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RECENT SESSION WAS OF VALUE TO IRELAND

Redmond Regards Universities Bill as Important

Large Share of Pension Fund Will be Received—Lectors are Coming to Boston This Autumn

DUBLIN, Sept. 2.—At a meeting yesterday of the Central Branch of the United Irish League, John Redmond, who presided, dilated upon the importance of the last parliamentary session so far as Ireland was concerned. He considered the Irish University Bill one of the greatest emancipating measures of the century, and he would always be proud of his share in its adoption. Ireland, he said, would receive nearly four million dollars a year under the Old Age Pensions Bill, which would benefit seventy thousand people in Ireland. These and other measures were the substantial results of their parliamentary work. He uttered a warning to the British government, however, that there was still important work to be done in connection with the land legislation and the congested districts, failing of which the Nationalists could not be responsible for the maintenance of peace in Ireland.

SAYS AUSTRALIA MUST HAVE A NAVY

Premier Deakin Points to the Position Held by United States as an Example for His Country to Follow.

THREE CHAMPIONSHIP FIGHTS THIS WEEK

Contests to be Held in California in Featherweight, Middleweight, and Lightweight Classes.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 2.—Three pugilistic contests, each involving the championship of its respective class, will be held in California next week. One of them is an international match between Owen Moran, the English featherweight champion, and Battling Nelson and Joe Gans for the lightweight title. In every case the fights are what might be termed as return matches, as all have met their respective opponents in previous battles.

SHEFFIELD STREET IS FAST LOSING ITS REPUTATION

Loss of Beer Licenses Kills Business—City Officials Own Some of the Houses.

DOWN FOUND GUILTY OF COMMON ASSAULT

In the circuit court this morning the case of The King vs. Martin Downes was heard. The prisoner was charged with attempting to commit rape. Solicitor General McLeod prosecuted and Fredricks defended. The first witness was the complainant, Mrs. Paul of the 18th day of June last, entered her house at Maple and while she was in the room she was held by her and attempted to commit rape on her. The witness was not sworn on account of her age. When asked by the Solicitor General where she would go if she did not tell the truth, she replied "Dorchester." Paul Fredricks, the complainant's husband told about his wife telling him the story of the attempted rape. That closed the case and E. S. Ritchie then advised the jury on behalf of the prisoner. Solicitor General followed and stated that under the circumstances the jury could find the prisoner guilty of attempted rape, indecent assault or common assault. The jury returned shortly after one o'clock and reported that they found Downes guilty of common assault. The prisoner was remanded for September 10.

BRAZIL AND VENEZUELA

CARACAS, Sept. 2.—President Castro's refusal to permit the Brazilian Charge D'Affairs to assume charge of French interests in Venezuela, is the latest item in the long and complicated story of Venezuelan international complications, and speculation is rife in Caracas as to whether Brazil will look upon this action as an insult directed at her, and what France will do towards getting representation here for her interests after this rebuff. The situation is somewhat involved, since the Venezuelan government at first accepted the Brazilian legation as in charge of French interests.

THE FIRST DIRECTOIRE GOWN SEEN IN ST. JOHN WAS WORN TODAY

SPECIAL SESSION TO DEAL WITH TARIFF

U. S. Senator Says One Will Likely be Called

And He Expects Many Hot Contests—Tax on Canadian Lumber May be Reduced—Reciprocity Mentioned.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 2.—Senator McCumber, who has just returned from visits to President Roosevelt and Secretary Taft, today expressed the opinion that the extra session of Congress which is to be called after the fourth of next March for the revision of the tariff, will be of long duration, and that it will witness many stubborn contests over the various schedules which it is proposed to change. Mr. McCumber said that the west will demand that several articles which are now on the protected list shall be made free of duty, especially lumber and coal.

According to the Senator, the people of the northwest where timber is scarce, are generally of the opinion that if the American market, which is open to the Canadian lumber supply, there would be a material reduction in price. While not sharing this opinion as to the reduction, he thought that many evils could be avoided by transferring the lumber schedule from the protected to the free list and will heartily support such a policy. Mr. McCumber would make a determined effort to have the duty taken off wool. He also predicted that the western delegates, especially those representing the agricultural communities, will stand out determinedly in opposition to the effort which he expects to make to procure a provision in the new tariff for reciprocal relations with Canada.

BUT THE MOVING PICTURE MAN WAS NOT THERE

An Equine Comedy in Which a Horse, a Boy and a Loaf of Bread Participated

A number of people witnessed a sight on Charlotte street this morning that, if photographed, would have done well as a motion picture comedy. Two boys, driving delivery teams, left their charges in front of the market entrance. The rear horse thought he would investigate what was in the wagon ahead of him. So after noosing the face looked rather unamused. The big paper bag of flour, the small boy who had charge of the mischievous animal arrived on the scene, picked up the destroyed loaf of bread, threw it into his sister's wagon and drove off with a broad grin on his face.

MYSTERY SURROUNDS YOUNG WOMAN'S DEATH

It Was Said That She Had Been Drowned, But Doctors Discover Marks of Violence on the Body.

DETROIT, Mich., Sept. 2.—The body of Miss Marie Remke, 25 years old, who lives at 88 Maybury Avenue, lies at the county morgue today with the neck broken, a rib fractured and numerous bruises and lacerations, and Coroner Bennett has started an investigation into the young woman's death. Miss Remke was a member of a boating party on the Detroit River last night and the first news of her death was that she had fallen into the water when going ashore at Edwards Resort at the head of the river. A physician was called to attempt resuscitation but the young woman was dead when the doctor arrived. Later the injuries found on the body aroused comment and it was remarked that the girl's hair was dry.

THEATRICAL SEASON OPENED IN LONDON

LONDON, Sept. 2.—The autumn theatrical season was inaugurated by J. Forbes Robertson last night at the St. James theatre, under the management of George Alexander. This was Mr. Forbes Robertson's first appearance in a long time. Although society is absent from the city, the audience included many well known literary people who extended the warmest reception to Mr. Forbes Robertson and Miss Gertrude Elliott and further expressed their decided approval of the performance. The play which is by Jerome K. Jerome is in an entirely new vein. It is entitled "The Passing of the Third Floor Back" and resembles the "Stranger in the House."



THE DIRECTOIRE GOWN

Worn by Miss Pauline Biedermann. From a sketch made by the Star by Mr. Francis Sagerson of the Selman Co., as the bridal party was entering Trinity Church.

GRAND ARMY VETERANS ASSEMBLE IN TOLEDO

Big Parade of the Old Soldiers Was Held Today—Great Crowd of Visitors in Attendance.

TOLEDO, O., Sept. 2.—With flags flying, bands playing, crowds cheering and a bright sky overhead, veterans of the Grand Army of the Republic for the forty-second time, marched through the avenue of an encampment city. Through two miles of streets, the old campaigners of Grant and Sherman moved to the blare of bands and the pipe and roll of tin and drum. The day had been proclaimed a holiday by the mayor and the majority of business places, as well as all public officers, were closed. Long before the march started the streets were packed with humanity, which made it impossible to move on the sidewalks. Local newspapers estimate that including the veterans and their women folk, there were 150,000 visitors in the city.

HIS PLAN WAS TO STEAL SHEETS OF POSTAGE STAMPS

How Thefts in Havana Post Office Were Carried On—Offender Was Arrested Last Night

HAVANA, Sept. 2.—Ricardo Rodriguez, chief of the Bureau of Supplies, and Vouchers in the Havana Post Office, who disappeared after the discovery of a shortage in that department, amounting to \$23,135, was arrested by the police last night. He was in hiding and disguised when the police found him. Rodriguez is 70 years of age and was employed for ten years in the Philadelphia post office, entering the Cuban service from that city at the time of the first American intervention. According to the police the thief in the Bureau of Supplies has been going on for several years. Sheets of stamps were obstructed from the original packages, which were then resealed, so that the taking of stock did not reveal the deficiency. Suspicion was at last aroused, and Postmaster General Hernandez, who was not long in learning that the dishonest practices centred in the Bureau in which Rodriguez was chief, ordered a count of all the stamps whereby the exact amount of the deficiency was ascertained.

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MAN AND TWO BOYS WERE HURT AT RY. CROSSING

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LATEST WEATHER REPORT

SHOWERY

A GREAT STORM IN ENGLISH CHANNEL

Much Damage Has Been Done to Shipping.

Many Vessels Driven Ashore With Loss of Life—Channel Service Suspended.

LONDON, Sept. 1.—Late tonight the gale, which has prevailed all over the English Channel for the past 24 hours, showed little signs of abating. Much damage was done ashore as well as on the sea. The wind at times blew at the rate of 70 miles which is almost unprecedented at this time of year. Never before has it been necessary in the summer to suspend the boat service between Folkestone and Dover and the mid-day service to Calais. An enormous number of vessels have been driven ashore or obliged to seek shelter. Many exciting scenes are reported, but fortunately there has been no great loss of life except in the case of the British bark Amazon, the crew of which had a terrible experience. The Amazon went ashore on Margam Sands and the people on the land could plainly see the men clinging to the rigging or lashed to the bulwarks, but were helpless to save them. One of the men was seen carrying a number of the men down. Two of the crew which numbered 22, were drowned. Six others were washed ashore. The captain of the Amazon was killed in his cabin by a falling mast. Among the vessels which were driven into seeking shelter was the French steamer Touquet Pas, which is carrying Dr. Jean Charcot and his expedition on a voyage of discovery to the South Pole. The Touquet Pas put port at Guernsey during the height of the storm.

