



### JUDGE SCIZES JUNK DEALERS

#### H. J. Garson Appears to Defend himself in County Court—Hears Some Plain Talk—Rabbi Heard From.

The County Court resumed at 11 o'clock yesterday morning, Hon. J. G. Forbes presiding. His Honor was hearing an argument, Mr. H. J. Garson, coal, wood and junk merchant, entered the court room and addressed His Honor on what the latter had said on Wednesday in admonishing Selig during the trial of the west side copper thieves.

His Honor—Well, Mr. Garson, I believe you've made the last night. What can I do for you?

Mr. Garson—Well, Your Honor, my name is very much advertised in the papers. How came it, yes?

Warning to Junk Dealers.

His Honor—A compatriot of yours, Selig, informed me that you purchased some of that stolen copper, the property of Mr. Elkin. I wish to convey to the Jewish junk dealers of this community that the sooner they wake up and find out where they are the better. You people go to every back door in the city and young children steal anything for the purpose of getting money to go to the Nickels. If such a state of affairs were to continue to exist, Mr. Garson, the youth of our city would soon develop into criminals. You people can aid us in suppressing this kind of business. I do not say you are directly responsible but you are certainly indirectly responsible in manufacturing young criminals.

Mr. Garson—Say, you say I am a thief. I will not say that.

The Court—You never heard of either Mr. Lantaul or Mr. McGoldrick getting into this sort of trouble. Further, Mr. Garson, if I have injured you, I hope you will take immediate steps to rectify them. I desire to reiterate what I said yesterday, that unless you Hebrew junk dealers assist us in ferreting out the numerous petty robbers, the stolen goods of which are sold to you, by making inquiries before you buy the goods, there will be a law enacted making it a crime of thinking a criminal act. Here you bought six hundred pounds of stolen copper, and—

In the Wholesale Business.

Mr. Garson (excitedly)—Wait, wait. It was only five hundred pounds. Any way, I am in the wholesale business and do not go around back doors.

The Court—Yes, but Mr. Garson, you have scounders around for you. Let me tell you something, Mr. Garson. Yesterday afternoon a prominent schooner captain shook me by the hand and thanked me for what I had said. He told me that there were not a few of the Hebrew junk scounders there would be less stealing of iron, etc., near the water front. In conclusion, Mr. Garson, let me say that I do not intend to retract one word spoken by me yesterday on this important matter. I am backed by the right thinking people of this community.

Mr. Garson—Stop, sir. I am afraid that you are an able dealer and a leader among your people. You can great assist us.

Mr. Garson—Say, I was ever drunk and arrested? Did I steal, not much?

As Mr. Garson left the court he observed that he would be heard from.

The Standard has received a letter from Rabbi Amudr in which he protests very strongly against the language used by Judge Forbes. In the first paragraph of the rabbi's letter, a story of a young preacher who denounced trusts, grafters and liquor dealers in his first sermon before a certain congregation and was told that in future he should speak against such classes for fear of giving offence, but must attack the Jews. "This story fits you," says the letter, "to the honorable gentleman in whom is invested the dispensation of justice and equity, the Hon. Judge Forbes of St. John."

After expressing surprise that a Judge should use such language as "you Jews, you people of hellish breed," the writer questions the sincerity of Judge Forbes in preaching to people to follow Jesus of Nazareth, "Where is justice?" he asks, "Where is common sense? God knows, I don't."

The letter also deals with the accusation of greed, and points out that of the great American millionaires, none are Jews. In England, numerous Jews filled positions of importance. Henry Ward Beecher had paid glowing tribute to the social virtues of the Jews.

In closing, the Rabbi appeals to the people of St. John for their judgment of the Jews, asking, "Do they fill your police court on Monday? Do they take up room in the jails, penitentiaries and homes?"

**MORE LIGHT SHED ON WHARF SCANDAL**

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was not sworn evidence, the chairman disallowed it.

Evening Session.

At the evening session of the committee some interesting information as to dredging contracts was corkscrewed out of Mr. Loggie. There were three cases.

First at Bathurst on 14 October, 1908, Mr. Pugsley wired to the chief engineer to get Mr. Loggie's dredge to work at Bathurst at prices to be certified fair and reasonable by Mr. Geoffrey Stead, resident engineer. It turned out that Mr. Loggie's dredge had been working as early as 8 October, six days before the earliest authorization. The dredge was paid 41 cents a cubic yard, though a very short time before Mr. Stead had reported that 35 cents would be a fair price. Moreover the material was all cast over. The auditor general held up the payment because of this latter irregularity and Mr. Stead thereupon wrote to the chief engineer explaining that great expense and difficulty had been incurred in moving the dredge from Dalhousie and Carleton to Bathurst. The documents showed that the dredge had been at Bathurst before the authorization had been received, in fact it had been taken to Bathurst to winter.

### FRUIT GROWERS ELECT OFFICERS

#### Mr. A. C. Moore of St. Stephen Succeeds to Presidency of Fruit Growers Association—Yesterday's Proceedings.

Fredericton, N. B., February 24.—The afternoon session of the Fruit Growers' Association opened with the election of officers for the coming year. They are as follows:—

President—A. C. Moore of St. Stephen.

Vice-president—W. A. Gilmour, Hampton.

Treasurer—H. Ackland, Oromocto.

Secretary—A. F. Turney, Fredericton.

Mr. Saxby Blair was then called upon to address the meeting on the subject of "the care of the orchard" which he did in a very comprehensive and lucid manner.

Mr. W. B. Pasco of Sackville was down on the programme for a paper on the "Cultivation of Strawberries," but in his absence Mr. H. H. Smith of Hillsville handled the subject in the course of which he said that it would probably be admitted that the strawberry was the most popular crop in New Brunswick. Some farmers were producing them by the ton at very remunerative prices. From \$400 to \$500 was easily made by raising this crop. He had been engaged in the business for some years and found it a money maker.

Mr. Smith here detailed in an interesting manner his methods of cultivating, and care of the crop. He strongly advised all his brother farmers to set aside a patch of ground for strawberries, which he assured them if properly looked after and tended would be found to return a handsome profit for the trouble and small outlay involved.

The Provincial Horticulturist, Mr. A. G. Turney, the newly appointed provincial horticulturist, to address them and in complying, Mr. Turney said that owing to the short time he had been in the province he would not be able to do more than outline the endeavor to make it a great fruit growing centre.

At the present time some \$25,000 was sent out of the province to Ontario for apples. This in the face of the natural advantages which the province possessed for fruit growing, was a condition of affairs that is humiliating. But he saw hopes that by reason of the enthusiasm which seemed to be evidenced by these present, a change in the present condition would soon take place.

It has now become well demonstrated that varieties of apples could profitably be grown in the province, and there was no reason why the cultivation of the varieties which had been considerably increased. Fruit of the New Brunswick had no reason to envy the fruit growing capacity of any other province. In this province they had the soil and the climate and all that was wanted was the man. As soon as the man could be found the result would follow that New Brunswick would be one of the great fruit growing localities of the Dominion, that her good qualities entitled her to.

During the afternoon discussion took place on the point suggested by the president's address as to the time and place of the next annual meeting. It was ultimately decided that the next meeting at St. John in November next, the reason given for the change in time and locality being that the month of February when the meeting was usually held, was too late in the season to secure a fair exhibit of these early varieties of apples which could be better obtained in November.

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### POLICE SUCCESSFUL IN QUIETING TRAM RIOTERS



SCENE INSIDE THE POLICE GUARD LINES AT ONE OF THE PRINCIPAL BARRS, SHOWING BATTERED CAR, COMPANY'S PRIVATE GUARDS AND NONSTRIKERS WAITING TO GO OUT WHEN MOB IS DISPERSED.

#### Fewer Arrests Made Yesterday in Philadelphia Than Any Day During Present Difficulty.

Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 24.—Surface cars were operated on the principal streets of the city tonight until midnight for the first time since the beginning of the present strike against the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company. Since the strike began last Saturday, all cars were withdrawn from service at dusk, but tonight, guarded by members of the state police, the cars continued to run even through the turbulent mid districts of Kensington and Frankford.

Although the transit company officials reported tonight that 84 cars had been stoned during the day, no disturbance was permitted to attain serious proportion. All outbreaks were quickly quelled by the police and not a riot was the result.

During the day, according to the company's figures, 744 cars were in operation and sixty-six of these continued to run until midnight. Increased service is promised by the company which announced that 400 new men, many of whom were formerly in the employ of the company, were hired today and will take out cars tomorrow.

Only one-third as many arrests were made yesterday, when 78 persons were taken into custody. Among those arrested was the son of a constable in the office of the committing magistrate. He is a young man, 20 years old, and confessed that he was a member of a band of youths who manufacture quantities of explosive caps and then draw lots to see who should place them on the tracks. He drew the fateful straw.

### FORESTRY CONVENTION PASSES INTO HISTORY

#### WARM GREETING TO A STRIKE RECRUIT.

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Chairman Edwards, in reply, said that the debt of gratitude was all the other way. The foresters now knew that Canadians were desirous of a fairly long and active life time he had attended many a meeting; but he had never before attended one as successful. He had come at great inconvenience, but he felt well repaid. It was with great pleasure that he had extended his acquaintance among the people of New Brunswick.

