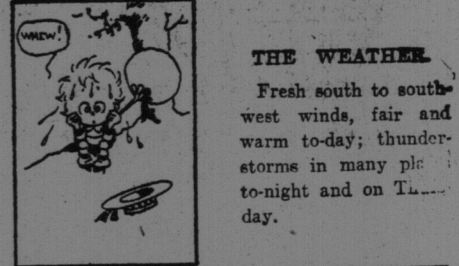


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C.P.R. MECHANICS WENT OUT ON STRIKE TODAY

Entire Line Affected From St. John to Vancouver--Thirteen Men Quit Work at St. John and About 200 at McAdam.

Eight thousand C. P. R. mechanics went on strike this morning affecting the entire line from this city to Vancouver. Here there are exactly 13 men out; at McAdam about 200 and Brownville about 12.

PYTHIAN CAMP LOOTED BY BOSTON PICKPOCKETS

STOBBART IS INDIGNANT Head of Pythian Hosts Demands Adequate Police Protection From Mayor of Boston and Threatens to Close the Encampment if it is not Forthcoming--Conditions are Disgraceful.

Letters received from St. John visitors to the Knights of Pythias convention in Boston corroborate the despatches from Boston, which tell of looting by pickpockets and inadequate police protection at the Franklin Field encampment of Uniformed Knights. One writer who visited the camp on Sunday says there were 50,000 people present. No commander-in-chief was seen and in fact the K. P. patrol furnished the only protection. Several cases of thieving were reported and this writer concludes by saying: 'Persons so minded could have little difficulty in stealing anything but the tent itself, and they were pegged down.'



Brig. Gen. Stobbart

MONCTON POLICE LAND A DANGEROUS FIRE BUG

Frank Williams Arrested This Morning Left a Trail of Incendiary Fires Behind Him--G. T. P. Strike Leaders Sent up for Trial.

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LOSS WAS HEAVY IN FERNIE FIRE

Some of the Largest Losers--Relief Fund Now Reaches \$45,000.

Michel, B.C., Aug. 5.—(Special).—A fierce gale of wind yesterday afternoon fanned the shimmering embers in the forest west of this town into renewed fury, causing them to burn worse than ever. The flames invaded the railway yards, where one hundred thousand feet of mine timber owned by the coal company was soon destroyed, as was also considerable rolling stock. The train service will be blocked indefinitely.

NEWS FROM FREDERICTON

Prospects Good for This Afternoon's Racing--The Bankers Excited.

Fredricton, N.B., Aug. 5.—(Special).—Fine weather prevails here and the outlook for the races at the driving park is very promising. The crowd in attendance is large and includes many horsemen from outside places. Luke E. is the favorite in the fifteen class and Abell in the twenty-five class.

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HALF UNITED STATES UNDER PROHIBITION

Nearly 40,000,000 People Live Where Saloon is Forbidden, and the Area is Growing.

Denver, Aug. 4.—Dr. P. A. Baker, general superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League, who is here to tell the people of Denver what has been accomplished by the prohibition movement, says: "Nearly 40,000,000 people in the United States now live in prohibition territory."

THE ODDFELLOWS MEET IN HALIFAX

Big Gathering of Manchester Unity Oddfellows Opened This Morning.

Halifax, Aug. 5.—(Special).—The sixteenth annual session of the Grand Lodge of Acadia District, I. O. O. F., Manchester Unity, convened in the King Edward lodge room, Barrington street, at six o'clock this morning. The Acadia District of this order includes all the Maritime Provinces and representatives to Grand Lodges in Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island.

TO STOP GAMBLING AT BASE BALL

The American League Will Endeavor to Stop the Pernicious Practice.

Chicago, Aug. 5.—Efforts to stamp out gambling in baseball will be made immediately by the American League. President Johnson of the league, it is announced today, will issue a bulletin to enforce the prevalence of betting and asking each club owner to enforce to the letter, the provisions of the league constitution prohibiting it. President Johnson figures it may even be necessary to place under arrest every one caught making bets at the ball parks and if the city police cannot be trusted to enforce the order he will recommend that the club owners assign a force of private detectives to ferret out the betters and those receiving bets.

HE FOUND IT

"Yes, gentlemen," said the drummer, "I have had my two weeks' vacation, and I must say that I never enjoyed myself so well in my life. I went right out into the country to a farmhouse."

BROKE WORLD'S RECORD

Abergevenny, Eng., Aug. 5.—R. E. Walker, the South African sprinter who won the final of the 100 metre dash at the Olympic sports, yesterday broke the world's record for 100 yards, his time being 22.5 seconds, 1.5 of a second less than the record made by Dan J. Kelly at Spokane, Washington, June 23, 1906.

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AN AMERICAN WIFE

London, Aug. 5.—The engagement is announced of the Hon. Hugh McNeill, second son of the Earl of Widdow, to Miss Mary, daughter of Benjamin A. Sands of New York.

THE TIMES NEW REPORTER

HIRAM AND THE MOOSE. When Hiram Hornbeam read the morning paper that a crowd of boys and men had been driven from the streets of this city, he was in a rage. "Now I suppose that those boys are the dogs of the city," he said. "I'll get back from Ottawa--but I'll see 'em. Well, if I found a good place to die, the sight of them old tomstones in the Buryn' Ground 'ud hurry the end along, even for a mouse. Hey, what?"

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SURE THING

Sussex, Aug. 5.—(Special).—The fact that not a lawyer could be found in the town for two days has put an effective stop to the croaking of those citizens who declare that the town is always growing worse.

THE FERRY SERVICE

It is expected that at the investigation concerning the ferry steamer Ludlow a motion will be presented demanding that Messrs Farman, Baldwin and Zeppelin be asked to tender for a new service across the harbor. A guarantee of a constant supply of hot air will be offered as an inducement to the tenderers.

THE WEATHER. Fresh south to south-west winds, fair and warm to-day; thunderstorms in many places to-night and on Thursday.

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COUNT ZEPPELIN'S AIR SHIP DESCENDS NEAR STUTTGART

Owing to a Defect in one of the Motors the Voyage Was Rather Abruptly Terminated.

Stuttgart, Aug. 5.—During a storm today, the Zeppelin airship broke away from its moorings, took fire and disappeared in the air. Several persons were injured. Count Zeppelin, however, is safe.