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LOCAL NEWS

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'A Count of No Account,' the Hummelov Co.'s greatest comedy hit, will set all St. John dippy with laughter tomorrow and for the remainder of the week. Albert Maher and Miss Mary Maher of New York are visiting their aunt, Miss Kettle Maher, Golding street. Last evening a company was given in their honor at which a large number of young people were present. The evening was passed in games and dancing. The affair broke up at an early hour this morning. W. L. Creighton, advertising agent of the I. C. R., was in the city last night. Speaking of the summer travel on the Intercolonial he said that it was one of the best in years. Just at present the number of people travelling to Montreal over the government road was in excess of the most sanguine anticipations. This was largely due to the Toronto exhibition. A small boy who was playing with a number of companions on Castle street Monday night, fell on the pavement and broke his arm above the wrist. He was running at the time and suddenly slipped, falling forward on his face. His right arm was bent under him and the weight of his body fractured the bone above the wrist. He was taken to a physician at once and had the wounded member set. The boy is employed by one of the city milkmen to deliver milk. A tea will be held this afternoon at the grounds of the St. John Tennis Club. Those in charge are Miss Portia McKenna, Miss Gladys Hegan and Miss L. Kimball. Arrangements are being made for the playing of the annual mixed doubles handicap for the club cups now held by Miss J. Robertson and L. W. Barker. Those intending to compete must hand in their names to the tournament committee this week. Two of the cups won in the provincial tournament at Rothesay were donated to the association by James P. Robertson. The cups were unusually handsome and of unique design. The City Cornet Band will render the music at the big Liberal Political Picnic at Rothesay today. The bandmen will endeavor to get back to the city in time to give a concert in the King Square stand this evening at 8 o'clock. The band has been unflinching in its efforts to please the public and its services are being much appreciated. A meeting of the members of the band was held last evening, when some of the returns were made of the money collected for the band stand. Arrangements were also made whereby the work of collecting the unpaid subscriptions will be started immediately. There is a considerable sum of money yet to be collected. Large numbers contemplate attending the political picnic in Queens-Sunbury counties. Tomorrow the picnic will be held at Wausan and on Friday at Taylor's wharf, Sheffield. Senator Ellis and Hon. H. A. McKeown will be speakers Saturday. Mr. McKeown will speak at George's. On Monday the picnic will be held at Fredericton Junction, when Sir Frederick Borden and F. J. Carvell, M. P., will be the speakers. Tuesday the picnic will be held at Hoyt station, and Wednesday at Armstrong's Corner. Hon. Dr. Fugley and Hon. C. W. Robinson will speak at Hampton on Saturday. Colonel McLean, the candidate, will speak at all the picnics. Two provincial athletic clubs will meet tonight for the purpose of organizing for the Rugby season. The Moncton football team according to the Moncton Times, will assemble this evening and the Argonauts of St. John will also meet at their rooms. No other senior teams in New Brunswick seem to have taken any steps toward preparation for the season. It is three or four weeks too early to tell anything concerning the college XV's, whose make-up is always uncertain until they are on the field. The city teams are very quiet. In St. John, St. Peter's seems non-existent. The Marathons are troubled by the suspension of the two Malcoms and Stubbs, although it is possible that they may attempt to play these men in defiance of the M. P. A. A. A. but in that event will likely encounter some difficulty in finding opponents. Fredericton some years ago possessed strong senior Rugby teams, but the game has been dead there for some time. It is hoped that it can be revived.

UNITED TYPEWRITER CO., LTD., BUYS VAUGHAN BUILDING

As an example of progressiveness and what can be accomplished with a real good article, The United Typewriter Co., Ltd., 80 Prince Wm. Street, might be cited. This concern controls the "Underwood" writing machine that is steadily replacing other makes in this territory. To the Star, Manager F. B. Cowgill states that the company has met with unusual success in the four years, since the business was started, in fact the volume of business during the past year has made it necessary to have more room, and the company has purchased the entire Vaughan building (now partially occupied by them) which will be remodelled in an up-to-date manner. The lower floor being fitted up for office purposes, and used entirely for the business of the company. Work will be started on the building in the near future and in the meantime business will be conducted at the same address, 80 Prince Wm. Street.

SMOOTHING IT OVER

Irate individual—I'm going to square matters with you right now! You've been telling it around that I lie! The other man—Nothing of the sort. All I have said about you is that you are habitually untruthful. Irate individual (calming down)—Oh, I don't mind that, if that's all. I acknowledge I do get that way once in awhile. But how can a fellow help it when everybody insists on treating him?

BASEBALL

NATIONAL LEAGUE

At Philadelphia—Philadelphia, 4; Brooklyn, 2. Second game: Philadelphia, 9; Brooklyn, 0. At Cincinnati—Pittsburg 10; Cincinnati, 2. Second game: Pittsburg, 3; Cincinnati, 2. At Boston—New York, 4; Boston, 1. Second game: New York, 8; Boston, 0. At Chicago—St. Louis, 5; Chicago, 4.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

At Washington—Washington, 6; Boston, 0. At New York—Second game, Philadelphia, 4; New York, 0 (10 innings, called, darkness). At Detroit—Cleveland, 1; Detroit, 0. At St. Louis—Chicago, 13; St. Louis, 2.

EASTERN LEAGUE

At Buffalo—Buffalo, 0; Providence, 4. At Montreal—Montreal, 2; Baltimore, 1. At Rochester—Jersey City, 0; Rochester, 2. At Toronto—Toronto, 4; Newark, 6. New England League. At Haverhill—Haverhill, 9; New Bedford, 4. At Lowell—Fall River, 3; Lowell, 2 (10 innings). At Worcester—Brookton, 7; Worcester, 2. Connecticut League. At New Haven—New Haven, 2; Hartford, 1. At Meriden—New Britain, 7; Meriden, 4. Second game, New Britain, 7; Meriden, 3. At Holyoke—Holyoke, 4; Bridgeport, 1.

It was finally decided at a meeting held last night between representatives from St. Peter's and Marathons to play the deciding game in the championship series on Saturday afternoon on the Victoria grounds. These grounds are no doubt the better, but they will hardly be large enough to hold the large crowds expected to attend. Although nothing is yet certain, it is expected that the teams will line up as in last Saturday's game. It was first intended to play the game on Labor Day. However, a probable match for that day will be between the winner of Saturday's game and a picked team captained and managed by Daniel J. Britt. The latter's team is made up mainly of St. Joseph players and is reported to be the cream of city players.

THE TURK

George Wetmore, traveller for Bald & Peters, has received a very speedy mare from David Doherty, Digby. The animal arrived by the Prince Rupert yesterday. She may appear in the races here.

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SOME OF THE TRADITIONS REGARDING SNEEZING

A Hebrew tradition is that from the time of Adam to the days of Jacob sneezing was a Divine sign of death. Jacob, however, by making sacrifice and prayer, succeeded in changing it to a sign of life; and from Jacob's day onwards babies have sneezed on coming into the world. The young mother of today insists that her darling has caught a cold, but doctors, in their professional capacity, declare that babies sneeze to clear their brains and noses of clogging matter. An Eastern legend would have us believe that in the place of sneezing there sits a judge who keeps before him a book in which the names of all mortals are written. Every day he turns one page and this settles what mortals are to come into his presence for judgment. As the judge is turned each one of the chosen ones sneezes. ANCIENT BELIEFS. Superstitions die hard, and to this day in the north of England somebody is sure to say "Bless the barn!" if you sneeze. The idea is that by sneezing you have purged yourself of devils and have become in a fit state to benefit by a blessing. Had you lived in ancient Greece your sneeze would have been greeted with a "U-vo preserve thee!" In ancient Italy it would have called forth, "Sit salutiferum." In Italy today a sneeze is greeted with the word "Felicita," in Germany with "Gesundheit," in France with "Bonne nuit." The Persians have a saying in one of their holy books—"And whosoever it shall be that thou hearest a sneeze given by thy neighbor, thou shalt say unto him, 'Ahanovar,' and so it shall be well with thee." In this case it is the man who sneezes that is blessed.

There are times to sneeze and times not to sneeze. (It is fortunate that sneezing may be regulated to a certain extent. Fake snuff and you will sneeze; press a finger on your upper lip when you have a warning of nose-irritation, and you will not sneeze.) Aristotle believed that a sneeze in the morning was a good omen, in the afternoon a bad one. Ancients who sneezed while fasting on their sandals promptly went back to bed, for it was clear to them that the moment was not auspicious for rising. PUNISHED FOR SNEEZING. So the Hindus who sneeze while bathing in the Ganges before their prayers are finished begins to say "them again from the beginning. In the north of England they say that to sneeze once brings luck; but a double sneeze brings bad luck; while if you should sneeze for three nights in succession, somebody in your house will die. A time not to sneeze is when you are proposing. A whole story-book was once fashioned out of the idea that the hero sneezed when mid-way through his proposal, lost, in consequence, his opportunity and never recovered it. Another story in which a sneeze was the central incident concerned a billiard match. Two men were playing a game of billiards for a mighty wager. The hero was winning and had come to the crucial stroke which would have made him the victor, when a villain produced a reverberating—"A-a-a-choo!" This so upset the hero that he made a miscue, and the villain won the match. It appeared later that a pinch of snuff had been about his sneeze; he was properly punished due to his villainy.

INSANE CRIMINALS WILL BE KEPT IN ARSENAL

THOMASTON, Me., Sept. 1.—Warden Norton, of the state prison, today transferred fourteen of the more desperate criminals from the Maine State Prison here to the Augusta Asylum for the Insane, in that city. The United States government has given to the state the old arsenal grounds and the buildings thereon are being fitted for the state's insane prison. As soon as the buildings are suitable for occupancy, the remainder of the insane prisoners, some ten or twelve in number, will be transferred. The prisoners who left here today were in charge of Warden Norton, Commissary Norton, Overseer Adams and Guard Jones. "What's the old lady doing now?" asked the old stocking in the work basket, "she's getting out her needle and yarn," replied the scissors. "Well, well," exclaimed the stocking, "I'll be darned."

