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SPORTING MATTERS

GREAT RACING
AT CHATHAM
Burline Won 2.19 Class,
Lowering His Record
Dr. Band Took '16 Class in Straight
Heats, and Domestic Won '30
Class—Track Very Fast

CHATHAM, Aug. 27.—A lightning
fast track, almost ideal conditions and
the applause of 1200 people urging the
horses and drivers to their utmost
made the first day of the Miramichi
Agricultural Exhibition Association's
meet here a great success and indications
tomorrow when the free-for-all will take
place, and the big field go under the
wire in the 2.14 class.

Today's special performances were
Burline's mile in 2:18.4 in the 2.19
event, lowering his mark of 2:18.4 by
1.1 seconds, Kremella forcing the fast
Frederick entry to the mark and inci-
dentally going the mile herself in con-
siderably faster time than her own
record of 2:18.4 and Belmar P., a green
horse from Chas. Henry's Chatham
stable, who closed the oval twice in the
phenomenal time of 2:14.1 in the
2.20 class.

The 2.16 event went to Dr. Band in
three straight heats and in fairly easy
fashion as Estell Boy did not keep
up his good work throughout the en-
tire heats though strong at the finish.

The summary of the events in the or-
der of the money winners is as follows:

Table with columns for Class, Name, Time, and other details. Includes entries like 2.30 Class—Purse, \$500; Domestic, M. L. Bryson, West Newton, Mass.; Belmont, Chas. Henry, Chatham; Estell Boy, 2:14; Little Don, Thos. Holmes, Fredericton; Fredrick, 2:20.34; Springhill, 2:20.34; 2.19 Class—Purse, \$300; Burline, 2:18.4; Kremella, 2:18.4; Miss Kadmok, Springhill Stables; Parker, 2:20.34; John, 2:19.34; 2.16 Class—Purse, \$400; Dr. Band, 2:15.4; Estell Boy, 2:14; Will Be Sure, 2:14; Lady Patton, 2:14; Burline, 2:14.

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MARITIME RIFLEMEN
AGAIN IN MONEY

OTTAWA, Aug. 27.—The riflemen
competing at the Dominion meet had
good shooting weather on the Rockcliffe
range today. The sun was out and the
wind steady. Good shooting was the
result. The Dominion of Canada
match was finished and the two hun-
dred yard range in the governor gen-
eral match was fired. In the Domi-
nion of Canada match of seven
shots at six and eight hundred yards
Pte. Rowe, 4th, Port Hope, won first,
taking the cup and \$20 with a score of
68. Pte. Motion of Australia and Lt.
Smith of Toronto also made scores of
68. Capt. Murphy, 7th, Truro, was
7th in the match with 65 points, win-
ning \$12. Lt. Schreiner, 6th, Annapolis,
won \$5 with 62 points. C. P. Gladwin,
St. John with 62 points; Sgt. Crooks,
1st C. A. Halifax, Pte. Burr, 6th,
Woodville, Sgt. Fosse, 7th, Sussex,
with 61 points each; Mr. Heard, Truro,
60 points; Capt. Forbes, 7th, Chatham,
Pte. Williams, 6th, Annapolis, Sgt.
Stech, 7th, Truro, with 59 each; Maj.
Jones, 2nd, P. E. I., with 59 points;
Mr. Dickson, Bridgetown, 58 points, and
Sgt. Parker, 6th, Halifax, with 57
points, all won \$7 apiece.

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LOCAL NEWS

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This is important.
Shiping Notes.
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BAPTISTS REFER ACTION ON CANADIAN UNION FOR A YEAR

The Vote Stood 69 to 68, After a Warm Debate, in Which Hon. Geo. E. Foster Strongly Advocated Union—Foreign Mission Work Progressing—Convention Closed Last Night—373 Ministers in Attendance

WOLFVILLE, N. S., Aug. 27.—At a late session on Monday night the home mission report for New Brunswick was adopted without discussion. On Tuesday morning the first order of business was the report on Baptist Union of Canada. Considerable difference of opinion developed. Rev. E. J. Grant was of the opinion that it would be unwise to vote for organic union at the present time. He believed in co-operative union.

