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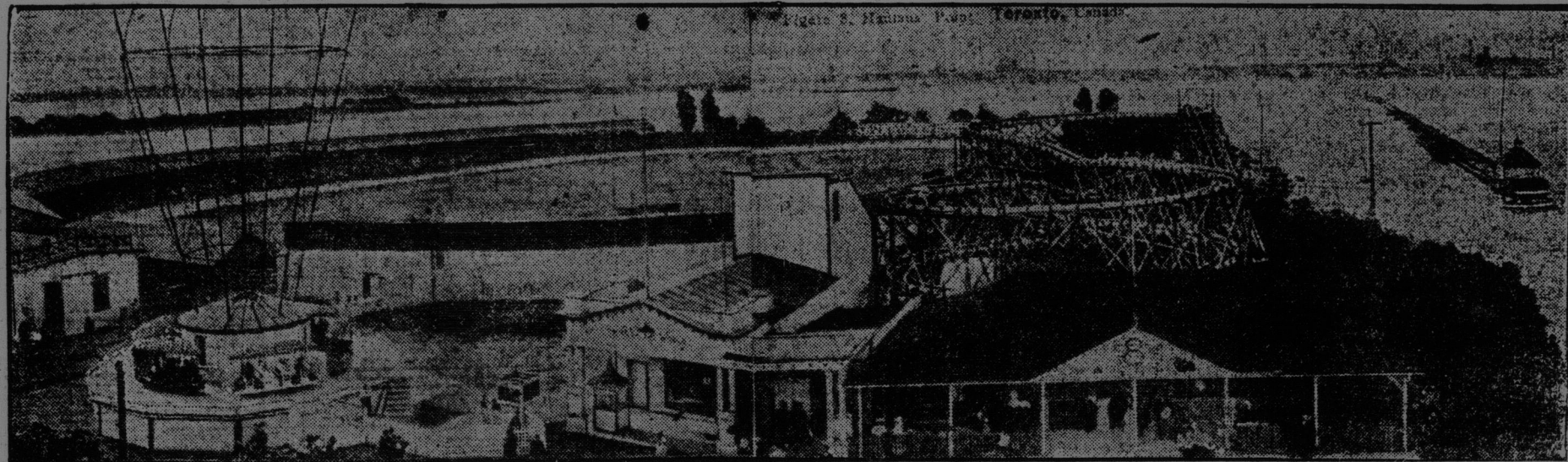
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Toronto Pleasure Island---Destroyed by Fierce Fire.



Toronto pleasure seekers are mourning the loss of one of the finest pleasure resorts on the continent, and a family in Coburg, Ont., are mourning the loss of a favorite daughter as the result of a fire which broke out in the moving picture theatre at Hamilton's Point on Tuesday evening. The whole property belonging to the Toronto Baseball and Lacrosse clubs and the Toronto Ferry Company, Miss Andrews, who was cashier in a charge of one of the popular amusements, was burnt to death in a brave attempt to save her employers' money.

NEW BRUNSWICKERS SHOULD BE BUILDING THESE BRIDGES

Steel Working in This Province Might be a Profitable Industry---New Railway Will Open Up Much Rich Farming Country.

The Star talked today with a gentleman who recently made a trip over the Grand Trunk Pacific construction between Moncton and Chipman.

The opening up of this road will make accessible from 1000 to 2000 acres of desirable lands for settlement at Fork's Streams, 35 miles from Moncton. At Canaan River, too, there are upward of 400 acres of good fertile soil and in that locality there is a large lot of hardwood which no doubt will find a market by reason of the construction of a new railway.

He went on to say: "In going over the route of the Grand Trunk Pacific in this province--whether over the Moncton-Chipman section or the sections between Chipman and Edmundston--one cannot help but think of how suicidal was the policy which destroyed the bridge building industry in New Brunswick. Not to speak of the bridges that are being and will continue to be built for the provincial government, millions of dollars are going to Upper Province concerns this year for bridge construction that might have been constructed by New Brunswick foundries. The great bulk of the work is being done by the Dominion Bridge Company and the Canada Foundry Company.

POLICE COURT

Wm. Reardon, arrested last night on the ferry boats was fined \$4 or ten days for drunkenness before Police Magistrate Ritchie this morning.

The case of Elmer Belding charged by Israel Goldberg with throwing stones and annoying him, proved rather an amusing one, and the magistrate had considerable difficulty in restraining the amusement displayed by the spectators.

SUCCESS WILL COME TO THOSE WHO WORK

How Many of You are Like Rip Van Winkle?

Think It Over, Wake Up, Then Get Out and Hustle for Some of the Star's Big Prizes.

You have read the story of "Rip Van Winkle" how he slept for twenty years on the mountain side, so that when he finally awoke he was unable to recognize his surroundings, familiar as they had been to him when he fell asleep. Have you ever stopped to ask yourself whether you were a modern Rip Van Winkle? Have you been asleep these many years, while your competitors were toiling upward? Are you behind the times? Wake up! Shake up! Look about you! Younder is a fellow whom you knew when you fell asleep. He was then a plodder and entered the vast field of business unharmed by the blast of trumpet or the crash of timber. No one noticed him at first, but he didn't allow that to discourage him. He kept plodding along, refusing to halt by the wayside until now he commands the notice which was at first denied him. He has gained the heights, but he is still a plodder. While you have been trying to

"BALLADS OF ACADIA"

Four Poems by Dr. James Hannay Appear in Attractive Form.

The editor of the Star has received a copy of "Ballads of Acadia" from the pen of Dr. James Hannay. The book is published by John A. Bowers and tells many stirring events of Acadian history. The ballads were written by Dr. Hannay between 1888 and 1893. Four excellent ballads are included in the book. "The Maiden's Sacrifice," deals with a tradition of the Micmac Indians, describing the heroic conduct of a maiden of that tribe, who sacrificed her own life to save her people.

The St. John County Royal Chapter will meet tonight at 8 o'clock in the Orange Hall, Germany street.

LOOKING FOR A YEAR OF PROGRESS IN THE I.O.O.F.

One Result of Grand Lodge Meeting Will be Active Campaign Throughout the Province.

It is believed that one result of the meeting of I. O. O. F. Grand Lodge in St. John, which was held this week, will be a marked advance in the order in New Brunswick.

This year the Grand Master is from Fredericton, as is also one of the Grand Representatives from St. John; the other Grand Representative is from St. Stephen, and one of two of the other officers belong to this province. Such being the case, it is anticipated that the order in New Brunswick will before next August experience a year of marked progress.

LORD CHARLES BERESFORD MAY COME TO ST. JOHN

Is Considering Invitation of Canadian Club--Cannot Decide Yet.

The executive committee of the Canadian Club has received a communication from Lord Charles Beresford, in response to an invitation to address the club during his coming visit to Canada. The letter states that the distinguished admiral has not definitely formulated his plans as yet. However, he will reach a decision on his engagements upon his arrival in Canada.

WARRANTS OUT FOR EIGHT PUGILISTS

Two of Them Have Been Gathered In--Marvin Hart's Jaw Broken.

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Aug. 14.--Warrants were issued last night for the arrest of eight of the principals in a boxing contest given by the Terre Haute Athletic Association on July 26th. Nat Thornton and William Turner, two of the boxers were arrested last night, the other principals in the fight were Marvin Hart, Mart Schreck, Mickey Ford, William York, Thomas Scanlan and Andrew Howell. In the one fight Hart's jaw was broken and he was saved from a knockout in the third round by his seconds.

WILL SEEK THE AID OF KING EDWARD AS MATCH MAKER

Friends of Miss Elkin Will Endeavor to Interest King Edward in Hopes of Having Obstacles to Her Marriage to Duke of Abruzzi Removed

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.--A London despatch to the World has it that King Edward's aid will be sought as a matchmaker in the case of Miss Katharine Elkin, and the Duke of Abruzzi.

