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GLACE BAY GETTING INTO ALL KINDS OF TROUBLE

Complications Arising from Actions of Mayor Douglas - The Coal Company is Steadily Winning, More Men Going to Work Every Day

GLACE BAY, N. S., July 13.—There appears to be no end to the complications which are constantly creeping into affairs at the town hall...

There is little change in the general strike situation at the collieries of the Dominion Coal Company...

This morning's reports from the collieries received at the company's office are most encouraging...

The U. M. W. officials claim that there are barely half the number of men claimed by the company at work in the collieries...

The following message was sent last night: "Glace Bay, N. S., July 12, To Minister of Militia, Ottawa, Ontario."

I am awaiting reply to telegram of July 10th in regard to the company's proposed withdrawal of authority over the militia...

ROTHSCHILD'S SON SUICIDES THROUGH LOVE VIENNA, July 13.—Baron Oskar Rothschild, the youngest son of Albert Rothschild, head of the Austrian branch of the Rothschild house...

TEHRAN TAKEN BY NATIONALIST ARMY

Shah of Persia at the Mercy of His Enemies Will Seek Shelter Under Foreign Flag—Very Little Fighting in the Capital—Victors Keep Things in Order.

TEHRAN, July 13.—One thousand nationalists entered Teheran at five o'clock this morning. They came in by three gates and the entire northern section was soon in their hands.

The royalist troops, particularly the Cossacks, have taken up a position in the central square and surrounding streets...

The nationalists are in possession of the central offices of the Persian imperial system of telegraph...

DR. HOLWEG WILL BE VON BUELOW'S SUCCESSOR Berlin, July 13.—Prince Von Buelow, the retiring imperial chancellor...

REBEL SURRENDERS TO COLOMBIAN GOVERNMENT Leader of the Revolution's Hands Over All the War Material Which He Had Captured.

BOGOTA, Colombia, July 13.—That the situation at Barranquilla at the mouth of the Magdalena River, has been more serious than was at first supposed...

MANY ARE PLANNING TO ENTER THE SUN AND STAR'S GREAT PRIZE CONTEST

TOOK DRINK OF POISON THINKING IT WAS BEER Mrs. John McDonald's Mistake Almost Fatal

Mrs. John R. McDonald, of Erin street, took a drink out of the wrong bottle yesterday with the result that she was poisoned...

RECOGNITION OF U. M. W. OUT OF THE QUESTION James Ross Says It Will Never Be Granted by Company

GLACE BAY, July 13.—James Ross, president of the Star today expressed regret that a strike had been declared...

JOHNSON IS MATCHED TO FIGHT KAUFMAN Accepts a Guarantee of \$10,000 for a Twenty Round Bout on August 27th.

CHICAGO, July 13.—Jack Johnson yesterday accepted an offer of a guarantee of \$10,000 to fight Al Kaufman...

STOLEN BICYCLE RECOVERED A couple of weeks ago a bicycle owned by the daughter of Rev. J. P. McKim, was stolen from the sidewalk...

LITTLE INTEREST IN THE NOMINATIONS Only the Formal Depositing of Papers Today

Nomination Day proceedings for the county vacancy in the local house were conducted at the court house this morning...

YESTERDAY WAS A busy day at The Sun and Star office for the Contest Department was kept busy answering questions asked by the many people...

BAPTIST CONFERENCE ASSEMBLES AT GIBSON Ministerial Session Today—Papers Read on Important Subjects—Full Meeting Tomorrow.

GIBSON, N. B., July 13.—This afternoon at 2:30 the ministers' conference of the United Baptist Association of New Brunswick convened at the United Baptist church here...

HARRIS SEEMS TO HAVE BEEN A PRETTY BAD EGG Former Moncton Woman Presents Strong Evidence in Her Application for Divorce.

FREDERICTON, N. B., July 13.—In the Divorce Court this morning the case of Beulah Longfellow Harris against Edward Alfred Harris was heard...

Bunch of Nominations Received Yesterday—Many Seeking Information—Get Your Name in Early and Secure a Good Start

Candidates will bear in mind that the Sun and Star cannot be sent by mail in the City of St. John.

Remember this contest is but an infant that very little real work has been done; that no contestant has an advantage that could not be overcome...

THE polling will take place in the county on Tuesday next. The polls will open at 8 a. m. and close at 4 p. m.

THE evening Rev. P. E. Bishop, of Fairville, preaches the annual association sermon, after which there will be a social conference led by Evangelist B. Beatty, of St. John.

A large gathering and a successful meeting is anticipated for the association, which convenes tomorrow at 10 o'clock.

A couple of weeks ago a bicycle owned by the daughter of Rev. J. P. McKim, was stolen from the sidewalk in front of Mr. McKim's residence.

The case of Dr. William A. Ferguson vs. Bertha Ferguson will be taken up after dinner.

TWO

THE STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B., TUESDAY, JULY 13 1930

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LOCAL NEWS

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INDIAN SLAYER STILL DEFIANT

Patriotic to Kill Wylie, He Says HOPES TO BE HANGED

Thon His Countrymen Will Take Vengeance, He Says

LONDON, July 12.—Madar Lal Dhinagri, the Indian student who shot and killed Sir Curzon Wylie on the night of July 1 at the reception at the Imperial Institute and who also killed Dr. Lalooa in "self defense," was again arraigned in the Westminster police court today. On entering the court room Dhinagri assumed the same unconcerned attitude, the same unconcernedness of crime, that has characterized his conduct since the shooting. When he was asked if he wished to cross-examine one of the witnesses Dhinagri mumbled that he objected to the charge of murder, he said: "I did what you would expect an Englishman to do, I was perfectly justified in what I did. Dhinagri was committed for trial on a charge of wilful murder. Before his commitment the prisoner made the following statement in a clear, steady voice: "I don't wish to say anything in my defense, but simply to prove the justice of my deed. As for myself, I don't wish English law court has any authority to arrest me and detain me in prison or to pass a sentence of death upon me. That is the reason I do not have counsel to defend me. "I maintain that if it is patriotic for Englishmen to fight against Germans if they were to occupy this country then it is much more justifiable and patriotic in my countrymen to fight against the English. I hold that the English people are responsible for the murder of 30,000,000 of my countrymen during the last fifty years. They are also responsible for taking \$100,000,000 every year from India to this country. "I also hold the English people are responsible for the hanging and deportation of my patriotic countrymen who fight against the English. I hold that the English people have no right to occupy India, and it is perfectly justifiable our aim to kill an Englishman who is polluting our sacred land. "After expressing surprise at the hypocrisy of the English people, posing as the champions of the oppressed in the case of the Congo and Russia, Dhinagri went on to say: "In case this country was occupied by Germans, and if an Englishman were to leave it, I should see German walking about the streets of London with all the insolence of conquerors and should kill one or two Germans, then that Englishman would be upheld as a patriot by the people of this country. Certainly I am a patriot too, working for the emancipation of my motherland. "I make this statement, not that I am going to plead for mercy or anything of the kind. I wish that the English people would sentence me to death, for in that case the vengeance of my countrymen will be the keener. I put forward this statement to show the justice of my cause to the outside world, especially to our sympathizers in America and Germany."

