

RETURNED BISLEY TEAM WELCOMED AT MONTREAL

Loaded Down With Honors The Men Who so Well Represented Canada at This Year's Shoot Were Accorded a Rousing Reception Upon Disembarking Yesterday -- Sergt. Blackburn Heads the List With \$600 Prize Money -- No Question of Old Country or Colonial at Meet.

Special to The Standard. Montreal, Aug. 6.—When the Tunisian of the Allan Line reached her dock at 7.45 tonight there was a goodly crowd of citizens on hand to bid welcome to the Bisley team, who have done so well in not only casting glory upon themselves, but upon the country in whose name they participated on the ranges. When the Tunisian pulled in to her wharf there was a rush for the gangway, but the five members of the regular team were the first to land, and they were given a hearty welcome by the crowd on hand to greet the steamer. Those who landed were Sergts. Blackburn, Morris and Russell, Major Jones, and Private Gougeon.

Major Mercer Not on Board. Major Mercer, the adjutant of the team, was not on board the steamer, having stayed over at Quebec. Commandant Lieut. Col. Bertram is still in England and will return later. The members of the team and Sergt. Blackburn, however, came in for a great deal of notoriety while the customs officers were going through the baggage. Blackburn is the heavy prize winner and brought over from Bisley nearly \$600 of prize money, far and away in advance of any of his Canadian competitors. Blackburn was among the first to leave the steamer, and when spoken to he expressed himself as pleased with the spirit of sportsmanship which pervaded the ranges this year. There was no question of "old country or colonial" this year at Bisley, but every man strove for the prize and for the attached glory independently of regard for the part of the Empire from which he came.

Sergt. Bayles Another Veteran. Sergt. Bayles of Toronto was another veteran independent man who secured many large prizes and had his leg in at every Bisley meet since

1894. Sergt. Bayles was in a position to give a good opinion of the changes which have taken place in the management of the famous rifle meet. Sergt. Bayles has nothing but good to say of the arrangements, and he added if there was any kick coming it was in the matter of the splendid hospitality with which the Canadians were regaled. "Nothing was too good for us," he declared.

Sergt. Morris, Bowmanville, who secured third place in the famous King's prize competition, frankly acknowledged that the two men who had beaten him were better men on the ranges on the day in question. "It was all a matter of judgment," said Sergt. Morris. "The wind was very tricky and the light none too good. I felt that I was up against the real thing in rifle shooting when I measured my steadiness of nerve and judgment against Burr and his runner-up."

Gougeon's Retort. Private Gougeon, the man who told Field Marshal Lord Roberts to look at the board if he wanted to know the score, repeated that he did not know the reputation of a living officer, but that if he had recognized him, his reply to a simple question could not have been more polite. The returning members of the team are greatly pleased with the hospitality shown them while in England, and although most of them were born in the old country and learned their shooting there, they were unanimous in declaring that Canada will largely benefit by the advertising given her by the Canadian team which shot on the ranges at Bisley this year.

Col. Bertram is expected to sail from England in a few days, and the adjutant of the team, Major Mercer, left for Toronto last night. The Tunisian had a fine passage and everyone was pleased with the leg in at every Bisley meet since

APPEARANCE OF MRS. SUTTON PROVOKES HEATED DEBATE

Annapolis, Md., Aug. 6.—The appearance of the witness stand today of Mrs. James N. Sutton, the mother of Lieutenant Sutton of the Marine Corps, whose death is being re-investigated by the naval board of inquiry here, was the occasion of a heated controversy between the lawyers on all sides which ended in a prolonged conference of the members of the board behind closed doors and brought the day's proceedings to an abrupt end.

Several witnesses had been disposed of during the day when Judge Advocate Leonard called Mrs. Sutton to the stand. Before proceeding with her examination, Major Leonard asked for identification and to be read in evidence, several letters which, he said, Mrs. Sutton had written containing serious and delicate charges against the young officer at the time the corps who appeared as defendants.

Henry E. Davis, counsel for Mrs. Sutton made strenuous objection on the ground that Mrs. Sutton was not present to make any accusations and that the letters in question were irrelevant to the inquiry and of a personal and incompetent nature as evidence. "It is inconceivable that the judge advocate should attempt to force Mrs. Sutton into such a position before a board of inquiry," said Mr. Davis. "These letters are not offered to assist the court in finding out how Lieut.

Sutton met his death. They have nothing to do with the present. "The letters containing perhaps the extravagant statements of a mother with a stricken heart over the death of her son, should be real before a court of law, is indeed untrue and cruel."