In referring to the presence of the delegates from the United States, the chairman remarked that he was convinced that they would return home feeling that Canadians were desirous of maintaining the most friendly relations with their neighbors. The progress of the great Republic meant prosperity for Canada. What 40 per cent of the population of the United States would merely sharpen their mutual respect.

A matter of importance was that the Americans were exhausting their natural resources. Their iron, he understood, would be used up in this century, and their coal in the next century. Moreover he understood that owing to the denudation of the forests the rivers of the United States were drying up; at any rate in the great masses they were useless for power purposes.

But Canada intended to preserve its forests, and develop its wonderful water powers. As we have 40 per cent of the world's water power, Canada's position in the future promises to outgrow the most sanguine expectations. Inside of twenty years Canada will be the manufacturing centre of the North American continent.

A vote of thanks was extended to, and three cheers given for the delegates from the United States, Mr. Williams, and Mr. W. R. Brown replied briefly. The press and the public generally also received a benediction from the delegates.

Then with three cheers for the King the foresters went home, singing The Maple Leaf Forever.

Mr. Snowball interviewed.

Interviewed after the close of the convention Mr. Snowball said the purpose in raising the pulpwood question was not to put the Foresters' Association on record, but merely to show that there was already a strong sentiment in favor of the prohibition of the export of pulpwood.

### INVESTIGATION IS ADJOURNED

#### Lumsden Inquiry Off for Week at Least—Stormy Meeting of Committee at Ottawa Yesterday.

Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 24.—There was a stormy meeting of the committee investigating the Lumsden charges this afternoon, but finally the opposition minority again secured a victory over the majority and the inquiry was adjourned to state the minority's views on the matter of counsel.

It was decided after considerable argument, more or less of a heated character, that Mr. Macdonald for the majority would confer tonight, and that Mr. Barker would submit the names of half a dozen leading lawyers who would be acceptable to the minority, and if the choice could be fixed unanimously on one then the committee would accept.

Further hearings of evidence was postponed for a week as counsel so appointed would have to become familiar with the case, and the engineers, mentioned by Mr. Lumsden as being some of those in whom he had lost confidence, that Mr. Macdonald was proceeding in order that they might appear and be heard if they so desired.

At the opening of the proceedings the chairman Mr. Geoffron asked Mr. Lennox to state the minority's views on the matter of counsel.

Evident Partisanship.

Mr. Lennox stated that while they were there for the purpose of acting as judges the fact could not be concealed that the question of partisanship entered into the proceedings. It was to the interest of the government and the commission that the majority should find in favor of clean hands on their part, and to find that Mr. Lumsden's charges were false.

Mr. Macdonald—You have no right to assume that. The government is not on trial.

Mr. Lennox—You are not in the government.

Mr. Lennox was proceeding to outline his views when Mr. Wilson of Laval broke in with the remark that the committee had need for one object, and that was to decide the question of counsel. "Let us drop long speeches and get down to business," he added.

Mr. Geoffron — Mr. Lennox is a member of this committee and has a right to present his views.

Mr. Lennox continued that it was impossible for the members to forget their political affiliations and he entirely dissented from the proposition that the counsel to represent the people should be selected by the government majority. It must be understood that in this case the majority did not represent the people, and the minority should in all fairness be permitted to select the required counsel. The people must be permitted to have an opportunity of placing confidence in the committee.

Mr. E. M. Macdonald strongly objected to Mr. Lennox's remarks concerning partisanship which were evidently made for the benefit, he said, of the Tory press. Was Mr. Lennox's conception of his duties as a member of the committee so low, asked Mr. Macdonald, as to charge the majority with being partisans?

Mr. Lennox—There is no lawlessness on my part.

Mr. Lennox—What do you mean? You are insulting the committee.

Mr. Macdonald—I refuse to let the statement go abroad that this government is on trial.

Mr. Lennox—I say it is.

Mr. Clarke—There is absolutely no partisanship as far as the majority is concerned. The only partisanship has been displayed by Mr. Lennox, and that is really no minority or majority on this committee.

### ENGLAND NEUTRAL IN TIBETAN CRISIS

London, Feb. 24.—No information had reached the British Government today as to how the Tibetan crisis was precipitated but strict orders have been sent to the British agents at Gyantse and to the agents at the other British posts in Tibet to observe strict neutrality.

It is understood that similar instructions have been forwarded to British officials in India.

The advance guard of the Chinese mounted infantry entered Lhasa on Feb. 17 and the Dalai Lama fled that night. He expected to reach Darjeeling next Sunday. According to advices received by the Foreign Office the Buddhist monks were accompanied by three ministers and a hundred other men.

French cruiser Victor Hugo, with marines will leave at once for Gandeloupe to restore order among the sugar cane strikers, where three foreigners were killed and two soldiers wounded.

### ASEPTO SOAP

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# Food Shortage? No, But Food Corner And Lordly Profits



GOOD EVENING! HAVE YOU BARKED TODAY?

## Angus Gordon, Clinching His Exposure of Food Trust Ringsters in Chicago, Tells of the Vast Quantities of Foodstuffs He Found in Four Cold Storage Plants--Vast Caverns Filled With Products of the Farm and Barnyard--Artificial Shortage to Force Famine Prices.

By Angus Gordon.

Chicago, Feb. 24.—One hundred and twenty-five million eggs, 8,250,000 pounds of butter, 4,250,000 pounds of poultry, 85,000 barrels of apples—reader, if you should see this vast store of farm products piled up in four cold storage plants, would you believe the food trust's story that a country-wide shortage of those products was the cause of the soaring prices for food?

"You would not!"

And if I wanted to, I could not believe it as I looked upon this wealth of good things. And when I remember the millions and millions of pounds of meats and other foods that bulge the walls of scores and scores of other warehouses in this city of Chicago, I will not believe the Mother Goose shortage yarn, though the criminal ringsters repeat it a thousand times a thousand times. Not for a minute!

But well you talk about those four plants—eggs, butter, poultry, apples. I'll tell you what I saw at the cold storage warehouses of Swift and Co., Armour and Co., the Booth Fisheries Co., where there is today enough food to give five dozen eggs, four pounds of butter, two pounds of chicken or turkey and a quart of apples to every one of the two million people in Chicago.

One Baylis, a foreman, guided me through the Illinois cold storage plant owned by Swift and Co. One huge room 24 feet long and 47 feet wide was piled to the ceiling with 3000 60-

pound butter tubs—480,000 pounds of butter. All of the Swift butter rooms held 2,500,000 pounds. Their egg and poultry rooms I found to have the same dimensions. Some 18,000,000 eggs were in the building, and 1,500,000 pounds of poultry.

Armour's egg rooms were the same vast caverns packed tight with cases—90,000,000 eggs in this and other Armour Chicago warehouses. Supt. Tom Vaughan told me, and 1,500,000 pounds of butter in the Booth Fisheries plant and in one of these rooms I gazed in awe at 8000 tubs of butter of 60 pounds each—480,000 pounds of butter and most of it had been right in that room for two years. Waiting for prices to go away down, do you think? Or away up to famine heights?

In this same Armour warehouse I saw the wonderful sight of 1,250,000 pounds of poultry, all ready for the market when the price gets high enough—not lower.

Chief Engineer Whelan took me through the Booth Fisheries plant and showed me rooms containing a total of 18,000,000 eggs, 2,500,000 pounds of butter, 1,500,000 pounds of chickens and turkeys.

Food gamblers were holding 1,750,000 pounds of butter in the Gibson Fruit Co.'s warehouse when I visited there. In three rooms the company had 85,000 bushels of Oregon apples, and the odor of them struck me by nostrils like perfume after the often noisome eggs and meat rooms.

I inquired after costs. Mechanical Engineer Kane of the Illinois Cold Storage Co. said 1-3 of a cent per dozen eggs will pay not only for the cost of handling, interest on fixed investment and all. Butter may be held for years at a net cost not exceeding 1-5 of a cent per pound a year. The cost of refrigerating meats is slight.

And so when the trust in the spring buys eggs at 10 to 16 cents per dozen and sells them in the winter for 25 or 30 cents, the difference is practically all profit. And the same with butter, bought at 25 and often less and sold for 35 cents per pound. So, too, with fowls, and to a great extent with the other fresh foods.

Do not forget that I am telling you about only four of Chicago's many cold storage warehouses, and only four of the 300 cold storage plants in the cities all over this plentiful land—300 storerooms filled with the nation's plenty at a time when prices are the very highest. And please remember that those same high prices are fixed by the Chicago food trust and become the basis of value from the Atlantic to the Pacific.

Food shortage? No sir! Food corner? Yes—an artificial shortage deliberately caused to force high prices, to make big profits, to take from the public the money the trust must have to pay dividends on its capitalization.

## OZONE LINE OVER THE SEA

### This Aviator Sorry, But the Fine Boats Are Doomed—Nothing But Freight When Airships Arrive.

New York, Feb. 24.—Karl Leps, who was once in the business of arranging marine shows and who got here yesterday by the Hamburg-American liner Kaiserin Augusta Victoria after a tumultuous and unusually protracted trip, said he regretted much that he had to announce the impending wreck of the earth three days and a quarter himself but also of every other liner doing a passenger business. The former expresser of the sea within a few years only, would be pliant cargo carriers, stripped of all their fine decorations. How beautiful the passage of the Kaiserin would have been if she could have sailed, as the Leps leviathans will, far above the riot of sea in the stormless currents!