HOW'S THIS?

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Mr. J. Bill, the secretary and treasurer of the St. John Log Driving Club, arrived here on Monday and is a guest at the Royal Hotel. Ending July 18th, the Douglas booms have sent in 2,380 joints, the Mitchell booms 2,143 joints. This is indeed very satisfactory.

Delegates to the New Brunswick Baptist convention at Gibson on Wednesday from the Ludlow U. Baptist Church are Rev. W. R. Robinson, Deacon Chas. Belpas, and H. F. Parsons.

The members of the Westfield Outing Association are planning to hold a number of assemblies during the season. The pavilion at Westfield will be the scene of the dances. The pavilion is an ornament to this pretty suburb and reflects great credit on John D. MacNeil, who erected the structure. Mr. MacNeil is being highly complimented upon the success of his work. The opening of such a splendid pavilion marks another step forward by the Westfield Outing Association.

SYDNEY SMITH'S WIT. Sydney Smith was the ministerial wit par excellence, but unhappily his jests were so admirable that they are now twice told tales indeed. However, most of them will bear repetition. Before the first Bishop of New Zealand left England Sydney Smith strove to remind him of the dangers of his mission. "You will find in preaching to cannibals," he said, "that their attention will not be directed to the spirit, but always be concentrated on the flesh, for I am told that they never breakfast without a cold missionary on the sideboard. We shall never meet again, but let us hope that you may thoroughly disagree with the savage that eats you. "You are afraid of me," said Smith to a young woman who sat beside him at dinner. "You crumble your bread, and that is an undeniable proof of shyness. I do it when I sit by the Bishop of London and with both hands when I sit by the Archbishop. "Why are you doing that?" said he to a child who was stroking the shell of a turtle. "Oh, to please the turtle," was the answer. "Why, child, you might as well stroke the dome of St. Paul's to please the dean and chapter."

THE WISE THROUGH GENTLE. In an armchair of a Pullman smoking car on the way east from London, a gentleman with a thoughtful expression was trying hard to read a novel while his next neighbor kept up a running fire of chatter. With the light of a desperate resolve in his eye, yet cloaking determination with exquisite politeness, the reader presently said: "Pardon me, but my memory for names is not to be depended upon. Your name is?" "Shepherd," replied the voluble one cheerfully. The one-sided conversation kept on awhile longer, the light of desperate resolve meanwhile burning brighter and brighter. Then the reader raised his eyes to a stranger, his neighbor across the aisle, and suddenly demanded, "What is your name, sir?" "Ward," said the stranger. "Yes, yes, of course," cried the reader briskly. "Mr. Ward let me introduce Mr. Shepherd."

STOATS HUNT IN PACKS. In some years stoats appear to be more numerous than in others, and they are seen not in ones and twos, but in dozens, hunting together in small packs. Stoats will hunt together from scent and in full cry like a pack of hounds, one always keeping the line and followed closely by the others. This sight has been recorded by different observers who have also seen weasels hunting in the same way.—Fur News.

TORONTO, Ont., July 12.—A tourist hotel and half a dozen dwellings at Almie Harbor were burned on Friday night. The fire spread to the woods and the whole country was in danger until a heavy rain fall quenched the flames. The loss in the village is twenty-five thousand dollars.



BOTH BOSTON TEAMS WON OUT YESTERDAY

Nationals Defeat St. Louis and Americans Down Chicago

BOSTON, Mass., July 12.—(National)—The locals won the last game of the series from St. Louis, 4 to 2, the deciding run coming in the ninth inning, when Byrne dropped the ball, after making an ineffectual attempt to catch Thomas running to the third base. Two hits followed, giving Boston the game. Halawit's batting was a feature. The score: St. Louis . . . 0 2 0 0 0 0 1-3 3 Batters—White, Smith and Sullivan. Umpires—Sells and Phelps; Ferguson and Boverman. Time, 1:45. Umpire, Kans.

BOSTON WON LAST. CHICAGO, Ill., July 12.—(American)—Batteries—White, Smith and Sullivan. Umpires—Sells and Phelps; Ferguson and Boverman. Time, 1:45. Umpire, Kans.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., July 12.—(American)—Score: St. Louis . . . 1 0 0 0 0 0 3-1 7 Batters—Lajoie and Kintner; Fowell, Criss and Stephens. Time, 1:45. Umpire, Evans and Perrine.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., July 12.—(National)—Score: Cincinnati . . . 2 0 1 5 1 0 1-11 11 Brooklyn . . . 0 0 0 1 0 0 0-3 2 Batters—Ryan and Roth and McLean; McIntyre, Pastoria and Bergen. Time, 1:40. Umpire, Kelly.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., July 12.—(National)—Score: Philadelphia . . . 0 0 0 0 0 0 0-2 1 Cincinnati . . . 2 0 0 0 0 0 0-5 1 Batters—Coyette, Carrion and Martell and Doon; Overall and Archer. Time, 1:47. Umpire, Johnston and Rider.

NEW YORK, July 12.—(National)—Score: Pittsburgh . . . 2 0 0 0 0 0 0-2 3 New York . . . 0 1 0 0 0 0 2-3 0 Batters—Wills and Gibson; Mathews and Schilt. Time, 1:25. Umpire, Emale and O'Day.

Second game—Score: Pittsburgh . . . 2 0 0 0 0 0 0-11 11 New York . . . 0 0 0 0 0 0 0-3 0 Batters—Cannitt and Gibson; Martell and Schilt. Time, 1:45. Umpire, O'Day and Emale.

CLEVELAND, July 12.—(American)—Score: Cleveland . . . 3 0 0 0 0 3-6 0 Washington . . . 0 0 0 0 0-3 1 (Called at end of fifth on account of darkness.) Batters—Rhoades and Eastery; Johnson and Kabesa. Time, 44 minutes. Umpire, Egan and Connolly.

BROOKLYN, July 12.—(National)—Score: Cincinnati . . . 0 0 1 0 1 0 2-4 5 Brooklyn . . . 0 0 3 0 0 0 0-2-5 1 Batters—Ewing, Dugas and McLean; Bell and Marshall. Time, 1:40. Umpire, Klem.