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OTHER BRITISH COLUMBIA TOWNS DESTROYED BY FIRE

Michel at First Thought to be Out of Danger is Now Reduced to Ashes—Coal Creek Apparently Escaped—Thrilling Tale of a Woman's Heroism.

Michel, Aug. 4.—A ferocious gale of wind this afternoon fanned the slumbering embers in the forest west of the town into renewed fury causing them to burn worse than ever. They swept on towards the town at terrible speed and the fate of the new portion of the town was soon settled.

The flames invaded the railway yards where 100,000 feet of mine timber owned by the coal company was soon destroyed as was also considerable rolling stock. Train service will be blocked indefinitely.

The number of dead bodies recovered is twenty-two, and it is believed there are undoubtedly others, the death list is smaller than at first reported.

There are still more than 100 missing, but as people fled in all directions to escape the flames, most of them are expected to turn up in time. Some fugitives followed the stream to the interior and others went by railway tracks.

The British Columbia government will probably take action today to assume the cost of caring for the sufferers so far as it may be necessary.

Winipeg, Toronto, Montreal and Spokane wholesale merchants have offered to credit dealers burned out by the fire, and on every hand is witnessed heroic efforts to minimize the great disaster and rebuild a greater and fairer Fernie.

Fernie, B.C., Aug. 4.—Among the many heroic cases revealed is that of Mrs. Henry Morris, wife of a miner, caught in the edge of the brush with her five little children. Her husband had been caught in their burning home and perished.

The heroic mother fought her way through the falling flames, and finally reached the railway track where she was picked up with her children by a relief train. The whole family had been listed as dead.

The "blacks" that Black Hands started the fire in revenge for the imprisonment of their members is being followed up by the mounted police, and while the story is not generally credited, it is to be feared the bottom of the matter is covered by enormous quantities of supplies into Fernie and surrounding towns.

The quick response of American towns along the border has created the liveliest feeling of cordiality and all the towns of the Crow's Nest Pass region.

Winnipeg, Aug. 4.—(Special).—The following is a list of the dead at Fernie as far as known.

Walter Ford, sixty, miner; Mrs. Walter Ford, daughter, aged 8; son, aged 2, family living at West Fernie.

Lena Bell, colored, single.

Anderson, stationary engineer, Pacific Coal Co., suffocated.

PRINCE WILLIAM STREET FOR ARMORY

Major General Lake Says This Site Will be Chosen—Artillery Inspection Last Night.

Major-General P. H. N. Lake, of Ottawa, Inspector-General of the Canadian Militia, arrived in the city yesterday and last evening inspected the 3rd regiment C. A. The inspection by the artillery inspecting officer was made some weeks ago, but it is considered advisable that the inspector general should see every corps on parade and the regiment was called together last evening for that purpose.

General Lake was asked last evening regarding the proposed John armory. "I am not a member of the militia council," he said, "and cannot speak with authority, but I was told by a member that the site on Prince Street, between William street and that construction work would not be long delayed."

With regard to the local troops, General Lake said he could express no opinion until he had seen his official report.

On the arrival of the inspector general at the barracks square at 8:30 o'clock, the general salute was given. The inspecting officer then passed through the ranks and made a thorough examination of the strength of the companies. This was followed by a march past in column and quarter column, after which there was an exhibition of gun drill.

The major then put their companies separately through the same evolutions and the regiment was reformed into quarter column for dismissal.

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The picnic of the Carleton Presbyterian church was held yesterday at Westport Beach and proved very successful. Two special trains took about 900 people up the line and all spent an enjoyable day.

The sports were keenly contested and Roy Dryman, potato race and hog, step and jump; George Clark, air rifle; H. W. Young, of Florida; Mrs. J. J. Peter, of Misses Johnson and Agnes, of Moncton, and Sister Aloysia, a Sister of Charity of Dorchester (Mass.).

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The commission appointed to enquire into the affairs of the Central Railway will resume work on Monday.

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HEARTY WELCOME TO RECTOR OF ST. MARY'S

Archdeacon Raymond and His Wife Tendered a Reception by St. Mary's Congregation.

The congregation of St. Mary's church united last evening in extending an enthusiastic reception to their rector, Ven. Archdeacon Raymond, and Mrs. Raymond on their return home from England. The members of St. Mary's congregation united with the various societies of the church and St. Mary's Band in presenting to them a formal address of welcome.

The ceremony, which took place in the vestry of the church, was presided over by Rev. E. B. Hooper, of St. Paul's (Valley) church, who was the choir.

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THE C.P.R. MECHANICS' STRIKE WILL EFFECT THE WHOLE RAILWAY

Eight Thousand Men Threaten to go Out Today Because of Dissatisfaction Over Award of the Conciliation Board Appointed at Their Request—Whole System Affected.

Winnipeg, Aug. 4.—Eight thousand employees of the Canadian Pacific railway department will go on strike, including all the men between St. John and Vancouver, tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock, according to a statement of J. H. McVeity, who has been acting for the men in the mechanical department.

The position taken is that the men demand the acceptance by the company of the minority report signed by their representative after the recent conciliation meetings, and as the company has refused to depart from its ground, after having declared its willingness to stand by the majority report, a strike appears inevitable.

It is one of the most critical moments in the history of the Canadian West, with the vast traffic in sight, a big crop being harvested and fuel supplies being rushed forward from the lakes over the territory covering 2,000 miles, which requires this coal to go through winter.

Montreal, Aug. 4.—(Special).—Eight thousand members of the mechanical unions of the Canadian Pacific Railway will go on strike tomorrow, as a result of the long-standing disputes between the company and the men regarding classification of work and the pay therefor, as well as a number of other points which have been dragged into the dispute.

This decision was reached today and word was telegraphed all over the system that the members of the unions must quit work at 10 a.m. tomorrow in order to enforce their demands.

At just what hour the men will have their tools is as yet a secret, but President Bill Hardy, who has been representing the unions in Montreal for some time past, stating tonight that the decision to strike had been definitely reached, and every arrangement was made to carry it out. The programme was made to carry it out.

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OBITUARY

Florence Nightingale

Cox's Point, N. B., Aug. 1.—Suddenly after two days illness, Mrs. Florence Nightingale, third daughter of Asa Nightingale, of Cox's Point, died today; father, mother and two sisters, Stella and Lillian, are left to mourn the loss of a bright and cheerful member of the family. She was fifty-seven years of age.