Dr. Norton of Ontario claimed that union would enable the Baptists of Canada to speak immediately and forcibly upon great public issues. It would strengthen the appeal on behalf of every denominational enterprise by giving it a national status and outlook. The Baptists of the provinces would have to face the fact of giving up the foreign mission board.

Rev. C. P. Freeman was the next speaker. He claimed there were 1,000,000 Baptists in the world. He urged that the convention should be held in the North-west where Baptists ought to enter. Hon. Geo. E. Foster introduced the following resolution: "Resolved, that this convention heartily affirms its belief in the principle of organic union of Canada, and to that end it forthwith proceeds to take up section by section the report of the committee on the basis of union."

Mr. Foster said he believed that the convention was in favor of the principle of union, they should launch out and he believed the plan of organization would take care of itself. He appealed for union by illustration and Christian spirit of our brethren wish them Godspeed in their united work. Also resolved that a committee consisting of Bro. E. D. King, K.C., Rev. J. W. Porter, B. H. Eaton, K.C., Rev. G. M. Wilson and Rev. Dr. Crowder be appointed to attend to the legislation necessary to change the name of the Home Missionary Society to the United Baptist Home Mission Society and to provide a form for the due incorporation of united churches and other seeking incorporation under the United Baptist name.

After the afternoon session the resignation of Dr. E. M. Saunders from the position of secretary of the ministers' assembly was accepted. The report of the S. S. board was adopted. The reports of the treasurer of the denominational funds for N. S., N. B. and P. E. I. were adopted.

The Furs of Quality



Halifax, N. S. St. John, N. B., Amherst, N. S. Boston, Mass. 54 King St. Winnipeg, Man.

AGENT-GENERAL VISITS CLOSE FARM

Mr. Duff-Miller Delighted With Success of Experiment, and Thinks Province Will Benefit

Mr. Miller, the agent general for New Brunswick, visited the Close farm at Nauyasgwauk yesterday and expressed great pleasure in the advantages offered there for training young children and placing them in a position to become worthy citizens of Canada.

It will be remembered that last year we asked for \$30,000.00 for our requirements for the year now closing. It was more than had even been given to this department of our denominational work. It was not more than ought to be expected from our greatly enlarged constituency. We shall need all that money to carry on the work of the year upon which we have just retired.

Table with 4 columns: Native Preachers, Baptists, Methodists, and other denominations. Includes statistics for various regions like Amherst, St. John, and Miramichi.

AMHERST WELCOMED BRITISH JOURNALISTS

AMHERST, Aug. 28.—The party of English journalists who are touring Canada arrived in Amherst this afternoon on the Ocean Limited. They were met by a large number of representative citizens and then taken on an automobile trip to the different parts of the town. This evening they were entertained at a banquet at the Terrace Hotel, which was presided over by C. A. Lusby, president of the Board of Trade. In a few appropriate remarks Mr. Lusby welcomed them to Amherst.

During the evening addresses were made by George H. Ham of the C. P. R., and H. J. Logan, M. P. Mr. Logan took occasion to point out that farm laborers were in great demand in the province. He referred to the important part that Nova Scotia had played in Canada since Confederation and made a strong plea for the sending of immigrants to these lower provinces.

The banquet was attended by nearly all of the leading citizens of the town, but weather wear, 1 1/2 in. high at back, 3 inches between-point-tips.

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GOL. J. D. CHIPMAN NEW GRAND MASTER

Defeated W. B. Wallace, K. C., for the Premier Honor in Provincial Masonry—The Other Officers

The annual election of Masonic Grand Lodge officers took place last night. The installation of the new officials will occupy the attention of the Grand Lodge today. The Grand Lodge secretary will also be appointed today by the new grand master.