Mr. Leps speaks English with several strata of accent, although he says that he has been in America fourteen times. An interpreter helped him explain how he was going to revolutionize seagoing or knock it into a cocked hat. The Leps airship, it was true, was not known very well in Germany because its evolutions had been performed in secret and so high in the air that the general public could not see them. Mr. Leps had made, he said, 216 ascensions, and one stayed on the earth three days and a quarter with eight men aboard, plying space between Munich, Cologne and Frankfurt. There was no publication of his remarkable performance, but how could there be when the ship was out of sight.

**Fifty Feet Long.**

This experimental ship, a combination gas bag and aeroplane device, with propellers, is or was only fifty feet long. The first vessel of the Ozone Line would take the air next spring.

Mr. Leps likens his champion woman mountain climber as well. I have been much more concerned in my work to measure it with that of men rather than that of other women.

## CHILDREN TREND MAZES

### They Spun Tops Too, But That Was By the Way—Settlement Children Draw Pennies for Summer Home.

New York, Feb. 24.—De kids were spinning tops in Eldridge street yesterday afternoon. An illegal game was being ingeniously played over the very ramps of the police station, but the horror of it was somewhat mitigated by the fact that only "punting" was allowed. If you had been there you would have seen a group of the University Settlement house at 184 Eldridge street who would have been intangible and that warm weather was almost here. But the folk dancing that was being done in the gymnasium by the children of the settlement was well worth climbing for.

The dancing was part of the bazaar that is going on in the settlement house for the benefit of the mothers' and children's summer home that the settlement supports. The Faithful Workers and the Wisdom Seekers and all the Busy Bees and Little Women squatted on the floor and watched the members of their sister organizations perform. These clubs formed by the settlement children themselves, are for the most part literary affairs. But Otto Calippe and Melponne were forced to bow to Terpsichore yesterday, and the light fantastic toe of Lillian Kaplowitz, one of Essex street's prominent possessors, condensed to trip through the mazes of a Swedish dance for the sake of the summer home. Lillian, you know, is the author of that glowing lyric dedicated to justice and the Essex Market court.

How proud you stand, O stately manse, Within your portals I would tarry Where every poor man has a chance And Justice never does miscarry.

Lillian has Positivist hair and an uncompromisingly titled nose that makes one expect Breen rather than Kaplowitz in answer to an ignorant query as to her name. She was the leader of a plump, pigtail line of diminutive dancers who illustrated by appropriate figures the manner in which

## WEDDINGS.

**McKnight—Ellison.**

Rev. S. W. Anthony officiated yesterday morning at the wedding of Miss Lillian McKnight, of Apohqui, to Miss Carrie Ellison. The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. William Ellison, 66 City Road, at 8:30 o'clock. Mr. and Mrs. McKnight left on the Calvin Austin on a honeymoon trip to Boston.

## POETRY'S CHOICE

### Mr. Rice Extends the Poetry of His Benevolence—Poetry as Risky as Explosives Says One.

New York, Feb. 24.—Mrs. Isaac L. Rice, whose Society for the Suppression of Unnecessary Noise silenced the sirens of the Hudson River gave a party at her apartments in the Ansonia last night, and long before the sandwiches were gone a poet's union had been formed.

George Sylvester Viereck wanted a stock company, even if the shares didn't care what it was called so long as it was a company. He was against him, and Viereck was not insistent on his message. Edwin Markham wanted to call it the Society for the Lovers of Poetry, with Dante and Boccaccio as charter members. A man Schaeffer of San Francisco didn't care what it was called so long as all was natural and unforced.

The advantage of a union or poets over a simple stock company were so obvious that Gertrude Atherton, who dislikes unions, was almost in despair. Like an artist, she was not to be outdone. Her partner, Mr. Phelan of San Francisco, who accompanied her, would make it sound as if poets had to labor. A union, repeated Mr. Phelan, could strike against the right day, not to speak of more cents to the square stanza.

**A Stock Company.**

George Sylvester Viereck wanted the stock company because watering aside the dividends were sure to be enormous.

"At first we could sell our stock for a song," said Mr. Viereck. "Mark Twain is a corporation and why should not poets be incorporated. Like an artist Shakespeare was only a trust or a title compared with Bacon as a dummy director.

"Poets must be seen as well as heard. We have no place in this country where poets can be viewed as they can in Westminster Abbey. Present conditions are dreadful. You wish to see a poet. You have to go to London or the States or Harley or Staten Island and then you only see one or two.

"We might have a parade in necessity. I think a celebration would inspire interest in poetry, stimulate prices and ultimately pay for itself."

Hermann Schaeffer told how they recited poetry in the park over in England. It was highly effective. Poetry, Mr. Schaeffer added, must be heard fully to be appreciated. A musical accompaniment to the recitation of a poem was something particularly subtle. One was affected one way and another quite differently, but one could never be wholly insensible to the poem's heightened charm.

"But what I should most like to see in this organization," said Mr. Schaeffer, "is naturalness. In California the Bohemian Club lounges under the trees and reads its poetry there. Isn't there some place here, Central Park or the Battery where you could loaf and invite your souls? For New York I had a chilling environment to the poet."

It was probably a coincidence that some one shut the window.

Edwin Markham, who will furnish the authentic looks for the poet's union, waited until they beseeched him to prophesy. Mr. Markham said he didn't care so long as they made the organization broad enough to include the lovers of poetry.

"There are only three ways of reaching conclusions on life," said Mr. Markham. "One is called philosophy; the others are poetry and religion. Religion," he explained, "was only poetry put in practice."

Hudson Maxim said that poetry was as risky a business as explosives. Several of the others expressed themselves pleased that poetry was now to be tested and guaranteed, but forth under innocuous auspices and the output regulated. After refreshments had been served the happy guests regaled each other with poems of their own composition. Arthur Guiterman, Leonard D. Abbot and Alexander Harvey, Louis Vireck, D. H. Burnham and Eliza Barker all took part in the discussion.

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## Poultry Show Judging Completed Yesterday

Judging was concluded at the poultry show yesterday afternoon and all the prize birds are now on exhibition. The silver cup presented by the association as a special prize for the best pen of birds, any variety, was captured by Mr. W. McMonagle of the Glenview Poultry yards, Sussex, with two fine pair of Barred Plymouth Rocks. Mr. McMonagle also figured prominently in the awards in the remaining classes yesterday.

In the Rhode Island Reds, Miss Brown of Cranston Avenue captured two firsts with a stocky pair of young birds, the other prizes being divided between the Glenview yards, John O'Leary and F. E. Josselyn. There was a good attendance at the fair yesterday and much larger crowds are expected today.

**Additional Prize Winners.**  
The prize winners in addition to those published yesterday were:

**Barred Plymouth Rocks**  
Glenview yards all prizes.

**White Rocks.**  
Cocks—Greenwich farm, 1st and 3rd; A. Burley, 2nd.  
Hens—J. V. Jackson, 1st; A. Burley, 2nd.

**Cockerels—J. V. Jackson, 1st; A. E. S. Hatfield, 2nd; Greenwich yards, 3rd.**  
Pullets—A. E. S. Hatfield, 1st; A. Burley, 2nd and 3rd.

**White Wyandottes.**  
Cocks—J. V. Jackson, 1st; Glenview yards, 2nd.  
Hens—J. V. Jackson, 1st; Glenview yards, 2nd and 3rd.  
Cockerels—Glenview yards, 1st and 2nd; P. Killorn, 3rd.

**Silver Wyandottes.**  
Cocks—R. A. Knight, 1st.  
Hens—H. C. Lemmon, 1st and 2nd; R. A. Knight, 3rd.  
Cockerels—R. A. Knight, 1st; H. C. Lemmon, 2nd and 3rd.  
Pullets—P. Killorn, 1st and 2nd; R. A. Knight, 3rd.

**Golden Wyandottes.**  
Cocks—G. A. Seaman, 1st; H. C. Lemmon, 2nd.  
Hens—H. C. Lemmon, 1st.  
Pullets—Geo. A. Seaman, 1st, 2nd and 3rd.

**Buff Wyandottes.**  
Glenview yards, four firsts, second and third on cocks.

**Columbia Wyandottes.**  
Cocks—F. W. Short, 1st.

from his late residence, Mill street, Fairville. The body was taken to St. Paul's church, where services were conducted by Rev. Chas. Collins. The six sons of Mr. Downing acted as pall bearers. Interment was made in the old Catholic burying ground.

## Special Meetings As Campaign Nears Close

Hundreds Attended Separate Services for Men and Women in St. Andrew's Church Yesterday—Boys Will Meet in Calvin Church this Afternoon—Dr. Sykes to Say Farewell Tonight.

In addition to the regular meetings of the simultaneous evangelistic campaign, a number of special meetings have been arranged for today. Mr. E. H. Nafziger will address a meeting for boys only in Calvin church at 4 o'clock and special meetings will be held in St. Andrew's church and Carleton City Hall at 3.30 o'clock.

At the separate mass meetings for women and men in St. Andrew's church yesterday the church was crowded to the doors at both services and Dr. Ora S. Gray spoke very plainly to the large audiences.