Mrs. Ellen McSweeney

Moncton, N. B., Aug. 4 (Special).—Miss Ellen McSweeney died this afternoon after quite a long illness. Miss McSweeney was the wife of George McSweeney, a well-known business man of Moncton.

The sports were keenly contested and Roy Dryman, potato race and hog, step and jump; George Clark, air rifle; H. W. Young, of Florida; Mrs. J. J. Peter, of Misses Johnson and Agnes, of Moncton, and Sister Aloysia, a Sister of Charity of Dorchester (Mass.).

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THE SHADY TRICKS OF THE ILLEGAL LIQUOR SELLERS

Methods of "Blind Pigs"—Ingenuity Displayed in Cobalt Resorts—The Mysterious Panel—Cubby Holes in Wall and Hollow Cans Helped Out the Hippopot Method.

Cobalt, August 4.—It is now a month since the historical raid has taken place on the "blind pigs" in Cobalt, immediately subsequent to which was the arrest of Mr. E. J. Sweeney, who was the licensee of the establishment, who dealt the offenders one by one, and before his departure made a remarkable confession of the various methods employed in the "blinking" of the liquor.

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BRONSON HOWARD DRAMATIST DEAD

Successful Dramatic Author Died at Avon-by-the-Sea, N. J.

New York, Aug. 4.—Bronson Howard, dramatist and author of several plays which stand as landmarks in the American dramatic field, died today of heart failure at Avon-by-the-Sea, N. J. after an illness of about a year.

Mr. Howard, who went to the coast resort on June 25, in the hope that the sea air might benefit him, improved in health for a time, but in the last two weeks failed rapidly. Mr. Howard and several near relatives were with him as he died.

Mr. Howard began his journalistic career in 1859, when he came to this city, where he was connected at various times with the Tribune and the Evening Mail and the Evening Post. He gradually retired from newspaper work in 1872, devoting himself largely thereafter to dramatic work.

Mr. Howard married Miss Wynham, a sister of Sir Charles Wynham, the English comedian.

Dr. Albert E. Jones, of Kansas City, is in the city visiting his uncle, Dr. G. A. Hetherington.

Do Your Ears Ache? Why not use Polson's Nevil's? This trusty liniment cures toothache and earache almost instantly. Safe and soothing, yet five times stronger than ordinary remedies. Test a 25c. bottle of Nevil's.

OPENING OF THE NEW BAND STAND

The First Concert in King Square Stand Will be Given Tomorrow Night.

The City Cornet Band is preparing a programme of music for the opening of the new band stand in King square tomorrow evening. This is not intended to be a formal opening as the stand is not yet decorated and lighted, but the public will be given an opportunity to see the stand in use for the first time.

The members of the band feel encouraged over the completion of the stand, which has cost about \$2,000, and they wish to thank heartily all those who have assisted in the work.

Yesterday at the Bishop's picnic, the bandmen appeared with new uniforms and new helmets. The uniforms were purchased from W. J. Higgins & Co., and the helmets from J. Barclay, both members of the band. They make a fine appearance.

Many visitors in town

The tourist travel generally reaches high water mark during the present month. Yesterday the city was full of strangers. The hotels were filled and every form of conveyance did a prosperous business.

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ENGLISH FIRM BRING ACTION IN COURT HERE

In the circuit court yesterday before Mr. Justice Landry, the suit Robert Jones & Co. of Liverpool (England), against Geo. S. Cabling, was begun, and will be resumed this morning at 10 o'clock.

The suit is for breach of contract, the plaintiffs claiming that they held in 1902 an option on the plaintiff for large quantities of box shooks, which they claim to have exercised in due time, but they allege the defendant neglected and refused to supply the shooks.

The defendant contends that the option was not exercised in time, that the plaintiffs were too late in accepting the shooks, and that the value of the shooks was not ascertained.

Had a Profitable Trip

D. W. Clinch, secretary of the New Brunswick Fish, Forest and Game Protection Association, returned last evening from Ottawa and Montreal, where he was in the interests of the organization.

Mr. Clinch also had interviews with Hon. George P. Graham and Hon. William Fungay and found both ministers favorable to the movement.

L. O. Armstrong, advertising manager of the C. P. R., was seen at Montreal and supplied with two dozen photographs of the beauty spots in New Brunswick. He promised the province in the province's advertising matter.

The Quebec Association will send a representative to the meeting of the Provincial Association this autumn.

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A POLICE MIXUP AT FREDERICTON

Aldermen Stay Away From a Meeting to Block the Police Commission.

Fredricton, N. B., Aug. 4.—The civic deadlock over police commission matters is becoming acute but is likely to reach a climax before long. The monthly meeting of the council was called for this evening but there was not a quorum present, consequently no business was transacted.

Those who put in an appearance were Mayor Chestnut and Ald. S. G. Mitchell, Clark and Crowe, all of whom are favorable to the police commission.

The absentees were Ald. Winslow, Farrell, Kitchen, Jewett, Hooper and Walker. The last being out of town. Six aldermen and the mayor constitute a quorum.

Last evening the council in committee failed to pass the accounts incurred by the police commission. The citizens are getting tired of this squabbling over police matters and look to the council to settle the matter in some way.

In the absence of several aldermen it is scarcely likely that another attempt will be made to hold a meeting this week. In the meantime the employees of the city must do without their money.

Pythian CBMP Looted

By Boston Pickpockets; Stobbart is Indignant

Boston, Mass., Aug. 4.—There were two receptions tonight to end one of the most memorable days in the history of Pythian conventions, made so by the grand spectacle of 10,000 marching knights of the uniform rank who were a grand ovation all along the line as they passed through the heart of the city this afternoon.

Common With All Women

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TRAVERSING THE AIR Today's despatches tell of further remarkable achievements in aerial navigation, by Zeppelin with his dirigible balloon, and by Farman with his aeroplane. The following interesting article on the general subject is from a New York journal:

In the great crowd that watched Henri Farman wing himself about the Brighton lighthouse Sunday was perhaps the man of the hour. It is a problem. Farman and the Wright brothers and Zeppelin are just beginning to learn a little about air currents—as much, perhaps as Christopher Columbus knew about the currents of the sea and the geography of the earth when he sailed into the unknown west.

