed—Schr Gypsum Queen, for Bridgetown, in tow to load for New York.

Quebec, July 3—Arrived—Schr Leonard Parker, from Fernandina, St. John.

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Maitland, June 30—Arrived—Schr Smith Tuttle, Greenlaw, Boston; Maitland, Howe, St. John, NB; Silver Star Marsters, Bridgetown; Panny, Hawes Parraboro.

Cleared—Schr Maitland, St. John, NB; Silver Star, 199M lumber, Salem for orders.

Walton, June 26—Arrived—Schr Joat, Pettie, Port Greenville.

Sailed—Schr Joat, 991 per piling, New York, 29 Schr Lemuel Costner, Jr., 249M lumber, Vineyard Haven for orders.

St. Point, July 3—Signalled—Str Orland.

Outward—Star Kanouraska; str Knutsford.

Montreal, July 3—Arrived—Str Cornishman, Bristol; Str Athenis, Glasgow.

Sailed—Str Crown of Granads, London.

**BRITISH PORTS.**

London, July 2—Arrived—Str Rappahannock.

Brow Head, July 2—Passed—Str Dora Horn, from Chatham, N. B.

Glasgow, July 3—Arrived—Str Baltalla, London, for Botwood.

Dublin, July 3—Arrived—Str Jacob Bright, Newcastle, N. B.

**FOREIGN PORTS**

Havre, July 1—Sailed—Str Lake Erie, Montreal.

Rochford, July 2—Sailed—Str Morien, Louisburg, NB.

Calais, July 2—Sailed—Schr Jesse Hart 2nd, St. John.

Gloucester, July 2—Arrived—Schr Stella Maud, Five Islands, NB.

Perth Amboy, July 2—Sailed—Schr Peter C. Schully, St. John; William Mason, St. John; Blue Nose, St. Andrews; Hugh John, Halifax; James Williams, Halifax; Nettie Shipman, Fredericton via St. John.

Boston, July 2—Arrived—Schr Ozimbo, Tufts, St. John; Nellie, Bart House, Grand Harbor, NB.

Cleared—Str Nordstjernin (Dan) Sydney, CB.

Sailed—Str Alma, Port Greenville, N. S.

New York, July 3—Arrived—Schr Joat, Tenny Cape, NB.

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**SPECIAL OLD HOME WEEK ATTRACTION AT OPERA HOUSE**

Vineyard Haven, July 3.—Sailed—Schr Maud, New York.

Hyannis, July 3.—Sailed—Schr Priscilla, New York.

**WIRELESS REPORTS.**

Str Cornick, Liverpool, for Montreal via Cape Race at 2.45 pm. 2nd.

**REPORTS AND DISASTERS.**

San Francisco, June 26.—Str ship Howard D. Troop, has been sold to Hind, Rolph and Co, terms private. Her name will be changed to Annie M Reed.

Turks Island, July 1.—Str Antillian before reported at Grand Turk, has been floated, and is proceeding to Hawks-Nest for temporary repairs.

**MARINE NOTES**

**LARGE PASSENGER LIST.**

Steamer Governor Cobb, Captain Allan, arrived Thursday afternoon from Boston and Eastport and landed 137 passengers. The Calvin Austin due this morning has over 600 passengers on board.

**FURNESS LINE.**

Steamer Rappahannock, Captain Hanks, arrived at London from this port last Tuesday with a general cargo.

**HARD COAL FOR FREDERICTON.**

American schooner Charles C. Lester, Captain Robinson, arrived Thursday afternoon from New York, with a cargo of hard coal for Fredericton.

**ARRIVED WITH PITCH PINE.**

British schooner Leonard Parker arrived Digby, N. B. last Wednesday with a cargo of pitch pine timber for the Canadian Pacific Railway Company.

**RECENT CHARTER.**

A British steamer, 1,943 tons, name not given, has been fixed to load deal from the Miramichi River for Manchester, G. B., at 52s 6d.