MOROCCAN PROBLEM

Anti-foreign Feeling Made Mulai Hafid's Usurpation Possible. But He Will Have Difficulty in Consolidating His Sovereignty of the Entire Country. LONDON, Sept. 1.—The Moroccan revolution has followed that of the Turks, and although it is vastly less important to Europe, it produces a diplomatic problem of considerable interest. It is hoped with much confidence that the Algerian agreement may be transferred bodily to the new conditions. That Mulai Hafid will succeed promptly in consolidating his sovereignty of the entire country, but it is by no means certain that he will be able to supply this easy solution of the Moroccan problem. It was really owing to the fact that the Sultan of Morocco is the anti-foreign feeling that his usurpation became possible. The Sultan, in his favor in the South had for its object to have the country free from foreigners. He means to begin by recognizing that he can rule only with the consent of Europe, and that his attitude toward foreigners, especially the French, which his followers most detest, must be friendly. He has already so declared himself, and he is expected to accept in full the Algerian agreement, but the fanatical tribesmen who have put him on the throne are likely to realize soon that there is not much difference between Mulai Hafid and Abdul Aziz. So far as the real independence of Morocco is concerned, the situation, indeed, is far from stable, and the early appearance of another pretender is not improbable in the meantime. Europe will wait. No power will recognize Mulai Hafid until he has secured it through diplomatic channels. The decision of the powers will then be dictated by expediency. Great Britain, either France or Spain probably taking the initiative in opening the question. Thus far there has been no indication of any opposition to the simple solution of the question suggested by Germany, of course, is the only possible source of friction. There is no suggestion from Berlin, however, of Kaiser to fish in troubled waters. The demand for another conference, which has been discussed in some quarters this week, would presage trouble, for another embroglio like that at Algiers, which was settled with the greatest difficulty, would be regarded with apprehension in diplomatic circles. CASABLANCA, Aug. 30.—(Associated Press)—The position of Abdul Aziz, the Sultan of Morocco, who recently met with a heavy defeat at the hands of the forces of Mulai Hafid, appears to show improvement. Advice received here confirms the defeat of Caid Glaoui, one of Hafid's strongest adherents, by the Shangan tribesmen, followers of Abdul Aziz, and word comes along that Moutou, one of the chiefs who recently joined the forces of Abdul Aziz, is sweeping all before him, having defeated the Handites' leader, Eraoul, according to the report, has now surrounded Morocco City. Abdul Aziz, who at the time of his defeat fled to Settat, has arrived at Kasbah Rochid, an interview he claimed that his defeat was unimportant, being entirely due to the treachery of his men. Prospects, he said, are already beginning to brighten, and he is considering the question of returning to Morocco City. If Chief Moutou is successful, it is likely that he will do so, but he would only march there with tribesmen of whose loyalty he is absolutely certain. "Nothing is lost," said the Sultan, "he who knows how to profit by the lessons of the past is stronger in the future."

THE BRITISH NAVY IS MAINTAINED AT TWO POWER STANDARDS

Talk of War Between Germany and England Has Subsided. LONDON, Aug. 31.—The London correspondent of the Sun says: There has been a lull this week in the dangerous discussion both in Germany and England of the question of impending war between the two countries. The highest authorities of both countries, recognizing the peril of such agitations have done their utmost to deprecate public allusions to the subject. The extent to which the feeling has reached in the public services in Germany is illustrated by an incident related by a foreign attaché, who was a guest aboard a German warship during the recent manoeuvres. Among the toasts regularly drunk after supper was one which was of a cryptic meaning: "To the day." It was always honored alike. The visitor finally asked what it meant. "Oh, we always drink that toast in the navy," was the reply. "It means the day when war is declared between England and Germany." It is not clear yet what the British government deduced from its attempt to sound public opinion on the question of a great loan to enable England suddenly to eclipse Germany's big naval programme. Most of the opposition press and leaders have refrained from comment while the ministerial organs have generally approved it. Meanwhile the government is endeavoring to reassure the country by publishing a summary of the naval forces of the world. The figures in their favor would indicate that the British navy is still maintained at the two-power standard. These statistics, however, are somewhat misleading. They credit Great Britain for example with fifty-seven battleships against Germany's 22. The British ships include vessels of the Admiral and Royal Sovereign classes which are obsolete and out of commission whereas all the German ships are ready to go to sea at a moment's notice. Great Britain's actual forces in battleships number 33.

CEYLON'S LAND LEECH

It is nearly always the case that exceedingly beautiful countries are overrun by different kinds of pests. Beautiful Ceylon has mosquitoes, said to be the most annoying and audacious in the world, and snakes, and a thousand more plagues of poor human beings, but the worst of them all is a species of leech. The Ceylon land-leech is a thin creature about two inches long, and very nimble and flexible; it will crawl up a man's leg and travelling underneath the clothing, will climb as high as the throat. They do not crawl like the innocent leech that was known to medicine, but rear themselves up on their tail to watch for prey and walk off to attack with amazing rapidity. In walking through the jungle hosts of them may be seen by the roadside, where they wait to detritize cattle. Horses, it is said, are driven half wild by them, as also are palanquin-bearers and coolies, whose bare legs are their favorite resort, the men's hands being too engaged to pull them. The leech may be seen hanging round their ankles, from which tiny trickles of blood run over the foot. "Do you play any instrument, Mr. Jimp?" "Yes, I'm a cornetist." "And your sister?" "She's a pianist." "Does your mother play?" "She's a fiddler." "And your father?" "He's a pessimist."

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VANDERBILT COUNTESS IS SERIOUSLY ILL VIENNA, Sept. 1.—A despatch received here from Budapest states that Countess Szechenyi is seriously ill, following her attachment of a still-born child, but according to the latest reports the immediate danger is past, although she will be confined to bed. It is feared for a long time. It appears that the Countess started a few days ago on an automobile tour with her husband when she suddenly became ill. She was conveyed home to Unovar Castle and as speedily as possible doctors were summoned from Budapest. The Countess' mother, Mrs. Cornelia Vanderbilt, of New York, has been requested by cable to come to Budapest.

LAST DAY OF GREAT SOCIAL DRAMA "Fireside Reminiscences" A picture play that makes your heart throb with emotion Quartette of New Pictures A Howl Of Laughter in "Jim Hains Anderson Fairy Tale" The Is Fond Of Gallo in "Not Miller And His Jackass" Another Loud Smile in "Not Something Dramatic in 'In Ye, But Soon'" Emma Felix and Al. Weston—Vocalists THURS.—"A Count of No Account." One continuous scream.

ONE OF THE FEATURES OF THE St. John Exhibition WILL BE THE EXHIBITS OF Machinery in Motion in the Machinery Hall. An opportunity afforded to watch the process of making Nails, Brushes, Furniture, Cotton Towels, Etc. Etc. Several astonishing inventions to be shown. It will be well worth a visit. Remember the Dates—Sept 12th to 19th. A. O. SKINNER, President. R. H. ARNOLD, Man.

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THE CANADIAN LABOR LAW PRAISED

OTTAWA, Sept. 1.—Dr. Victor Clarke who was sent to Canada last spring by President Roosevelt to make an investigation into the operation of the Industrial Disputes Act, and who, in the course of his investigations, visited the chief cities of the Dominion, has made his report to the American Bureau of Labor. His report is given the honor of first place in the bulletin which is a volume of several hundred pages.

Dr. Clarke says: "So far as can be judged from the experience of a single year, the Industrial Disputes Act has accomplished the main purpose for which it was enacted, the prevention of strikes and lockouts in public service industries. Apparently it has not affected adversely the condition of workingmen or of industries where it has been applied. It is much more effective than the compulsory arbitration laws like those of New Zealand or Australia, because its settlements are based on the agreement of parties and do not prescribe an artificial wage often ill-adjusted to economic conditions.

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GRATITUDE FOR THE QUEEN'S KINDNESS

LONDON, Sept. 1.—A touching instance of the Queen's solicitude for a consumptive boy was given during the hearing of a case at Tower Bridge Police Court.

Mrs. Chadwick, the caterer at a woman's lodging house, who was prosecuted for a woman for theft, said that she had a family of fifteen children, eleven of whom had died of consumption.

One of her surviving children, a boy of thirteen, had been an inmate of the Brompton Home for Consumptives. The lad attracted the Queen's attention during one of her frequent visits to the home, and her Majesty sent him, at her own expense, to St. Raphael (France) for the benefit of treatment there. The mother spoke with gratitude of the Queen's kindness.

\$3,000 WENT OVER THE WINDOW  
PITTSBURGH, Pa., Sept. 1.—Mrs. Edward McDonough, of Eighth street, East McKeesport, came to this city yesterday and collected \$3,000 on a life insurance policy. She asked for and received the money in cash, which she placed in a large pocketbook.

Mrs. McDonough was accompanied by her 18 months' old baby and started home on a street car. The baby became restless after the car left the city and reached for the pocketbook.

Mrs. McDonough gave it to the child, and before she knew what was happening, the baby had found the pocketbook out of the window. It was some time before the car could be stopped, and after it was stopped all efforts to find the pocketbook were unavailing.

MARRIAGES AMONG MEN OF LETTERS.

One has heard so much of the proverbial incompatibility of man of genius and their wives that one is almost ready to believe that, with the exception of a very few, there have been no happy marriages among the men of letters.

Of men great in the past generation this may be true, but among the famous authors of today it is a rarity to find one unhappily married, or one who does not acknowledge his greatest friend, critic, admirer and inspirer to be his wife.