TWO MEN REPORTED BURIED ALIVE

Schooners Collide and One Sinks.

HUNTSVILLE, Ont., Aug. 14.--A report reached town last night that two men buried by a caving in of a gravel pit in which they were working about two miles from town.

Will Carry Sunday Ice Cream Case to Higher Courts--Man Wanted on Serious Charge is Fully Armed.

ALBERTVILLE, Ont., Aug. 14.--The steamer Rockefeller, upbound, light, collided with the schooner St. Joseph, downward bound, light, yesterday afternoon, near Ballards Reef, limed in crossing. The Rockefeller proceeded on her way up and the schooner was towed by the tug Marion E. Trotter, near the American shore above dam, where she sank, badly damaged.

VITAL STATISTICS

Fourteen burial permits were issued at the Board of Health during the past week. The causes of death were as follows:--Pneumonia, three; heart disease, three; cholera infantum, three; cystitis, uremia, convulsions, tuberculosis and paralysis, one each.

NEW POLICEMAN SWORN IN THIS MORNING

Samuel Journey was sworn in this morning by Judge Ritchie as a policeman, to fill one of the vacancies caused by the dismissals made by Chief Clarke last night.

Chief Clarke stated that he had been besieged with applications this morning but Journey was the only man accepted.

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THE STAR ST. JOHN N. B. SATURDAY, AUGUST 14 1934

COAL-- American Anthracite, Scotch Anthracite, Old Mines Sydney Reserve. Delivered in bulk or in bags. Prices Low. R. P. & W. F. STARR, Ltd. 49 SMYTHE ST., 14 CHARLOTTE ST.

THE ANTI-CIGARETTE CRUSADE IN THE WEST

Just as the Southern States are leading the world in the matter of temperance reform, the Western States are acting as the advance guard in the campaign upon the pernicious cigarette. No fewer than eight states have declared through their Legislatures that the "toxin" must go. In Tacoma cigarette smokers are arrested on the street; in Minnesota for the past fortnight it has been against the law to daily with tobacco in this seductive form, but the day before the law came into force a million cigarettes were sold in Minneapolis. Cigarette papers are contraband, and even tobacco cut so as to be suitable for cigarette smoking. If you cut your own tobacco to the required degree of fineness, and extemporize a cigarette of your own, you are liable to fine or imprisonment.

A MEXICAN HABIT. For a generation the West has been the stronghold of the cigarette. The cowboy, whose fathers in the East had smoked pipes, learned the cigarette habit from the Mexicans, and as everybody had yellow fingers, "the usual moral reformers went West and preached against the cigarette, just as John B. Gough and a hundred others had denounced the rum fiend to the people of the Southern States. There were no particular results. Gradually, however, the reformers of the people they addressed grew wiser. The base attack was shifted. No longer was emphasis laid upon the immorality of the drink habit, or the evil effect upon health of excessive smoking. The appeal was made to self-interest. It became an argument as to efficiency. It became an argument as to the non-drinker. The cigarette smoker was not as good a workman as the non-smoker. Here and there a business man listened and was impressed. Cigarette smokers were discriminated against. The railroad companies, and gradually the "no cigarette" sign was hung out against applicants for a job.

WISCONSIN THE LEADER. Wisconsin has of late years done a lot of thinking for itself, without paying much attention to conclusions elsewhere. To Wisconsin, therefore, fell the honor of striking the first match west against the cigarette smoker. Most States in the East had legislated against the cigarette smoker who had not reached the maturity represented by sixteen years; but even there the law was not enforced. Wisconsin, however, meant business and didn't see that there was any magic in the figure 16. It did not want the man of 17 to smoke cigarettes, nor even the man of 50. So the Legislature grappled with the problem and the result was that cigarettes were

put in the opium class. Indiana looked good, so Indiana also banished the cigarette. Missouri had also been shown, but the Missouri law was not quite as drastic. Nebraska, Michigan and Illinois followed suit.

THE YOUNG DELINQUENT.

Last winter the anti-cigarette reformers showed their hand in Iowa and the legislature was found full of reformers when the time came for voting. On the first of last month the law making the possession of a cigarette or of the ingredients of a cigarette an offense came into force. Minnesota is the largest state to go over into the anti-cigarette column. Like the other states, it is not a reform shows no sign of abating. Because a legislator cannot explain to a critic the difference between tobacco smoked in a wooden pipe and the same tobacco smoked in a delicate tube of rice paper, he will not admit that anything illogical in condemning the cigarette and blessing the pipe. He will tell you that 90 per cent. of juvenile delinquents are cigarette smokers; and if he cannot prove that the cigarette is a direct cause of crime, he will at least decline to take it for granted that it is not.

APPALLING CIGARETTE CONSUMPTION.

The cigarette statistics of the United States are alarming enough. Exclusive of imported goods, our Southern neighbors consumed almost 600,000,000 cigarettes last year, an increase of 250,000,000 over the year before. If they all smoked cigarettes they would have to smoke eight cigarettes a day to consume five and a half million of the millions of cigarettes that are used. The daily allowance of the cigarette smokers in the United States is estimated at from fifteen to twenty cigarettes for each. Most men know that the practice of inhaling cigarette smoke—and the practice is practically universal among cigarette smokers—is harmful to the lungs and to the heart. Of course, the inhalation of smoke from a pipe or cigar is bad, too, even worse; but this sort of smoke is, as a rule, too acid to be as harmful. If cigarettes were smoked as cigars are smoked, the probability is that there would be no cigarette smokers there. Therefore, when smokers generally abuse their lungs with cigars as they do with cigarettes, we may expect cigarettes to be put under the ban, too.

LOCAL NEWS

NEW YORK DRESSMAKERS, responsible prices. Telephone Main 1000. House 15 Mill St. 15-47

Are you a "judge of advertisements" of the interest and importance to you of advertisements? Bentley's the best Liniment for Sprains, Strains and Rheumatism.

Get the habit of having your clothes cleaned, pressed and repaired at Parlane's, The Tailor, Clifton Block, 12 Princess St. Phone 1613-11. 10-84

Johnson Royal Orange Lodge will hold an open meeting in Orange Hall, Germain street, Monday, August 14, at 8 p. m. Speakers, and an entertainment will take place. All sister and lady lodges invited to attend in a body. The public are extended an invitation to try Taylor's Laundry with your next washing bundle and be convinced of the superior method. 75-23.

Will the person who took the brown Spaniel pup from Read's Point early Wednesday morning return same to 27 Betsford St., at once and save further trouble. 14-87.

The August sale at the J. N. Harvey Clothing, Hat and Furnishing Stores in the Opera House block, is attracting many buyers these days who are getting exceptional bargains. This sale is a splendid place to fit a boy out for school. The stores are open tonight till 10.30.

SUNDAY SERVICES. PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. St. John Presbyterian church, King St. East. Rev. J. H. A. Anderson, B.D. minister—Sabbath services 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.; Sabbath school and adult bible class at 2.30. Y. P. S. C. E. meets on Monday evening at 8 o'clock. Mid-week prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. A cordial welcome to all.

The news boxes for the collection of ferry-fares seem to be the source of unending trouble. The Chamberlain's Office is the latest place where the boxes have made trouble and the result of that trouble will be an attempt on the part of the Treasury Department to have the Ferry Department pay \$400 or \$500 a year for the time spent in sorting, counting and canceling ferry tickets in the Chamberlain's office.

Comptroller A. F. McIntyre left yesterday morning on his vacation. He will visit Boston and New York. In his absence Chairman Baxter of the Treasury Board and the Chamberlain will divide his work between them.