In the afternoon he told to the assembled women the affecting story of his own life and his early consecration to the ministry by his mother who was now reading the accounts of the campaign in the newspapers which he sent her. On the women he continued, depended the success of the campaign. They could mould men's lives as they pleased.

**ST. ANDREW'S GROUP.**  
Rev. Ora S. Gray Gives Powerful Address on the Beasts Against Which Men Must Fight—Card Playing Strongly Condemned.

Last night St. Andrew's church was completely filled with men, and Rev. Ora S. Gray gave a thrilling address upon the subject "The Beasts of Ephesus." Mr. Charles F. Allen and Mr. Howard Hare each sang solos.

Amongst the topics touched upon by Dr. Gray, in speaking of the beasts against which every true man must wage war-fare, were:

The Beast of Cynicism—Some men because of the presence of evil in humanity, refuse to see good in anyone. Because they are some grinders, they make the shallow and cynical remark, "everyone has his price."

The Beast of Sabbath Desecration—He spoke of how much better Sunday was kept in St. John than in the American cities, and showed the necessity of Sabbath observance for the moral and spiritual strength of the people.

The Beast of Gambling—Gambling frequently begins in pleasant surroundings, amongst seemingly cultured people, and with trifling risks, but frequently becomes an untamed beast, which degrades and ruins. He said that he believed that those who play a game of cards for a cut-glass dish were as truly gamblers as those who spent their time over the poker-chips and pile of money.

The Beast of Intemperance—Considering the fact that there were license saloons in St. John he was surprised to see so little drunkenness, and yet he realized the necessity of banishing the licensed saloon from the community, and made a strong appeal to the Christian men of the city to join in an indignant protest against the drink evil.

The Beast of Impurity—Dr. Gray spoke of men in St. John whose life was a hell, because of the double life they were leading. Instead of being true to their higher manhood and to the Christ who came to redeem us from the body of this death.

There will be two services in St. Andrew's church on Friday for every body. The first at 3.30, when Dr. Gray will give a lecture on the "Four Gospels." And the regular evening service at 7.45 p. m. All are invited to these services.

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They who had not stained their garments with vice have availed for us our goodness and our faith in humanity and in God. The soul must be filled with God to save it from the tragedy of the empty life, the permanent abode of spiritlessness.

This evening Dr. Sykes gives his farewell address. There will be a special song service beginning at 7.30 o'clock.

**BRUSSELS ST. GROUP.**  
Rev. W. A. Cameron Appeals To Young People To Make Jesus Supreme in Their Lives.

In Brussels street church every seat was taken. Rev. W. A. Cameron took for his text, Luke 9, 51—"He steadfastly set his face to go to Jerusalem."

The discourse was a vigorous and lucid setting forth of the life of Jesus. The concluding appeal was a challenge addressed to young people to make the purpose of Jesus supreme in their lives.

**ST. LUKE'S LENTEN MISSION.**  
The Effectiveness of Prayer—Bishop Richardson Makes Eloquent Appeal to Large Congregation.

St. Luke's church was filled to overflowing last evening, when the Bishop of Fredericton took for his text "Ask and it shall be given you. Seek and ye shall find. Knock and it shall be opened unto you. For every one that asketh receiveth, and he that knocketh, it shall be opened."

It is quite clear, he said, that prayer is an instant of the heart. Prayer is the soul's sense of need—of dissatisfaction with itself—is the blind man's longing for the light which he has never seen.

The sense of crushing fate prompts to prayer. Man's everlasting need of sympathy drives him to prayer. Most of all the sense of sin impels a man to pray. Prayer has the power to lift a man upon a higher moral level. The power of prayer draws the soul upward. Prayer is capable of cultivation, but becomes dormant by neglect. Prayer carries with it the expectation of an answer. You may have been praying the same prayer for years and think the answer has not come. Is this really so, or is the answer only seeming? Some prayers are not answered, due to our short sightedness, God's infinite wisdom, and the interrelatedness of all human life.

An impetuous contention is righteousness. "If I regard iniquity in my heart, the Lord will not hear me." We must have faith. "Whatever things ye desire when ye pray, believe that ye receive them, and ye shall have them." Our prayers should be in accord with the will of God.

Services for today: Holy Communion, 8 a. m.; Children's Lantern Service, 4 p. m.; Meeting for Prayer and Intercession, 7.15 p. m.; Song Service 7.45 p. m.; Mission Service, 8 p. m.

**NORTH END GROUP.**  
Reasons Why Men in St. John Are Not Christian—Dr. Smith Delivers Effective Address.

Mr. Lamb sang by request, "O the Clanging Bells of Time." This was the third time this hymn was requested by the members of the congregation. Mr. Lamb's singing has been greatly appreciated. He has sung himself completely into the affections of the congregation.

Rev. Dr. A. J. Smith spoke on reasons why some men in St. John are not Christians. He took as his text:—"The First Commandment is, Hear, O Israel the Lord thy God even Jehovah is one, and thou shalt love Him with all thy heart, and thy neighbor as thyself, and Jesus answered the scribe, 'Thou art not far from the Kingdom of God.'"

Knowledge leads a man, he said, up to the border of the Kingdom of God, but does not bring him in. A form of devotion does not save. A new birth is necessary. He must be quickened into new life of the Spirit. Many come to the border line and do not enter in. They are almost persuaded, but they hesitate and say, "Go thy way for this time when I have a more convenient season, I will call for thee."

The sermon was very effective in results.

## News of a Day

**Committed Suicide.**  
Berlin, Ont., Feb. 24.—Annie Fry, aged twenty years, the daughter of the late Jacob Fry, committed suicide by hanging herself at her home on the farm of H. Shantz, near Elmira. She was despondent over charges that she had made certain statements of which she claimed to be innocent.

**For Church Union.**  
Toronto, Feb. 24.—Toronto Congregationalists have voted almost unanimously in favor of church union with the Methodist and Presbyterian churches. The vote in all the seven city churches—two is overwhelmingly in favor of the union. In two exceptions the congregations are about evenly divided.

**Lost in Blizzard.**  
Detroit, Mich., Feb. 24.—Five young men returning from a trip from the Casino on Muncie Bay to Toledo in an auto, were caught in a blizzard and nearly lost. The wheels of the auto plunged into an air hole at one time when the ice voyagers thought it was all up with them. Finally after driving about aimlessly for five hours the party reached land. All were badly frost bitten.

**In Manitoba.**  
Winnipeg, Feb. 24.—Acting Premier Rogers yesterday notified the temperance leaders that the Government had decided to adopt the Ontario Government policy regarding administration of the liquor laws and hereafter where a majority of the ratepayers voted for local option and the laws afterwards upset by the courts no licenses would be granted by the commission.

**Carleton Group.**  
"The Master is Come and Callesth for Thee," Subject of Rev. M. S. Rees' Address—God's Provision for Man.

Rev. Milton S. Rees conducted two crowded meetings on the West side, in a hall at the corner of the City Club room in the City Hall and in the evening addressed a general meeting in the council room. At the evening meeting, Rev. J. Heaney read the scripture lesson and Rev. H. R. Read offered prayer. Mr. Franklin Bowdoin led a full chorus choir and also sang beautifully the solo "Eternity."

Rev. Dr. Rees spoke from John 15.20, "The Master is come and callesth for thee." By way of introduction he said that the Lord had made wonderful provision for man. He never called unless it was something important. In this case he called on men to do three things, first, to be pardoned, second, to serve, third, to impart consolation.

God called through the Holy Spirit and also through the saintly mothers, praying fathers and pleading friends. He calls to service by establishing the family altar, saying grace at meals, visiting the sick, nursing with the church and supporting the hospital.

**Fairville Group.**  
"Peace with God," Subject of Eloquent Address by Rev. Lawrence Greenwood.

In the Fairville Baptist church the congregation was larger than on the preceding evenings of the week. Rev. Lawrence Greenwood took for his subject "Peace with God."

Jesus, he said, gives this peace to poor, sinning, lost humanity. The peace of God is far superior to the peace of circumstances. God's peace can be experienced amidst cares and disturbing circumstances. Jesus gives peace to those whom the world treats with indifference and scorn.

God gives bountifully. Nothing really satisfies men but God. "What the world gives is only for a short time. God gives forever."

Several were decided for Christ after the sermon.

**S. A. CITADEL.**  
Wm. Matheson Speaks of the Gods Which Men Worship Today—Large Audience and Many Conversions.

At the Salvation Army Citadel, evangelist William Matheson gave a stirring, address from the text, "They calves, O Israel have cast thee off." This, he explained, had been said of the Kingdom of Israel when Jeroboam had erected two calves at the extreme ends of the Kingdom for the people to worship, to keep them from going down to Jerusalem.

Idolatry still existed, he said. Anything to which men give their best thought and attention was a god. "There was no physical force to keep a man from sinning or none to keep him from coming to Christ."

In speaking of the gods which men worship the speaker enumerated riches and pleasure. He was glad to see a man prosperous but he must not put riches first. Those who ministered at the altar of pleasure were sure to be sacrificed in the end.

There was a large attendance at the meeting and good results in the matter of converts.

## News of a Day

**THE COURTS.**  
COUNTY COURT.

Judgment by Default.

In the county court yesterday judgment by default for \$76 was signed in the case of the Canada Paper Co. vs. the Advocate Publishing Co. of Newcastle, with increased costs. Mr. A. Wilson, K.C., and Mr. C. S. Hanington for the plaintiff.