Jack London's present wife, who was Miss Charman Kiltredde, is possessed of a keen intellect and quick wit, and is of the greatest help to her talented husband. She reads and revises all the manuscripts sent out by him and is his constant companion. It was she (says the Kansas City Star) who was the heroine of the "Sea Wolf" one of his best tales.

WIVES AS CO-WORKERS.  
Mrs. Richard Le Gallienne has done what few wives could do; she has submerged herself in her husband's work, his thoughts and plots, for she herself was before her marriage, when she was Julie Norregard, a brilliant writer. On her marriage, however, she gave up all her ambitions and laid down her own pen to help her gifted husband. Mrs. Gallienne is of Danish birth. She has rather peculiar taste in dress, and wears what she considers

months more than make up for the cost of holding the grain, but there can be no element of certainty in this connection. As a rule it is better to sell the wheat soon after it is threshed. This process facilitates the distribution of money, and the grain dealer can do so to transport it quickly from his field or granary to the elevator or landing.

Officially of the railway companies have the means to produce their readiness to handle promptly all the grain that offers, and they have shown themselves cooperative in this respect.

WINNIPEG, Sept. 1.—The value of this year's western wheat crop, on the basis of yesterday's closing prices, may be placed at about \$85,000,000 as compared with \$50,000,000 last year, \$60,000,000 in 1932 and \$52,000,000 in 1933. The average yield of the crop has not been disturbed, but it is much better than that of last year, superior to that of 1932 and as good as that of 1933. The yield in 1933 was 77,000,000 bushels, in 1932 74,000,000 bushels and in 1931 70,000,000 bushels.

At about the same time in 1931 it sold at 78c, and in 1932 at 78c. All these prices are on the basis of delivery at the lake ports and from the price must be deducted the average freight of wheat from the point of origin in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. This has been calculated at 15c per cent, or 32 per bushel. Due allowance has also been made for the variation in grades in the various seasons. In 1932 the price was comparatively low but the average quality was good and the yield was fairly large. Last year the price was much higher, but the quality was poor and the yield was low. This year the price is even better than it was a year ago, the quality is generally good, and the yield is the largest in the history of the country.

CAUSE FOR SATISFACTION.  
Under this state of affairs, there is no need to be well satisfied with the results of the year's agricultural operations. The tone of the report is optimistic, and it is usually more so than sufficient to meet the obligations. Oats and barley are also important crops, and it is usually more so than sufficient to meet the obligations. Oats and barley are also important crops, and it is usually more so than sufficient to meet the obligations.

COST OF COURTESY.  
The adage "Courtesy costs nothing," would it true offer sufficient reason, would it insure by practically every member of the commercial community, it being fairly obvious to most of us that courtesy is an excellent lubricant for the machinery in business. To be always courteous in business, however, requires a very considerable expenditure of mental effort, which very few of us are capable of sustaining at all times.—Magazine of Commerce.

THE RAILWAYS DUTY.  
The value of the wheat crop depends not only on its quality, but upon the facility with which it is moved out. A carload which is shipped out of Fort William before the close of navigation is worth a great deal more to the farmer, under ordinary circumstances, than one which is held over for the winter. It often happens that the advances in prices during the winter

becoming rather than what is in style. She is fond of dressing like some old picture she takes a fancy to, and delights in wearing antique jewels. Fate was kind to Jerome K. Jerome when she gave him for a wife so witty a woman as Mrs. Jerome. She is fairly sparkling, and her laugh is one of the merriest things one can listen to. She is very dark, and is said to be of Spanish birth. There is no more congenial couple in all the literary world than Mr. and Mrs. Jerome, for they are not only friends and lovers, but co-workers as well.

EDITH'S HUSBAND'S "COPY."  
It was Mrs. W. V. Jacobs' keen sense of humor that first attracted her husband to her, and when her appreciation of the humorous drifted to her own charming stories they soon became friends. Mrs. Jacobs is English by birth and is a member of the literary world. She divides her admiration between her husband and their children, and still delights in his stories, reading them all over again before they are sent to the publisher.

Mrs. Max Pemberton, who is distinguished literary in her tastes, edits for her husband's "copy" for him, and he always discusses his ideas with her before starting on a new book. She is a member of the literary world, and is a woman of rare conversational ability as well as a great charm of manner. Her husband's technical without her he could do no work.

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SEQUESTERS DIVORCE FROM HER CHINESE HUSBAND

Frenchwoman Who Married Oriental Diplomat Speedily Regrets the Act — Escapes From Pekin

PARIS, Sept. 1.—The danger of European girls marrying Orientals is shown by the experience of a young Parisienne, who yesterday obtained a divorce in Paris from her Chinese husband, after a very unhappy experience in China.

In 1932 Sing Ling, a diplomat attached to the Chinese embassy in Paris, met Mile. Deneux, a very handsome young Parisian, who was greatly interested in Oriental matters. Sing Ling became engaged to Mile. Deneux, and the marriage took place with great pomp at the Chinese embassy in Paris.

Sing Ling, who was a member of the first class, was afterwards appointed to a post, and high official, in his own country, and took Mile. Deneux out to China. Once at Pekin, however, Sing Ling quickly returned to Chinese ways and habits, and shut himself out of the house, and she was surrounded by a high wall, and refused to allow her out.

Moreover, he married three other wives, Chinese women, and compelled his French wife to associate with them. Finding that she objected to sharing her husband with other wives, Sing Ling took away her child, and refused to allow her to see it again.

The poor woman succeeded in sending off a letter to her mother, who traveled all the way from Paris to rescue her unhappy daughter.

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AMUSEMENTS.

FOUR NEW NICKEL PICTURES.

This is change-of-programme day at the Nickel again and a fine gallery of mounted photographs will be hung up on the big curtain for the entertainment of the great crowds who attend all good shows at this resort. The chief feature of the new bill will be one of the best known fables, one that is more recent than the others, namely, The Miller, His Son and His Mule. Pathe Freres have elaborated this fable gorgeously, and it makes a most charming picture. Not Yet but Soon is a Chicago comedy of continuous laughter. Jim is Fond of Garlic, an imported farce, and In the Nick of Time, something strikingly dramatic. The Humano company will tonight conclude the strongly emotional play, Firdous Reminiscences, which made another profound impression last night.

Thursday the Humano Co. will put on that delirium of laughter, A Count of No Account, the most ludicrous comedy yet converted to the purposes of a picture. In New York, Boston and other centres it has run weeks at a stretch to tremendous business. The best being sung at the Nickel are getting great "hands."

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The management of the Princess have secured one of the biggest headline acts in Seky, the wonderful magician. The regular picture programme will be a first class one with four new pictures of drama and comedy. Mr. Newcombe and Madama Dremly will sing. Don't forget Seky is at the Princess.

WHAT HAVE THEY GOT AT THE BIJOU TODAY?

That's the first question picture-lovers ask, because everybody interested in real good pictures always look to the Bijou for them. So, this being a change of programme day at the Bijou, we'll just try and give you some little idea of the good ones for today. First, "Gaston's Visit to the Museum of Arts," and it shows this gentleman on his rounds. He gets tired, sits down for a rest, and the statue, falls asleep and dreams, dreams that the statue comes to life. With one of these he takes a trip to the celestial spheres and views many wonderful sights. It's a very interesting picture and one you'll enjoy. The next, called "The Peaceful 'n'," is anything else but that which the name implies and will cause much laughter. Then there are two of those mysterious kind, "The Magician" and "The Magic Bag." Laugh! You can help it. "Rent's Due" is a very fine picture. The Hedogot Coat is a comedy subject, for laughter only. The Foreman's Hatred is a very strong dramatic story that is sure to please to finish. You've heard of chess walking, well these run. A scenic picture that will delight everybody is The Town and Coast of North Devon in England. Devon is famous for its beautiful scenery and this picture shows the best of it. The pictures are new and that they are good goes with out saying, or they would not be shown at the Happy Half Hour. Prof. Titus and Harry Leroy in illustrated songs will complete an hour show.

TWO LITTLE SHOES AT THE UNIQUE TODAY.

We again call the attention of the readers of this paper to the excellent programme that will be put on at the Unique Theatre today. The leading picture is entitled "Two Little Shoes." The story told by the picture is extremely interesting and occupies over 1,000 feet of film. A young man with a wife and child to support is thrown out of employment. Unable to bear the sight of his loved ones suffering he departs for the western gold fields, while his wife and child are asleep, taking with him one of the baby's shoes. During his absence his wife dies and on his return he meets a young lady who reminds him greatly of his lost wife. He follows her home, and on entering sees his wife's picture on the mantel. He tells them who he is, and the young woman, who is his daughter, produces a baby's shoe, the mate of which he has carried in his pocket for so many years. The next

MIDDLE BASS ISLAND, Ohio, Sept. 1.

This was not a good day for fishing, although Judge Taft tried his luck in the choppy sea late in the forenoon. One sheepshead for Mr. Taft and a bass for Charlie was the catch.

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delicious, dainty new biscuit... made from cream of wheat... quickly crisp and tempting. In this only from good grocers. Buy by name Cambridge Wafers

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THE STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B. WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 1903

The Idyl of a Clothes Line

By MARION WARNER WILDMAN.

(Continued.)

A sinister mutter of low voices reached their ears as they leaned over the window-sill, looking listening. Perfect silence followed. The group of men, perhaps a dozen in all, who could be seen vaguely lurking in the shadow of the office-building, were evidently waiting for something. For what?

On the other side of the alley there was the sound of a door opened violently. A sudden broad band of light glowed across the cottage-yard. In the doorway—a vivid, tragic picture, drawn in the sinister black and white of flicking gas light and the shadows of night—two figures were revealed to the eyes that watched.