Mrs. Sutton broke down and buried her face in her handkerchief during Mr. Davis' remarks. Major Leonard declared that Mr. Davis had misconstrued the judge advocate's position in the matter and asked that the lawyer's remarks implying bad faith on his part be stricken from the record. "I would have Mr. Davis remember," he said, "that the hallowed grave of a dead son is no more sacred than the reputation of a living officer and there are many such reputations at stake here."

The judge advocate said the court had the right to inquire upon what grounds Mrs. Sutton had made the statements in the letters. Mr. Birney, counsel for Lieut. Adams, protested that Mrs. Sutton had consented to try to avoid her true position in the proceedings and urged that the letters be read in evidence. At this point, Commander Hood, president of the board, ordered court closed and went into conference with his associates on the board and the judge advocate.

DEMANDS OF MEN IGNORED BY COMPANY

Pittsburg, Aug. 6.—The officials of the Ames Steel Car Company will ignore the demands of their 3,500 employees, who have been on strike for several weeks, that the scale in effect in 1907 be restored, and overtime in a certain rate be paid for extra work, and that an official of the plant be dismissed. This fact was made plain today in a statement issued by James Brider, general manager of the company, who said that no demands made by a committee of the strikers would be considered, although careful attention would be given to all complaints by individuals and that there would be no changes in wages or rules. The company has until noon Monday to answer the petition of the strikers presented yesterday, but no answer beyond General Manager Brider's statement will be made, according to a representative of the company.

PLAGUE IN CALIFORNIA. Sacramento, Cal., August 6.—The first case of bubonic plague in California was reported today.

CHATHAM'S MAYOR IN RECORD TRIP

Special to The Standard. Chatham, N. B., August 6.—That the York and Northumberland county roads are in good condition was proved by Mayor Snowball yesterday afternoon when he drove his 35 h. p. motor car from Fredericton to Chatham in the record time of 4 hours and 37 minutes. The mayor was accompanied by his brother, Macdonald Snowball, of Pasadena, California. The roads were in splendid shape for the trip.

Forma in a year was discovered yesterday in Alameda county. The victim is Joseph Mendoza, 19 years old.

AMATEUR WINS OUT. Rangely, Me., Aug. 6.—R. L. Spotts, of New York, an amateur, was general "high gun" in the shooting of the closing day of the Hillside Gun Club's annual tournament, with a consecutive run of 33 breaks, and best scores in two other events.

Lord Kitchener To Succeed To Post of Inspector General

Situation Left Vacant by Duke of Connaught To Be Filled by Hero of Khartoum.

Will Advance to Rank of Field Marshal and Become Member of Defense Committee.

Appointment in Line with Policy of Co-ordination Recently Adopted—Will Tour Empire.

London, August 6.—Lord Kitchener, commander of the British forces in India, has been appointed to succeed the Duke of Connaught as inspector-general of the Mediterranean forces, which post he recently resigned on the ground of "the ineffective nature of the work and the useless expense to the nation involved therein."

Lord Kitchener will take the rank of field marshal and also become a member of the committee of Imperial defence. The inspector-general has command of the garrisons of Malta and Gibraltar and all the British troops in Egypt, the Sudan and Cyprus.

The appointment of Lord Kitchener is coincident with added importance being attached to the post. The Duke of Connaught in an official announcement says: "In view of new developments in the organization, the Mediterranean command assumes increased importance, and will be taken up by Lord Kitchener with the object of giving it its proper place in the scheme of imperial defence."

It is understood that as a result of the imperial defence conference which is now sitting, it is intended to co-ordinate all the military forces of the Empire and place Lord Kitchener at the head of an organization, having the imperial army for its special care. As a preparation for this work, for which he had gained valuable experience in India, on vacating Indian command in September, Lord Kitchener will go to Japan to represent Great Britain at the Japanese grand manoeuvres in November, and afterwards make a tour of Canada, Australia and New Zealand to study the military organizations and consult with the colonial governments concerning their defence.

Lord Kitchener is the youngest field marshal in the history of Great Britain. Lord Roberts was sixty years old when he was raised to the rank of field marshal. Lord Wolseley, Lord Kitchener was 59 years old in June.

ANTI-TRUST ACT TO BE INVOKED

New York, N. Y., Aug. 6.—Armour and Co., Swift and Co., and Morris and Co., the Chicago packers, are named today as defendants in a complaint filed under the provisions of Sherman anti-trust act, by the minority stockholders of the New York Butcher Wholesale Company, who seek to recover \$1,500,000 damages. The complaint is the latest move in a suit originally brought two years ago and is essentially a protest against the majority management of the company's affairs, which, it is averred, has been dictated by the packers ever since 1907, when they bought a controlling interest and seated their own directors.