**IN THE COURTS**

**CIRCUIT COURT.**

Hearing in the civil non-jury case of Robin, Jones and Whitman, Ltd. of Perth, N. B., was commenced in the Circuit Court yesterday morning at 11 o'clock before Justice W. G. Lee. This is an action to recover \$4,500 for alleged breach of contract. The plaintiffs ordered 3,000 bags of potatoes to be delivered at St. John. The potatoes were shipped through to Havana and when they arrived there it is contended that they were found to be rotten. The plaintiffs say that the goods were frozen before arriving in St. John, while the defence is that the potatoes, if frozen, were so frozen after leaving St. John.

The potatoes were paid for and the action is brought to recover the amount.

W. G. Jones of the plaintiff company, gave evidence yesterday morning that the potatoes were damaged when they arrived in Havana and E. Martinson, Ole Donaldson and Warren Knight told of the manner in which the potatoes were shipped from St. John.

Before one o'clock the plaintiffs finished their case and adjournment was made until half past two o'clock yesterday afternoon.

At afternoon session James White, Daniel Hudson, Frederick Cox George Brook, Albert Webster, Alfred J. Kirkpatrick and J. E. Mallory testified. Several witnesses swore that the potatoes were not frozen and one witness stated that water would appear on the outside of the bag containing potatoes when they thawed and this occurred in the case of one bag.

M. G. Teed, K.C., appeared for the plaintiffs and Frank B. Carvell, K.C., M.P., of Woodstock, and C. H. Elliott of Perth for the defendant.

The case was concluded shortly before adjournment yesterday afternoon and adjournment will be presented this morning at ten o'clock.

**Probate Court.**

Estate of Frederick H. Nice, late of Carleton, ferry captain: Deceased died intestate, being survived by a wife (label); five sons, Aas, engineer; Charles, pilot; W. Bradford, plumber; and two daughters, Annie Alice and Annie M. Malloy, recent combe, pilot, all of the West side. On the petition of the widow and most of the children the widow is appointed administratrix. Real estate on German street, West side, valued at \$1,000. Personal estate, including bag leasehold, \$1,000; total, \$2,000. Baxter and Logan, proctors.

Estate of William A. Logan, fisherman and boat builder: Deceased died intestate in 1888. His parents predeceased him. His brothers, all of whom were unmarried, predeceased him. He left him surviving three sisters, Maud, wife of George C. Capson; Emma, wife of Norman H. B. Smith and Agnes Stone, who has since died, leaving 11 children, namely, Edgar W. millhand; Lewis C. of Plaster Hacks, millhand; Ernest of Fairville, laborer; John M. of Plaster Rock millhand; Harry, laborer; and James O'leary, and six daughters, Asahide, wife of Gilbert Grey, of Chesley street; Catherine E. wife of William Logan, also of Chesley street; Agnes Stone, wife of John Smith of Gibson, farmer; and Maurine E. Stone. On the petition of Maud Capson and Emma M. Smith, the sisters, they are appointed administratrix. No real estate. Personal estate including tenement on Chesley street \$400. Mr. L. P. D. Tilley, proctor.

Estate of John Donohue, millman: Deceased died in 1888 intestate leaving a widow, Ellen, since deceased, and three children, Catherine, since deceased, wife of John Kirby; Joseph, since deceased, wife of Henry McCullum; and Mary, wife of William J. Redmond, of St. John, laborer. Catherine Kirby died about 25 years ago, leaving two children, Thomas and Matthew. Josephine McCullum died leaving one child, Marion McCullum. The estate of Mary Redmond, also is appointed administratrix. No real estate. Personal estate \$300. Mr. H. H. Brittain, proctor.

**FOUR MORE VICTIMS CLAIMED BY UPPER FRASER RECENTLY**

Vancouver, B. C., July 3.—Four more victims have been claimed by the Upper Fraser, according to a statement of arrivals at Fort George this morning. Steamer B. X., which left Port George Saturday found three men marooned on a log jam in the Fraser just below Fort George Canyon, 15 miles from the town. They were A. Oddy, J. F. Johnston and Andrew Johnson. They had been fifty-two hours without food and were suffering intensely.

Joseph Gessley, of Toronto was taken off an island where he had been marooned 36 hours. He had been accompanied by six other men of whom he was certain that four were drowned. Two of them were named Mitchell, Scotchman, 19 years of age, and Thompson, an Englishman. The names of the others are not known. All had come from Winnipeg recently. They had been swept off a raft in going through the narrows, Gressley alone escaping.