They heard her cry out, not loud but with a shuddering, passionate intensity that thrilled across the space between, though they could not catch the words. They saw him tear himself roughly from the clinging arms and run down the steps, still in the broad glow of the light from his door, till the obscurity of the alley engulfed him. A moment later the secretary, leaning far out of the open window, saw a slight file of dark figures disappearing stealthily into the night. Presently they were quite lost to view, and his eyes returned to the cottage-door. Those of his companion had never left it. The girl who stood there still as her husband had left her, her slim figure in the faded print gown motionless as if stricken to stone, her hands pressed to her temples, white and tense against the blackness of her hair.

How long they watched her they could not have told. The spell which held them soundless and motionless as she, was snapped suddenly when they saw her stir a little, half-turn, reel, fall heavily to the floor. The door, half-open, perhaps struck by her falling body, swung shut and the glow of light down the yard went out abruptly.

It took some moments to reach the avenue, hurry down the cross-street and enter the alley. "Go in without me—I'll come," the secretary bade her, and she found her way to the door, then, hearing no sound within, opened it and up the unaccompanied steps with laborious steps in the darkness. Stumbling, entered.

The little kitchen was neat, cold and desolately still. The heavy breathing of a croupy child in the next room was the only sound she heard as she stooped wearily over the piteous figure that lay motionless at her feet, just as they had seen her fall.

"You poor baby! You poor, dear little girl!" murmured the older woman tenderly, pushing back the dark hair from a childish forehead, laying an anxious finger on the limp wrist, chafing the cold hands.

After awhile the thick brown lashes quivered, heavy lids were lifted, and a pair of dark eyes gazed for a moment unseeing into Miss Morgan's face, then closed again wearily.

"Jim—Jim, I thought you were dead!" she cried, her eyes fixed on the girl who lay motionless at her feet. "I thought—you went away!"

At one o'clock, Miss Morgan finally heard low voices and footsteps approaching from the alley gate. Starting up from her vigil beside the young wife who at last slept fitfully, she went to the kitchen door.

"Who is it?" she asked with her hand on the door knob. At the reassuring voice of Allan McCleure she turned the key.

The door was burst open impatiently and a tall figure, not the private secretary's husband by her. The boyish face was haggard with miserable, gut-stricken eyes.

breathlessly into the shadow of the alley and hurried back for a last look. The door they had noiselessly closed behind them opened presently, and for the second time that night they saw the faint light of the doorway two figures standing. The boy's arm was about her shoulder, the girl's face against his sleeve. The still air of earliest morning carried their low voices distinctly across the space between.

"They're not here, Jim!" "Like enough they left it an hour ago, honey!" "We don't even know who they were!" "God bless them, anyway!" "O Jim—I know I will!"

The stenographer and the private secretary stood side by side at a window of the editor's office on a rainy April morning looking down across a dingy alley and a small deserted back yard to a tiny cottage with a closed door and black, staring, unshaded windows.

"They've gone!" he smiled. "Yes—they're gone," she sighed, her sensitive eyes on a gray old clock-face, frayed, weatherworn, abandoned, that swung by the back of the door, back and forth, in the April breeze.

"Hardly. What I wanted was to bring the boy home, not to land him behind bars." "You must be a brave man, Mr. McCleure!"

"Not in the least, Miss Morgan. All I did when I found them skulking in the shadow of the blast-furnaces was to walk up to them quietly and ask if there was a young chap there who hailed from Brush street and answered to the name of Jim. You see, that's really all I knew of his identity. Before he'd time to answer or light out, I went on to say that his wife lay in a dangerous state—unconscious—might not be alive when he got there."

"I was only fearful he wouldn't believe me, but he did. My breathing apparatus is a wreck trying to keep up with the pace he set and at the same time tell him what I had in mind to say. But I think we've saved him, Miss Morgan. He was like a man come out of a trance. The crisis is over, and now," he nodded at the cottage door, "now shall we do the deed. She and the kid, Jim's given an interesting old stranger her word that he'll play the man now and keep out of devilry while he waits for things to brighten."

"But in the meantime?" "In the meantime—well, Miss Morgan, on heads, if you don't mind my saying so, are array enough to be made. Let's put them together. What do you think—shall they take her?"

"She shook her head doubtfully. "I'm afraid they won't. The poor girl told me their father's story. It seems that they came from some small place in Kansas, as near as I could gather, is very much like the garden of Eden. It was a runaway match, because they couldn't think of waiting till their people thought they were doing wrong. Fanny, Mr. McCleure, only seventeen, and he was short of twenty!"

"His father is a small farmer and he's got a country store, and either one would make a place for the boy if they were only back there. But they can't possibly ask them for help, because that's exactly what they were told it would come to. And, moreover, there were grasshoppers in Kansas that year, and they were hard up financially. It would take the appalling sum of a hundred dollars to settle their debts here, and he had no money."

"A hundred dollars," mused the editor's secretary, carelessly. "It's a grizzled hair. A hundred dollars! Miss Morgan, you told her who we were, of course?"

"Why? Why—no, I can't remember that I did. It's odd I never thought of it—nor she!" "I dare say she took you for her guardian-angel. What her husband took me for is a tougher proposition, but the fact remains that he didn't ask and I didn't volunteer any information, and I didn't take a cent from him. He had taken a pocketbook from his wife and was running his fingers rapidly through a bunch of bills."

MILLIONS OF BUSHELS FOR PORT OF ST. JOHN

Chief Grain Inspector Declares 14,000,000 Bushels of Grain May Come St. John Can't Handle It With Present Facilities, He Says

Wheat Crop is Large, and It is Hoped That Port Will Be Equipped

"We are going to offer you at least 14,000,000 bushels of wheat this winter. If you are able to handle it, it will pass through St. John, if not we must seek another outlet. You certainly can't look at it under present conditions."

"This is what Mr. C. Castle, chief grain inspector of the Dominion, said to the Sun last night when asked in reference to the shipments of western grain during the coming months."

"The wheat crop," he said, "is large, very large, and we want, if possible, to ship every bushel of it via Canadian routes."

St. John the Winter Port "St. John, by virtue of its geographical position, is the natural winter port of Canada. The short rail haul gives it an advantage over Halifax. But you can't hope to get the western grain traffic if your wharves, elevators and berths are not in a condition to handle the grain."

Mr. Castle has been in the city a day or two inspecting the harbor facilities here, the wharves and the elevators and gathering information necessary in connection with the shipment of grain during the winter months.

St. John is equipped with the wheat crop in Alberta, Saskatchewan and the prairie yield is not less than 110,000,000 bushels, with every bushel of wheat which will reach 110,000,000 bushels. This is in addition to a yield of 150,000,000 bushels of oats and 30,000,000 bushels of barley.

"No matter what the newspaper reports have been so far," said Mr. Castle, "I can assure you that the wheat crop this year will not be less than 110,000,000 bushels."

After discussing the possibilities of the west for one time, Mr. Castle was asked for his opinion concerning the facilities here in St. John.

"You simply cannot have better facilities and have them right away," he said, "if you hope to see the western grain pass through your port. It is idle to talk about anything else. It is money well invested."

"So far as the elevators are concerned," said Mr. Castle, "their speed capacity for handling grain is far too limited. At Sand Point it is claimed that the elevators can load grain into the steamers at the rate of 10,000 bushels an hour. They should be able to load at the rate of 25,000 bushels an hour, and even then they would not have attained the speed of the Port William elevators."

Referring to the intercolony elevator, the capacity of which is not so great as that of Sand Point, Mr. Castle pointed out that the gallery from the elevator to the wharf is too low. A new one, twenty feet higher, should be built of steel, with a floor of reinforced concrete, and provision made for conveying the grain to the ship at least twice the number of bushels of grain. The present conveyance is so low that the ship at high tide is too near the shore for the grain to run. Consequently valuable time is lost. Mr. Castle mentioned the fact that such a slow method of loading grain meant a serious loss of every steamer taking a cargo at this port.

"As a western man," Mr. Castle remarked, "I want to impress upon you that the port of St. John must be supplied with facilities not only to handle the grain which will come here this winter and next winter, but to take care of the increased output that the West will make five and ten years from now, for at present we are only on the fringe of the agricultural belt."

"You simply can not imagine the amount of grain which the West will raise twenty years from now. And St. John can get this grain if she wants it, but she must act and act quickly. This is no idle dream."

"I'm speaking about our lack of adequate wharves and deep water berths. Mr. Castle said he was glad to see that the government is taking steps to develop the harbor in the direction of Courtenay Bay. He believes there is a great chance there for a splendid harbor. He also spoke of the main channel."

"If I were doing it," he said, "I would dredge a straight channel right out of the harbor if it cost \$6,000,000. I would never rest until the conditions were such that a captain taking his bearings at the buoy below Partridge Island could come straight in at twenty knots an hour if he liked."

SEVEN MEMBERS OF A DEER ISLE SUMMER COLONY ARE DROWNED BY THE CAPSIZING OF A SLOOP

DEER ISLE, Me., Sept. 1.—Seven summer people out of a party of ten were drowned by the capsizing of a 35 foot sloop in Penobscot Bay, off this harbor today.

The dead: Miss Alice Torro, Washington, D. C.; Miss Eleanor Torro, Washington, D. C.; Miss Lettie Kellogg, Baltimore, Md.; Mrs. Lucy S. Crawley, Philadelphia; Miss Elizabeth G. Evans of Mount Holyoke Seminary, Mass.; Jason C. Hutchins of Bangor, one unknown.

The saved: Captain Haskell, Deer Isle, Prof. Edward Crawley, Philadelphia, husband of Mrs. Crawley; Henry B. Evans, Mt. Holyoke, brother of Miss Elizabeth Evans.