PORTE ASKS GREECE TO STAND ASIDE

Constantinople, Aug. 6.—The Porte has sent a note to Greece demanding a formal declaration by that country of non-interference in Cretan affairs. In the event of Greece refusing to accede to the demand Turkey will break off diplomatic relations with her.

RUSSIAN NAVAL PROGRAMME. St. Petersburg, August 6.—Russia's naval programme for the next few years, according to plans just completed by the navy department, includes the construction of eight battleships, a division of armored cruisers and 36 torpedo boats.

Mr. Geo. Murphy, of Rockland Rd., was a passenger on the Calvin Austin yesterday returning from a short trip to Boston and New York.

PUBLIC DEBT INCREASED FIVE AND A HALF MILLIONS

A Four Months' Record of Frenzied Finance at Ottawa -- Gross Debt of Dominion Now Stands at \$471,259,796 and Total Assets at \$150,622,205 -- Figures That Demand Serious Consideration.

Special to The Standard. Ottawa, Ont., August 6.—The revenue of the Dominion for the first four months of the present fiscal year exceeds the revenue for the same period of 1908, by about four and a half million dollars. The revenue up to July 31st this year was \$50,030,311, while last year it was \$25,502,299. The expenditure on consolidated fund during the four months just ended was \$20,785,426, leaving an apparent balance of about nine and a quarter millions. But of course this balance depends upon the date when half yearly interest and subsidy accounts fall due.

The expenditure on capital account to date is \$6,429,221. The July balance is adversely affected by these conditions as the first of the month is a time for the semi-annual payments.

The total revenue for July was \$8,437,438, and the expenditure \$11,968,679, so that on the month the country went behind three and one half millions, and if the capital expenditure of two and a half millions is added there is a total deficit for the month of six millions. The revenue for July of this year is two millions greater than for July last year, but one million more was spent, so that the net betterment is only one million.

As to the public debt it has increased over five and a half millions during the month. The total gross debt of the Dominion now stands at \$471,259,796, and the total assets at \$150,622,205, making a total net debt of \$320,637,591. These latter figures and the fact that the expenditure during July leaped so far above last year, demand serious consideration.

LOST HALIFAX CHILD HAS BEEN FOUND

Halifax, Aug. 6.—Earl Hines, the six year old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Hines of this city, who was lost in the woods at Prince's Lodge while attending the Sunday School picnic of the Park Street Presbyterian church on Wednesday, was found tonight at five o'clock three quarters of a mile back of Prince's Lodge. When discovered, he was on the top of a rough stubble hill eating blueberries. He was cool and unharmed and in good physical condition, despite his two-day sojourn in the woods. The only part of his clothing lost was his hat. Fifteen hundred soldiers and civilians took part in the search today.

JAPAN WILL NOT WAIT FOR CHINA

Tokio, Aug. 7.—Japan today officially notified the powers of her intention to proceed immediately with the reconstruction and improving of the Amoy-Mukden R. R., without the consent of China, diplomatic negotiation having failed to overcome Chinese opposition.

Peking, Aug. 6.—The negotiations between China and Japan for the reconstruction by Japan of the Amoy-Mukden R. R., in accordance with the convention signed several years ago, have failed owing to disputes between the contracting parties, arising from the interpretation of clauses in the convention, providing for the policing of the line, etc.

Japan has formally intimated to China her intention to proceed with the reconstruction of the line within a time limit which Japan considers reasonable, regardless of China's objection.

The entire railroad question, therefore, will be transferred from Mukden to Peking and be made part of the whole Sino-Japanese question concerning Manchuria, the negotiations for the commencement of which were concluded July 27.

TWO HURT IN SERIOUS ACCIDENT

Special to The Standard. St. Stephen, August 6.—A pleasure drive participated in by Edward Bosen, his two children, and his brother, who was visiting him, terminated in rather a serious accident this evening. The party was returning from Woodland and when just above Calais their horse was frightened by a large touring automobile. The wagon was upset and Mr. Bosen and his daughter thrown out beneath the wagon. His brother reached for the other child and then leaped himself, the two escaping injury. The touring party stopped and taking the girl and father in, made a record run to Chipman Memorial hospital. Here the girl, Doris, about ten years of age, was placed under ether and Dr. Delmstadt dressed three long cuts about the forehead and several minor wounds. Very fortunately she escaped without broken bones. Mr. Bosen is injured about the legs though not severely.