Col. J. D. Chipman, St. Stephen succeeds E. J. Everett as grand master. Dr. Henry S. Bridges was appointed deputy grand master; David Dearmour, senior grand warden; Chas. K. Howard, junior grand warden; Rev. G. M. Young, St. Stephen, grand chaplain; Fred. J. G. Knowlton, grand treasurer, and Robt. Clarke, grand tiler. W. B. Wallace was a strong competitor of the St. Stephen man for the high office of grand master.

DEATHS

Wm. P. Rourke. William P. Rourke, widely known as an anti-tobaccoist, died at 11 o'clock last night. He was stricken with paralysis while at work at the residence of Mrs. E. C. Skinner, 223 King street. He was conveyed to his home at 323 Princess street, where he passed away.

Mrs. Samuel Tibbitts. The sudden death of Mrs. Samuel Tibbitts, Fairville, which took place yesterday morning, deprives Fairville of one of its oldest and most respected residents. Mrs. Tibbitts was a native of England, having been born in the county of Cornwall in 1824. She was thus in her eighty-third year. In this country with her husband and for the remainder of her life, with the exception of three years spent in Charlottetown, she has lived in Fairville. Her husband died ten years ago. For some time Mrs. Tibbitts had suffered from the infirmities of old age, but her death was unexpected. She was found dead in bed at six o'clock, having expired during the night. Mrs. Tibbitts was the mother of a large family numbering fifteen in all, thirteen of whom were boys and two girls. Those who survive are John Tibbitts of Charlottetown, Thomas of Boston, New York, Mrs. Alexander Cobb of Cincinnati, Mrs. George Cleveland of Bangor, George Tibbitts of Fairville, Fred Tibbitts of Boston. The funeral will take place from the residence of her son, Geo. Tibbitts.

LABOR DAY, Sept. 2d 1907.

Return Tickets will be sold at FIRST CLASS ONE WAY FARE. Good going Aug. 31, Sept. 1, 2, and returning Sept. 1, 2, and 3.

SEPTEMBER 3rd, 1907. To all stations on Intercolonial, Prince Edward Island, Dominion Atlantic, Inverness, Railway and Coal Co., Halifax & Southwestern Rys., Sydney & Louisburg Railway, Cape Breton Railway and Detroit, Port Huron, Sault Ste. Marie, Michigan, and Port Arthur, Ont., and points on the Canadian Pacific and Grand Trunk Ry. east thereof.

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INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY

ON AND AFTER SUNDAY, June 24th, 1907, trains will run daily (Sunday excepted), as follows: TRAINS LEAVE ST. JOHN. No. 2—Express for Pt. du Chene, Moncton, Campbellton and Truro. 7.15 No. 6—Mixed train for Moncton. 7.45 No. 4—Express for Moncton, Pt. du Chene connecting with Ocean Limited at Moncton for Halifax, Quebec and Montreal. 11.00 No. 26—Express for Point du Chene, Halifax and Pictou. 12.15 No. 12—Suburban for Hampton. 13.15 No. 8—Express for Sussex. 13.15 No. 126—Suburban for Hampton. 13.15 No. 124—Express for Quebec and Montreal. 13.30 No. 156—Suburban for Hampton. 13.30 No. 10—Express for Moncton, Sydney, and Halifax and Pictou. 13.35 TRAINS ARRIVE AT ST. JOHN. No. 9—From Halifax, Sydney and Pictou. 6.25 No. 126—Suburban from Hampton. 7.45 No. 7—Express from Sussex. 9.00 No. 122—Express from Montreal and Quebec. 12.50 No. 127—Suburban from Hampton. 12.50 No. 2—Express from Moncton and Point du Chene. 13.30 No. 26—Express from Halifax, Pictou, Point du Chene and Campbellton. 13.35 No. 126—Suburban from Hampton. 13.35 No. 1—Express from Moncton and Truro. 13.30 No. 31—Express from Sydney, Halifax, Pictou and Moncton (Sunday only). 13.30 A through sleeper is now running on the Ocean Limited from St. John to Montreal. The through sleeper on the Maritime Express has been discontinued.