BASEBALL

American League Standing. Won. Lost. P.C. Detroit . . . 41 38 677 Philadelphia . . . 45 27 625 Boston . . . 44 23 659 New York . . . 41 23 561 New York . . . 33 39 458 Chicago . . . 30 42 416 Cleveland . . . 29 44 405 Washington . . . 23 49 319

National League Standing. Won. Lost. P.C. Pittsburgh . . . 53 19 746 Chicago . . . 44 26 628 New York . . . 40 29 588 Cincinnati . . . 39 34 534 St. Louis . . . 27 41 396 Philadelphia . . . 21 39 443 Brooklyn . . . 26 46 361 Boston . . . 21 49 330

Connecticut League. At New Britain—First game: New Britain, 5; Northampton, 6. Second game: New Britain, 6; Northampton, 4. At Springfield—Springfield, 7; Hartford, 4. At New Haven—New Haven, 10; Waterbury, 2. At Bridgeport—First game: Holyoke, 3; Bridgeport, 1. Second game: Bridgeport, 6; Holyoke, 6 (called at ninth inning, darkness).

Eastern League. At Buffalo—Buffalo, 6; Baltimore, 2; Newark, 4. At Jersey City—Jersey City, 2; Providence, 0. At Rochester—Rochester, 2; Montreal, 4. New England League. At Lowell—Fall River, 11; Lowell, 3. At Lynn—Lynn, 6; Lawrence, 1. At Brockton—New Bedford, 3; Brockton, 2. At Worcester—Worcester, 6; Haverhill, 4.

SMITH DEFEATS STUBBS IN FIVE LEAP RACE

The disagreeable weather, assisted by a thick St. John fog which enveloped the grounds, brought only 200 spectators to the Victoria grounds last evening to witness a series of athletic events. The track was in the best condition possible and there was keen competition. Excitement was at a high pitch in some events. The Every Day Club secured the largest share of the honors.

The 100 yards dash was the first event of the evening. Two heats were scheduled to be run, but after a consultation it was decided to run but one heat for the event. There were five starters in the race, which was captured by Covey, the scratch man. Drynan, with a handicap of two yards, finished in second position, with Willis in third place. The event was keenly contested. Covey stumbled at the start but soon regained his stride and finished about a foot to the good. Upon the completion of the arrangements of the handicaps the runners were sent away for the 50 yards. The contest was a splendid one between Stubbs and King for the premier honor. The latter assumed the lead, but Stubbs soon after the crack of the pistol. Stubbs, however, was not far in the rear. Coming under the final lap Stubbs caught his man and beat him out on the home stretch. King ran a game race, but stumbled across the line to bring out one by one they dropped out until but five remained in the race. Ystion had about two hundred yards to the good after the second mile, although Coward, Reid, Watson and others were going nicely. Towards the end of the race Coward relieved the proceedings with a splendid spurt. Watson and Ritchie also ran strongly. Wallace, the scratch runner, came down the home stretch a winner by over a hundred yards. Woods, a local man, was second and Coward of Fredericton third. Reid and Ritchie tied for the fourth position. The time for the distance was 14:53.5.

The 200 yards dash was also contested in one heat. Covey at scratch was first with Drynan second and Grieson third. The distance was run in 17 seconds flat. Darkness was descending when the five mile event was called on. King and Stubbs were placed on the scratch. D. Smith and Horseman were given fifty yards, while W. H. Smith received one hundred yards. Soon after the start A. Smith came abreast of his namesake and later assumed the lead. Stubbs caught Horseman and King followed about forty yards in the rear. Two miles were done in 11:17, with A. Smith still in the lead. W. H. Smith retired from the contest at two miles. At three miles A. Smith had about sixty yards. Stubbs was second, with Horseman third and King fourth. The time was 17:57. Soon after the third mile Stubbs started in to cut out the lead of A. Smith. The latter, however, was gamely and still had a lead of four miles, which were covered in 22:55. On the twenty-second lap, Stubbs caught Smith, but the former began to show signs of distress. Smith opened up about forty yards. Meanwhile Stubbs and King ran gamely. Smith was given the bell with about thirty yards to spare. He crossed the line with a fine burst of speed. Stubbs was second, with King third, and Horseman fourth. The time was 2:57. Smith was highly complimented on his splendid running and was given an ovation upon finishing.

Competition in the high jump was keen between A. Moriarty of the High School and J. A. Leach of the Victoria. The latter captured the event, with Moriarty in second position. The height was five feet. The members of the Westfield Outing Club intend holding a number of dances at the pavilion during the season. The association is delighted with the home stretch a winner by

HOMING PIGEONS BREAK RECORDS IN LONG RUN

Winner Travelled 510 Miles in 9 Hours, 17 Min., an Average of 1,600.5 Yards a Minute.

BALTIMORE, Md., July 12.—In a flight of birds of the Southern Federation of Homing Pigeon Flyers, just concluded, a record that has stood for the past 12 years has been broken. The birds were liberated at North Bay, Ont., 510 miles from Baltimore, and to arrive covered the distance in 9 hours, 17 minutes, an average of 1,600.5 yards a minute. The previous record was 130 yards a minute. Nearly 500 birds were liberated at North Bay and of these 67 beat the previous record referred to.

PITCHING SOME.

JERSEY CITY, July 12.—Lattie, of the Providence Eastern League Club, who was with the Detroit Americans earlier in the season, today pitched a no-hit game against the Jersey City team, but lost the contest, 2 to 0, because of errors which were made behind him. Lattie is a college graduate and is a brother of Cincinnati's new catcher.

FOG STOPS THE YACHTS

CUNY'S HARBOR, Me., July 12.—Very few miles easting were made today by the Eastern Yacht Club fleet in its cruise to Bar Harbor, for, as the yachts were starting for Pemaquid Point a thick fog-bank rolled in and stopped further sport for the day.

250 HORSES ENTERED IN WOONSOCKET RACES

WOONSOCKET, R. I., July 12.—One of the best entries that ever favored a New England half-mile track opened the opening day of a five days' meet at the Woonsocket Driving Park today. A. H. Merrill, of the Grand Circuit, was starter. There are over 250 horses here, and owing to the large number of starters there were many minor accidents today. Today's card contained three races, in all of which favorites won, and two of which were decided in straight heats. Expectational captured the 2:23 pace in straight heats, and John F. Gibson had things his own way in the 2:20 trot.

DOUBLE QUICK COMPOSING.

Sir Arthur Sullivan wrote the overture to "The Yeomen of the Guard" in twelve hours and that to "Iolanthe" in less space of time—from 9 p. m. to 7 a. m. But even this capacity for speed in composition is eclipsed by M. Bompart, who for a wage composed the music to a song in ten minutes. Mr. N. Trotere, however, is the composer of whom most quick time anecdotes are told. His beautiful song "Asthore" was both written and composed in forty minutes in Blanchard's restaurant. The melody of "In Old Madrid" was the result of a sudden inspiration. It came to the composer while on his way home from the equarium. As it should escape him he rushed into a small public house in Rochester Row, seized a biscuit bag and on it jotted down the air. But Mr. Trotere holds the championship. It is said that he actually composed "The Bow of the Nile" wrote a letter and ran 440 yards to post it in eight minutes.