TREE PLANTING The absence of trees has been one of the disadvantages of the prairie farm, but it is one that may be overcome without serious difficulty. One reads with much interest the following statement of what is being done in tree-planting in the Canadian west:

constantly employed during the summer in inspecting the plantations, woodlots, shelterbelts, or windbreaks set out on the farms and in giving advice and information to the farmers. Of the trees planted up to the present time the superintendent of forestry states that the figures compiled by the inspector show 80 per cent. now living. The earlier plantations are established, the trees being in many cases from sixteen to eighteen feet high, forming not only a valuable asset to the farmer on whose property they are, but of educational value showing how cheaply and successfully tree-planting can be carried on under proper methods. In this way not only shelter but fuel and fencing are provided for the farmer. The Manitoba maple or box elder, the native green ash, the American elm, the Dakota cottonwood, the golden and acute leaved willows are the varieties of trees sent out by the forestry branch; the conifers are being experimented with, but owing to the length of time required to grow them to a size large enough for planting out it will be a few years before spruce, tamarack, jack pine, and other conifers are distributed.

THE SWEAT SHOPS Of sweat-shop conditions in Toronto, to which reference was made in the Times a day or two since, the Toronto News says: "The average comfortable citizen of Toronto will have been surprised and pained at the revelations regarding the existence of sweat-shops in this community. The conference between the clergy and representative working-men at the Labor Temple brought out some vivid pictures of the conditions under which some garment-workers eke out a miserable existence. Crowded into a small, ill-ventilated room or basement, they surely earn their bread by the sweat of the brow. It is from such scenes of misery and ill-health that much of the cheap ready-made clothing comes. Such apparel must be a fruitful source of contagion to those who purchase and wear it. Certainly the vitality of the men, women and children who labor under such conditions is undermined and the community cannot escape the penalty. In a new land we cannot afford to allow such abuses to gain a permanent foothold. The system which permits contractors to force down the wages of the helpless garment-workers should be fought with every available weapon. In Great Britain an attempt is being made to check the sweat-shop evil through the instrumentality of fair-wage boards. The theory of the movement is that such boards, composed of representative employers and employees, shall fix minimum wage schedules to be operative throughout given districts. Authority is taken to enforce the approved scale, and a decided improvement in the lot of the home worker is looked for."

Referring to the campaign of the Massachusetts authorities against the dogfish and noting the fact that the dogfish on the English coast yields oil, the Boston Journal says: "Presumably the dogfish that is plaguing the Massachusetts fisherman is livered like the dogfish across the sea. Why doesn't the Massachusetts fisherman make it worth his while to go after dogfish liver oil? When the dogfish began to worry the fishermen along the Pacific coast, the worried promptly turned to their nature books and found that dogfish liver oil was rather valuable. Since then the dogfish has contributed his share to the profits of the Pacific fisheries. The Massachusetts authorities might make a recommendation on this point before they go any farther and tell the fishermen to get busy. They can make money and the state save it."

Mr. George H. Clark, seed commissioner for the department of agriculture at Ottawa, tells the farmers of this province a wholesome truth when he says they should appreciate the value of their own resources, and not envy the West. He adds the cheering remark that agriculture is making forward strides in these provinces. As the time draws nearer for the fall exhibition it becomes more and more the duty of the citizens to think and talk exhibition, and so create that atmosphere of local enthusiasm which makes for success. If the armory is to be built on Prince William street the Exhibition Association should be able to secure permanent quarters where the present drill shed is located. The first concert on the handsome new band stand on King Square will determine whether the citizens appreciate it or not. If they do—they will keep off the grass. Apparently the rain did not come soon enough, and the New Brunswick grain crop will be light.

MARINE NOTES Schr. Irma Bentley, Capt. Parker, towed across the Bay to Annapolis yesterday. She has on board 244,327 feet of white pine lumber. British bark Edna M. Smith, Capt. Stevens, arrived at Buenos Ayres, July 31, ninety-six days from Bear River (N. B.).

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IN LIGHTER VEIN NEARLY SAW IT. Stella—"I suppose you have had many hairbreadth escapes?" Kookoo—"Yes, a woman's outfit was all that kept me from seeing a paper once."—Baltimore American.

WALL FLOWERS. OM Customer—"I want a nice home-growing vine." Here's a wall flower." OM Customer—"Don't need it. Have two plain, middle-aged daughters."—Baltimore American.

THE PROMOTION OF LEAR. Lear had just been turned out of the house. "What?" he cried, "they always pay attention to the opinion of the man in the house." Herewith he began to feel of importance.—New York Sun.

TIME AS A CURE. "Doctor, I fear that I have kleptomania." "Do, oh, well, time will cure that." "How much time?" "Yes, it was a good paper; but it didn't stir anybody's fancy shivers."—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

USING THE UNUSUAL. "To what do you attribute your success?" "To taking people at their word," answered the Polish wife with a whisker. "Take a man at his word nowadays and it surprises him as the wind sails to live up to it."—Washington Herald.

A CHILD'S TRIBUTE. A Cleveland man who loves the folk-lore stories of Joel Chandler Harris and has his little girl love them, too, told the child last Sunday that "Uncle Remus" was dead. He noticed a little later that the child was unusually quiet. Presently he called to her. "What's bothering you?" "Uncle Remus, daddy," she answered, and there was a little catch in her voice; "I was des thinkin' how awful Brer Rabbit must be!"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

A CLEVER WOMAN. Although a woman has not yet won her fight for equal suffrage, her influence in politics of a club exclusively for men has lately been demonstrated. A student for the office of president in a New York club was desired two candidates for the place; one a clerk in a New York municipal institution, the other a wealthy manufacturer, with a reputation among his neighbors for cleverness.

There was a difference of opinion about baseball, but the members finally reached a compromise: the sum and substance of which is that girls may play ball provided the ball is a soft ball. This would seem to necessitate a revision of the rules of the game. It is questionable whether a player "hit by pitches" with a soft ball should be entitled to take her base, unless indeed she should be hit squarely on the nose or mouth, causing her in the excitement of the moment to swallow her gum. The new style will hardly attain popularity. A soft answer turneth away wrath, but a soft ball game will turn away crowds. The tug-of-war was also tabooed for girls, on the ground that it was too strenuous, and snap-the-whip was also expurgated because it was too dangerous. The chief objection against football, besides the roughness of the sport, was that properly to play the game, the girls would have to wear gymnastic uniforms, and even at that, in the scrimmages they would assume postures not in harmony with the accepted ideals of womanly grace and dignity. The same objections were made to wrestling. The members of the association regretted that numerous games formerly popular with girls are now evidently on their way to oblivion, being seldom if ever played on the playground. Among those never games which have been displaced those of the ancient variety are "Dodge ball," "Ring toss," "Roulette" and "Roulette." All of these modern pastimes can be played by both boys and girls.