**Barbour vs. Mercer.**  
On motion of Mr. H. H. Pickett for the defendant the jury case of Frank R. Barbour vs. Maria Wesley Mercer was adjourned until the next court in May. This is an action for board and lodging and the sum of \$364 is involved. Mr. J. King Kelley appeared for the plaintiff.

**Rubber Co. vs. Taylor.**  
The Rubber Co. vs. C. Taylor, C. Humphrey Taylor was taken up. Mr. A. Wilson, K.C., and Mr. C. S. Hanington appeared for the plaintiff, and Mr. J. B. M. Baxter, K.C., and Mr. G. Earle Logan for the defendant.

Mr. Baxter, at the conclusion of the plaintiff's case, moved for a non-suit on the ground that the plaintiff was an extra provincial corporation and at the time the action was commenced had not paid a license fee and was thereby precluded from maintaining the action.

After Mr. Wilson replied, His Honor overruled judgment.

After discharging the petit jury the court arose until Monday morning at 11 o'clock at chambers.

**FUNERALS.**  
Mr. G. Sidney Smith.

The funeral of the late Mr. G. Sidney Smith, Esq., K. C., took place yesterday afternoon from his residence, 37 Dorchester street. Services for the family were held at the house at 2.30 by Rev. E. B. Hooper. The body was conveyed to St. Paul's church, where choral services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Hooper. The funeral was a very large one, representatives of all walks in life being present to pay their last tribute of respect to the deceased. Hon. J. D. Hazen, the Premier, returned from Fredericton yesterday and was present to pay a last tribute of respect. The pallbearers were Chief Justice Barker, Mr. W. M. Jarvis, Mr. James Manchester, Dr. A. F. McVerney, Mr. James A. Belyea, and Mr. W. Watson Allen. The St. George's Society and Barristers' Society marched in a body, as did the wardens and vestry of St. Paul's church and the boys from the Wiggins' Male Orphan Asylum. The board of governors of Wiggins' Male Orphanage, of which Mr. Smith was a member, followed the hearse.

The hymns Let Saints on Earth in Course Sing, Jerusalem the Beautiful and On the Resurrection Morn were sung. The ceremony was a most impressive and solemn one. As the body was taken from the church the Dead March in Saul was played upon the organ. The funeral procession reformed and at Marsh Bridge coaches were taken, many going to the grave in Verabil.

At a meeting on Wednesday evening of the vestry of St. Paul's church a resolution of appreciation of the late Mr. Sidney Smith and of sympathy with his family was unanimously adopted.

Mr. James Downing.

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N. B. Southern Railway On and after SUNDAY, Oct. 3, 1909, trains will run daily, Sunday excepted.

PUBLIC NOTICE By Order of the Common Council of the City of Saint John.

MONEY ON CALL AT 3% P. C. New York, Feb. 24—Close: Prime mercantile paper, 4 1/2% per cent.

MONTREAL STOCK MARKET

Table of Montreal Stock Market prices including Amalgamated Copper, American Beet Sugar, American Car and Foundry, etc.

AMERICAN PRODUCE MARKET

Table of American Produce Market prices including Flour, Wheat, Corn, etc.

ELDER DEMPSTER LINE

Advertisement for Elder Dempster Line shipping services.

Advertisement for N. B. Southern Railway.

Advertisement for Public Notice regarding the City of Saint John.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET; YES- CANADIAN PRODUCE MARKETS

Table of New York Stock Market and Canadian Produce Market prices including Amalgamated Copper, American Beet Sugar, etc.

AMERICAN PRODUCE MARKET

Table of American Produce Market prices including Flour, Wheat, Corn, etc.

DULL TONE TO MARKET YESTERDAY

New York, N. Y., Feb. 24.—Dealings in stocks today were scarcely larger than yesterday.

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE

Table of Montreal Stock Exchange prices including Asbestos, Bell Telephone, etc.

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MONTREAL NEWS NOTES. By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co.

CLOSING COTTON LETTER. By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co.

MONTREAL, Feb. 24.—When Coal stock went off to \$2 somebody around street sprang the rumor that the next dividend would be stopped.

Toronto, Ont., Feb. 24.—Although there is very little local business being transacted, dealers quote Manitoba wheat and oats 1-2 cents lower.

Ontario wheat—Mixed winter wheat, \$1.06 to \$1.07; No. 2 white, \$1.07 to \$1.08.

Manitoba wheat—Spot, No. 1 Northern \$1.12 to \$1.13; No. 2 Northern \$1.11 to \$1.12.

Oats—Canadian western, No. 2, 42¢ to 43¢; No. 3, 41¢ to 42¢.

Speaking about the weakness in Coal common, a local broker expressed the opinion that it is due to the dissolution of the pool which purchased a block of about 7,000 shares.

One local interest which is believed to be very well posted regarding Scotia stated positively today that when the recent report was made the Forget interests had 25,000 shares.

By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PRODUCE MARKETS

Table of Chicago Grain and Produce Market prices including Wheat, Corn, etc.

THE COTTON MARKET

New York, Feb. 24.—Cotton: Spot closed quiet, 30 points higher; midland uplands, 14.40; do higher, 14.65.

CHICAGO CATTLE

Table of Chicago Cattle market prices including Cattle, Hogs, etc.

WINNIPEG WHEAT MARKET

By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co.

CLOSING STOCK LETTER

New York, Feb. 24.—Today's stock market was on a parity with that of yesterday in point of general dullness.

MONTREAL COBALT AND CURB STOCKS

Table of Montreal Cobalt and Curb Stocks prices including Asbestos Bonds, etc.

THE Daily Gleaner OF FREDERICTON. Is on sale in St. John at the NEWS STAND at the Royal Hotel.

Bowling Basket Ball Curling

SPORTS

Baseball The Ring Hockey

ELECTRICS DEFEATED

Pirates Trim Opponents in City Bowling League by Wide Margin--M. R. A. and C. M. B. A. Also Win.

"Captain" Phinney's Pirates bore down upon the Electrics on Black's alley last evening and with a broad side of shots, which mowed down everything before it, succeeded in defeating the "wire" men to the tune of 3-1. The Pirates practically won the game in the first string when they pulled out with a majority of 31 sticks.

The second inning was more hotly contested and the Electrics were out by 2 solitary pins. They made a gallant effort to at least tie the score in the third and after a tooth and nail struggle the successors came out victorious by 6.

Griffith was leader for the Pirates, going well over the century mark in the first string and negotiating with a total of 288. Cronin was also in great form and no less than 274 sticks were toppled off their feet by his swift curves.

For the Electrics Robertson was the big sensation with the fine average of 90. The scores were: Tigers. Griffith . . . 109 89 90 288-96 Phinney . . . 96 70 71 267-73 McDonald . . . 82 92 94 269-89 2-3 Cronin . . . 88 95 91 274-91 1-3 Crowley . . . 94 88 77 259-86 1-3 469 435 423 1327

Electrics. Robertson . . . 87 94 89 270-90 Lawson . . . 77 81 71 229-70 1-3 McKee . . . 98 81 73 252-84 Lammann . . . 81 88 98 265-83 1-3 Mason . . . 75 95 86 256-85 1-3 418 437 417 1272

M. R. A. Wins. In the commercial league series M. R. A. and A. Ltd. clipped the wings of the aspiring J. M. Humphrey quintette by taking three out of the four points. At the close of the second string each team had won a point with the Humphrey team two sticks in the lead. It looked like a tie match until the haberdashers started to do things and when Douglas started to win no less than 118 the battle was won for M. R. A. and the scores were: M. R. A. Ltd. Bunhan . . . 72 86 82 240-80 Berry . . . 90 82 84 269-89 2-3 Smith . . . 90 82 84 256-85 1-3 Douglas . . . 69 70 118 257-83 1-3 Brown . . . 67 86 71 224-74 2-3 370 387 429 1186

J. M. Humphrey Crawford . . . 78 71 77 226-75 1-3 Park . . . 70 73 73 216-72 Cochrane . . . 74 80 68 248-82 2-3 Roberts . . . 69 84 239-73 1-3 Gambina . . . 79 94 90 263-87 2-3 368 391 414 1173

C. M. B. A. Winners. In the society league series on St. Peter's alleys last evening, the C. M. B. A. quintette took another step towards the coveted goal, by taking 3 points from the Knights of Columbus and being with them in the other. The Knights lost the first string by 26 pins but came back strongly in the second and tied their opponents.

The rally soon ended however, and they dropped the third by 14. The C. M. B. A. men rolled in great form with the exception of Magee who appeared to have forgotten the game altogether. Some say "Billy" is getting too fat. Cosgrove and Kelly were in great form and rolled the fine average of 90 1/3 and 91. For the Knights McCaffrey was the only one, with the highest score of the game and the fine average of 89 1/3.