AMUSEMENTS

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BRITANNIA STILL RULES WAVES, SAYS A NEW YORK PAPER

The Tribune Publishes Editorial on Features of the British Manoeuvres.

NEW YORK, July 12.—The Tribune publishes a long editorial on the British naval manoeuvres. "The mimic fleet of the British fleet this year," it says, "is noteworthy for more reasons than one. The scene and plan of the operations are highly significant upon the United Kingdom is deemed most probable, or least improbable, the revival of the red, white and blue divisions is interesting from historical and sentimental points of view. The discipline and the secrecy which are being maintained are strongly suggestive of the conditions of actual warfare. Moreover, the expedition with which the ships were put out to sea, for action and were equipped with all the latest war complements of men must have been exceedingly gratifying to the administrative officers of the Admiralty, and must have gone far toward correcting the suspicion of unreadiness. "The most striking feature of all, however, is probably the number of ships engaged in the manoeuvres and the enormous increase over other recent assemblies of the imperial navy. The increase is to be noted in nearly all classes of ships, and most of all in the important fighting classes, and in the feet as a whole it amounts to considerably more than 100 per cent. over the showing of the two great reviews of 1897 and 1902. Thus, of big battleships there were in Queen Victoria's diamond jubilee review, in 1897, only 21, and in King Edward's coronation review, in 1902, the same number, while in the present operations there are no fewer than 40. Of those powerful armored cruisers which are practically battleships there were in 1897 only 4 and in 1902 only 6, while now there are 27. Of those destroyers which Mr. Kipling has celebrated as the deadliest of all craft, "the choosers of the slain," there were 20 in 1897 and 32 in 1902, and now there are 117. Torpedo boats have increased from 20 in 1897 and 6 in 1902, to 73, while submarines, which were non-existent in the two reviews, now number 25. The totals are 165 in 1897, 125 in 1902 and 350 in 1930. "To this tremendous showing we may add that while in 1897 and 1902 the about half of the battleships were more than ten years old and some were more than 20 years old, of the 40 this year all but 8 are less than ten years old, and practically all the armored cruisers, destroyers, torpedo boats and submarines are within that limit of age. That is to say, within ten years Great Britain has put into commission at least 32 battleships, 29 armored cruisers, score of destroyers and torpedo boats and more than two dozen submarines. The present fleet is therefore not only the greatest in numbers that has ever been assembled, but also the newest and therefore presumably the most up-to-date and most efficient. In the face of such a showing, Britannia may certainly have to post it in eight minutes."

BE UP TO DATE OR FAIL.

A physician tells me that he goes through his medical library every year and throws out a lot of books which have become useless to him because the new, up-to-date, the more progressive, are pushing out the old. We all know that some of the scientific books published are useless a year after they appear in print. There never was a time in the history of the world when the new in every line of endeavor crowded out the old as it does today.

If you examine your business thoroughly you will probably find old fogy methods, obsolete ideas and cumbersome ways of doing things—a lot of red tape in your methods.

Remember that nothing else is improving faster than business methods. If you are keeping books as they were kept a quarter of a century ago, if you are using the same business system, you will find that you are away behind the times.—Success Magazine.

NOT TOO LATE.

Not long after the great Chelsea fire some children in Newton, Mass., held a charity fair by which \$15 was realized. This they forwarded to the pastor of a certain Boston church who had taken a prominent part in the relief work, with a letter which read somewhat as follows: "We have had a fair and made \$15. We are sending it to you. Please give it to the Chelsea sufferers. Yours truly, etc. P. S.—We hope the suffering is not all over."

BORROWED PLUMES.

Quilled—I am constantly writing for the periodicals. Pagan—That so? I never noticed your name as author. Quiller—Oh, I always write under the non-de plan of "Anonymous."

Pagan—That explains it. I remember now to have read many of your productions—some of which are very fine.—Let me congratulate you.

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THE EVILS OF SMOKE.
Any man who becomes a faddist can find most plausible arguments to back up the opinions which he chooses to advocate, but when a supposedly sane individual gets up and says that by suppressing the smoke nuisance in great cities seventy-five per cent. of those who now die from consumption could be saved, it is time to have his head examined. The International Association for the Prevention of Smoke, which is in reality composed to a large extent of manufacturers and smoke consumers, has recently concluded its session at St. Louis, Mo., and its chief officer, Mr. H. M. Wilson, chief engineer in the United States Geological Survey, read a paper on the loss occasioned by smoke; the actual damage to property in the destruction of merchandise, defacement of buildings, tarnishing of metals, injury to plant life and the increased labor and cost of housekeeping, he estimated at \$800,000,000 annually. The smoke evil he declared to be one of the greatest dangers of modern times, destroying health, lowering human vitality and increasing the death rate. In the larger cities more than 20,000,000 live, and these suffer all the losses which make the grand total. His estimate means a per capita loss of \$20.00 a year by every man, woman and child among the city dwellers. (Don't Mr. Wilson, in the preparation of his address on this subject, secured masses of information bearing on the question, but it is obvious that a scientist of his standing should not be led into making so emphatically such definite statements, which, at the best, are really nothing more than guess work. There is no doubt that smoke means unhealthiness, it is equally true that the continual breathing of toxic smoke predisposes the lungs to tuberculosis, but certainly it should not be argued, as Mr. Wilson holds, that three-fourths of the death of consumption can be prevented if the smoke nuisance is eliminated. The fact that the death rate in the United States has increased almost in the same proportion as the consumption of coal should not be used as an argument in support of the contention that the smoke from this coal causes the larger number of deaths. The smokeless city is the ideal, and the day will come when this condition will be realized, but it will be not so much through the consumption of smoke as by the introduction of electricity to all those uses to which steam is now put.)

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AGED COUPLE WERE BEATEN TO DEATH
And Not Suffocated When House Burned as Was First Supposed—Landlord Suspected

NEW YORK, July 12.—A coroner's autopsy today proved conclusively that Thomas Verity, 73 years old, and his wife, Cynthia, 61, whose bodies were found early yesterday in the ashes of the house at Patchogue, L. I., where they lodged, were not smothered by the smoke or burned to death. They had apparently been beaten to death in bed, while they lay asleep. The woman's scalp bore three gashes, one five inches long while the old man's head was badly cut.

A motive for the murder is not easily to be assigned, although Peter Fackelwitz, the landlord, is held as a suspect.