YOUR STOMACH REINFORCED. Not one stomach in fifty in this age of fast living has a perfect lining. Indigestion leaves the walls in a raw, irritable condition. Watson's Stomach Tonic soothes the inflamed area, removes impurities and tones the digestive organs to better action. Unequalled as an appetizer, 45c. to 75c. per bottle. Money back if you receive no benefit at The Drug Store, 109 King street.

The La Tour Rowing Association is planning for a big day of sport on Lake a week from today. On Saturday, August 21, the association will hold the following sports at Rockwood: Canoe fours, canoe doubles, canoe singles, tilting contest, crab races, dinghy doubles, dinghy singles, tub race. Assurance has been received from the Westfield Outing Association that the winners of the events in today's sports at Westfield will be entered in the events at Lily Lake next Saturday. Other associations will also be represented. Entries are to be sent as soon as possible to Frank White, secretary-treasurer of the La Tour R. A., 90 King street. The first race will be called at 3 p. m. Officials and entries will be announced later.

CRUSHED IN FOLDS OF HUGE PYTHON. Showman Had a Narrow Escape From Death. PHOENIX, Ind., Aug. 13.—Gus Tambridge, the banker-showman, of Orville, Ohio, had a terrible experience with a python this morning, in which he received severe, but not mortal, injuries. The python is 23 feet long and 20 inches in circumference and weighs about 100 pounds. The reptile got out of its cage, and when Tambridge tried to drive it back into its hold, Tambridge is badly bruised, but, fortunately, the prompt efforts of his assistants kept the reptile from crushing any bones.

STAR WANT ADS. BRING RESULTS



PUTTING BALL ON RUNNERS AN ART

Going This Properly One of the Things Which Makes Great Infielders.

Ability to tag the runner is the one point that makes the difference between a good and a mediocre second baseman. Pennants have been lost in the past just because the man at the keyhole made lacked the instinctive sense of touching a base stealer at the right time. Any league manager will tell you that so many games are lost by the failure of a second baseman to "get" the runner as any other fielding error. Or, to put the case stronger, almost twice as many battles are lost because of this failure.

One case in point is the present low standing of the Chicago White Sox. Jake Atz is the regular second baseman of the team, and he is a good fast man. But he is not a star on tagging base stealers. It has been figured that his failure in this respect, cost Comiskey's team a number of hard-fought games, and it is largely due to this that the former world's champion are so low in the pennant race just now.

"Can be depended upon" is an expression we all like to hear, and when it is used in connection with Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy it means that it never fails to cure diarrhoea, dysentery or bowel complaints. It is so essential to take and equally valuable for children and adults.

KAY INQUIRY IS FINISHED

Magistrate and Chief of Police on Stand Yesterday

MONCTON, Aug. 13.—The inquiry into the Moncton police court administration, which has been going on before Commissioner M. Fredericton since Monday last, was concluded this afternoon and adjournment made until next Friday at 11 o'clock when the report of the subject was very dear and the witnesses today were Magistrate Kay and George Hildout, chief of police.

Questioned by Commissioner Teed, Magistrate Kay said it was his rule and practice not to grant bail until adjournment of the case in court. The commissioner remarked that the liberty of the subject was very dear and the Magistrate ought to consider well before refusing to take bail when the prisoner was brought before him.

George Hildout, chief of police, was called by Mr. Chandler and asked about the controversy between Kay and Sweeney of the time complained of. He said the altercation took place after the case was ended. Asked about the difficulty between the Magistrate and Attorney, witness said there was nothing out of the ordinary. He had seen the Magistrate in Fredericton adjourn the court until the lawyer apologized to him, but he had seen nothing of the kind.

The trouble between the Magistrate and police clerk, witness admitted he had called the clerk a deuce and threatened to slap his chops. The chief said he had made bargains with prisoners locked up for drunkenness. He said that if they would tell where they got their liquor, Chief Hildout was the last witness and the court adjourned for a week.

Deafness Cannot be Cured by local application, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by Catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars free. P. J. CHENEY, CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

GREAT REMNANT SALE OF WASH GOODS AT M. R. A.'S. Commencing Monday morning a great clean-up sale of wash goods remnants will be held in the Wash Goods Department. Hundreds of pieces of dainty materials in lengths from one to nine yards, consisting of White Lawns, Finest Mercerized Waistings, Ducks, Linens, Colored Voiles, Mullins, Ginghams, Gaiters, Linens, Suitings, Drills, etc., will be offered at extremely low prices.

As the remnants are most remarkable the sale will doubtless be of short duration. It would therefore be advisable to call as early as possible. Sale begins at eight o'clock sharp.

BOSTON AMERICANS CAPTURE ANOTHER PUZZLE

Bat Two Cleveland Pitchers Hard-Citicote A Puzzle

BOSTON, Aug. 13.—(American League)—Boston batted two Cleveland pitchers hard today, winning 7 to 2. Chicago was a puzzle at all times to the visitors. It was the eighth consecutive victory for the locals. Score: BOSTON, 7; CLEVELAND, 2. B. Lord, rf. . . . 4 1 0 2 0 0 Bradley, 2b. . . . 4 0 2 1 1 0 Stovall, 1b. . . . 3 0 0 13 0 0 Lajoie, 3b. . . . 2 0 1 1 0 0 Easterly, c. . . . 4 0 0 3 1 1 Hinchman, lf. . . . 4 1 0 0 0 0 Birmingham, cf. . . . 4 0 1 0 0 0 Berger, p. . . . 1 0 0 0 0 0 Rhoades, p. . . . 2 0 0 4 2 3 *Pick, 1 0 1 0 0 0 Totals 34 7 24 11 2

NOTES OF SPORT. HICKEY GOES TO HAMILTON.

Fred Hickey, the clever Toronto twirler, who is playing independent ball in and around Ontario this summer, is having success in his department of the Springfield, Ill., three league team for this season, winning 23 and losing two, a pretty fair record, as he was pitched for all kinds of ball teams. "Hick" is on for Hamilton on Saturday to show that here that he has more up his sleeve than his elbow.

NEW YORK'S NEW PITCHER. ST. LOUIS, Mo., Aug. 13.—Two pitchers were added to the staff of the New York National League Club last night, according to announcement by Manager McLaughlin. The new members of the team are Klawitter, of the Shreveport, La., club, and George Dally, of the Springfield, Ill., three league team. The price for the latter is reported to have been \$4,500.

NEWARK, Aug. 13.—The destructive fire at Hankin's Point was the talk of the baseball players of all the Eastern League teams and the players of the Toronto Club were the recipients of telegrams from the Rochester, Jersey City, and Newark players on losing their best clothes and all their personal effects in the hotel blaze.

Joe Kelley has a couple of new pieces of clothes he had bought at the pleasure of wearing, and Wally had two valuable overcoats in addition to the said wardrobe. "I wish now I had brought some of it along with me."

PLAYERS LOST EVERYTHING. Hickey Hildout says he is going to get insurance on the suit of clothes he wears now, as he has lost his trunk, but there is not a single shirt in a trunk, and half to jump on it with both feet to jam down the dry suit today. "I wish now I had brought some of it along with me."

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 13.—(National)—Score: St. Louis, 3; Cleveland, 2. Brockway, . . . 0 1 0 0 1 0-4 8 1 Batteries—Kroh, Hildout and St. Louis; Berger, Rhoades, 2, and Sherman, 1.35. Umpires, O'Loughlin and Thibeau.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 13.—(American)—Score: Washington, 6; Cleveland, 3. Detroit, . . . 2 0 0 1 0 2-0-5 14 1 Batteries—Oberlin, Smith and Blank; Knapp and Killiey, Donovan and Schmidt, Time, 1.53. Umpires, Zerlin and Egan.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 13.—(American)—Score: Philadelphia, 5; St. Louis, 2. Philadelphia, . . . 3 0 0 1 0 1 0-3-13 0 Batteries—Waddell, Dixon and St. Louis; Dyce, Coombs and Livingstone, Time, 1.47. Umpires, Evans and Perrins.