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The Evening Times' Page of Seasonable Sports

DULL WEEK FOR RING PATRONS

Some Few Bouts However That are Attracting Interest in Boston.

Boston, August 4.—Ring followers will be obliged to kick their heels and wait this week, for there is nothing in sight for them. But they will not sit and mope, for there is a show coming and then there are some bouts this week in which they are interested.

On Friday night Sam Langford and Tony Ross, the Italian heavyweight, will be under the management of Jimmy Dime, the old-time sprinter, who will be remembered for a bout with Young Griffo in the Music Hall, which was at New York. While Ross will be a pretty safe bet, Langford is going to be the main attraction. He is picked as an easy winner.

There is an old saying that the bigger the fish the more it eats. That was applied to Walcott when he was campaigning at the zenith of his pugilistic career. Langford is going just about as well as Joe did then and it can be shifted to the other colored wonder.

Moss was beaten at Chelsea in two rounds by Jim Barry, although he later won through in a ten-round bout at Newcastle. Then with Jimmy Toney, may stay the full distance with Langford, but he'll remember the punning he will get till his last breath.

Frank McFarland, whose manager, Harry Gilmore, so incensed Jim Jeffries that he retired from all connection with the ring, will meet Phil Brock at San Francisco on Friday night also. Brock is a good boy, in fact he's so good that Rudolph Dahlgren cancelled a match with him, not that he was afraid of him, but because he felt that he should be perfect to meet Brock, and he couldn't seem to get right after the bout with Gans. Brock has a mighty good record, and is credited with a victory in a ten-round over George Meenan.

It must be remembered that while McFarland knocked out Jimmy Britt and showed extremely well in that contest, yet he did not do anything remarkable against Freddy Welsh, and was lucky to get a draw against the English lightweight. Welsh showed at Chelsea and did not impress anybody with punching powers. Brock is apt to give Rocky a good argument. The stockyards boy, however, will be a favorite.

Larry Connolly of South Boston is booked to meet Tony Caponi at Rockaway, N. Y., on Friday night. Caponi is a staller, and if Connolly keeps his nose with him he should beat Anthony.

Frank Mantell, whose championship aspirations were knocked into a cocked hat when Harry Levin knocked him out, is down for a contest in New York on Wednesday. Billy Smallman and Adolph Wolkoff are to show at Colton on Saturday, and Bert Keyes, who fought Packy McFarland at the Armory A. A. and Billy Ryan at the Armory B. A. at Binghamton, N. Y., on Thursday.

Willie Fitzgerald has signed to meet "Dick" Nelson, six six, on August 12. Neil will leave San Francisco today to prepare for the contest.

Matty Baldwin and Charley Griffin, who put up such a slashing six-round bout at New York Friday, were practically rematched immediately after the contest was over to engage in another six-round battle before the same club on August 14.

Although Jim Goffroth has refused to put Philadelphia Jack O'Brien on with Stanley Ketchell at his open-air club at Colma, Cal., Jim Jeffries is anxious to have O'Brien fight at his club at Los Angeles, Cal., and has wired him an offer to meet Al Kaufman, the California heavyweight, for twenty-five rounds next month.

Franky Nell, the little California featherweight, is matched to meet Freddie O'Brien of Chelsea for six rounds at the Long Acre A. C. on August 12. Nell will leave San Francisco today to prepare for the contest.

CROSS MATCHED TO FIGHT MURPHY. Leach Cross, of New York, is known as the "lightning darter" because he is a regular practitioner, and also a boxer. That he is a boxer of some repute is shown by the fact that he has been matched with Tommy Murphy, formerly of Harlem, but now a resident of Los Angeles, Cal., and all New York is talking about it. Leach Cross fought Charley Griffin, the British champion, shortly after his arrival in this country. Cross was declared the winner by most of the sporting writers. He was also adjudged the winner over Fighting Dick Hyland.

The right man to fight Louis C. Wallace, the title doctor gone before it, he has defeated Sammy Smith, Kid Stinger and Willie Mango also.

JACK TWIN ON HOLIDAY. Lake Tahoe, Cal., August 4.—Jack Twin Sullivan, the Cambridge, Mass., middleweight, is here taking a vacation for a few weeks. Jack plans a vigorous roped arena campaign after the heated term.

HACKENSCHMIDT IN FORM AGAIN

Famous Russian Wrestler is Willing to go After Frank Gotch Next Year--Is in Shape Now.

Paris, August 2.—George Hackenschmidt, the "Russian Lion," who was defeated by Frank Gotch, the American, in a match for the heavyweight championship of the world in Chicago last winter, has fully recovered from the effect of his recent operation and illness.

"I am in good condition again," said Hackenschmidt, "and after a brief rest I shall resume my wrestling tour of Europe. When I have met all the champions in the old country, I shall take on those in the new."

"I intend to return to America in the winter of 1909. The first I will challenge will be Gotch. I am perfectly confident I can defeat him. I have made a lot of money in the wrestling game and I am willing to take a chance of losing some, but I have therefore never wavered on my wrestling. I will make the largest offer for a side bet that has ever been made in wrestling or pugilism that I will regain the championship after another meeting with Gotch. If he has not the money let him get a lender or two, and I will wager any amount up to \$25,000, and more if desired, that I can defeat him. The fact that I am ready to bet this sum of money should demonstrate, I think, that I am a sanguine of turning the tables when we meet on the mat again."

ST. JOHN MEN AT MONTREAL

St. John Tennis Players Win and Lose in the Championship Tournament.

Montreal, Aug. 4 (Special).—In the tennis tournament today, Sherwell, of Montreal, defeated McAvity, St. John, 6-2, 6-0, in the championship singles. In the novice singles, Innes, of St. John, beat Haig, of Montreal, 6-2, 6-2. In the open doubles, Ross, of Ottawa, and Innes, of St. John, defeated Wickes and Evans, Montreal, 6-3, 4-6, 6-4.