AQUEDUCT RUNS THROUGH VEINS OF GOLD
Laborers Fight for Chance to Work in Trench—Pocket of Gold Found in Excavations

RANDBURG, Calif., July 12.—The water supply of Los Angeles from the filtered snows of the Owens Valley County will wind through strata of gold. Parts of the aqueduct are found to be heavy with veins, and in a number of cases pockets of gold have been taken away. Some places of the construction, laborers actually dig for, because of the chance of striking a pocket. From one stretch of excavation less than twelve feet long, samples of high grade ore were taken which in some instances show assays of \$200.

The aqueduct will cross a bed of placer gold and also go through lodes. All sorts of stories are to be heard regarding gold finds, one being as to the luck of Patrick McMillan, a Los Angeles man who cleaned up \$12,000.

OHIO FUNERAL BLOW ABOUT BY TORNADO

HAMILTON, Ohio, July 12.—More than a score of persons were injured in a tornado that swept over the northeastern part of Butler County late today. At least nine persons were killed, including Mrs. Sarah Lloyd, a woman of 70 years of age. The tornado, which was very long and narrow, containing many trees, was blown across a road and hurled against a fence, injuring all of the occupants. It was estimated that six persons were killed and several others were held prisoners while the occupants were rolled over several times.

WELLAND CANAL TIED UP BY WASHOUT

ST. CATERINES, July 13.—A washout occurred yesterday morning at Lock 15 on the Welland Canal. The canal is tied up for now long no can say. Several vessels are waiting to get through.

BRIEF DESPATCHES

SACRAMENTO, Cal., July 12.—With 90 million before him, Edward Payson Weston tonight proceeded on his way to San Francisco, where he will end his walk from New York.

STRENSVILLE, Ohio, July 12.—Mary Miller, of New Brighton, Pa., was killed and several others injured in an electrical storm which swept the camp meeting grounds of the Free Methodists here tonight. A testimony meeting was being held. Miss Miller had been the last to give testimony.

GLOUCESTER, Mass., July 12.—Howard A. Parsons, aged 90 years, was suffocated in a fire which destroyed his home at 12 Russell avenue, here late tonight. His body was found in his kitchen by the firemen after the fire had gained considerable headway. The dead man leaves a wife and children.

CHICAGO, Ill., July 12.—A storm of wind and rain that was particularly severe in the Missouri Valley tonight swept around until it had encircled Chicago, according to reports received by telegraph companies whose wires are in bad shape. Wires are down in every direction from Chicago. The storm extends from Louisville to Minneapolis and from Kansas City and Dubuque to Cleveland. It is reported to be working eastward.

AMESBURY, Mass., July 12.—Mystery surrounds the drowning this afternoon of Patrick Campbell, 55 years old, of this city, whose body was picked up off Hampton Beach, Campbell, who is an employe of the Atlantic Boat Company, started this afternoon in one of the company's boats for Bath, Maine. Nothing was seen of him until his body was floating later off Hampton Beach. There was no sign of his boat. He leaves four children.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 12.—At a conference at the White House today it was definitely decided that the rate to be levied under the new corporation tax shall be reduced from two per cent. to one per cent., and that on re-drafting the measure, now in conference, along with the tariff bill to meet various objections that have been raised, due consideration shall be given to the demands of the Mutual Life Insurance companies, whose incomes would be seriously affected by the tax in its original form.

MISS PANKHURST AGAIN SENTENCED
Released Pending Appeal to Higher Court.

Miss Pankhurst Contended That Suffragettes Should be Treated as Political Prisoners.

LONDON, July 12.—Sir Albert De Rutzen, chief magistrate of the Metropolitan Police Court, today decided against the Suffragettes on the point raised by Miss Pankhurst, regarding the right to present a petition to Parliament, and sentenced her to a fine of \$25 or to prison for one month on the charge of rescuing the police.

The constitutional question raised by Miss Pankhurst was argued at great length, and resulted in a judgment, announcing the judgment, said that he anticipated that an appeal would be made to a higher court. Miss Pankhurst, who defended herself, declared that her assault on Police Inspector Savory on the night of June 29, when 116 Suffragettes were arrested for trying to force their way into the House of Commons, was the result of a battle to the Government and defiance for its unconstitutional ways.

"I was awfully sorry," continued Miss Pankhurst, "that when I started that deputation of eight helpless women, whom you men surround with opera glasses had congregated to watch as though it was a good show, it was bound to result in humiliation; but until women have the power to elect representatives to Parliament it is their duty to maintain the right of a subject to petition the King through Parliament. If the magistrate repeats his former sentence we will go to prison, but we will not conform any longer with the prison regulations. As political offenders we will insist on being treated as such and not as ordinary prisoners, and in the House of Commons we will act as did Miss Dunlop."

Miss Dunlop secured her release yesterday by starting herself for 24 hours. Mrs. Havardell, daughter of Lord Abinger, was given the same sentence, but she refused to go to prison, and she was released on bail. The women appealed the court of their intention to the House of Commons for the past two years. The magistrate's sentence on promising to abstain from sending further deputations to the House of Commons during the present session.

The cases of all the other Suffragettes arrested with Miss Pankhurst were adjourned pending the outcome of the appeal.

Folks of Mrs. Despard, who have been acting as sentinels around the House of Commons for the past two years, were adjourned pending the outcome of the appeal.

BURGLAR REGRETS WOMAN'S DEATH
Lays Blame on Her Husband and Son for Trying to Stop Him.

NEW YORK, July 12.—Frank Schmitt, alias John Smith, alias Frank Schlemmer, the wounded burglar, with a prison record behind him, who admitted that he had stolen a watch from his bedroom door early Thursday morning when he was caught robbing Mrs. Sophie Staber in her home at 17th St. and 10th Ave., gave the district attorney his version of the moral to be drawn from the murder.

"Mr. Staber and his son are the ones to be blamed for the killing," he said. "They were fools to try and stop me, and when all we wanted was to get away. If we had been left alone there wouldn't have been no shooting."

"If Mr. Staber will take a gun I will gladly stand up in front of him and let him shoot till I drop dead. That's how much I regret this affair."

Schmitt, who was very weak from loss of blood when captured, was operated on last night and is now in danger. His pal, Carlo Giro, alias Metator, who was arrested at first, made a full confession, in which he tried to lay all the blame on his mate. Schmitt escaped from Sing Sing, where he was serving three years for counterfeiting in 1906, while repairing the prison wall, and has been at large until this tragedy.

COULDN'T FOOL HIM
Doctor Was Firm and Was Right

Many doctors forbid their patients to drink coffee but the patients still drink it on the sly and thus spoil all the doctor's efforts, and keep themselves sick.

Sometimes the doctor makes sure that the patient is not drinking coffee and there was a case of that kind in St. Paul, where a business man said: "After a very severe illness last winter which almost caused my death, the doctor said Postum was the only thing that I could drink and he just made me quit coffee and drink Postum. My illness was caused by indigestion from the use of tea and coffee."