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—(American)—Score: New York, 2; Philadelphia, 0. New York, . . . 2 0 0 0 1 0 0-3 7 4 Batteries—Kroh and Owens; Warhop and Sweeney, Time, 2.00. Umpire, Connelly.

PITTSBURGH, Aug. 13.—(National)—Score: Pittsburgh, 0; Cleveland, 2. Pittsburgh, . . . 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 1-2 6 0 Batteries—Leaver and Gibson; McQuillen and Doolin, Time, 2.05. Umpires, Rigler and O'Day.

The fond husband was seeing his wife off with the children for their vacation to the country, as she got into the train he said, "But, my dear, won't you take some folicin to read." "Oh, no!" she responded sweetly, "I shall depend upon your letters from home."

BASEBALL. National League. At Chicago—New York, 6; Chicago, 2. At St. Louis—St. Louis, 5; Brooklyn, 4. At Cincinnati—Boston—Cincinnati postponed, rain. At Pittsburgh—Pittsburgh, 2; Philadelphia, 1 (12 innings).

League Standing. Won. Lost. P.C. Pittsburgh 72 29 .523 Philadelphia 67 34 .511 New York 60 37 .619 Cincinnati 56 42 .569 Philadelphia 45 55 .455 St. Louis 41 56 .423 Brooklyn 37 59 .384 Boston 28 78 .263

American League. At New York—Chicago, 4; New York, 2.

NINTH IS FATAL TO ST. JOSEPHS

FREDERICKTON, N. B., Aug. 13.—St. Josephs again lost to the Fredericton Tartars this afternoon, after having the game well in hand up to the ninth inning, the visiting team went up in the air and were beaten once when the Tartars went to the bat on the last inning—the score was 10 to 9. The ninth inning proved fatal, as the Tartars struck a batting streak and before the side retired five men had crossed the home plate, thus winning out. It was a good exhibition of baseball from start to finish. Dever and Donnelly pitched an excellent game for St. Josephs, while Boone did fine work for the Tartars.

AMUSEMENTS

"NICKEL"---Today and Monday! Sat. BUSH FAMILY STRING QUINTETTE—4 Numbers ROBT. BUCHANAN—Tenor—Lyric Selections FOUR MAGNIFICENT PICTURES—ORCHESTRA MORE LOVELY MUSIC NEXT WEEK!

THE QUINTETTE: Grand March from "Zandhäuser" Mr. BUCHANAN. Violin Solo—"Adoration" (Borovik) Will remain a day or so longer. On Mon. he will sing the lovely number "O DIXIE THOSE TEARS!"

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HAPPY HALF HOUR

There's going to be some fun. Mothers bring the children to the matinee today. We have room for hundreds of baby carriages. It's the last chance to see Prof. Hamilton's miniature circus, as it closes tonight. So do Blompham and Hior, the singers. New show Monday. Be early tonight. See amusement column this paper.

Philadelphia—Philadelphia, 8; St. Louis, 5. Boston—Boston, 7; Cleveland, 2. At Washington—Detroit, 5; Washington, 0. American League Standing.

Red Currants and Gooseberries. Now is the time to preserve and make jelly. Order early from Charles A. Clark's 13 Charlotte St. - - - Tel. 804.

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British War Office. Bishop Taylor-Smith, Chaplain General of the British Army, has kindly given us permission to publicly state that he has at various times ordered supplies of Mothersilk Liner and Train Slick Remedy and that he has found it most effective.

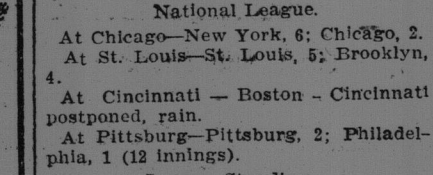
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TREATING SICK BY WIRELESS IS THE LATEST ACHIEVEMENT. Crew of Light Vessel Commended Symptoms of Captain's Illness and Received Prescription.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Aug. 13.—Treating a sick man on board the lonely Nantucket Lightship by wireless is the latest achievement of those aboard the ship. A few days ago, Capt. Doane, of the light vessel, was taken sick, and as there was no doctor on board there did not know just what to do. A wireless message from the medical expert on the lightship by the crew.

ESCAPE OF EXPRESS. As an express train from Southampton to London reached Aldermaston on Tuesday the axle of the leading wheels of the engine broke. Fortunately, the driver brought the train to a standstill, and averted what might have been a serious accident.

"The Shirt Comfortable" You can't get away from it—this 33 1/2 Coat Shirt is the easiest-fitting, most correctly tailored shirt you can buy to-day. We are all alive on this shirt question—we make shirts miles ahead of the ordinary kind. We make the right C-Plars too! Look for the 33 1/2 mark.



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PREMATURE BURIAL.

Apparently the people of England must always be excited over something. Now that the German scare is about over, the papers during the last few weeks have been full of the horrors of premature burial. So widespread has the discussion become that in London a special committee from the Home Office has been created for the purpose of equipping into the law and practice relating to the issue of burial certificates by coroners and others. That a great deal of interest has been taken in the evidence adduced in this inquiry is apparent by the amount of space given it in the press. The whole trend of the expert opinion, however, is to the effect that the premature burial scare, like most of those other scares with which Britain is intermittently afflicted, is baseless. While several medical men of some prominence have denounced the existing system of certification as most unsatisfactory, they declare the danger of premature burial in Britain at any rate, to be practically non-existent. There, it is admitted, the bare possibility of interment before death where no medical man has seen the body, but statistics show that nearly all reported cases of live burials have been myths. Reference was made to the plan adopted years ago in Munich by which a cord passed through the casket and through a tube to the surface of the ground, formed a connection between the hand of the buried person and a bell. Since this practice was instituted no bell has ever been heard to ring, whereas previously there had been many reports of persons buried alive. The possibility was admitted of muscular movement after death, and in such cases, the opinion was expressed that the changed position seen on disinterment might lead to the belief that the persons had been buried alive. During the hearing some interesting information was brought out as illustrating the dangers which arise in the case of infectious diseases. Dr. Chas. Taylor, a colonial official, mentioned an incident which he described as almost incredible, but which he declared he quite believed himself. A friend of his in Gloucester told him that he had an epidemic of cholera and his wife who were formerly the guardians of the old Cholera Hospital at Gloucester, which was composed of a number of sheds in a field. The women informed his friend that as soon as one of the patients were dead they put them into their coffins as quickly as possible, that they had a number of sheds ready to place them in, and as they put them in and secured them down, and sometimes we heard them kicking after they were there, but we knew they had to die, and so we never troubled." That was in the epidemic of 1849, when there were 12 fatal cases. The witness, from his own experience, cited a case where a child supposed to have died of smallpox in hospital was removed to the mortuary. Next day an attendant heard it crying, and it was carried back to the ward and recovered.

SATURDAY SERMONETTE

MY BOOK, MY BOOK, I SHALL NEVER FINISH MY BOOK.

If any "well read" man should chance to glance at the above quotation his curiosity will lead him to read on to find out what a writer of sermons may chance to know about one of the great thinkers of the century.

James Anthony Froude says: "Most of us when we have hit on something which we are pleased to think important and original feel as if we should burst with it." "We come out into the book market with our wares in hand, and ask for thanks and reviews buried alive."