All trains run by Atlantic Standard Time. 2.00 o'clock is midnight. CITY TICKET OFFICE, 3 King Street, St. John, N. B. Telephone 271. Moncton, N. B., June 12th, 1907.

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SOPHY OF KRAVONIA.

A Novel, by Anthony Hope
Author of "Prisoner of Zenda," "The Intrusions
Peggy," Etc.

(Continued.)
Matters stood thus—young Alexis having been on the throne in Slavina, and Sophy in Volensk, for the weeks when Lepage ventured out from Zerkovitch's sheltering roof. He had suffered from a chill by no means purely diplomatic; but, apart from that, he had been in no hurry to show himself. He feared to see Rastata's rat-face peering for him. But all was quiet. Sterkoff and Rastata were busy with their Colonel in Suleiman's Tower. In fact, nobody took any notice of Lepage; his secret, once so vital, was now gossip of the market-place. He was secure—but he was also out of a situation.

He walked somewhat forlornly into St. Michael's Square—and as luck would have it—Lepage thought it very odd to find the first man he ran against was Captain Markart. Uneasy in his conscience, Lepage tried to evade the encounter, but the Captain was of another mind. His head was bowed again, and on cool reflection, he was glad to have met through the events of what Stenovic's proclamation had styled "the auspicious day." He seized little Lepage by the arm, and greeted him with cordiality, and carried him off to drink at the Golden Lion. Without imparting any serious lack of sobriety to his companion, Lepage thought that this refreshment was not the first of which the good-humored Captain had partaken that forenoon. His manner was so very cordial, his talk so very free.

"Well, here we are," he said. "We did our best, you and I, Lepage, our consciences are clear. As loyal subjects, we have now to accept the existing regime."

"What is it?" asked Lepage. "I've been in-doors a week."

"It's Alexis—will Alexis Long live Alexis!" said Markart, with a laugh. "You surely don't take the Baroness Dobrava into account?"

"I just want to know," said Lepage, drinking thoughtfully. "And—er—Captain—behind Alexis? Guiding the youthful King? Countess Ellenburg?"

"No doubt, no doubt. Behind him his very pious mother, Lepage."

"And behind her?" persisted Lepage.

Markart laughed, but cast a glance round and shook his head.

"Come, come, Captain, don't leave an old friend in the dark—just where information would be useful!"

"An old friend! Oh, when I remember my sching head! You think me very forgiving, Monsieur Lepage."

"If you know this night I spent, you'd forgive me anything," said Lepage with a shrug and a reminiscence.

"Ah, well," said Markart, after another draught, "I'm a soldier—I shall obey my orders."

"Perfect, Captain! And who will give them to you, do you think?"

"That's exactly what I'm waiting to see. Oh, you turn out to be no adventures for me!"

"I'm quite of your mind; but it's so difficult to be a president and not to don't know which is the strongest side."

"You wouldn't go to Volensk!"

Markart looked round again. "I shall sit here for a bit longer," he said. "I'll drink his liquor, thereby, perhaps adding just the touch of openness lacking to his advice, and leaning forward, touched Lepage on the arm.

"Do you remember the Prince's guns—the guns for which he bartered Captain Hercules?"

"Ah, well," said Lepage.

"They're on the river, up at Kolok, now I should keep my eye on them! They're to be brought to Slavina. Who do you think'll bring them? Keep your eye on that!"

"They're both scoundrels," said Lepage, rising to go.

Markart shrugged his shoulders. "The fruit lies on the ground for the man who can pick it up! Why not? There's nobody who's got any right to it now."