A RIFLE MATCH ON THE RANGE TODAY

The St. John City Rifle Club will hold their annual cash prize and Morrison Cup match this afternoon on the local rifle range, the match to start at 2 o'clock sharp at the 500 yard mound. It is hoped to see a large number of the members present. And a good match is expected. The challenge pitcher donated by N. J. Morrison, captain of the club, has aroused the interest of the marksmen who are going to make the match as interesting as possible.

CRICKETERS GO TO IRELAND

London, Aug. 4.—The gentlemen of Philadelphia cricket team this week will invade Ireland with a hope of better success than they have met with in England.

HANS WAGNER TELLS THE SECRET OF HARD HITTING

Hans spread his huge frame out over an empty soap box and made a very free when asked to explain his system of hitting the ball, says the New York Evening World. He explained that he makes an offer to an answer to the question: "How did you come to be the greatest hitter in the world?"

"The main reason, I suppose," he finally replied, "is because the scores gave me the most hits." There was no getting around that answer. It was straight on the nose. Finding a cross-examination useless, the big fellow was steered into a general conversation and that is when he got down to cases.

"It is no use trying to make a study of pitchers," he observed. "The only way I have ever been able to hit is to study the ball. The minute a batter begins figuring on what kind of a curve the pitcher is going to give him he halves himself and will be fooled more than half the time. The batter must simply watch the ball and if he sees it coming within easy reach of his bat, he must step out and meet it. Most any batter after he has reached the big league can tell which way the ball is going to curve the minute he sees it start. All this stuff about a pitcher sending in an outcurve when the batter is looking for a straight one, and fooling him is both."

The greatest faculty a batter needs is that of being able to meet the ball squarely. All batters can hit the ball, but the greater part of them do not hit it squarely. The art of placing a ball is not nearly as necessary as the art of hitting it on the nose. If you hit a ball squarely on

YACHTSMEN DENY STORY

Moncton Charge That R. K. Y. C. Men Polluted Well With Cigar Ends Indignantly Refuted.

At the quarterly meeting of the R. K. Y. C. last evening it was decided to hold an outing on Labor Day to the neighborhood of Brown's Flats and make the ascent of Bald Mountain. A committee was appointed to make the necessary arrangements. Few of the members had ever made the ascent of the mountain, and it was thought the short cruise and then the excursion on land would make a pleasing window for the season.

FRED DUNCANSON WILL RETIRE IN FALL

He Says He Will Sell his Mares This Fall and Leave the Racing Game.

Fred Duncanson, the well known horse man who is here with his swell racing stable for the meeting which opens tomorrow, announces that this fall he will hold a dispersal sale and retire from the racing game permanently. Fred has not been altogether satisfied with the way things have been breaking for him this season so far and while his friends hope that he will reconsider his decision he is now all in earnest about the sale proposition and says that it will take place this fall after the St. John Dispersal Sale, when he will sell out the two fast mares he is racing this year as well as all of his other horses.

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Four Thousand Attended Outing at Bishop's Grounds Yesterday.

Favored by fine weather and a great attendance the Cathedral Sunday school picnic, held yesterday at Torreyburn, proved one of the most successful ever enjoyed in the city. The grounds and a large proportion took dinner and supper there. The games were enjoyed by the young people who enjoyed the swings, merry-go-rounds and ball playing.

The procession of children to the train headed by the City Cornet Band was an exceedingly long one, there being in the vicinity of 1,000 in line. They made a very pretty appearance and were welcomed with pleasure by people in the streets.

The first train left at 10 o'clock and the second at 11 o'clock. The first train was followed at 12:30 with 15 cars, all of which were crowded to full capacity and a like number of cars made up the third and last train at 2:30.

The names of those on the committees are: Tickets—James Barry, Joseph Harrington, J. McInerney, T. M. Burns, John Lunnery and Wilfred Murphy. Bowling Alley—R. Walsh, C. Mitchell, Horne—P. Fitzpatrick, T. Fitzgerald, Leonard McGee, Gerald O'Neill, Louis McGee, W. Daley. Spindle Game—William Burns. Games—Louis McDonald, A. Godsoe, W. P. Daley. Refreshments—Miss McWilliams, Miss Maher, Mrs. Higgins, Miss E. Shanahan, Miss Shannon, Misses Duke, Miss Murphy, Misses McInerney, Miss Deane, Mrs. Edward Haney and many others.

GOOD RACING AT KALAMAZOO

Some Speedy Events at Second Day of Grand Circuit Meeting.

Kalamazoo, Mich., Aug. 4.—The second day of Kalamazoo's first Grand Circuit meeting was favored with a fast track, but swift breezes were blowing from the southeast and a smattering of rain in the late afternoon marred the day somewhat. The rain was not heavy enough, however, to make any material change in the track conditions. All three events of the day's programme were decided in straight heats. The 2:07 trot saw the horses finishing in the same order in each heat, but in the 2:10 pace and 2:13 trot, there was more of a contest for second and third places. Major Brino was second in the first two heats of the pace, but dropped back to fourth in the last heat, while Leslie Watson and William C. finished second and third respectively.

Fred D. got third in the first heat of the pace and Dr. Fox got third place in the second heat. In the 2:13 trot, Carlock and Teasel took second and third respectively in the first and third heats, but in the second heat Carlock dropped back to sixth, while Teasel and Alice Edgar took second and third.

TERRIFIC SHOTS BY A GOLFER

New York, Aug. 3.—New York golfers are talking over the remarkable drive and brassie shots of W. B. Leaser, one of the youngest members of the Dunwoody country club of Yonkers, made Saturday.

VISIT HAD NO MEANING

By a coincidence, a number of leading officials of the I. C. R. were in the city yesterday, and a rumor that the gathering might be in connection with the appointment of district superintendent proved to be unfounded. J. T. Halliday, acting superintendent of the I. C. R. for the St. John and Halifax divisions, came in from Toronto, H. B. Fleming, acting chief train dispatcher, arrived from Montreal, both are applicants for the late Mr. Jarvis' position. J. H. Stansard, inspector of transportation, was also a visitor. Mr. Butler, deputy minister of railways, also passed through the city on his way to Ottawa for the last few days. Mr. Butler has been staying in Nova Scotia for his health and is now returning to resume his duties.