Not so the man of whom Mr. Froude writes (and speaks) at the "Royal Institution in 1844 (Mr. Buckle). "He was a man so conscious of his strength that he knew whenever he pleased he could command personal distinction, but he cared more for his subject than himself."

Buckle at an early age conceived the thought that made him famous, but he took the measure of his abilities and produced a work which, in its reticence, unknown and unheard of for twenty years, and then at middle life he produced a work which was translated at once into French and German, and of all places in the furthest of the continent of the Imperial Academy of St. Petersburg.

He had scarcely won for himself the place which he deserved when his health gave way, he had but time to show us how large a man he was; just to sketch the outlines of his philosophy—and he passed away as suddenly as he appeared. He died of a fever at Damascus, vexed only that he was compelled to leave it uncompleted. Almost his last conscious words were, "My book, my book, I shall never finish my book."

We, too, will make the same lament. We will not finish our books. We have written some chapters, but the written blank pages are calling out to us.

"Life's book is not what we intended to make it. How many have made of themselves what they hoped to make?"

"Edwin Drood" was not by any means Dickens' best or strongest book, but I think none of them appeals to us like his unfinished work. We are reminded of our own unfinished work.

Some of us got discouraged and laid down the pen. We could have done better work and finished the book, had we kept on. How promising the first chapters were! What hopes we had of this brilliant boy, but he laid down the pen and did no more useful work. His book is unfinished.

Many like Buckle, Dickens and Cecil Rhodes worked through the day and the twilight and when the night came when no man could work, and they could not finish their book.

It seems hardly fair that Carleton County should have to bear the expense of another murder trial. Had this recent crime been committed by a citizen of the county there would be no particular reason why that county should not stand the cost, but in the present case the parties involved are foreigners who have never contributed anything towards the maintenance of county institutions and who are in that section of the country only for a short time. Already a considerable amount of money has been expended in the administration of justice among those strangers employed on railway construction. This is not the first murder that has been committed in that county since work was begun; it may not be the last, and it is hard that Carleton County should be compelled to put up the funds. That county has groined but little by the presence of the hundreds of foreign laborers; the construction of the railway does not seem so much to the people as might appear. Outsiders are employed in the unskilled labor, experts from other provinces are brought for the better paid positions, most of the material is imported and the bulk of supplies consumed by the construction gangs are bought by contract from Upper Can-

QUEER FANCIES OF BAVARIA'S MAD KING

Facts Developed by Report on Incarceration of Ludwig

Once Seized With a Fancy of Giving Costly Entertainments to the Stable Boys.

In order to justify the incarceration of King Ludwig II. of Bavaria as a madman, a remarkable report made by the Bavarian cabinet to the secret session of the Diet, has recently been made public in the columns of the Neue Freie Volkszeitung of Munich. This report gives new details of the unfortunate monarch's eccentricities. From earliest childhood the king evinced signs of insanity, as did his brother, the King and Emperor, King Otto Ludwig began to assume control in 1848 through his disinclination to receive foreign titles or diplomas. His majesty was so obsessed by his literary studies that he would interrupt audiences with ministers with quotations from Schiller.

Later he developed a dislike for meeting people, declined to attend church and built himself a private luxurious chapel. The presence of the public also in the theatre, disturbed him, and he demanded operas and plays to be performed to him alone.

Between 1876 and 1881 the king insisted on living in seclusion in his country houses for months at a time, and when he returned to the Munich castle regarded it as a prison.

At court banquets the king believed he was on his way to the scaffold and insisted upon being hidden behind the banks of flowers. The music had to be of a phoney character, and when it was not loud enough the king would strike the floor violently with his sword. He was, by the way, a great patron of Richard Wagner.

SERVAANTS HIS FAVORITE ENTERTAINMENT.

APPEALS FOR AID AND CASH WORRY \$100,000 COP

Lovers Asking Assistance Come From Every State in the Union—Some are Humorous, Many Pathetic.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 14.—Although Mulholland, a member of the motor cycle squad and known in the police department as the "Bicycle Cop," has not yet realized his ambition to become a member of the city detective force, many persons in this city and other parts of the country are writing for him for aid out of financial difficulties and other troubles.

Mulholland is worth about \$100,000 and has a fixed income of more than \$300 monthly. Despite the easy life he leads in this city, he has become a member of the police force at \$25 a day, that he might study police work and realize his ambition to become a great detective.

News of Mulholland's wealth became known shortly after he became connected with the police force and, judging from the number of letters, telegrams and telephone calls he has received all asking for help, the news has escaped few persons, even those living in far western states, who have granted the appeals. It would take his income and his police salary.

Some of the communications are very pathetic. One came from a woman who lives in the upper end of this state, whose husband, her sole support, has mysteriously disappeared. She desired Mulholland to find her daughter and would be much obliged for any financial help he could give" the mother who was searching for the daughter.

Another letter requested the services of Mulholland as a sleuth in a case of a will which is being contested. Other appeals for various favors and services come from residents of Montana, California, Missouri and other western states. Most of the letters received have been from persons who either are "broke" or are anxious to find missing relatives and have a little financial help in the meantime.

At first Mulholland did not mind the letters and telegrams he received, but they have become so numerous that they are now annoying him.

THE MORNING AFTER

Wife: "Do you realize, air, that you were disgracefully drunk when you came home last night?"
Hub: "Sorry, my love! But I never could get drunk gracefully."

DOCENTRICHES AND JEALOUSIES

Another peculiarity of the king was his devotion to inanimate objects. He never passed a particular tree on the shores of the Starnberg lake without raising his hands in the gesture of benediction. In the Schloss Lindenhof stood a marble pillar, which the monarch always touched when he passed it, and which he embraced affectionately whenever he left the place on a prolonged absence. Moreover, he insisted on others participating in this cult, and Hesselewisch was compelled to kneel down before a picture which it is believed was the portrait of Marie Antoinette. This Queen and Louis XVI. were King Ludwig's favorites in his hand of robbers to kidnap him and imprison him in a cave, where he was to be fed on bread and water.

In 1884 the same official was instructed to have the war minister, Mellinger, slung into the castle dungeon, and to devise some specially terrifying punishment for the finance minister, who had incurred the sovereign's wrath by his representations as to the royal debts.

ACTRESS WEDS A MAHARAJAH

Prince Fell in Love During Her Tour in India

Married With Hindu Rites—Dressed in Eastern Costume—Responded in Native Language.

LONDON, Aug. 13.—Miss Elsie Forrester, a young actress of Sydney, New South Wales, has become the consort of Lucknow of the Maharajah of Tikart, the head of one of the most aristocratic Rajput families in Bengal. It was during a tour in India that the Maharajah fell in love with her.

The marriage was performed with all Hindu rites. The bride was dressed in Eastern costume including a pale blue sari, spangled with gold. During the ceremony questions were asked her and she responded in Urdu, the language of her husband's people. Thrice she took a little water in her hand and after each question put the water to her lips. Then she washed her hands and dipping her fingers into a bowl touched her eyes, her forehead, her ears, her waist, and then threw a little water over her body. Next she held a spoon filled with burning oil, stood over a pit and threw fire on the sandalwood thereon. The fire blazed up and she fed it with more oil.

Some readings of Hindu scripture followed, and then Sita Devi, as she was called on becoming a convert to the Hindu faith, became Maharajah's bride. The ceremony ended with a wedding banquet in Oriental style.

CHAMPIONSHIP MEET OF AMATEUR ATHLETIC UNION

Being Held at Seattle—Yesterday Was Junior's Day—New American Record for Throwing Javelin.

SEATTLE, Wash., Aug. 13.—Before an enthusiastic crowd the first day's events in the annual championship meet of the Amateur Athletic Union were held in the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Stadium this afternoon. Today's program was given over entirely to the juniors, the team entered under the colors of the Seattle Athletic Club carrying off the honors with ease.