The scores were: Knights of Columbus. McCaffrey . . . 83 70 106 259-86 1-3 McCluskey . . . 82 100 92 274-11 1-3 Murphy . . . 82 83 86 231-77 O'Neil . . . 67 82 79 228-76 Mullin . . . 75 89 83 237-73 2-3 385 408 432 1225

C. M. B. A. Kelly . . . 78 95 98 271-90 1-3 Fitzpatrick . . . 90 71 81 252-84 Dwyer . . . 89 86 86 261-87 Magee . . . 71 69 78 218-72 2-3 Cosgrove . . . 83 87 93 273-91 421 408 446 1295

Johnny Coulon Evades Pitfalls By Accepting His Dad's Advice



That great trouble which some fighters—managers who double-cross them—is not on the list of Johnny Coulon, the champion bantam of them all. For the boss midget is managed by his father, E. E. Coulon, familiarly known as "Pop." And "Pop" has given many a frisky manager heart disease by the clever way he looked after the affairs of his boy. No one ever picked any green gages off Coulon or's raiment.

Johnny and "Pop" form the most exclusive little mutual admiration society that ever mutilated. Johnny boasts "Pop" as the warmest proposition since the Chicago fire, while the things "Pop" has to say about his family champion would make a circus programme author green with envy. Although Johnny is of age, he obeys his dad implicitly, and because he does has steered clear of those temptations which have been the downfall

of many a man, who looked like a world beater. The wine-women-and-song thing has yet to get hold of the pride of the Coulons. The skirt has not been drafted that will turn his head and he prefers white water to red or canary colored wine. The little chap developed a scrappy instinct from boyhood. As a tad he used to go home regularly with marks of personal encounter about him, but with a "you ought to see the other fellow" story as well. It was then his father taught him to box, for in his day "Pop" had been there with the padded mitts himself. This made the boy a hero among the kids, and as he grew into his fighting spirit did not wane, his father redoubled his efforts to make him a fighter. All of the best small men who have fought in recent years had a hand in making Coulon the finished fighter he is today. Even Geo. Siler took pains to instruct him in the art of getting rid of punches in the air and he used to tell the boy, "It's like pickin' cherries, Johnny."

NELSON IS AFTER MORE AD WOLGAST

San Francisco, Feb. 24.—Now that the smoke of the Nelson and Wolgast fight has cleared away, the sporting world is devoting its attention to the possibility of a second meeting between the two men. Nelson demands another chance. He insists that he should have had a chance when Reterec Smith stopped the fighting. Wolgast says Nelson will have to wait. He agrees, however, that Nelson is entitled to another fight. Sporting writers are inclined to doubt that the men will meet again. They believe that Nelson's age and years of fighting and training have told upon him at last. The managers of Nelson and Cyclone Johnny Thompson are trying to arrange a 45-round match to be held at no distant date. They have virtually agreed to general terms, the winner to challenge Wolgast.

To Meet Thompson. Reno, Nev., Feb. 24.—"Battling" Nelson today said that he would meet "Cyclone" Thompson in a 45-round fight at San Francisco the last week in April or the first week in May. He said that the fight would be held in a new building which would be constructed for that purpose. Louis Blot will promote the fight.

CLEAN SWEEP FOR LOCALS

St. John Skaters Win Every Event in Sight at Oxford--Logan's Good Work in the Dashes.

Special to The Standard. Halifax, N. S., Feb. 24.—The St. John skaters made a clean sweep at the Oxford ice sports this evening. Fred Logan taking the dashes without being pressed, while Leadbetter, another St. John boy secured first place in two of the distance events. Bouche's results were as follows: 220 yards dash--Logan, first; Leadbetter second; Coleman, third. 440 yards dash--Logan first; Bouche second. One Mile--Leadbetter first; Bouche second. Three Mile--Leadbetter, first; Thompson second; Bouche third. Five Mile--Bouche first; Ingraham, second; Mitchell third. Some three hundred people witnessed the events.

NOVA SCOTIA HOCKEYISTS GO TO COURT

Special to The Standard. Halifax, N. S., Feb. 24.—R. Bayne, manager of the Truro professional hockey club has entered action for damages against Geo. Mason, owner of the skating rink in New Glasgow, and Charles R. Turner, manager of the New Glasgow professional hockey team. The action is the outcome of the mixup in hockey circles in Truro Wednesday night when Messrs. Mason and Turner after making a bona fide agreement with Bayne at New Glasgow to allow Gregory and Norman to play with Truro against North Sydney, refused to permit these players to play at Truro, claiming that they were salaried men under contract not to play with any other team. An injunction will likely be placed against New Glasgow preventing them from playing the scheduled game with North Sydney next Monday night. Mr. Bayne is out considerable money owing to the postponement of this game and the action will be watched with interest.

JIM O'ROURKE'S OWN GREAT STORY

Jim O'Rourke tells Tip Wright about the trip of the players to England. TIP WRIGHT, under Anson. He recalls Cummings, the first curve ball pitcher. He tells how Ross Barnes, the greatest second baseman the game ever saw, forced a new third base foul rule by his wonderful batting. He tells stringily, of the days before gloves and masks were worn, when catchers' hands puffed out of shape, acted as cushions to deaden the pain. He tells of the first bunt hits, and names the greatest catcher and greatest pitchers he ever saw. Jim O'Rourke's story will be talked about by the fans for a long time. Don't miss it. Baseball literature will be richer for it. The Standard is the only newspaper in St. John which will print it.

HALIFAX OUT AFTER BIG ICE FIXTURES

Montreal, Feb. 24.—It is announced that the Wanderer and Ottawa may go to Halifax at the end of the season to play a series, best two out of three matches, for a fifteen hundred dollar purse offered by Manager Maher, of the Halifax Arena.

MAKES THE POSSIBLE IN BOWLING

Niagara Falls, Ont., Feb. 24.—All the world's bowling records were equalled in this city last evening, when E. Pett of this city, made the remarkable score of a perfect 300. In addition to this, Pett surpassed all Canadian records with seven more strikes, making a run of 19 straight strikes.

ACADIA WINS ON HOCKEY

Defeats Mount Allison at Wolfville to Tune of 8-2, Taking Intercollegiate Trophy--Fast Hockey Marks Game.

Wolfville, N. S., Feb. 24.—By defeating Mt. Allison in an exciting and fairly good game by 8 to 2 here to night, Acadia won the Summer trophy and the championship of the Intercollegiate league. Although the home team won on their merits, the teams were much more equal than the score would indicate. The visitors were equal in team work to the Acadia players but could not handle the long shots from centre ice which Black and Curry were continually lifting. Both teams played their hardest on ice as hard as glass.

During the first half the Garnet and Gold obtained 2, while their opponents scored four; the second half ended with 4 additional for Acadia. Mr. Smith of Windsor refereed very satisfactorily. For a quarter of an hour after the game was called play wavered until the Acadia combination passed to Eaton, who netted the puck. Mt. Allison did the same and Cameron scored. Then Black sent one from centre ice. C. North made a splendid dash and made it two all. Acadia soon saw their lifts could not be stopped and Black and Curry lifted two more goals before ending the half. The first half ended with the score of 4 to 2. Acadia strengthened during the second half and kept the rubber in Mt. Allison territory more than half the time. Although the members of both teams played very fine hockey, Black with his long shots started for Acadia and Seaman in Mt. Allison goal starred for Mt. Allison. Mt. Allison received 15 minutes on penalties and Acadia 12 minutes.

SYDNEY IS WALLOPED BY COLLEGIANS

Antigonish, N. S., Feb. 24.—The Sydney hockey team was defeated here tonight by the St. Francois Xavier seven. The first half was interesting and fast, both teams having equal territory, but in the second half the Xavier's blanked the visitors, scoring three goals. In the second half play was chiefly around the Sydney goal. Ten minutes before time was up, Fotee, the visitors goal tender, retired and McSweeney the point took his place. The collegians succeeded in netting the puck three times during the half, whereas, the visitors only twice. The score at the conclusion of the game was: St. Francois Xavier 12, Sydney 2.

BENTON KING THE WINNER AT DIGBY

Digby, Feb. 24.—An interesting horse race took place on Dalys Lake at Lake Digby, N. S., this evening, to determine who should hold the gentlemen's Digby county driving cup for the next year. The following horses were entered: Benton King, owned by R. E. F. Lawrence; Miss Leda, by Tuttle Graham, Centreville; Miss Wilkes, by L. B. Eldridge, Sandy Cove; Dan, by Chas. Barnes, Sandy Cove; Time was lost, by Capt. Manning Trask, of Little River. Benton King won the cup in three out of the four heats trotted.

SUSSEX HAS NEW ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

Sussex, Feb. 24.—A big sporting club is in course of formation here to be known as the Snowshoe Lake Hunting and Fishing Club. The charter members are George W. Fowler, K. C., H. B. Price, Arthur Keith and W. B. Jonah, Sussex; John L. Sutherland and C. B. Strong, St. John. The club will have a capital of \$10,000 and the membership will be limited to twenty shares, selling at \$500 each. The club holds property in the very heart of the big Canadian woods and have some of the best big game ground in the province. It is the intention of the members to erect a large club house and provide stables for private cottages. The big specimens of moose owned by the provincial government were taken near the lake and the biggest moose ever captured in New Brunswick, if not in Canada, was secured there for the province and later presented to the Prince of Wales. The company will start in erecting their club house this summer and hope to have everything in readiness for the hunting season next fall.

Articles were signed Wednesday by Stanley Ketchel and Tommy Caponi, Chicago, for a fight at Kalamazoo, Mich., March 1c, both to weigh in at 150 pounds.