MORRIS TO BE HONORED BY HOME TOWN

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JACK JOHNSON FINED. Woodstock, Ont., Aug. 6.—Jack Johnson, the champion pugilist, passed through Woodstock in an auto at 7.30 last evening, at a 50 mile gait. Between Woodstock and Ingersoll he very nearly ran down a party of Woodstock people who were returning to this city. Chief Constable wired London and had him arrested and this morning Johnson paid a fine of \$50 and costs.

THAW'S LATEST FIGHT FOR FREEDOM NEARS ITS END

With Argument of Counsel Today the Famous Case Will be Practically Concluded -- Decision Aug. 12 -- The Several Possibilities That Confront Prisoner -- Mrs. Thaw on Stand Yesterday Denounces Jerome and Designates Matteawan as a Vestibule of the Infernal Regions.

White Plains, N. Y., August 6.—Harry K. Thaw's latest struggle for release from the Matteawan asylum for the insane, will end tomorrow. The submission of testimony in his habeas corpus proceedings before Justice Isaac N. Mills closed this afternoon. Justice Mills will file his decision with the county clerk here on the morning of Thursday, August 12.

Several possibilities confront Thaw. The court may grant his plea and may make him absolutely free. It may decide that he has not established his sanity and refuse to interfere, in which case the state authorities will probably send him straight back to Matteawan. But Justice Mills has further discretionary powers. He may feel that the young man's mental condition is still in doubt and for that reason delay a final order, meanwhile paroling Thaw in custody of some officer or possibly on his own recognizance in the care of his family. Or he may declare Thaw insane but moved by his mother's complaint regarding his surroundings at Matteawan, send him to some other state hospital not peopled by criminals.

Confident of Outcome. Thaw left the court room this afternoon with jaunty step. The strain of the past few weeks, during which he has submitted personally to 14 hours of cross examination, was not apparent, either in his face or his bearing. At no time during the proceedings has he expressed anything but satisfaction with the results and confidence in the success of his case. This afternoon he was as hopeful as ever. "I am sure," he said, "that I shall be free."

The evidence presented in behalf of Thaw closed today with a dramatic flourish by his mother, Mrs. Mary Copley Thaw, who was the final witness. Her last words were a denunciation of District Attorney Jerome. Earlier in the day she had read a list of names distinguished in New York society. These were guests, she said, at a dinner she gave in New York which Harry attended before his marriage. In concluding her testimony, she referred to this list of names. "I brought in the names of those who attended that dinner to my son," she said, "because of the statements of Mr. Jerome regarding the company Harry was accustomed to keep. I do not have any special enmity toward Mr. Jerome but he certainly has not behaved in this matter in a gentlemanly way nor in a Christian way. Mr. Jerome always talked about Harry being a frequenter of the tenderloin when he knows as well as any one that my boy never went to the tenderloin until he met a certain person who dropped him down."

"That," said Attorney Morschauser, "ends our case."

Interrupted by Sobbing. On the stand today, Mrs. Thaw's testimony was again frequently interrupted by sobbing as she described Harry's surroundings at Matteawan. "That place seemed to me like the vestibule of the infernal regions," she said solemnly. The principal new witness today was Roger O'Mara, former chief of police in Pittsburg, and employed by the Thaws as a detective in Harry's case. He testified the corroborator of the stories about the morning of Thursday, August 12, of the day was devoted to a re-examination of Thaw's alienists. Jerome attacked these experts with every device of the skilled cross-examiner. He roused the ire of Dr. Evans, by asking if he was the object of the denunciation of medical expert witness delivered yesterday by Governor Franklin Fort, of New Jersey. Dr. Evans is superintendent of the New Jersey State Insane Hospital at Morris Plains. The expert replied that he declined to go into personalities.

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U. M. W. PICKETS ARRESTED FOR LOITERING ON STREET

Special to The Standard. Glace Bay, Aug. 6.—With the exception that more men are reporting for work, there is little change in conditions at the collieries. Another batch of men from Montreal were landed last night and were taken to the mines. The output yesterday amounted to 10,468 tons, of which 2,900 tons came from the collieries, the rest being from the banks. Several U. M. W. locals are having trouble with their pickets. It is becoming more difficult every day to keep men at their work, and there are many derelictions. Pickets who fail to report for duty are fined 10 cents and this seems a big hole in a man's income when the latter is only receiving 30 cents a day.