A new American record was established in the javelin throw, E. Gish, of the Seattle Club, hurling the spear 144 feet. The previous American record was made by Pratt Adams at Philadelphia, on June 6, 1908, when he threw the javelin 133 feet 6 inches.

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TORONTO, Aug. 14.—After two months of quiet work securing evidence against thirty-one suspected keepers of hand books in the city, the local police yesterday afternoon made a raid upon the whole number simultaneously. The entire detective force was engaged, assisted by a number of plain clothes men. In nearly every case the raid was successful and a large number of alleged keepers with their books and other documentary evidence were taken away to the detective headquarters. The names of a large number of men found frequenting the resorts were taken and these will be proceeded against by summons to the police court on the charge of frequenting. Nine police, mostly cigar stores, were raided.

ONE PUNCH MISSED.

Maid (staring at the kitchen)—"Master's drunk and the missus is a-go'ing 'em."

"Butler"—"Can you see what's a-coming?"

Maid—"No, his speech is that thick it plugs up the keyhole."

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DEATHS

DONOVAN—in this city on the 12th inst., Margaret K., second daughter of the late James and Hannah Donovan, aged 21 years, leaving five brothers and sisters to mourn their loss.

Funeral from the residence of her father, Mrs. Robert Orr, No. 59 St. Patrick street, Saturday at 2.30. Friends invited to attend.

MARON—at Canterbury Station, Aug. 11th inst., Willard Porter, aged 10 years, the only remaining child of Mr. and Mrs. Shannon Marson. Interred in same grave in Canterbury Station cemetery by the Rev. J. E. Fawcett Wednesday morning, Aug. 11, 1909.

WILLIAMS—in this city on Friday, August 13th, Charles H. Williams, aged 70 years. Funeral from St. Andrew's Church, Paradise Row, Monday afternoon, 1.30. Friends invited to attend.

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VEILED WOMAN'S VENGEANCE

Shots and a Basket of Vipers for Former Minister and Friends

—One Time Actress—Her Extraordinary Persecution of an Entire French Family.

(Lloyd News.) A new chapter has been added to the Merlou tragedy, which began some eighteen months ago with a shooting affair in the Paris boulevards, when M. Merlou, a former Minister of Finance, and at that time French Minister in Lima, was fired upon by a woman.

There was a trial, and the woman was acquitted. M. Merlou, however, in spite of the high official positions he has held, was not left in peace. He continued to receive threatening offers, to which he paid no attention. The woman who had given him so much trouble, a lady resident who, she believed, had replaced her in the affections of her former friend.

She decided (says the "Telegraph") to revenge herself on this head, and prepared the way by taking a room in an hotel near by. The lady went out for a walk in the evening with another lady friend, and as the two were passing in a deserted part of an avenue, she was fired upon by a woman who fired the shots from behind her.

The younger lady was only slightly injured under the arm and in the side, but her friend had fallen down and was seriously hurt. She had to be carried to the villa, and medical attendance was immediately called. It was found that two bullets had struck vital parts of the abdomen, and it is doubtful if she can survive. She has been lying in a state of unconsciousness ever since, and it has not been thought advisable to extract the bullets. The woman who fired the shots had reached her hotel, and was quietly packing up her boxes when a gendarme came to arrest her. She admitted that she had fired on the two ladies to have revenge on Merlou, and would say nothing more until she had been allowed to see a lawyer. She has since been confined in a hospital, where a judicial inquiry has been opened.

AN ACTRESS AT THE ODEON. The name of the woman, which is now published far and wide, is Jeanne Marguerite Dallery. She has been known as Mme. Adley. Her alleged grievance is that M. Merlou had fired her career as an actress, and she, in revenge, will spoil his career as a politician. It is, of course, for the courts only to decide which side is right or wrong.

M. Merlou, it seems, first met Mme. Dallery when she was appearing on the stage at the Odeon under the name of Adley. She was a good singer for some time, and there is no proof that there was anything more between them than that which is common to a rupture suddenly took place some five or six years ago, and according to M. Merlou's statements, he has been persecuted ever since by letters and threats.

One day she stepped out of a train at the Gare Saint Lazaire a woman fired at him, but missed him, and he recognized, it is alleged, that it was

real high mass was celebrated in the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, and Archbishop Glennon of St. Louis delivered an eloquent sermon with language rich and rare, of the purest and most beautifully worded.

In the evening there was an elaborate banquet at which the high church dignitaries graced the banquet board with their presence.

The following national officers were elected: H. M. Carmody, Grand Rapids, Mich., deputy supreme knight; Daniel J. Callahan, Washington, D. C., national treasurer.

W. J. McGinley, New York, national secretary; Boston, re-elected national advocate; Dr. E. W. Buckley, Minneapolis, re-elected national physician.

T. J. McLaughlin, Newark, N. J., national guardian. A board of directors was also elected. Edward L. Hearn, the retiring supreme knight, was presented with a purse of eight thousand dollars in gold. One of the most important matters at the convention was the institution of a \$20,000 fund for endowing scholarships in the Catholic University of America at Washington.

Quebec City was agreed upon at the next convention in which to hold the annual national convention. The Canadian Knights deem this a great honor, as it will be the first time a national convention was ever held in Canada.

CHOOSE QUEBEC AS THEIR NEXT MEETING PLACE

State Deputy W. J. Mahoney of the Knights of Columbus arrived in the city last evening, after a three weeks' trip to Mobile, Alabama, where he attended the twenty-seventh annual international council session of the Knights of Columbus.

Mr. Mahoney was in attendance from the Maritime Provinces. About ten thousand persons attended the convention, coming from all parts of Canada and the United States, Mexico, West India and other parts of North and South America.

Speaking to a Sun representative last evening, Mr. Mahoney stated that he was received in an extremely hearty and cordial manner, and he enjoyed himself thoroughly while in the city of Mobile. The Gulf city each day was thronged with people, and each evening there were brilliant illuminations and celebrations of all sorts.

There was so much interest manifested concerning the artistic designs of the horticultural landscape in some plots blooming in their beauty here and there, bordered and adorned with poppies in whose petals glowed electric glories, and since it seemed impossible without rudeness to prevent curious little eyes from approaching nearer, that the barriers were, so to speak, broken down and over these places were given up to be invaded. The picturesque of the Gulf city, beautified by the convention, as described by Mr. Mahoney is most wonderful.

The convention was in session Aug. 2nd, 4th and 5th, during which time much important business was transacted. On the opening day ponti-

PILES

Dr. Chase's Ointment is a certain and pleasant remedy for piles, hemorrhoids, itching, bleeding, and all other troubles of the rectum. It is sold by all druggists.

DR. CHASE'S OINTMENT.

THREE AIRSHIPS FOR ENGLAND

War Minister on Progress in Aerial Navigation—Will Not Be Behind.

LONDON, Aug. 13.—An interesting statement as to what the authorities are doing in the matter of aerial navigation was made in the House of Commons on Monday by Mr. Haldane.

Speaking on a vote of £28,464 for grants in aid of scientific investigations in aid of naval and military purposes, Mr. Haldane said he was not at all surprised to find that the progress had been made in any part of the world.

At the same time he did not believe that so far any actual progress had been made in any part of the world. It was not enough to make machines that would fly; they must be machines that could be made available for the purposes of war.

The progress was so great that the Admiralty was now in a position to begin their experiments. Although naturally a little disappointed at the accident to Baddeck No. 1, Mr. Haldane and Mr. Curry are by no means undaunted.

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GERMANS HIT HARD BY NEW TAXES

Prices Will Go Up When They Come in Force

Must Pay More for Beer—Many Laying in Large Stocks to Postpone Higher Cost of Living.