The party had hardly been gone an hour when the wind came up, heeling the sloop well over and dashing the spray upon the occupants, many of their eyes. There was no thought of danger until the afternoon was drawing to a close, when Captain Haskell decided that the wind was too heavy for his boat and the sea too choppy, so he brought the boat around and started a tack homeward.

High on the Weather Side All the party were perched high up on the weather side as the sloop cut through the waves with the water all the while, when Captain Haskell gave a shout of warning that he was going to tack and then they were over the side. Just at this moment the boat rose high up on a wave exposing her to the full brunt of the wind. An unusually heavy gust struck her, and in a twinkling the sloop was over on her beam ends and the party of ten was in the water.

For one brief moment it was everyone for oneself. Captain Haskell, however, took in the situation in one quick glance. He had been clinging to the sheet and his tenacious hold had not pointed out that her work here will be of great benefit. "Keep on dredging, build up wharves and have your elevators into shape right away and St. John will become one of the greatest ports in the world for by that time you'll have your summer port and materially increase the trade of the port during the summer months."

Mr. Castle again emphasized the opportunity that he is knocking at the door of this port and said he hoped no effort would be spared to place the proper facilities here for handling the grain from the West, so that the shippers would not find it necessary to export by way of Buffalo. It would be a great shame for Halifax or Boston or New York should get the business that rightly belongs to St. John.

Mr. Castle, who does not often talk for publication, is one of the best informed men on transportation problems in Canada. He is a member of the Winnipeg Board of Trade and also of the Winnipeg grain exchange and was commissioned by the Canadian government to purchase abroad the seed grain for use in the West this year.



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been loosened by the sudden plunge into the ice-cold waters of the Maine coast. He saw that the boat's tender was still right side up and shouting to Professor Crawley and Henry Evans, who were nearest to him, he directed them to make for the tender, doing so at the same time himself. Professor Crawley, however, still clinging to the overturned sloop, looking for his wife, while Evans was trying vainly to locate his sister.

Gained the Tender In the meantime, Haskell gained the tender and had clambered aboard. Cutting it loose from the overturned sloop he picked up the oars and bringing the boat up near Crawley and Evans helped them aboard, persuading them that the only way they could help the women folk was from the rowboat. But even then the women were beyond their aid, for they were water-soaked clothes and chilled through by the cold waters they had been unable to keep themselves afloat. Some of them had seized the person nearest them by the neck and in some instances they had gone down together, clasped in each other's arms.

The three men in the tender found the bodies of the women who had been in the water. The wind was too high and the sea too rough for them to handle the small boat. They were in grave danger themselves of being thrown once more into the water. The upset, however, had been seen from Eagle Island, not far from the accident, and as soon as possible a sloop was sent out to pick up the survivors. They reached the tender just in time and pulled the three exhausted men aboard. Of the rest of the party but two were in sight, and the boat was headed for them. They were Lottie Kellogg and Miss Evans. Although the rescuers worked vigorously, they were unable to restore life.

Boat Was Well Back The boat was well back on its way to the island before the fate of Hutchins was recalled. Then someone remembered that he had seen Hutchins swimming strongly for Barren Island. It was too late then to change the boat's heading, but by that time the young man had either gone to the bottom or had managed to reach the rocks. The survivors already in the boat were urgently in need of attention.

Hutchins was a student in the Bangor Theological Seminary, and had been filling one of the pulpits of Deer Isle for the summer. A boat was sent to hunt for him as soon as the survivors reached land.

The calamity cast a profound gloom over the resort. Some of the party had been here for the greater portion of the summer and all had become well known to the majority of the people here. This particular party of nine that went out with Captain Haskell had formed one of the liveliest groups of merry-makers on this portion of the island and, determined to make the last of the summer months, they had started out from the wharf full of high spirits, giving a ringing cheer to those left behind.

HIGH WIND PREVENTS A HIGH SCORE

OTTAWA, Sept. 1.—Only one match was finished at the D. R. A. meeting today, but there was a lot of difficult shooting under rather adverse weather conditions. In the morning a haze caused by bush fires obscured the targets and made good shooting almost impossible. Those who went first in the Dominion of Canada match suffered most, for the conditions improved, and the afternoon there was a strong but steady wind. The general average of the shooting, however, was ahead of last year, when 46 was in the lead as against 57 this year.

Shoot the 600 After the Dominion match the executive decided to shoot the 600 yards range in the Governor General's match in the afternoon, putting back the 200 yards to Thursday and the 500 yards to Wednesday. The general average of the shooting in the 600 was not high as the wind was variable. During the time this match was in progress the cadets shot at the 200 yards and the 500 yards in connection with the Lord Roberts trophy open to cadets throughout the Empire. Halifax made a good showing. These came the first range of the Walker match. Weather conditions were improved, the result being a large number of high scores.

Annual Kickers' Meeting In the evening the annual "Kickers' meeting" was held. Col. Sean Hughes presiding. Capt. G. J. Crove of Quebec, seconded by Major Thom, moved that the prize position mean that the program be kept clear of the ground.

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He said that the position assumed by Lt. Spittal and Mortimer was not tenable. The rifles should not be supported except by the forearm.

The Minister said that he had been to Blaisy for seven years and that his position had never been protested. He had been spoken to but that was all. He had a square deal at Blaisy, he felt that Lt. Spittal had suffered from a mistake.

Lt. Spittal defended his position on the same grounds. Col. Thibou said that Lord Roberts had said to him that the best position that a man could get into was the one safest for himself.

The motion was lost by a large majority. Dominion match, six and eight hundred yards Cup and 300, Pte. Steel, 61; 300, Lt. Spittal, Ottawa, 61; 300, Capt. Ensign, 4th Sussex, 61; 300, Sgt. Stock, 7th Truro, 61; 300, Capt. Forbes, 73rd Chatham, 61; 300, Pte. Truro, 61; 300, Capt. Blair, R. O., 61; Pte. Semple, 7th Truro, 61; Lt. Beer, P. E. I., 61; Sgt. Foster, 6th Ar., 61; Maj. Wetmore, 7th Sussex, 61; Sgt. McCollum, 7th Truro, 61; Pte. Heard, 7th Truro, 61; Corp. McInnes, P. E. I., 61; Lt. Smith, 6th Woodstock, 61; Pte. McArthur, 7th Truro, 61; Pte. Dunbar, Halifax Cadets, 57; Pte. Dunbar, 78th, 57.

The Card cup for a team of four in this match was won by 11th Hamilton with 312, and 78th Truro second, with 307.

The Card cup for two teams of five in two, Bankers, Macdonald and Dominion was won by 2nd Vis. Montreal. The 78th Truro, was fourth with 450. In the Lord Roberts cadet match Halifax got two men on the first eight necessary to figure in the world wide contest. Lt. Bertman was fifth, with 47, and Sergt. Lomas was sixth, with 44.

AN IMMUNE. Proprietor—Did Owens ever pay that little bill he owed us? Bookkeeper—No, sir. Proprietor—What's he doing now? Bookkeeper—I understand he is the manager of a concern for the collection of bad debts. Proprietor—Oh, well, if that's the case just charge the account to profit and loss—Chicago News.

A CHANGE. Hans—I hear dot darn little dog of yours is dead. Well, I suppose it is a change for the better. Doofus—No, it ain't. It was a change for the worst—New York Journal.

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### DEADLY FUMES IN SHIP'S HOLD CAUSE 4 DEATHS

#### Awful Plight of Four Seamen

#### CAUGHT IN FORE PEAK

#### One Sent to Stow Away Sail Overcome by Fumes—In- vestigators Share His Fate

BOSTON, Sept. 1.—Succumbing to the deadly fumes of burning pitch and oakum deep down in the forepeak of the British bark Puritan as she lay at anchor in President Street today, four seamen were suffocated and a fifth was partly overcome before he was rescued by shipmates.

The fire, which caused only slight damage, is supposed to have been caused by spontaneous combustion. The injured man, Roberts, was taken to the relief hospital, and it is believed that he will recover.

The Puritan is a bark of 2,533 tons, and arrived in New York on July 1 in command of Captain F. W. Chapman. She had taken on a cargo of 14,000 barrels of tar, oil, pitch and oakum, and went down to the roads yesterday, where she anchored awaiting favorable winds to start her on a long voyage to Vancouver, B. C. The twelve men composing her crew were signed in this city only this morning.

Sent to Stow Sail  
This afternoon Captain Chapman sent Seaman Olsen down into the forepeak to stow away a sail. Olsen failed to return after some time had elapsed and another man was sent down to investigate. He also failed to return and two more seamen were ordered into the forepeak to ascertain what was delaying their companions. After waiting for them to report, Captain Chapman, convinced that some accident must have occurred, ordered Mate Herbert H. Hatfield and Seaman William Roberts and John McLane to find out what the trouble was. The three went cautiously down a ladder, and they neared the foot of the ladder when they became aware of strong fumes. Lying near the foot of the ladder, they slipped and fell. Olsen, who was the first to be overcome, was partially overcome, and his shipmates hurriedly assisted him back to the deck. With difficulty the bodies were hauled to the deck.

The seamen then turned their attention to extinguishing the fire. It was found that little damage had been sustained either by the vessel or the cargo.

All of the dead were Swedes and had been out for some time past. Little could be learned about them.

#### ROBERTS GETTING BETTER.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Sept. 2.—The condition of Charles B. Roberts, of Baltimore, who was severely injured by a highwayman on the Board Walk last Wednesday night, continues to improve, and his recovery is not doubted. The police have made no progress in their efforts to apprehend the assailant.