**NEWCASTLE NEWS.**

Newcastle, July 4.—Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Wm. Harrison and son and daughter, arrived yesterday from Charlottetown, P. E. I. A large delegation from the Ladies' Aid awaited them at the pier and gave them a hearty welcome. Rev. Dr. Harrison who is a writer of wide repute, is also personally known to many here, as he was stationed five years in Bathurst. Miss Harrison will be a most valuable addition to local musical circles.

Mrs. S. J. MacArthur returned yesterday from a visit to her husband, who is ill in Charlottetown, P. E. I. Mrs. Keith Anderson went to Moncton Hospital yesterday to undergo an operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mullin have a new baby boy this week.

Stuart Weldon, of Victoria, B. C., formerly of Newcastle, is visiting his aunt, Mrs. John A. Follanbee.

Mrs. Osborne Nicholson goes to Chatham today to attend the Miramichi Presbyterian that meets there today and tomorrow.

Miss St. Patricia of Antigonish convent, is visiting the sisters of St. Mary's convent and her parents, Mr and Mrs. Patrick Hennessy, here.

**HON. G. E. FOSTER GOING TO AUSTRALIA**

Ottawa, July 4.—Hon. George E. Foster, who has been in England attending the sittings of the Imperial Trade Commission, is returning to Canada en route to Australia. Mr. Foster leaves England on the 12th inst. and will come to Ottawa, spending some days here on departmental matters. He will then leave for the Pacific coast and Australia. Better trade relations between Canada and Australia have been the subject of correspondence between the government of the Dominion and the Commonwealth since early in the year. Mr. Foster wrote to the Australian minister, Mr. Teed, in January, opening the way for further negotiations, and it is stated that the stage has now been reached when a personal visit by the Canadian minister is likely to result in a closer trade bond between these two members of the imperial family.

**OBITUARY**

Mrs. Felix McGillir.

The death of Mrs. Ann McGillir, widow of Felix McGillir, took place Wednesday evening at her late residence 41 St. David street. The deceased, who was well known in this city, was in the 74th year of her age. She was born in Centerton, Kings county, two sisters, Misses Mary and Elizabeth McCarron, residents of Chapel Grove, two stepsons, Joseph and Felix McGillir, and one stepdaughter, Mrs. Joseph Taylor, survive.

Bank Clearings.

St. John, N. B., bank clearings for the week ending 4th July were \$1,458,926, and for the corresponding week last year, \$1,561,447.

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Are You Coming Home for the Big Celebration?

THE WEATHER

Toronto, July 4.—The weather has been moderately fine throughout Canada, although some thunderstorms have occurred in Ontario.

AROUND THE CITY

Pay your taxes on or before July 10 and save 5 per cent. discount. Immediately after the tax duty executions will be issued for all unpaid taxes.

Engagement Announced. Mr. and Mrs. William MacGorman, of Hopewell Hill, N. B., announce the engagement of their daughter, Helen Janie, to George Hazen Adair, barrister, of Sussex. The marriage will take place early in August.

Tea at the Golf Club. Mrs. Herbert Schofield and Mrs. Butee were in charge of the tea at the Golf Club yesterday afternoon, when a large number of the lady members attended this successful function.

62nd Fusiliers. The 62nd Regt. will parade at the drill shed on Friday evening, the 6th inst., for battalion drill and for signing pay sheets.

The Big Power Boat Race. In connection with the Norton Griffith shield to be competed for by the fast power boats of the world, the committee in charge desire that all entries be made not later than Monday evening next.

May Install Police Signal System. Com. McLellan stated yesterday that he will have the police signal system installed in the city this year. He can induce the other commissioners to agree to make a bond in lieu of cover the cost.

Good Band Concert. The Sons of England Band rendered an attractive programme at the band concert at King Square last evening, when many hundreds of people crowded the square and listened with pleasure to the music.

A Lively Runaway. Between four and five o'clock yesterday afternoon Superintendent Winchester's horse, while tethered to a telegraph pole near the Globe building on Prince William street, broke the bridle and started on a jaunt.

TWO PICNICS WERE HELD YESTERDAY

St. Mary's and Waterloo Street Sunday Schools Held Their Annual Outings — Large Crowds at Both.