LONDON, Aug. 13.—The British Chancellor of the Exchequer spoke today in the House of Commons on the new taxes in the House of Commons that they would be in force in the autumn.

The Chancellor said that the new taxes were a necessary part of the financial reform already in progress. He said that the new taxes would be in force in the autumn.

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BEATEN TO DEATH

Victims of Turkish Barbarity Appeal to Consulates—Greek Sufferers.

LONDON, Aug. 13.—A moving tale of cruelty in the Turkish dominions is furnished by Reuters' correspondent at Salonika.

Instances of terrible ill-treatment of the population by soldiers, gendarmes, and police have lately become frequent and persistent. In most cases the sufferers have been Greeks, the Greek element being that which has been the most recently furnished the pretext for maltreating the rural population.

Villages are beaten, tortured to compel them to confess to the existence of arms in their own neighborhood.

In many cases the arms thus discovered are simply the weapons furnished long ago to the villagers by the local boys in order to enable them to rid the country of brigands. If arms are discovered, the assumed owners of them are cruelly beaten, whilst those in whose possession no arms can be found are beaten still more cruelly.

Some days ago four peasants, out of a much larger number who had been savagely beaten by soldiers at Aghakio, near Nissa, had the good fortune to come to Salonika, and to make the round of the foreign consulates, displaying unmistakable evidence of the treatment they had received. A similar spectacle was witnessed at Salonika two days afterwards when a peasant belonging to the village of Katochitlar, which is situated in the immediate neighborhood of Salonika, was carried (being unable to walk) round the different consulates to display the marks of cruel ill-treatment at the hands of the "reformed" gendarmes. The man's courage was wonderful, for he had received an impressive warning to say nothing of what he had suffered.

There is no lack of incidents like the above, the beating of non-Muslim prisoners in many cases even to death is still an every day feature of Turkish Administration. The following incident, with which this letter is still carried on with a degree of publicity, effrontery, and shamelessness, rarely if ever paralleled under the much-abused "Old Regime."

About the hour of noon on July 31 a curious procession passed along the highly respectable street in the suburb of Salonika in which the British Consulate-General is situated. At the head of the procession came a prisoner, secured by a heavy iron chain passing twice diagonally round his body. Behind came six or eight "reformed" gendarmes, the officer in command of whom was belaboring the prisoner with a heavy whip. The victim, who was too well secured to be capable either of resistance or of any attempt at escape, winced and reeled under the blows; his cries were distressing to hear.

The rear of the procession was brought up by a dozen soldiers in martial array. While the prisoner was being beaten and hustled a young man in the gathering crowd attempted to expostulate with one of the officers, who immediately struck him about the head and face, whilst another officer rushed towards him with a drawn sword, the would-be mediator took to his heels, and the procession went on its way.

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Advertisement for Gendron Baby Carriage, featuring an illustration of the carriage and text describing its benefits for babies.

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Here is the List of Contestants In The Sun and Star's Great Prize Voting Contest

The Four Grand Prizes

- First Grand Prize \$1,500 RUSSELL TOURING CAR... Second Grand Prize \$750 BERNARD-HEINTZ... Third Grand Prize \$400 HEINTZMAN UPRIGHT PIANO... Fourth Grand Prize \$350 CHESTNUT MOTOR CANOE

CANDIDATES WILL PLEASE NOTE: That on next Tuesday morning, Aug. 17, we will cut from the list the names of all contestants not having 2,000 votes to their credit.

CANDIDATES OUT OF THE CITY will remember that they can mail in their subscriptions Saturday night and they will receive the big ratio of votes, but all subscriptions must bear the post mark of August 14.

District Prizes

- Prizes for Ladies and Girls: 3 European Trips, 3 Trips to Boston and New York, 3 Diamond Rings, 3 Scholarships, 3 Ladies' Desks. Prizes for Men and Boys: 3 Trips to Boston and New York, 3 Scholarships, 3 Bicycles, 3 Gold Watches, 3 Morris Chairs.

DISTRICT NO. 1 All that portion of St. John lying South of Union Street

Table listing names and addresses of contestants in District No. 1, including Ladies and Girls.

MEN AND BOYS

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DISTRICT NO. 2 All that portion of St. John City north of Union Street, including West Side and North End.

Table listing names and addresses of contestants in District No. 2, including Ladies and Girls.

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Table listing names and addresses of contestants in District No. 3, including Ladies and Girls.

DISTRICT NO. 4 All that territory in the Province of New Brunswick outside of St. John.

Table listing names and addresses of contestants in District No. 4, including Ladies and Girls.

Table listing names and addresses of male contestants in District No. 4.

Table listing names and addresses of contestants in District No. 5, including Ladies and Girls.

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Table listing names and addresses of male contestants in District No. 5.

A ballot box has been placed in the Sun Office where ballots may be deposited. Votes received before 5 o'clock p. m. will appear to the credit of candidates in the next issue of the Sun and Star.

NOTHING BUT THE BEST

The Diamond Rings and Gold Watches offered as District Prizes in the Contest, now on exhibition in the window of Ferguson & Page Jewellers, 41 King Street. The Writing Desks, for ladies and Morris Chairs for men, offered as District Prizes in the Contest, can be seen in the window of Manchester Robertson Allison, Market Square. The Bicycles, offered as District Prizes for Men and Boys, can be seen in the Window of W. H. Thorne & Co., Ltd, Market Square.

ST. JOHN, N. B.



LITTLE NEMO IN SLUMBERLAND



7 EARLY ANCESTORS OF OUR RACE. CAPTURED IN THE WILDS OF UNCLESAMSLAND



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THE STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B. SATURDAY, AUGUST 14, 1909.

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DYKEMAN'S TWO HUGE LOTS OF SHIRTWAISTS

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NO. 1 LOT is a TAILOR MADE WAIST of the very newest styles with separate collar and cuffs, pleated fronts and back and made from a very fine English lawn.

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Men, Don't Overlook This :

While we are opening a very stylish stock of Men's Clothing, Ready-to-Wear, sale prices prevail on many lines.

Waterproof Coats, nearly all half-price, \$5.00 to \$7.50

Raincoats, 20th Century Brand, [at one-third off regular prices, now \$10 and up.

Trousers and Washable Coats at 20 p. c. discount.

Toppers, or Short Overcoats, half-price, \$5.00, \$6.75, \$7.50.

Suits, colored, and several lines of blacks, reduced 20 p. c. and more. Business Suits in sizes 35, 36 and 37, as low as \$7.50.

The new stock will require all the space at our command, hence we continue these large price inducements a few days longer.

Gilmour's, 68 King St.

The Stage Shakespeare and Temple Shakespeare

Limp Leather, 50 cents per Volume. Complete Assortment Just Opened

E. G. NELSON & CO., Cor. King and Charlotte Sts

Preserving KETTLES

40c. 45c. 55c. \$1.00 ea. FRUIT JARS—Self-sealing fruit jars in Pints, Quarts and Half Gallons.

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We Handle Watches, Nothing But The Best

at such figures that it would not pay anyone to get without a watch. A few of the following prices will give you an idea of how little you have to spend to possess a good time-keeper.

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BLUEBERRIES, first of the season RASPBERRIES and STRAWBERRIES

THE PEOPLE'S DAIRY 180 Union St. Phone 2149.

PATTERSON'S DAYLIGHT STORE

Both of Us Will Lose

- If you MISS THESE BARGAINS on SALE TONIGHT. 15c Quality Black Celluloid Dressing Combs 10c each. 45c Quality Hair Brushes Real Bristle, Ebony Back, 25c each. 50c Quality Men's Silk Ties, 25c each. 25c Quality Embroidered Wash Belts, Pearl Buckles 15c each. 35c Quality Wash Tubs For Children, 25c ea. 20c Quality White Curtain Muslin, 12c yard.