VILLA MODEL RANGE advertisement with image of a stove and text: 'Do you use one? If not you should. The most perfect piece of stove construction ever offered to the public. For appearance and workmanship it is unsurpassed. Call in and inspect its good working qualities. Made and sold by J. E. WILSON, Ltd., Phone 356, 17 SYDNEY ST.'

Frank R. Fairweather, Agent advertisement: 'Keep down expenses. This sign is to call your attention to the danger of spending \$130.00 for a typewriter when you can buy an "Empire" for \$60.00. FRANK R. FAIRWEATHER, Agent. Main 653 68 Prince Wm. St. St. John, N. S.'

The Mercantile Marine

DAILY ALMANAC table with columns for Sun rises today, Sun sets today, Sun rises tomorrow, Sun sets tomorrow, High water, Low water, and various shipping schedules for Liverpool, London, and other ports.

CARLETON AND THISTLES TO CLASH

Six rinks of Carleton and Thistle curlers will play a friendly match this evening, three rinks being played on each club's ice. Keen rivalry exists between the clubs, and as they are both playing in great form the matches should prove exciting. Following are the skips and rinks that will compete. Carleton ice--Afternoon. R. Carleton, W. H. Eastbrooks, Chas. Coster, J. Fred Belyea, skip. W. E. Scully, J. M. Christopher, Wm. Ruddock, J. M. Belyea, skip. Evening. J. B. M. Baxter, C. Gardner, F. D. Wilson, E. R. Taylor, skip. Hedley Bissett, W. S. Jewett, O. Dunham, J. M. Wilson, skip. Thistle ice--Evening. Charles Driscoll, Roy Drynan, M. Beattie, H. Driscoll, skip. George Barlow, Geo. Scott, J. A. Kindred, William Watson, skip. Carleton ice--Afternoon. Thistles: George Ewart, Dr. M. MacLaren, J. Fred Shaw, Dr. L. A. Langstroth, skip. J. A. Lipsitt, Dr. W. E. Rowley, H. C. Olive, R. S. Orchard, skip. Evening. H. Tapley, W. B. Robertson, James Mitchell, A. J. Machum, skip. J. B. MacPherson, W. J. Currie, J. S. Malcolm, W. J. S. Myles. Thistle ice--Evening. R. Crawford, W. H. Arnold, W. A. Shaw, A. G. Stevens, skip. Geo. Scott, Rev. G. F. Scovill, J. M. Belyea, J. M. Wilson, skip. Chas. Driscoll, W. A. Jewett, Wm. Ruddock, E. R. Taylor skip.

THE THISTLE LADIES WIN IN CURLING

Three rinks of St. Andrew's and Thistle lady curlers clashed in the Thistle rink yesterday morning and the Thistles won out with the comfortable margin of 15 points. The ice was in perfect condition and some fine work was accomplished on both sides. The match was the third of a series. The scores and players were: Thistles. St. Andrew's. Miss Ena McLaren Miss Barnes Miss B. Armstrong Mrs. W. Holly Miss G. Campbell Mrs. Stacey Mrs. F. E. Williams Mrs. E. A. Smith Skip . . . . . 15 Skip . . . . . 7 Miss Prince . . . . . Mrs. S. Hare Mrs. A. P. Patterson Mrs. P. Thomson Mrs. B. McLaren Mrs. R. Sturdee Mrs. P. Thorne Dr. M. Parks Skip . . . . . 8 Skip . . . . . 7 Miss B. Macaulay Miss Skinner Mrs. W. Raymond Mrs. M. Thomas Mrs. Jackson Mrs. G. W. Jones Miss T. McLaren Mrs. H. Schofield Skip . . . . . 12 Skip . . . . . 8 Majority for Thistles 13 points. Return Match. Carleton curlers will meet the St. Andrew's men in a return match for the McCaffrey trophy on Carleton ice tomorrow. The Carleton rinks will be R. Bryan, M. Beattie, Chas. Coster, W. O. Dunham, skip. H. C. Gardner, W. H. Eastbrooks, J. T. Belyea, H. Belyea, skip. Geo. Scott, Rev. G. F. Scovill, J. M. Belyea, J. M. Wilson, skip. Chas. Driscoll, W. A. Jewett, Wm. Ruddock, E. R. Taylor skip. Eddie Nelson, of Grand Rapids, and Curly Gebhard, of Detroit, fought eight fast rounds to a draw, at Windsor, Wednesday night. Nelson once knocked out Ad Wolgast.

GREAT SKIP CASSIDY WINS AGAIN

St. John, N. S., Feb. 24.—Frank Cassidy, the great skip, whose marvelous play in the bonspiel has caught the public eye, yesterday won the point play competition. At the Assiniboine rink he made a total of 48 out of a possible 52, which just beat Forbes, of Napawa, by three. It was thought that Eddie McKittrick would have a go at this competition, but he did not turn up, which leaves Cassidy winner. Forbes second, as the competition at noon. Several players which means playing off for fourth and fifth positions. Had maintained his average final three ends, Monday, up to that time, he would have won a world's record, but there.

THE WEATHER.

Maritime—Fresh to strong northerly winds fair and cold, snowfalls by night. Toronto, Feb. 24.—Light snowfalls have occurred today in Alberta and southern Saskatchewan where temperatures have gradually moderated but elsewhere in Canada the weather has been fine and cold.

Winnipeg—20 below, 4. Port Arthur—16 below, 4. Parry Sound—4 below, 16. London—15 below, 14. Toronto—6, 19. Ottawa—12 below, 12. Montreal—2 below, 10. Quebec—6 below, 10. St. John—18, 13. Halifax—8, 24.

New England Forecast.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 24.—Forecast for New England: Fair Friday and Saturday, rising temperature Saturday; moderate north and northwest winds.

AROUND THE CITY

Empress Away This Afternoon. The Empress of Ireland, Capt. Foster, will sail for Liverpool via Halifax this afternoon with a large number of passengers and general cargo. The Empress will take on board a large consignment of apples at Halifax.

Here for Campaign Meetings.

Rev. G. W. Glendinning, pastor of the Digby Methodist church, who has been in the city since Wednesday will leave for home today. He is one of many clergymen who have visited St. John to attend some of the evangelistic services. Mr. Glendinning has been invited to the Charles street Methodist church, Halifax, for his next pastorate. It is one of his former circuits.

Nurse For Tuberculosis Cases.

Dr. F. L. Kenney had charge of the tuberculosis dispensary in the Board of Health rooms yesterday afternoon. Several patients called and after examination were advised as to the best method for treatment. They were also supplied with pasteurized sputum cups which are to be burned after one day's use and instructive literature. Dr. Kenney reported that some of the cases had reached an advanced stage and needed immediate attention. It is planned by the executive of the St. John association for the prevention of tuberculosis to engage a nurse to devote her whole time to the care of such cases.

Negotiations are Off.

"The Sun has not been sold to the Telegraph, nor the Telegraph to the Sun. There is no option for such sale and no negotiations are in progress," said Mr. Charles F. Crandall, Editor of the Sun to the Standard last evening. This statement reveals the present conditions of affairs. It is understood that the period set for negotiations closed Wednesday evening, as the Standard stated. Mr. John Moore and Mr. George McArthur had a conference as stated with the Sun people, but nothing seems to have come out of it. Hon. B. F. Pearson and Mr. G. Fred Pearson were in the city yesterday, the former returning from Fredericton.

Sons of England Entertain.

Marlborough Lodge, No. 207, Sons of England, entertained Portland Lodge, No. 246, in their rooms, Odd-fellows Hall, last evening. About 100 were present and a very enjoyable evening was spent. Mr. A. Webb, president of Marlborough lodge, gave an opening address of welcome to the guests, which was responded to by Mr. H. Vanwart. Refreshments were served during the evening and the following took part in a vocal and instrumental programme: W. S. and Bert Marley, Harry Lowe, R. J. Coupe, Beverley K. Armstrong, F. J. Punter, Fred Howard, A. Creighton, W. Robertson, H. Bell, Wilson and Chad Ledford. The committee in charge of refreshments were R. E. Holland, W. S. Marley, W. D. Frye and P. Webb.

Salvage Corps Entertained.

The entertainment given by the members of No. 1 Salvage Corps to their comrades of No. 2 last evening was enjoyed by about 100 members. Songs and speeches were the order of the day and with the best of refreshments nothing was left undone to make the affair a grand success. A feature of the evening was the presentation to No. 2 S. C. of a handsome picture of His Majesty King Edward VII. The presentation was made on behalf of No. 1 Corps by Capt. R. W. W. Frink in an appropriate speech. Captain Turner, of No. 2 accepting the gift responded in a few eloquent remarks. Chief Kerr was among the guests and referred to the efficiency of the men and thanked the members for their kindness and ever-ready assistance which was always at the disposal of the department. During the evening a musical programme of high order was carried out in which the following took part: Howard Allison, M. P. Kelly, A. Gordon Rainnie, Robert Holder, John Tonge, Clyde Dickinson, William Holder and Fred McKean.

THE LATE DR. J. M. DEACON.

Resolution of Appreciation and Regret Passed by Council of Physicians and Surgeons.

The following resolution on the death of Dr. J. M. Deacon of Milltown was passed at the annual meeting of the Council of Physicians and Surgeons of New Brunswick:

The members of the Council of Physicians and Surgeons of New Brunswick desire to place on record the keen appreciation of the great loss that they and the profession in the province have sustained in the sudden demise of our valued friend and co-worker, Dr. J. M. Deacon.