"The state of my stomach was so bad that it became terribly inflamed and finally resulted in a rupture. I had not drunk Postum very long before my lost blood was restored and my stomach was well and strong and I have now been using Postum for almost a year. When I got up from bed after my illness I weighed 98 pounds and now my weight is 120."

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HOOPES NAMES MAN HE SHOT
Cricketer Newhall Accused

WIFE UNFAITHFUL
Some of the Many Charges Preferred Against Woman

PHILADELPHIA, July 12.—Dawson Hoopes filed a suit in common pleas court No. 4 today for divorce from Kate Eleanor Hoopes. He names as respondent Charles A. Newhall, a cricketer of international reputation, whom he shot with a double barreled gun at Ambler under circumstances as serious as the charges he now makes. He alleges unfaithfulness, desertion and cruel treatment.

In addition to the application for divorce Hoopes filed a suit in equity for the recovery of an estate which he says is worth \$50,000 and which he declares he signed away while feeble in mind and body owing to inducements offered by his wife and her brothers, Clement R. Hoopes and Barton Hoopes, Jr.

Mr. Hoopes's side of the story has not been made public. Several years ago she began proceedings to have her husband adjudged a habitual drunkard. In his petition for the recovery of his property Hoopes declares that she had a loaded revolver in her possession and that she was intoxicated.

It is alleged by Hoopes that his wife had a drug or foreign substance in milk before him. He further asserts that she told him repeatedly that she was nothing to be afraid of and that she wanted his money, that she wished he were dead, and that at least one occasion she let a loaded revolver in a postbag by which he might accidentally be killed by a discharge of the weapon while he was undressing in the dark.

He also charges his wife with using profanity, throwing kisses from the window of her home to Newhall, with giving the latter authority to control the house and the servants of the Hoopes household.

He further alleges that Mrs. Hoopes permitted Newhall to furnish her with breakfast and declares that she came home in the early morning in a taxi cab with Newhall and that she was intoxicated.

He alleges that Newhall and his wife hooped a fondness for walks in woods and unfrequented places in and about Chestnut Hill. In this connection he declares that Newhall and his wife were seen in the presence of a taxicab in the presence of a taxicab for hours at a time in the unfrequented house of the respondent's sister, Mrs. Chancery C. English, in Chestnut Hill and in numerous other places.

"Upon numerous occasions," declares the petition, "the respondent made her abductions in the presence of her husband, Newhall in Tynford and appeared before said Newhall clothed in nothing more than a loose kimono."

Tynford was the name of the Hoopes country house at Chestnut Hill.

Declaring that the boathouse of the Wissahickon Canoe Club was a meeting place for the pair, Hoopes said: "The respondent and Newhall upon numerous occasions stopped at the boathouse and remained there for hours at a time. The respondent had a key to the boathouse and she emerged with her hair disheveled."

"She signalled from the window of her home," he complains, "in such a manner as to provoke gossip in the neighborhood, appeared at the windows in an informal attire and threw kisses from the window to Newhall."

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CONSIDER BILL IS EXCESSIVE
School Board Balks at Recorder's Bill

REGULAR MEETING
Mr. McLean's Resignation is Received—Other Matters Dealt With

The regular monthly meeting of the School Board was held last evening in their rooms, Union street. H. Colby Smith, a new member, who was appointed to replace W. C. R. Allen, was extended a welcome and introductions followed.

After reading and accepting the minutes of the last meeting, applications from about fifteen graduates holding teachers' licenses were read and referred to the teachers' committee.

The applications for increases from Miss Robinson and Mr. McKinnon, and four months' leave of absence from Miss Warring were also referred to the teachers' committee, with power to act.

Chairman R. B. Emerson then read a letter from W. A. McLean, tendering his resignation as principal of Albert school, to take up his duties as inspector.

After accepting the resignation it was moved that a testimonial be sent to Mr. McLean for the faithful performance of his duties during the past thirty years.

Pauline W. Livingston sent a letter of thanks for salary received during her illness.

A letter of resignation was accepted from Clara W. Fritz.

The Board of Education, through W. S. Carter, sent a communication declining to make any arrangement for more holidays for the city schools. This letter caused considerable discussion and upon motion of Mr. Colwell the following committee were appointed to wait upon the government: The chairman, Mayor Bullock and M. Coll. A further effort will be made to secure the desired additional holidays.

An application received for the position of janitor of Winter street annex, was referred to the following committee: M. Coll, J. V. Russell and Mayor Bullock, with power to act.

Dr. Bridges considered three convictions had had the desired effect and former truants had attended more regularly since. Wm. Curtis, Roland Lemon and Harry Noakes had been dealt with.

Applications from Ira H. Humphrey and H. P. McPate for positions on the teaching staff were referred to the teachers' committee. A communication from Miss Curry re the Manual Training staff, was also referred to the committee.

It is expected that the new school building on Winter street will be in readiness for the fall, as only the upper floor remains unfinished.

Mr. Geo. E. Day reported that the lot recently acquired by the board on Newman street ready to be fenced in. The ground will be gratefully appreciated by the children of that school.

Trust Officer McManis reports twelve irregular and four total truants for the month of June.

The board then adjourned.

BALLOONIST'S NARROW ESCAPE FROM DEATH

NASHUA, N. H., July 12.—Alfred Patenaud, a balloonist, of Haverhill, Mass., had a narrow escape from death or serious injury this evening while making a balloon ascension and parachute jump. For some reason his balloon began to sink before it had attained the proper height for a parachute jump and Patenaud was forced to cut away hastily. He shot downward for 200 feet towards a building before his parachute opened and checked his course so that when he hit the structure he sustained only a sprained ankle.

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SPONGE FINDING.

The Work on the Florida Coast Controlled by Greeks.

There are two places where sponge fishing can best be studied--Tarpon Springs, on the west coast of Florida, and Batabano, on the south coast of Cuba. In Florida the business is conducted with all the ceremony and science which the money of a New York corporation can control. In Cuba, on the contrary, it is pursued with all the primitiveness and leisure associated with sponge fishing since classic times.

In Florida the fishing is mostly done by professional divers. Greeks who have migrated from the Old World to the New to follow their calling. In the Greek quarter at Tarpon you may see Greek houses, Greek costumes and hear the Greek language. Even the boats from which the divers work, boats of immense strength, 40 feet by 16 feet, are brought from Greece. The divers in the Gulf wear diving suits of the most modern and perfect make. The dress is heavily weighted with lead and leaden shoes are worn. The men carry only a large sponge bar. The sponges are found at about a hundred feet, and the diver walks along, gathering them as he goes. The boat followed him on the surface pumping fresh air to him and hauling up the full and lowering the empty bags. The diver often remains down for two or three hours, continually walking and gathering. The diving suits are so perfect and the water so clear there is little risk except from sharks. These monsters infest the Gulf waters and many are the thrilling encounters the divers report. The divers carry no weapons and a knife would be worse than useless. If one shark was driven off or even killed the first trace of blood would bring

GLASTONBURY, THE VALHALLA OF EMPIRE

Two interesting suggestions have been made with regard to the Empire. One is that Glastonbury Abbey (handed over to the Church of England the other day) shall be made a cemetery for the Empire, and the other is that there shall be a special room in the National Portrait Gallery for the men who have built up the British Empire.