HOW YALE'S MASCOT BULL DOG FIGURED IN A BASEBALL GAME

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Dick battles with a bumblebee, And Bob, with youthful zest, Falls from the lofty chestnut tree, And papa and the rest Proceed to eat the lunch upon A yellow jockey's nest.

TROTTERS GIRDES YOUNG AT FIFTEEN

Hambletonian and George Wilkes Were Just Coming Into Prominence at This Age.

William Bradley's purchase of Bingen, 2:06 1/4, for \$40,000—some say \$50,000—was sold exclusively in last Sunday's Herald, caused a mild sensation among men who regard a fifteen-year-old horse as being almost on the brink of the grave. As a matter of fact, few trotting sires are really worth owning until they are about as old as Bingen. Too many of them, like the incomparable race horse Crescens, 2:02 1/4, give every promise which rich breeding and great speed and courage can afford of success in the stud, but when put to the test not one stallion in one thousand is a really great sire, and that one is rarely established as such until he is more than fifteen years old.

Electron, the grand sire of Bingen, was credited with only ten trotters in the 2:30 list when he was as old as Mr. Bradley's horse is. Bingen has that many in the 2:15 list and is the grand sire of seven more. George Wilkes, 2:22, was regarded as a rank failure in the stud until he was twenty years old. At Bingen's age he did not have a representative in the 2:30 list. To-day there are more than five thousand in the 2:30 list.

ENGINEER FOSS TALKS OF WORK

C. O. Foss, chief engineer of the Transcontinental railway commission here, said yesterday afternoon that according to returns for the week ended July 21, there were 4,000 men and 1,000 horses employed on the bridge building.

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COW MOOSE DIED IN BURYING GROUND

Young Moose Chased From Forest, Falls Exhausted in Burying Ground and Dies--Carcass Taken to City Yard.

With its tongue hanging, its legs tottering and the animal showing every evidence of exhaustion, a young cow moose staggered into the old burying ground yesterday afternoon, lay down, and after an ineffectual struggle to rise, fell over and died.

Hounded by men and boys, barked at by dogs, chased as if it were a most commendable thing to torture the animal to death, the moose, in a badly frightened state, came down Waterloo street as a gradually falling pace, straggled up Sydney street, and, probably attracted by the trees and grass of the old burying ground, as if glad to find its native surroundings, turned in there, still pursued by the yelling crowd. The moose had traversed half the plot and was mounting the hill towards King street east when it powers failed. Some men nearby drove away the crowd and sought to help the animal but it fell and seemed unable to rise.

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Ladies' Hose, in Lace Open, Plain Cotton, Lisle and Silk at 15c, 18c, 25c, 29c, 35c, 40c, 50c, 55c and \$1.50 pair.

Childrens' Hose, Open Work and Plain in Blacks, Tans, White, Pink and Blue at 25c, 28c, 30c, 35c, 40c, 45c, 50c pair.

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THIS EVENING

The Hummors, illustrated songs and motion pictures at the Nickel. Band and fireworks at Seaside Park. Meeting of ladies in Every Day Club hall to consider arrangements for garden party.

LATE LOCALS

There will be a band and fireworks at Sea Side Park tonight. Friday was pay day in Springhill and the company paid out about \$40,000 to their employees.

Boston steamer Camden landed 178 passengers last evening and sailed on her return trip this morning.

Edward L. Rising is in the Upper Provinces on a business trip. Before returning he will visit the New England States.

The appearance of a sea dog frightened a group of bathers on Courtenay Bay flats yesterday afternoon and abruptly terminated the bathing.

The Lodge Portland S. of E. will hold their monthly excursion on the river to-night. Steamer May Queen will leave her wharf at 7.45.

The Conservative ward meetings in the different wards to appoint delegates to a nominating convention will be held on Wednesday evening next.

John Keele given a term in jail recently for wife beating, has been adjudged insane by Dr. McDonald and ordered to be removed to the asylum.

Furness steamship Ulunda, Captain Chambers will sail to-night for Halifax and London. The steamer took on board here, apart cargo of deals.

Ladies willing to aid in making the Every Day Club garden party a success are asked to meet at the hall, Waterloo street, at 8 o'clock this evening.

The custom revenue cruiser Christine is lying at the government pier. She is built like a pleasure yacht and is the work of a French-Canadian master and crew.

A large number of delegates from Westmoreland county will attend the French Acadia Congress which takes place at Saint Paul, Madawaska county, on Aug. 19 to 20.

The members of the Provincial Hospital commission inspected the hospital annex this morning. This afternoon the government is meeting to consider routine matters.

Mrs. Arch. McLean, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. McLean and family desire to thank their many friends for their kind expressions of sympathy for them in their recent bereavement.

The citizens generally are invited to visit the Every Day Club grounds tomorrow evening and see the races in which the participants will be scores of children of various ages.

Harold Samuels, of Montreal, is visiting this city, staying at the Grand Union Hotel, and will return to his town residence on August 13, after making a tour of the Eastern counties.

Tenders are being called for dredging of the river at Port Elgin. This dredging will greatly improve the shipping facilities there. Dredging is also to be carried on at Point St. Charles.

Government steamer Restigouche arrived in port this morning from Halifax. She is going up the bay with resident Engineer Leger on board to inspect the light-houses along the coast.

British steamship Ironbrook, arrived in port this morning from Newport, G. B., in ballast. She was thirteen days coming across the Atlantic. She will be loaded with deals by W. McLean Mackay.

Monday's Charlottetown Patriot says: "H. H. Brown, of the Marine and Fisheries Department, St. John, left this morning on return to that city, after spending a pleasant holiday in Charlottetown and Murray River."

At the Calcedonia Club sports in Charlottetown next Monday, a feature of the day will be Highland dancing by Master Jack McLean, of St. John, son of J. S. McLean, Inspector of Customs. A piper will accompany him from St. John.

The North American Land and Lumber Company, which has its headquarters at Fernie, B. C., has for its treasurer, Mr. Fred H. Hale, ex-M.P. The despatches received to date have not told of the company suffering any loss. (Frederick Gleason.)

The members of the water and sewerage board will go to Mispep this afternoon to inspect the Mispep Pulp Mill, which is city property. The trip is made as a result of a request from the lessees to have the rental reduced from \$3,300 to \$2,300 per year.