The Sunday school of St. Mary's Church held their annual picnic at the Rothsay grounds yesterday when hundreds of the congregation and Sunday school enjoyed a good time.

All morning the grounds presented an animated scene and the different games were played with great excitement. Several impromptu baseball games were also arranged and provided the younger generation with a start toward the big leagues.

The Sunday school of the Waterloo Street Baptist church took advantage of the fine weather yesterday and held their annual picnic on the grounds at Westfield Beach.

CIVIC RECEPTION ON TUESDAY NIGHT

Mayor and Commissioners will Meet and Great Returning New Brunswickers-Work of Decorating City is Progressing Well.

On Tuesday evening next the mayor and commissioners will hold an official reception in St. Andrew's rink to the Old Home Week visitors.

That a large number of New Brunswickers will return for Old Home Week is assured by the fact that the board of trade is in receipt of many letters and cards all speaking in glowing terms of the celebration.

Already numerous persons have called at the board of trade rooms on Prince William street. The majority of these people are John in their boyhood and see many changes in their native town.

The work of decorating the city is fast going forward and many of the streets now present a gala appearance. Prince William street especially has entered into the Old Home Week decoration spirit with the result that the offices and public buildings present a gay appearance.

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REVIEWING PLANS FOR EXHIBITION

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The executive decided to sell strip tickets at five for \$1, from August 1st to 24th, and dealers wishing to handle these tickets are requested to make application to the secretary of the association as soon as possible.

PERSONAL

Warden Thomas B. Carson, M. P., of Gardiner's Creek; H. W. Woods, M. P., of Wolford; and Fred M. Sprout, ex-M.P.P., were in the city yesterday.

A fine assortment of ladies' silk coats is being shown at F. A. Dykeman and Co.'s store. Most of their coats are bought direct from the Berlin and London manufacturers so they save the middleman's profits and give their customers the advantage of it.

GOVERNMENT MET HERE YESTERDAY

Business Before Local Executive was of Routine Nature — New Companies Apply for Incorporation.

A meeting of the local government was held in the city yesterday. All the members were present. A lengthy docket of routine business was disposed of, and several minor appointments were made.

The applications of the following companies for letters patent of incorporation were approved: the Kent Freestone Co., The Sackville Plumbing and Heating Co., The Massville Stores Co., Stickney Hull Co., Ltd., The Maine, Ltd., The Miramichi Publishing Co., Ltd.

PLAN A PICNIC FOR LABOR DAY

Trades and Labor Council Considered Matter at Meeting Last Night — Question of Free Speech.

At the meeting of the Trades and Labor Council last evening it was decided to hold a picnic on Labor Day, and a committee was appointed to make the necessary arrangements.

H. A. POWELL LEAVES FOR WEST ONTARIO

Will Inspect the Rainy River District in the Interests of the Canadian Boundary Commission.

H. A. Powell of the Canadian boundary commission left on the Montreal train yesterday afternoon for the Rainy River district of Ontario where accompanied by Col. Lawrence.

Among the important questions to be looked into will be that of deriving power from the Lake of the Woods to drive mills, the obstruction by lumber booms in the Rainy River and the diversion of the water of Birch Lake from the Lake of the Woods.

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During the recent suffrage campaign in London our company suffered thousands of pounds damage through the broken windows caused by the militant suffragettes.

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For balance of the week we are offering all trimmed hats in stock for \$2 each. Regular prices from \$3 to \$10. Sale price \$2.

Board of Education. A meeting of the provincial board of education was held in the local government rooms on Church street yesterday.

Advertisement for dental services. 'FREE' of pain as the way we extract teeth by the famous Hale Method, which is used exclusively at our office. We charge only a nominal fee 25c.

Advertisement for shoes. 'NEW BRUNSWICK'S GREATEST SHOE HOUSE' Perfect feet. Are not obtained by wearing ill fitting shoes.

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Advertisement for Waterbury & Rising, Ltd. 'Waterbury & Rising, Ltd. Three Stores King St. Union St. Mill St.' In eyeglass buying more than in anything else it pays to buy the best.

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Advertisement for 'Our Mid-Summer Sale of Wash Goods' An Important Announcement to the Ladies of St. John — Read It Through Our Mid-Summer Sale of Wash Goods.

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