#### A PROPHECIC DREAM.

The following prophetic dream was related by the president of a theological seminary. It had been the custom of one of the professors to invite all the students, with members of the faculty, to dinner at a hotel on the annual Thanksgiving day. On the morning of that day the wife of this professor suddenly fell dead in her dressing room at 8 o'clock. That morning at 7 o'clock one of the students woke up from a bad dream. He had dreamed that he had been with the usual company at the Thanksgiving dinner and that immediately one of his fellow students rose in his place, saying that it was his painful duty to announce to the company that the wife of their host had suddenly died at 8 o'clock that morning. This dream, however, he had instantly banished from his mind as an unbecoming probability and had thought no more about it. But on going to the dinner and taking his seat with the company he was unexpectedly amazed to see the student seen in the dream rise and to hear him make the announcement made in the dream.

There was nothing extreme about the sheets given out at the wedding in Trinity Church. But there is an extreme to the lowest of prices attached to the goods sold by Walter H. Irving, the Jeweller, at 5 King street. A visit means a surprise.

SCRANTON, Pa., Sept. 2.—At a special meeting yesterday the switchmen on the Scranton division of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad authorized the withdrawal of the grievance which some weeks ago threatened a strike on the entire system. The vote from the other divisions has not as yet been received here.

NEW YORK, N. Y., Sept. 1.—Sam Langford of Boston and Joe Jennette of New Jersey met tonight at the National Athletic Club and Langford clearly won. They boxed six rounds, and in only one of these Jennette showed any shade of advantage. He was knocked down twice in the opening round with right hand smashes and again in the fifth he took a count of eight seconds from a left and a right to the jaw.

### BISCUITS 67 YEARS OF AGE.

One thing which very few of us realize is how very many of these articles which we call necessities our grandfathers had to do without. Matches, for instance. So long ago as 1771, Krafz, a famous German chemist, made a kind of phosphorus match, yet right up to 1820 no other way of producing fire was in use, except the old-fashioned flint and steel and tinder.

#### JUBILEE OF PETROLEUM.

The oil lamp is a little older, yet still a comparatively modern invention; while it was the Swiss, Argand, who discovered the principle of the glass lamp chimneys, yet the modern lamp, with its wick and the wheel device for raising and lowering the wick, was only patented in the year 1809. Its patentees were two Frenchmen, Carou and Carrou.

The common, so-called paraffin oil which we burn in our lamps is a far more recent invention than the lamp itself. Petroleum oil springs were known of centuries ago, but until petroleum was found in America in 1859 it was never used in lamps. Before that date we burnt expensive vegetable oils costing as much as fifty cents a gallon. Cheap lamp oil does not celebrate its jubilee until next year.

It seems curious that coal gas is so much older a form of light than coal oil. So long ago as 1792 Mr. Murdoch used gas for artificial lighting. No less an authority than Sir Humphrey Davy was bitterly opposed to coal gas. He sarcastically inquired whether it was intended "to take the dome of St. Paul's for a gasometer."

#### MANY ENTRIES FOR THE CHATHAM RACES

#### Will Be Sure and Estell Boy Enter the 2-17 Trot and Pace

#### SIX CLASSES

CHATHAM, Sept. 1.—The following is a list of entries for the races to be held at Chatham Sept. 15, 17 and 18:

2-10 class, trot, stake \$300.  
Edwell—J. G. Wilson, Seaboard, N. S.  
Jack Wilkes—Thomas Holmes, Fredericton, N. B.  
Wherie—Springhill stables.  
Orphan Girl—Frank Boutiller, Halifax, N. S.  
Blomdon—Springhill stables.  
2-17, trot and pace, \$300.  
Will Be Sure—Nat McNair, River Louisa, N. B.  
Allie W.—Springhill stables.  
Major Wilkes—Frank Boutiller, Halifax, N. S.  
Eadovale—H. A. Gibson, Marysville, N. B.  
2-25 class, trot and pace, \$300.  
Gypsy Brazilian—G. B. Fenwick, Sussex, N. B.  
Ollie Ollie—Nat McNair, River Louisa, N. B.  
Violet R.—W. G. Fenwick, Bathurst, N. B.  
Allie W.—Springhill stables.  
Orphan Girl—Frank Boutiller, Halifax, N. S.  
Blomdon—Springhill stables.  
2-27, trot and pace, \$300.  
Will Be Sure—Nat McNair, River Louisa, N. B.  
Major Wilkes—Frank Boutiller, Halifax, N. S.  
Eadovale—H. A. Gibson, Marysville, N. B.  
Three minutes, trot and pace, \$300.  
Little Maud—Edith Hinton, Bathurst, N. B.  
Bonnie Stride—Bridgetown, N. B.  
Bully the Kid—L. W. Strang, Chatham, N. B.  
Baby L.—Charles Henry, Chatham, N. B.  
Earl Grey—W. F. Fenwick, Bathurst, N. B.  
Little Fleet—E. R. Shirley, Bathurst, N. B.  
Kamaris—Peter Archer, Chatham, N. B.  
Torbroke Junior—W. B. Snowball, Chatham, N. B.  
Janet Willet—William Bryerton, Bryerton, N. B.  
Margaret Chimes—Nat McNair, River Louisa, N. B.  
Meadowdale—H. A. Gibson, Marysville, N. B.  
Abel—Thomas Holm, Fredericton, N. B.  
Miss Kadmos—Springhill stables.  
Karl Boy—Springhill stables.  
Buchanan—Frank Boutiller, Halifax, N. S.  
Daisy Wilkes—H. O'Neill, Bathurst, N. B.  
Ollie Ollie—Nat McNair, River Louisa, N. B.  
2-29, trot and pace, \$300.  
Daybreak—F. Williamson, Bathurst, N. B.  
Taitam—Frank Boutiller, Halifax, N. S.  
Violet R.—W. G. Fenwick, Bathurst, N. B.  
Earl Grey—W. G. Fenwick, Bathurst, N. B.  
W. W.—Springhill stables.  
Blomdon—Springhill stables.  
Bestie Partner—J. S. Allen, Fredericton, N. B.

### CONFEDERATION OF THE SOUTH AFRICAN STATES

#### Choice of Capital Will Be Difficult—Reorganization of Transvaal Police

CAPE TOWN, Aug. 27.—Now that South African Federation seems to be within measurable distance of realization, the question of a federal capital is already the subject of discussion in certain quarters. At the moment the contest lies chiefly between Cape Town and Bloemfontein. For the adoption of either of these cities would have to be made by the states, and that every state would have to make sacrifices. Once union was decided upon, however, the question of the capital would be a minor matter.

#### TRANSVAAL POLICE.

Bitter feelings have been aroused in the Transvaal over the government's proposal for the reorganization of the town police. In parliament the opposition have strongly criticized the scheme as unjust and unfair. It is stated, however, in particular to the government, a petition, signed by 15,000 residents, protesting against the proposal, and urging its reconsideration, was recently presented to the prime minister by a deputation which is said to have represented virtually all the parties on the Rand except the Volks government, however, declined to join the men are being asked to join the new force without knowing in detail the conditions under which they will be required to serve. Strong objection is taken to certain of the proposed regulations, and in particular to the provision under which a board of three officers may sentence a member of the force to a fine of up to twelve months imprisonment, without appeal. In the legislative assembly Mr. De Villiers, the attorney general, is maintaining the scheme, and he has defended his proposal as necessary for the maintenance of discipline, and charged the Progressives with stirring up an agitation for party purposes.

#### REPUBLICAN STAR.

In repudiating this suggestion, the Johannesburg Star asserts that in the opinion of the great majority of unoppressed people, the government's difficulties are entirely due to gross mismanagement, and that the replacement of the present administration by a new one is necessary for the maintenance of discipline, and charged the Progressives with stirring up an agitation for party purposes.

#### UNBURNED WEALTH.

(London Daily News.)  
The rateable value of the city of London has more than doubled since the year 1870, according to a return prepared by the high bailiff of the city of London. In 1870 it was £2,450,000 and is now £4,643,820. The corresponding figures for the whole of the metropolis are £18,719,327 and £44,643,000. Who created this new wealth, and who possesses it? Advanced Liberals are often accused of bringing forward condescending schemes that will deprive the hard-working toiler of his just gains and hand them over to the loafer and the vagabond.

#### NEW GOLD DISCOVERY.

It is reported that an important gold discovery has recently been made near the spot where Dr. Jameson found his first strike in the Transvaal. At the time of his famous raid, Dr. Jameson, embracing the whole of the ground from the mine to the present railway line, and systematic and intelligent search has brought to light a reef, believed to be the West Reef, which yields surprisingly good assay values. Samples taken from the top shows that the ore is of sandstone and is composed of quartz, iron pyrites, and the assays made by one of the experts of the Randfontein Estates justify the optimism of the members of the syndicate, who believe they have "struck it rich" and that the mine with its battery can make the ground yield handsome returns.

#### PASSES ARE WITHDRAWN.

There was considerable excitement among a large section of Cape Town's inhabitants when it was announced recently that the travelling concessions hitherto allowed to certain classes on the local railways were to be withdrawn. It has been customary to issue tickets at reduced rates to shop assistants, junior clerks, apprentices and messengers, and delegates to meetings and congresses of religious, scientific, temperance, Masonic, commercial, and agricultural associations, together with members of families, having been allowed to travel at half-rate. Owing to financial stringency, these privileges have now been withdrawn. Naturally the government on behalf of those chiefly affected, particularly town workers living in the suburbs but with little effect. To a deputation who recently waited on him, Mr. Sauer, Commissioner of Public Works, pointed out that abolition of the concession would mean a difference of \$200,000 a year to the railways. Complacant commissioners had been so conscientious until the thing had become a scandal. Mr. Sauer added that he was unable to understand why people who could not afford to travel first class should not go second class. There was a sort of foolish pride in the country, and people thought that to travel anything but first class was bad form. This snobbish spirit, however, is capable of being argued by the deputation that poor families living in the suburbs would be compelled to move into town, and the development of these outlying districts would be arrested and that the method of raising money would gain by the change. But all that Mr. Sauer would do was to undertake to reconSIDER the case of apprentices, a promise which has since been fulfilled. Members of parliament continue to enjoy special treatment.