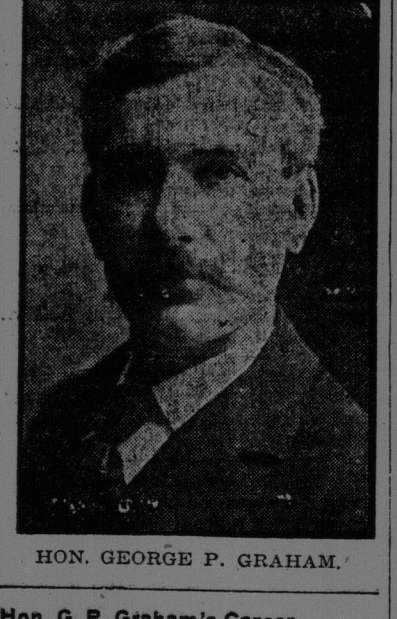
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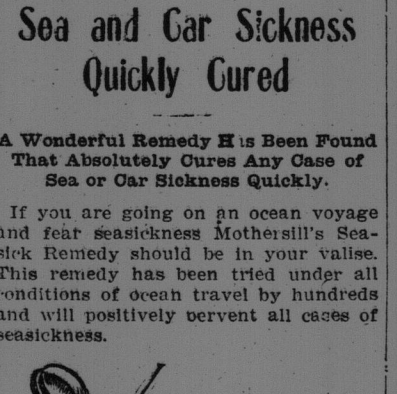
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HON. WILLIAM PUGSLEY

OTTAWA, Aug. 27.—Hon. William Pugsley arrived in Ottawa tonight from Montreal in response to a summons from Sir Wilfrid Laurier.

To your correspondent he said he had read recent Ottawa despatches in the press with a good deal of interest, but he personally knew nothing about the reports concerning cabinet appointments. However, he would be pleased if at least some of what he had read was true. Hon. Mr. Pugsley said he had an appointment with Sir Wilfrid tomorrow morning.

It is learned from other sources that Hon. Mr. Pugsley will take the oath as Minister of Railways on Friday. Earl Grey will have returned from Toronto then.

In government circles the news that Hon. Mr. Pugsley is to join the government is received with satisfaction. There is general belief here in his ability and capacity to administer a great department of a government, and it is expected that he will make a masterly figure in the group of ministers who will be called to the House of Commons.

The man who is to take the place vacated in the ranks of ministers from Ontario by the resignation of Hon. Charles Hyman, has not yet been chosen. It is pretty well understood that the Ontario opposition too strong a blow to deprive them of a leader who was originally chosen to administer what was a disheartened and demoralized remnant. However, Mr. Graham will have ample opportunity as a federal minister to keep the Ontario Liberals in fighting trim. In the last general election he was elected as a member of the Ontario opposition.

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STRATHCONA OFF FOR ENGLAND AGAIN

MONTREAL, Aug. 27.—Lord Strathcona unexpectedly left Montreal to return to England this evening. The Canadian High Commissioner was in Ottawa during the early part of the day and returned to Montreal in the afternoon. He was aboard the ship at 6:45 o'clock this evening his ship for New York. He expects to sail by the Oceanic which will leave New York tomorrow morning. Although Lord Strathcona's departure was unexpected there was a large gathering of members of the Caledonia Society at the station to wish him good speed on his voyage. Heed by Peter Macdonald, the veteran pilot of the society, the president and officers escorted his lordship to the pier and there was a general hand-shaking and well wishing all round. Lord Strathcona has been an honorary president of the society and he was warmly affected by the heartiness of the send-off which his fellow Scotchmen tendered him.

LARGE CROWD HEARD BORDEN LAST NIGHT

NEWCASTLE, N. B., Aug. 27.—The Opera House was crowded tonight to hear R. Borden. The speakers were Dr. Daniel, Senator Poirer, Mr. Borden, Mr. Bergeron and John McKane. Borden did not repeat his Halifax speech, but spoke on the government's shortcoming, charging that the Laurier administration had hushed West. Hiram and Brockville election scandals, and had fraudulently wasted the public lands. He laid down the principle of greater government control of franchise, but promised not to prejudice the rights of capital. Conservatives would introduce the British civil service system.