THE MAKERS OF ENGLAND. "In Glastonbury," he says, "we have a possible mausoleum for the great English dead all round the planet. The place has a much greater claim than Westminster to 'make us wiser.' It was an ancient Druid shrine before it was Christian, and is ringed round with Celtic names. It was the resting-place of St. Patrick, and the halting-place of St. Bridget. It is connected with the first disciples of Christ. It contained relics of all the ancient Scottish saints.

IMPERIAL PORTRAIT GALLERY. "The Empire, in the opinion of the Overseas League, is most inadequately represented in the present collection of portraits," says the Evening Standard. "Some of the greatest of the Empire-builders find places in the Gallery, but there are many missing and the pictures of those who are there are widely scattered.

A REMINDER TO NEW LANDS. "Imagine what it would be to visit Glastonbury and muse not only of those who have done great things and thought mighty thoughts in a remote spot, but on those who have seen and known and loved and obeyed--the men who led us, not only in battle and in law, but in song, in color, in witty invention, discovery, exploration, and in any great deed or thought.

Several local physicians leave today for Charlottetown, P. E. I., to attend the 15th annual meeting of the Maritime Medical Association being held July 14th and 15th. Among those who will attend are Dr. A. Pierce Crockett and wife, Dr. G. Corbett, Dr. G. A. Corbett and wife, Dr. S. Skinner, Dr. G. G. Melvin and wife, Dr. W. B. McVey and Dr. H. D. Fyfe of St. John, and Dr. Atherton and W. C. Crockett of Fredericton.

GIVE US YOUR DEAR. "This plan would give some real use to a future history to the Abbey. There is no need for the old wealth and bigness, for the many attempts at elaborate machinery. These things did not belong to its best period, and in effect caused its downfall and ruin. There is no need for the innumerable magnificent bequests, lands in seven counties.

GREAT SHAKUP AT WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 12--The greatest "shake-up" that ever has occurred in the person of the Department of Commerce and Labor took place today when approximately 300 employees were reduced and the resignations of about ten others were accepted. This action was taken by Secretary Nagle as the result of an investigation into the "efficiency record" of the employees in his department. The reductions were made, it is stated.

THE KETTLEDRUM

It is an instrument that is pretty difficult to handle. The kettledrum has been so far improved that it has a pitch; in fact, it contains the large range of four notes. It is, as its name shows, a copper kettle, or basin, covered over with skin, which can be tightened or loosened by screws placed around the edge. Drums of this shape were used by the Romans, and even earlier by the Greeks and Persians. But they were not known in western Europe before the crusades.

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Thursday We Start Our Annual Mid-Summer Sale of Men's and Boys' Clothing and Furnishings

It only needs the mere announcement of this sale to bring to our clothing floor the hundreds of men, youths and boys who have been waiting for the chance to supply their present and future clothing needs at the wonderful savings this sale affords. Repeated comparisons have proved conclusively that no matter how great the inducement offered at other stores no one can get such worth for his money anywhere as he can at Oak Hall--sale time and all other times.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Men's Clothing (Fancy Tweed Suits, Worsteds Suits, Raincoats) and Boys' Clothing (2-Piece Suits, 3-Piece Suits, Refusers and Overcoats).

Ask to See These Special Bargains. A lot of Men's Tweed and Worsteds Suits sold down to one's and two's of a kind now marked half price. \$10.00 Suits now \$5.00; \$12.00 Suits now \$6.00; \$15.00 Suits now \$7.50; \$18.00 Suits now \$9.00.

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NOW A SEA SERPENT.

Pythons Escaped From Steamer After Fight With Captain and Crew. (New York Evening Post.) In the course of the last few weeks watch ships coming from Asiatic ports for sea serpent yarns. The British freighter Indragama, now discharged from cargo at the Bush docks, solved the need for a plentiful crop while crossing the Indian Ocean, swimming lazily in the ship's wake with head well up in its new role of sea serpent.

Members of the crew were lying, having climbed the companion ladder. The first to see the monster was a Malay, resting in the shade of the mainmast. The python was only a few feet away, and with a howl to his companions, the sailor made a leap for the rigging, going up hand-over-hand. The other men scattered in all directions. Some bolted down the forecastle, and stolidly refused to come down to aid the officers in the snake hunt that ensued.

Be Temperate! Dewar's Whisky and Common Sense Make a perfect Blend. Includes an illustration of a whisky bottle.

14 OF CREW GO TO THE BOTTOM

SAULT STE. MARIE, Mich., July 12--Three minutes after the steel steamer, Isaac M. Scott and John B. Cowie, had collided in Lake Superior early this morning, about a mile and a half off Whitefish Point Light-house, the Cowie had gone to the bottom in 29 fathoms of water, carrying with her 14 members of her crew. The Scott, although barely damaged about the bows, put back to this port, where she arrived this afternoon, with part of the crew of the Cowie. A heavy fog was responsible for the collision. The Scott, a new boat on her maiden trip to the head of the lakes, had just straightened out her course up the lake when the Cowie loomed up through the fog, only a few feet away down-bound with 8,000 tons of iron ore in her hold.

CLOCK MADE OF BICYCLES.

A clever Frenchman named Alphonse Daham has constructed a timepiece twelve feet high, composed entirely of bicycles or their component parts. The framework is a huge bicycle wheel, round which are arranged twelve ordinary sized wheels, all fitted with pneumatic tires. A rim with in the large wheels bears the figures for the hours, the figures themselves being constructed of crank rods. The hands are made of steel tubing which is used for the framework of bicycles. The minute strokes on the dial are small nickel-plated pieces. The top of the clock is an arrangement of twelve handle bars. The clock strikes the hours and the quarters, bicycle bells, of course, making the chimes. The pendulum is made of various parts of a bicycle frame. It is said that the clock, besides being a curiosity, is an excellent time piece.

OSTRACIZED DEPUTY.

PARIS, July 9--M. Bandon, who carried through the law increasing the salaries of himself and his colleagues in the French chamber, has made himself so unpopular that no electorate will have him and he has been obliged to withdraw from politics.