#### PRETORIA'S AIRSHIP.

An account of a wonderful airship, the inventor claims to be capable of performing the voyage from Pretoria to London in six days. It is published by the Transvaal Weekly. The inventor, a German engineer named Heine, was successful in convincing several of the best known public men in the Transvaal that his ideas are worth developing, and they have advanced a couple of thousand dollars for the purpose. Mr. Heine states that, as the result of years of study and experiment, he has evolved a machine which will be controlled in all sorts of weather, and steered as easily as a motor-car. The essential details of the machine will be in a way similar to those of birds, and it will respond readily to the rudder and elevator control. It will carry from twelve to fourteen passengers. The ship will be about 300 feet long, 45 feet in diameter, and will contain in volume 15,000 cubic feet of hydrogen, and the machine will have a lifting power of 90,000 pounds, the ship itself weighing about 20,000 pounds. The vessel will be driven by compressed air, worked by four motors, each having 10 horsepower.

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Chicago Market Report and New York	St. John, N. B., Sept. 2.	Tues. Wed.	Clt. Op's Noon.
Amalg. Copper	89 1/2	89 1/2	89 1/2
Am. Sugar	118 1/2	118 1/2	118 1/2
Am. Woolen	414	409	409
Am. Car Found.	414	409	409
Am. Locom.	56 1/2	57 1/2	57 1/2
Am. Steel	118 1/2	118 1/2	118 1/2
Am. Cotton	118 1/2	118 1/2	118 1/2
Am. Tobacco	118 1/2	118 1/2	118 1/2
Am. Glass	118 1/2	118 1/2	118 1/2
Am. Paper	118 1/2	118 1/2	118 1/2
Am. Oil	118 1/2	118 1/2	118 1/2
Am. Iron	118 1/2	118 1/2	118 1/2
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Molsons Bank—40,000, 120-130,  
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Soo—100,000, 120-130, 500-120, 70  
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C. P. R.—200,000, 120-130,  
Dom. Iron Pfd—150,000,  
Mexican Elec—20,000,  
Woods—250,000, 100-120, 250-300, 110-9  
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THE WEATHER

Maritime—Fresh southwesterly winds becoming showery, Thursday northwest winds cool and showery.

LOCAL NEWS

St. John Exhibition, September 12th to 19th.

The ladies' committee will meet at the Protestant Orphan Asylum, on Thursday, September 3rd, at 2 o'clock.

The funeral of the late Hugh Blair will be held on Friday at 2:15 p. m. from his late home 242 City Road.

The steamer Mount Royal, of the C. P. R. Atlantic service arrived at Quebec at 8.40 on Tuesday evening and will land passengers this morning.

A young man was arrested this morning charged with beating his wife. It appeared, however, that the matter was only a little family squabble and he was allowed to go.

About 1.30 o'clock this morning Walter Cody died at his late residence, St. James Street. The deceased was brother of M. J. Cody, the Charlottetown street shoe merchant, and has been ill for some time past. Besides a wife and two children he leaves two brothers and two sisters.

On the arrival of the Sussex train, Mr. Herbert Sherwood, of Norton, King's, son of Mr. James Sherwood, and Miss Edie Mary Boon, of Norton, formerly of Dorchester, England, daughter of Mr. Fred. Boon, were united in marriage by the Rev. James Crisp, at the Methodist parsonage Church, 7 Burpee Ave. Miss Alice G. Crisp and Mr. J. King Kelley, Esq., were present as witnesses.

A despatch from Ottawa states the indications are that the railway commission will make an order modifying to some extent the regulations that no trains can be broken up on Sunday, and no cars of perishable freight forwarded to destination on Sunday, as is now held under the provisions of the Lord's Day Act. The application of the Grand Trunk for modification and the resistance of the Lord's Day Alliance to such an order was continued before the commissioners yesterday and will be continued today.

Delighted with the beautiful scenery of the St. John river as seen on their long canoe trip a party of Americans and a young lady from St. John reached here yesterday and this afternoon started on towards St. John. They paddled part of the way up the river from the Kennebecus and then travelled by boat and train to Grand Falls. Leaving there on Wednesday they have come down the river yesterday and will return to the Kennebecus via the Portabello. Those comprising the party are Mr. and Mrs. Paul St. Bar, of Charlottetown, St. John's, Mr. Harry Finney, of Chicago, Mr. Herman DeFremery, of New York and Miss Christina Matthews, of St. John's—Gleaner.

NO GRAIN CONVEYORS

READY FOR THIS WINTER

Special Meeting of the Common Council Will Discuss Situation With the Minister of Public Works.

A special meeting of the Common Council has been called for 11.30 to-morrow morning to meet the Minister of Public Works, the Hon. Wm. Pageley, and receive from him information regarding the grain conveyors at West St. John for the new wharves.

The report of the C. P. R. engineers in this matter shows that the cost of the proposed conveyors will be much greater than was at first estimated. The amount was set roughly at \$60,000 but a closer estimate puts the figure much higher. The report also shows that it would be impossible to get the conveyors ready much earlier than the end of the winter season.

Owing to these facts it is possible that the meeting may discuss arrangements for securing a floating conveyor or making some other arrangements for handling the winter business. Taken in conjunction with the big grain trade promised for this winter the situation promises to be a difficult one to cope with.

PERSONAL

Miss Lillian Sprague, of Sackville, arrived in the city yesterday, where she will remain.

The Misses Victoria and Marguerite Lee returned home Tuesday morning after spending a very pleasant week at Spruce Lake.

W. F. Fraser, returned from Montreal on the Atlantic express today.

Mrs. Roy Fenwick, of Truro, reached St. John on the C. P. R. express at noon.

Father Joseph Jorge is reported as being very much weaker today.

Frank Walsh of the post office staff is back at work after a two weeks' indisposition.

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METHODISTS MEET

MAYOR BULLOCK

The Manly Art Their Subject of Discussion

Both Sides Hold to Previously Expressed Views and No Change is Expected in the Civic Policy.

The committee of Methodists who were appointed at the district meeting last Thursday to interview the mayor regarding boxing exhibitions, waited on Mr. Bullock this morning and had a lengthy session with him.

The committee was composed of J. Hunter White, who acted as spokesman, Rev. S. Howard and Rev. H. D. Marr.

After their interview the committee appeared somewhat ruffled and were not anxious to discuss the matter when approached by a Star reporter. They said that the position they took was that stated at last week's meeting.

Their church did not approve of the bouts, and they wished the mayor to put a stop to them. They deplored the fact that so much publicity had been given to the matter, and said that until the committee had deliberated on the matter and prepared their report they would be unable to give any official information regarding the meeting.

Mayor Bullock, when questioned regarding the discussion, said that he had already stated his position in the matter, which is that the boxing exhibitions are permitted by law and that he will not take it on himself to stop them, and that this was his reply to the delegation. As he had promised the committee that he would not be interviewed in the matter, he could say nothing further.

It is understood that the meeting was an interesting one. The committee when they entered were met with a question to produce the resolution regarding the matter which rather nonplussed them as they had forgotten to bring it with them. Another feature of the delegation was the absence from the committee of both the mover and seconder of the resolution who were not given an opportunity to present in person the charges they had made at the district meeting. The members of the committee presented the church's side of the question seemed to feel strongly on the matter and as the people who were gathered pressed the mayor to refuse to grant any further licenses for such bouts.

As far as could be learned the substance of the mayor's reply was that he was administering the laws of the city as that as the people who were governed by the laws were not all members of their denomination or even of any church the laws could not be modified by him to suit their views alone.

They were given the suggestion that if the did not suit them there were steps which they could take to have it modified.

BARK AUBURNDALE IS REPORTED MISSING

It is Feared That She Has Foundered—Carried a Crew of Nine Men.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 2.—The Bark Auburndale which sailed from Turk's Island five weeks ago for this port, is missing, and it is feared, she went down off Cape Hatteras during the West Indian hurricane which swept the coast last month.

This belief has been strengthened owing to the arrival here several days ago, of the schooner Republic, which carried the island nineteen days after the Auburndale sailed. The Auburndale had a crew of nine.

STEPHENS-BIEDERMAN

A very pretty wedding took place in Trinity Church this morning at 10.30, when Miss Hazel Biederman, second daughter of Mrs. Oscar Biederman, of 74 Queen street, was united in marriage to Dr. Frederick Newton Stephens, of Somerville, Mass. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Pauline Biederman, and Dr. McFarlane, a prominent dentist, of Boston, supported the groom.

Dr. Fenwick C. Bonnell and Mr. Carter F. Titus acted as ushers.

The ceremony which introduced the double ring feature was performed by the rector, Rev. R. A. Armstrong.

The bride wore a charming Paris costume of white lace over white silk in empire style. Her hat was of white moire silk with long ostrich plumes. The bridesmaid wore a directoire gown of pale pink broadcloth with a pink hat.

After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Stephens left on the Atlantic express for a ten days' trip through Nova Scotia. The bride's traveling costume was of dark green broadcloth, with a Gage hat of the same color.

On their return the young couple will spend some time in St. John before leaving for their future home in Somerville, Mass.

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PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 1.—Mrs. Lucy S. Crawley of Chestnut Hill, who was drowned today in Penobscot Bay, was well known in this city, especially in educational circles. Her husband, Dr. Edwin S. Crawley, is professor of mathematics at the University of Pennsylvania. The Crawleys, with their two daughters, went to Maine in July and were expected home in a few days.

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