Endowed with good ability and a love of his chosen profession, he had gained a more than local reputation as a surgeon and won the love and confidence of numerous patients.

To the profession at large, Dr. Deacon had endeared himself by his unselfish energy in promoting all that is to the advancement of medicine and surgery and to the upholding of its highest aims.

Also resolved that a page of our records be devoted to the memory of our departed member, and further resolved that a copy of the resolutions be sent to his widow and family, with the prayer, that He who doeth all things well will comfort and sustain them in their heavy bereavement.

Long Wait For Water Endangers Warehouse

Delay of 25 Minutes in Fighting Fire in Boiler House Between 5 and 6 Sheds Last Evening--Pipe to Warehouse Empty--Ald. Belyea Makes Some Pointed Comments.

Twenty-five minutes delay in turning on the water at a fire in the city boiler shed between No. 5 and No. 6 warehouses on the West Side last evening at 8:30 o'clock, made things look for a time as if No. 5 shed would be destroyed. The fire was discovered by a city watchman, fortunately at an early stage and he sent in an alarm from Box 218. When the fire department arrived the water was not turned on at Union street and Ald. Belyea is authority for the statement that twenty-five minutes in all elapsed before the first stream of water reached the flames. Half an hour's hard work extinguished the blaze on the roof and the damage will not amount to very much. There being no water in the pipes which run underneath the warehouses, it is said to be the duty of the watchman in case of fire to go to Union St. and turn on the water in readiness for the firemen. This was not done, however, and the hose company arrived to find no water available. The crowd which had gathered began to ask, "Why don't they turn on the water?" Alfred Ring, foreman of the waterworks on the West Side, and a member of the West Side fire department, turned the stream into the 8 inch main which protects the warehouses. The engineer in the boiler house and two workmen had attached the city hose to No. 6 pipe and John McAndrew and Harry McLeod, of the West Side department stretched the fire hose to reach the pipe at No. 5 shed. But the time the water came the sparks were flying in dangerous proximity to the warehouses. The two streams proved very effective and the sheds were saved. Ald. Belyea, who was present at the fire when interviewed last evening, said it seemed to him that the water should be kept continually running in the pipes. He said that a policeman's watch had checked the lost time at twenty-five minutes. A few minutes longer and \$25,000 worth of property would have been destroyed. This was not the first time as there had been two delays before. He thought there was something wrong somewhere. Mr. Wm. Murdoch, city engineer, when asked about the matter, said under present conditions it was not practicable to have the water turned on in the pipes under the sheds as they would freeze it up. The pipes were supplied with valves and were drained after being used.

Up To Local Exporters To Hold Havana Trade

Mr. Frank Clemens Speaks of the Superior Quality of New Brunswick Potatoes--Local Government's Efforts Have Done Much to Establish Market--Further Facilities Needed.

Mr. Frank Clemens of Fredericton, who is interested in the establishment of a strong market in Cuba for New Brunswick potatoes, and has been looking into the matter of warehouse accommodation and shipping facilities on the West side for the past week, left last evening for Boston en route to Havana. To a Standard reporter last evening, Mr. Clemens said that, now through the effort of the Provincial government, a market had been established for the New Brunswick potatoes, and he was of the opinion that if the local exporters were making an effort to oust the New Brunswick product, still he was of the opinion that if the local exporters would continue to send a superior potato, the demand could be kept up. In their efforts to develop a potato market in Cuba, the local government had met with gratifying success and were deserving of much credit. The shipments from the province this winter, he would venture to say, would be over 100 per cent greater than last year. Referring to warehouse facilities on the West side, Mr. Clemens said that the warehouse now in use is well fitted and he had not heard of any complaints from the shippers. He was of the opinion, however, that if the shipments were increased next season, it would necessitate the erection of a new building. Speaking of the warehouse which the Provincial government had leased in Havana, Mr. Clemens said it was an absolute necessity, otherwise large shipments not turned over immediately on the arrival of the steamer might be allowed to spoil from being exposed to the weather. While in Cuba Mr. Clemens will investigate conditions thoroughly, and feels confident that the demand for the New Brunswick product will continue.

ARTS AND CRAFTS FOR BOYS

Interesting Exhibition at Y. M. C. A. in April--Competition Open to Exhibitors from 13 to 18 Years of Age.

All boys will be interested in an Arts and Crafts exhibition which will be held in the Boy's Department of the Y. M. C. A. on April 1st and 2nd. About everything in which boys are interested will be displayed at this unique fair and competition will be open to every boy in the city from 13 to 18 years of age inclusive. Suitable prizes will be awarded in all the classes. Particulars regarding fees and entries will be announced later. Class I called Collection is subdivided again into the following: Autographs, buttons, coins, stamps, post cards, curiosities. Manual training exhibits come under Class II. In Class III art, freehand and map drawing and show card advertising will be displayed. Class IV provides for photography exhibits including landscapes, marine and animal views. Electrical instruments and any model of wood or metal are classified under industrial crafts. In the natural history group, collections of insects, woods, pressed flowers, shells, minerals and ores are listed. Prizes will also be given for burnt leather covers for magazines, to remain the property of the Y. M. C. A.

WINTER MOTORING

Several Cars Have Been Out Each Week This Season--Special Car for Snow-Traveling Being Demonstrated.

To no other class has the mild weather been more welcome than to the enthusiastic motorists, of whom a considerable number in St. John have been able to take their cars out every week this season. Those who have kept their cars running include Mr. Harry Doherty, Mr. F. W. Peters, Mr. Fred Crosby, Mr. Paul R. Hanson.

Mr. J. A. Pugsley has been out nearly every day demonstrating a new make of Reo car, which is especially adapted for travelling in snow. The new car is four cylinder, 30 hp. with large wheels and high axle. As long as the snow remained soft the car can go along at a fast clip and a crust is the only thing to be feared. It is understood that several of these cars have been sold in St. John and last winter motoring is likely to become a popular sport as a result.

Mr. Pugsley expects to bring two expert demonstrators to St. John soon to show some new cars. He has also in mind an excursion for newspaper men in the near future.

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BUILDINGS FOR BIG FAIR

Tenders To Be Called For at Once--New Grand Stand To Seat 1800--Many Visitors Yesterday.

At a lengthy session of the building committee of the Exhibition Association last evening, with Mr. W. F. Burditt in the chair, it was decided to call for tenders at once for the new buildings needed for the big fair next September. Plans and specifications for a new grand stand and a new exhibition building for arts and agriculture were considered. The new grand stand which will be 280 feet in length and 40 feet in depth will seat about 1,800 people and will be situated on the southern side of the ring, directly opposite the location of the present stand. The old structure will be torn down and the site used by the Dominion government in the construction of an armory. The new building for exhibition purposes will also be situated on the southern side of the grounds almost adjoining the present main building. It will be 150 feet in length and 60 feet deep, two storeys in height. In this building will be grouped the art exhibits, women's work and educational features and on the lower floor agricultural displays. The architectural lines of the new buildings will closely follow the style of the present structures.

DOG MAKES WILD LEAP

Dashed Through Plate Glass Window of Hotel Ottawa Last Evening, Doing \$50 Damage.

A weird and peculiar occurrence was witnessed at the Ottawa Hotel about 11 o'clock last night when an apparently mad dog jumped through the large front plate glass into the street. The large sheet of glass was broken into pieces, the top part falling out upon the sidewalk. No one seemed to have noticed the dog had entered the hotel. The large animal first attracted attention by perching upon the table in the centre of the room. The clerk noticed the dog was acting in an unusual manner and was about to have the animal ejected when with a wild bark, it leaped from the table a distance of 15 feet and made a dash through the lower part of the large plate glass window. Upon lighting on the sidewalk the dog appeared to be dazed, but soon disappeared across King Street. The estimated damage to the window will be about \$50.

A Skiing Party.

A number of young ladies enjoyed a skiing party in the vicinity of Lily Lake yesterday. Leaving the city in the morning, they visited the park and proceeded to the Sandy Point Road. They visited the club house at Crescent Lake and enjoyed luncheon. A start on the return was made about four o'clock, and some more slides were enjoyed as they dashed on the way. Those in the party were: The Misses Gandy, Miss Laura Hazen, Miss Clara Schofield, Miss Frances Hazen, Miss Gladys Hegan, and Miss Marion Belyea.

PERSONAL.

Miss Gertrude Williams of Douglas avenue, left on Wednesday to spend a month with Mrs. Owen Jones, New Hampshire, formerly of this city.

Miss Annie McAndrews of West St. John returned from Hamilton yesterday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. McLean of Montreal arrived in the city yesterday and are visiting friends in West St. John.

Mrs. Percy W. Thomson was hostess at a five o'clock tea yesterday afternoon.

Miss Dorothy Blizard gave a delightful snowshoe party to Rockwood Park last evening.

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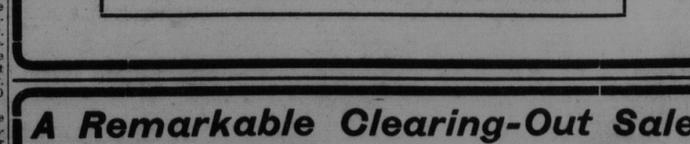
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