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34 VALUABLE PRIZES

FIRST GRAND PRIZE

\$1,500 Touring Automobile

The First Grand Prize of a \$1,500 Touring Car will be awarded to the Candidate who secures the largest number of votes in the contest

SECOND GRAND PRIZE

\$750 Player Piano

The Second Grand Prize of a \$750 Player Piano will be awarded to the candidate who secures the second largest number of votes in the contest

THIRD GRAND PRIZE

\$400 Upright Grand Piano

The Third Grand Prize of a \$400 Upright Grand Piano will be awarded to the Candidate who Secures the third largest number of votes in the contest

FOURTH GRAND PRIZE

\$350 Motor Boat

The Fourth Grand Prize of a \$350 Motor Boat will be awarded to the Candidate who secures the fourth largest number of votes in the contest

District Prizes for Ladies ^A/_N Girls

- 3 European Trips.
- 3 Trips to Boston and New York City
- 3 Diamond Rings.
- 3 Scholarships.
- 3 Ladies' Desks.

District Prizes for Men and Boys

- 3 Bicycles
- 3 Trips to Boston and New York City
- 3 Scholarships.
- 3 Gold Watches.
- 3 Morris Chairs.

Division of Territory

- DISTRICT No. 1—All that portion of St. John City lying South of Union Street.
- DISTRICT No. 2—All that portion of St. John City north of Union St., including West Side and North End.
- DISTRICT No. 3—All that territory in the Province of New Brunswick, outside of St. John City.

NOMINATE A CANDIDATE

A Prize of \$50 in Gold will be awarded the person nominating the Winner of the Automobile. Nominate yourself, win the car and get the Gold

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**Conditions and General Information
of the Contest!**

THE CONTEST IS OPEN TO EVERYONE

Any person residing in the territory in which The Sun or the The St. John Star or Weekly News circulates is eligible to enter the contest.

The contest manager reserves the right to reject any nominations.

Votes will be issued on paid-in-Advance subscriptions to The Sun, Star, and Weekly News.

A coupon will also be published in The Sun and Star, which, when neatly cut out, name filled in, and brought or mailed to the Contest Department within ten days, will count as votes.

The first thing to do is to enter your name as a candidate, then either call, write or phone The Sun office for a receipt book with which to secure subscriptions. Then let all your friends know you are in the contest and request them to save their votes for you.

Candidates may nominate themselves or may be nominated by their friends.

No employe or member of employe's family of The Sun Printing Co. can enter the contest.

All special vote ballots issued on subscriptions are good until the end of the contest, and they may be voted at the discretion of the candidate or subscriber.

Votes are not transferable.

Votes will be allowed on subscriptions secured anywhere in Canada, But subscriptions must be paid in advance to secure votes.

The votes will be counted and canvassed by a committee of prominent citizens.

In case of a tie the prize will be divided between the contestants tying.

Any questions which may arise will be settled by The Sun Printing Co., and its decisions will be absolute and final. Nominations must have the address of the candidates.

How to Win a Valuable Prize

Send in your nomination. You will find a nomination blank printed on another page. The nomination blank is good for 1,000 votes, which gives you a fine start.

Then enlist the aid of your friends and neighbors. Use your telephone. Let everyone know that you are a candidate before they promise their help to a mere enterprising candidate.

Be ambitious and determined to win. If you have friends you cannot see at once, write to them.

You can get votes and subscriptions anywhere, from the other districts as well as your own.

Votes will be given on new subscriptions and renewals of old subscriptions that are paid to you in advance.

Call or send to The Sun and Star office for a receipt book. The Contest Manager will be glad to have you call so that he can explain anything you do not understand. Telephone or write to him if you cannot call, and a representative will give you full details.

Secure every Daily Vote Coupon possible. But work for the Special Ballots. They count the most.

Ask your friends to help you. If you belong to a church, society or any organization, let your fellow members know that you expect their help. It will be freely given if you only ask before it is given to some other candidate.

Don't forget that the children can do the most effective work in collecting Daily Coupons, as well as secure you many paid-in-advance subscriptions.

Should your father, brother, mother, sister or friends belong to any organization, get them to secure the votes and assistance of the members of the organization.

Do not let a day pass without securing some subscriptions and votes. The steady, persistent work is what will make you the winner of a valuable prize. Keeping everlastingly at it always brings success.

Any one, anywhere, can vote for any candidate. Candidates can secure votes and subscriptions anywhere.

It is easier to ask questions than to correct mistakes. Do not hesitate to ask questions. The Contest Manager is at The Sun office to help you.

Do not get discouraged. Once nominated do not drop out. You can win. These valuable prizes will be won by some one. Why not by you!

Your Friends Will Help You

Hundreds of people will have no personal friends in the contest. You can secure their friendship and subscriptions if you only ask them. They will also secure votes for you from their friend.

A little organization among your friends for systematic work in your interest will go a long way toward making you the winner of the Grand Prize.

Increase Your Vote Each Day

For further information phone or ask for Contest Manager who will be glad to answer any questions.

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The St. John Sun

	New	Renewals	Price By Carrier	Price By Mail
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One Year.....	4000	2000	4.00	2.00
Two Years.....	10000	5000	8.00	4.00
Three Years.....	20000	10000	12.00	6.00
Five Years.....	40000	20000	20.00	10.00

The St. John Star

	New	Renewals	Price By Carrier	Price By Mail
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One Year.....	2000	1000	3.00	2.00
Two Years.....	6000	3000	6.00	4.00
Three Years.....	10000	5000	9.00	6.00
Five Years.....	20000	10000	15.00	10.00

The Weekly News

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THE STAR ST. JOHN N. B. TUESDAY, JULY 13 1903

TWENTY-ONE-KNOT STEAMSHIPS FOR C.P.R. ATLANTIC LINE

Sir Thomas Shaughnessy arrived at St. Andrews on Sunday with his two daughters, who have just returned from a season spent in one of the leading educational institutions of the old country.

Seated on the broad veranda of his beautiful seaside home yesterday afternoon he discussed with a Sun reporter very freely and very courteously a number of topics of public interest.

With respect to the running of Sunday trains he said it was only an experiment, one that had for its object the comfort and convenience of the travelling public.

He insisted the popularity of the Grand Trunk Sunday trains out of Toronto. He said the company had had in mind some radical changes.

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MAINE TROUBLED BY PLAGUE OF INSECTS

Two Species of Bugs Devastating Crops of Farmers in the Northern State

BANGOR, Me., July 12.—Close students of the Old Testament claim that Maine is now suffering from an infliction of bugs and other devastating insects that is worse than the one which fell upon Egypt in the days of Moses.

There are two species of bugs in strips that are proving very costly. The yellow-and-black squash beetle is gnawing cucumbers, pumpkins, squashes, melons and allied plants to the ground as fast as the leaves appear.

Many thirty Maine orchards are practically leafless and clad in a gray network of web spun by the apple tree caterpillars, which are very abundant, especially east of the Penobscot River.

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APPRECIATION OF A BRITISH AMBASSADOR

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