Mr. Bergeron put himself on record as opposed to woman suffrage and in favor of having all government printing done at the government printing bureau at Ottawa. He claimed that the workmen were worse off now than ten years ago, because one dollar then would buy nearly as much as two dollars now. He blamed this to governments tampering with the tariff, which was not sufficiently protective.

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ST. JOHN MAN GETS THE HONOR

FREDERICTON, N. B., Aug. 27.—The Knights of Pythias held a short meeting this afternoon. Mayor McLeod in an eloquent and appropriate speech welcomed the visiting Knights to the city, and Grand Master Starr replied, thanking his warmly for the welcome extended. The session discussed the grand lodge constitution and recommended certain changes. At the Queen Hotel the 1st regiment of the Uniform Rank was transacted. A lengthy discussion took place regarding the trip to Boston, but nothing final was decided upon. Previously the officers of this regiment consisted of a lieutenant colonel and a major. But since the formation of an eighth company the organization is reduced to a colonel. At the meeting this afternoon the resignation for the first time elected a full colonel and selected Capt. Alfred Dodge of St. John, who for the past six years has held the office of adjutant. The meeting adjourned to meet again at the call of the chair.

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THREE BUILDINGS GUTTED BY FIRE

LONDON, England, Aug. 27.—The representative of the Canadian Associated Press, writing this morning from Paris, says that Messrs. Fielding and Brodeur will continue to have daily conferences with the French government representatives respecting the Franco-Canadian treaty. The prospects of the conference suggests that there have been some difficulties, but the present indications are viewed favorably.

The delegates decline to make any statement as to what is being done, but the Paris public sees evidence of a good understanding in the friendly exchange of social courtesies between the French and Canadian representatives.

Last night Messrs. Fielding and Brodeur gave a banquet at the Elysee Palace Hotel, when they were their guests, M. Pichon, minister of foreign affairs; Sir Francis Bertie, British ambassador; Sir Henry Austen, commercial commissioner at the embassy, and also the high officials of the French departments who have been taking part in the negotiations.

LARGE ATTENDANCE AT C.M.B.A. CONVENTION

MONTREAL, Aug. 27.—There were about 450 delegates from all parts of the Dominion in attendance at the opening of the fourth session of the Catholic Mutual Benefit Association in Montreal this morning. The delegates met in Stanley Hall about 9 o'clock and marched in procession to St. James church for high mass. Addresses of welcome were given by the local branches, and a large number of delegates were read, and an adjournment was then made for luncheon.

At this afternoon session the grand president, the Hon. M. P. Hackett, delivered the inaugural address, reviewing the work of the association since the last convention, and congratulating the delegates on the prosperous condition of the association.

The Grand Secretary J. J. Egan, presented his report for the three years ending June 30th. From the report the following information is obtained: The first branch of the C. M. B. A. was established at Windsor, Ont., on Feb. 11, 1871. It is a purely Canadian organization, having no connections outside of Canada. It is incorporated under Dominion charter and has branches in every province of the Dominion. There are at present 414 active branches and 2,060 members. Since the last convention three years ago, sixty-two new branches have been organized and 5,000 new members initiated. The association has a reserve fund of \$238,519.91. Since the last convention there has been received by the Grand Secretary from branches \$1,062,395.63. During the same period there was paid out to the beneficiaries of deceased members \$484,878.25. The total amount paid to beneficiaries since the institution of the Association was \$3,412,174.39.

A sick benefit fund was established one year ago and has proved to be an important factor of the association's work. After paying all at \$1,232.10, there is a surplus in this fund of \$1,232.10.

A feature of President Hackett's address was the recommendation that the question of admitting women to the order be laid over until the opinion of the hierarchy could be obtained. As this will not be possible until October, his question will not be decided at the present convention.

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