Corner Duke & Charlotte Sts Store Open Evenings

LOCAL NEWS

Correct footwear for men, women and children at practically your own price. Come to Paterson's store, the corner of Main and Bridge.

Florence Davidson, arrested on a theft charge, was before the court yesterday afternoon and further remanded to give the magistrate an opportunity of looking up her police record.

Rev. J. B. Ganong, secretary to the N. B. and P. E. S. S. Association, has been in the city arranging for the provincial convention which meets at Chatham, Oct. 20th to 22nd. W. C. Pure and Hugh Cook, both of Chatham are to attend. Special music will be prepared by the Chatham choir and a large delegation is expected.

Rev. B. H. Nobles, who has returned from a vacation will occupy his own pulpit, Victoria St. Baptist church, at both services tomorrow. At the morning service Mr. Nobles text will be: "Strength in Weakness," and in the evening his discourse will be on "Divinity of Common Life."

The Templars from Quebec and Ontario who have been attending the Masonic Grand Lodge at Truro this week are expected to reach this city by this evening's early boat. While in the city they will make the Royal Hotel their headquarters. The Templars leave for home tonight.

John T. Kelly, officer of the inland revenue, St. John, accompanied by James S. Harquail, of the Dalhousie customs house, seized an illicit still yesterday on one of the back settlements of Restigouche county. Some liquor was found also. By all appearances the still has been in use for some time. The guilty party was brought before Justice Bassett and Giroux of Goubaux and pleaded guilty. He was fined \$100. The still was shipped to St. John.

Zion Methodist Church. Rev. James Crisp, pastor. Men's class meeting at 10 a. m. Preaching service at 11. Subject: "What I saw and heard at Berwick Camp meeting." Sunday school at 2.30. Evening services at 7. Subject: Second sermon of a series of sermons on the Book of Daniel. Class meeting on Thursday at 8. Prayer meeting on Friday at 8. Strangers cordially invited.

Rev. Joseph McDermott of Sussex, is working vigorously in the interests of the people of his congregation which will take place on the military grounds at that place on Tuesday. Arrangements have been completed with the Intermunicipal Railway for the excursion rates will prevail. The City Cornet band will furnish the music at the outing. Large numbers from this city are planning to attend.

Travel on the River is Light This Year

Various Reasons Assigned for Falling Off—Agreement Between Rival Companies Has Worked Out Satisfactorily.

Prominent river steamer owners in discussing the tourist traffic with the Star last evening declared the travel in the river has surpassed that of previous years, but the through travel shows a tendency to fall behind.

How is the interchange of tickets on the river steamers working out? asked the reporter of J. W. Smith, President of the Star Line steamers. In response that gentleman stated that the scheme had proven a decided advantage to the travelling public. No trouble was experienced in waiting for a steamer and no old trouble among rival river companies had been amicably settled.

The uniform tariff rates, which were decided upon early in the season, have worked out most satisfactorily also, but the amount of freight carried by the steamers has been somewhat smaller than heretofore.

TODAY'S BALL GAME

The Marathons and St. Peter's will battle on the Victoria Grounds this afternoon at 3 o'clock in the third game of the championship series. Both aggregations display a determination to play high class base-ball and a fast match should result. Interest is keen over the game and a large attendance is assured.

The Marathon team will present the same line-up as in previous matches. Nesbit and Rootes will be the battery for the Greeks. Callaghan has been allowed to perform on the slab for the North End team. He is a former St. Peter's man, but during the present season has appeared in a purple and white uniform.

- The complete line-ups of the teams are as follows: St. Peter's. Catcher, Bradbury; Pitcher, McGowan; First Base, Ramsey; Second Base, Titus; Third Base, Copeland; Left Field, D. Malcolm; Right Field, J. Malcolm; C. J. Dever; Clawson. Marathons. Catcher, Rootes; Pitcher, Nesbit; First Base, Callaghan; Second Base, McGowan; Third Base, Ramsey; Left Field, Titus; Right Field, Copeland; C. J. Dever; J. Malcolm; Clawson.

THE WAY ST. JOHN HAS BEEN GROWING

The Impressions of a Former Resident.

Balked by Its Environment, Expansion Has Been Limited, But Improvement Within Existing Limits Has Been Marked.

How the evidences of the growth of St. John as a city of homes struck a former resident who has been absent from the city for a rather long period, was the subject of an interesting conversation with a Star representative last evening.

In reply to a question on this subject the visitor's unfortunate lack of room for the development of new residential districts had a somewhat peculiar effect on the growth of the city. While the population has not shown signs of rapid growth during the last couple of decades there is always a demand for new homes to replace the old ones. In most cities of the size of St. John this demand is being filled to a very large extent by detached cottages of modern style situated on the outskirts of the city or in the suburbs. Such districts usually form some of the pleasantest parts of the city in which to live as it is possible for each house to have more room around it than would be possible in the heart of the city where land is more valuable.

There are few cities which cannot spread out in some direction and form such pleasant suburbs, but St. John is one of the few. With the city proper situated on a peninsula the water prevents any development on three sides of it. To the north the hilly and rocky formation rather cuts off the chances of convenient growth. To the east the Marsh Road ground is too swampy for a residential district. On the west and northwest the city is limited by the river. On the outskirts of West St. John a certain amount of building is going on but the distance to this district combined with the discomfort of depending on the ferry for communication with the city, has prevented its rapid growth.

The only other outlet in this direction is across the Suspension Bridge which leads to Fairville and there are the same objections with regard to distance and the necessity of walking across a bridge on all kinds of weather as well.

About the only attractive site of any size for new homes within the city is found on Douglas Avenue and this appears to have been rapidly built up since the street cars were extended in that direction, in spite of the fact that on account of its being about the only place of its kind the building lots are almost as expensive as those in the middle of the city.

The result of these conditions has been that the greatest growth in the city recent years appears to have been in the way of improvement of the existing home districts, rather than in the construction of new ones. There are quite a number of vacant lots throughout the city, most of them having lain unimproved since the fire of 1877, and during the last few years many of these have been occupied by new buildings. Even more conspicuous than these building operations, however, is the work that is constantly being done in the way of remodeling old houses. In many cases houses which were originally built for one family have an ell added or a gable roof built up square and divided into flats for two or three families.

One notable feature of this tendency is that no district of the city can be said to be going to decay to any great extent. In other cities as dwellings of a certain class grow old and old fashions pass away, there is no place for the population to move away to around St. John it has been necessary to put up with the present situation and as people of all classes demand better residences all of the city reflects the demand in the improvement of old buildings. That the average citizen demands better accommodation than he had twenty years ago is undoubtedly true and so whole streets are being improved to meet the demand for more modern dwellings.

Another factor which contributes to this phase of the city's growth is heavy burden of taxes which rests on real estate. With the tax rate at its present figure with the prospects of an increase always in view, new houses are not regarded as a particularly good investment and it is easier to remodel old houses to fit the needs of the population than to build new ones.

St. John shows marked evidences of growth and improvement, but it has not spread out to any very great extent.

ST. JOHN GIRL ENTERS RELIGIOUS ORDER

An interesting event will take place in St. Louis, Mo., tomorrow, when Sister Francis will make her vows, as a member of the Sisters of St. Vincent de Paul. Sister Francis was Miss Teresa McKinney, of this city. She has been stationed at St. Phillipine's Industrial School at St. Louis, and is superintendent of the dressmaking department there. Sister Francis was educated in the Sisters' school here and finished at St. Vincent's school. She has a great many friends throughout the city.

PERSONAL

Dr. William McCarthy, of Boston, reached the city on the Calvin Austin yesterday morning. It is said that he may locate in this city.

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