A. H. Hatch, M. A., of Montreal, will deliver a free lecture this evening in the Congregational Church on his experiences in Palestine. Mr. Hatch changed to be in Jerusalem at the same time as the Rev. G. O. Gates, formerly of St. John, but now of Westmount.

The ferry committee will this evening begin an investigation into the cause of the recent accident to the Ludlow, in which the boat and east side floats were damaged. The witnesses to be examined are Capt. J. J. McCaffrey, engineer Fred. J. Lewis and members of the crew at the time of the accident.

The carcass of the cow mouse which fell dead in the Old Burying Ground yesterday afternoon through exhaustion and fright, was taken to the Fertilizer Works this morning on one of the corporate teams. Several negroes from the South End were willing to take the body, but their offer was not accepted.

Harold Kilfoyle the boy who escaped from the Reformatory accompanied by Walter Estell has up to date evaded capture. It is rumored that he was supplied with apparel and sent out of town on a train to relatives. The Estell lad was found at the Alps House on Sunday where he was seeking food.

No action has yet been taken by Thomas Dobson relative to the criminal suit against Chief of Police Clark and Officer Steeves jointly, alleging false arrest and imprisonment, but it is believed that a writ will soon be issued against the parties named. Owing to other matters intervening, Mr. Mulvin, who is counsel for Mr. Dobson, has been unable to give the case much attention and this fact necessitated the delay. Mr. Dobson was arrested several weeks ago for disobeying the policeman's order to move while on King street.

SACKVILLE WANTS

THE NEW FOUNDRY

Board of Trade Passes Resolution Favoring Concessions to Enterprise Foundry Company.

The Enterprise Foundry Co. paid out about \$150 each fortnight in wages, says a Sackville letter, and the council of the board of trade has adopted the following resolution: "Resolved, that the council of the Sackville Board of Trade hereby express to the town council the opinion that in view of the very serious loss which the Enterprise Foundry Company has sustained it would be quite in order for the town to make some considerable concession in the way of exemption from taxation or free water for a term of years or any other assistance that the council may decide upon, not as a bonus, but somewhat as a partial compensation for the great loss sustained."

POLICE COURT

James Dolan Sent Back to Jail After Very Brief Term of Liberty.

James Dolan, an Englishman arrested at midnight for being drunk and disorderly in the Salvation Army Home, was the sole prisoner on the benches this morning.

He denied the charge and it developed that he had been liberated from jail yesterday after serving a term of two months for drunkenness. He said he had been in St. John five months and acknowledged being in jail for practically the entire length of time.

Harry Burton, a guest at the Home testified that Dolan assaulted him and was otherwise disorderly and profane. Another witness corroborated Burton's evidence and Dolan was later sentenced to two months in jail. On imposing sentence, the magistrate remarked that he desired the jail officials to give Dolan the most laborious work possible.

Frank Morris and Donald Morris, Harrison McCluskey and Roy McCluskey, two sets of brothers, were reported for acting disorderly on St. David street, were reprimanded. Several other complaints are pending against these boys, one by Jonas Howe for breaking windows in his furniture factory at the foot of Union street.

The McCluskeys reside on Pitt street and the Morris brothers on St. David street.

Harry Aberly, the fourteen-year-old boy arrested for the theft of a fare box and contents from a street railway car, and who was remanded from Saturday, pleaded guilty to the charge, this morning and a further remand was made. His father who appeared in court, stated that the boy has been absent from school for two years, during which time he has been working at intervals. He said the boy had not been particularly unwell.

The lad is still suffering from a case of mumps which he contracted a day prior to his arrest.

PERSONALS

A. W. Dixon of Sackville has decided to erect a new hotel on the site of the Intercolonial Hotel, which was destroyed by last Wednesday's fire. Mr. Dixon intends to have the work on the new hotel carried on as rapidly as possible.

Hon. Mr. Lemieux, P. M. MacDonald, P. M. Leighton and Mr. M. P. M. P. are advertised to speak at political meetings in Sydney Mines and Glace Bay.

A. H. Lindsay, of the advertising department of the I. C. R. R., Moncton, spent the weekend in Halifax, with Mrs. Lindsay and child, who will be the guests for a month of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Rainnie, Dartmouth-Halifax Echo.

Rev. E. M. Saunders, D.D., left Halifax yesterday on a trip to the Northwest and will go as far as Vancouver, B. C. This will be the doctor's first visit to the West. He will be absent eight or ten weeks.

SUICIDE AT SYDNEY.

Sydney, N. S., Aug. 5.—(Special)—Rex Gillis, a native of Inverness sent two bullets crashing through his head this morning about 3 o'clock, death being instantaneous. The deceased boarded with a man named Trader on Victoria road and of late had been acting in a strange manner. The bullets caught fire from the explosion of the revolver and parts of the man's body were burned to a crisp. Gillis was 29 years old.

FRENCH SHIPS AT SYDNEY.

Sydney, N. S., Aug. 5 (Special)—The French cruiser Admiral Aube arrived this morning from Quebec, where she has been attending the Tercentenary celebration. She had on board as guests the French Consul, J. A. Gillis, K. C., Mr. Gillis and John Gillis. The cruiser will likely leave for St. Pierre tomorrow as an escort to Admiral Jauriguerry's flagship Leon Cambette. The ships will proceed to Brest, France, from that port.

In the boring operations conducted by Mr. Davy, the public works engineer, at Courtenay Bay yesterday afternoon, it is understood, that borings to a depth of 25 feet were made without any hard pan or rock being encountered. The boring was made about 100 feet from the shore at the east end of Britain street.

Several persons who have been dilatory in cleaning their premises will be called upon at the police court this afternoon to tell why they have not complied with the orders of the Board of Health. H. O. McInerney appears for the board.

H. G. Ellis, formerly of the staff of the Bank of British North America here, but who was transferred to Ottawa returned to the Capital City today after spending a week with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Alfred H. Ellis.

Samuel Carson, aged forty-five, was arrested at one o'clock today by Sergeant Baxter, charged with assaulting his wife, Martha, in their home on Broad street. He is also charged with being drunk and disorderly in the house.

BIRTHS

JOHNSTON—August 4th, 1908, to Mr. and Mrs. George H. C. Johnston, a daughter.

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