Cases Still On. The cases brought by the Dominion Coal Company against some of its tenants for eviction are still being heard before Judge Finlayson. This morning the court granted an order for the eviction of Alexander McEachern and Alexander McLeod, both of Reserve Mines, and of Frank Baker of New Aberdeen.

Last night thirty-four men were arrested at No. 2 mine, charged with loitering on the streets. These men were at the time doing picket duty for the U. M. W.

The right of strikers to patrol industrial works where a strike is in progress has been often questioned and has been frequently before the courts with the result, it is said, of establishing such right. It is also said that this right is recognized by an act of Parliament in England.

The U. M. W. pickets at No. 2. The U. M. W. say the police committee had no authority to appoint police. The 34 pickets will be tried on the 24th instant. At the big mine No. 2, the U. M. W. report 25 tons hoisted of which 135 went to the furnaces.

CHEVROLET WITHIN ACE OF RECORD

Buffalo, N. Y., Aug. 6.—Louis Chevrolet, the French speed marvel, fell short only a few seconds of equalling the world's record for fifty miles over a circular track at Fort Erie today in a race with E. S. Lorimer. Barney Oldfield has refused the issue, because his car was not working well. The Frenchman covered the fifty miles in 50:10:15. Chevrolet was forced to stop in the fortyth mile to change a tire, losing a minute and a half in making the change.

As a preliminary to the big match race tomorrow between Barney Oldfield and Walter Christie, the two men met today in a three-mile race. Christie drove his record-breaker, while Oldfield was at the wheel of his new racer, Benz. Christie won the race easily, the time for the three miles being 2:49.

Two amateur drivers entered in the five-mile handicap free-for-all had narrow escapes from death. At the three-quarter pole one of the drivers, Harry Hughes, cut the corner too close and plumed through the fence, Albert Hoener following, lost control of his machine and it went through the track. Both machines were wrecked, but the men escaped with slight cuts and bruises about the hands and face.

DECISION IN WINNING UP ACT GIVEN

In Supreme Court Chambers yesterday afternoon Judge McLeod gave judgment in the matter of the Thos. W. Flett Co. Limited, and the winding up thereof.

The Thos. W. Flett Lumber Co. was incorporated under the British Columbia Stock Co. Act, in Nov., 1905, to purchase the lumber business carried on by Thos. W. Flett, of Nelson, Northumberland Co.

The company became insolvent and an application was made for a winding up order on its behalf. This order was granted by Judge McLeod on July 5 last, and July 23 was fixed as the date for the appointment of a liquidator.

Yesterday Judge McLeod gave his judgment on the application to set aside the order. After stating the nature of the case, and dealing with the arguments of the counsel, His Honor stated that he had arrived at the following conclusions:

That the directors had no power to declare the insolvency of the company, and ask for it to be wound up, without first having the authority of the shareholders.

PERSONALS

Mrs. J. White Peters, of Bridgetown N. S., grand president of the order of Rebekah, L.O.F., who is here to attend the annual convention of Odd-fellows of the Maritime Provinces, is visiting Mrs. Arthur E. Hart, of Carleton.

Mr. H. A. Parley and wife, of Calgary are at the Royal Hotel, Port Hope, who is a native of the Maritime Provinces, has been in Calgary for the last thirty years.

Mrs. J. A. McGivern and daughters, Frances and Letitia of Titusville have returned home having spent a week with their aunt, Mrs. T. P. Keane, Union street, Carleton.

Mrs. Purdy has returned to the city after spending the winter with her brother Dr. Ross, in Philadelphia and Wilmington.

Mr. B. Wilmet, Superintendent of Immigration for New Brunswick, left last evening on a business trip to Meadham.

Miss Louise E. Watters arrived on the S. S. Calvin Austin yesterday morning from Boston and will spend her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Watters, Metcalf St.

Mrs. Ellis and daughter, of Halifax, who have been visiting Miss Wilson, 204 Pitt Street, returned home yesterday.

Rev. C. S. Woodruff, D. D., and Mrs. Woodruff of Framingham, N. J., arrived on the American boat yesterday to attend the Supreme Council meeting of T. O. H. here.

Miss Rosie Jacobs, of Pleasant Point, is visiting friends at Pleasant Point.

PIONEER RAILROAD MAN DEAD

Special to The Standard. London, Ont., Aug. 6.—William Bowman, one of London's best known citizens died at Port Stanley early today, after an illness of two weeks, of pneumonia. The late Wm. Bowman was born in Liverpool, England, in 1820, and came to Canada in 1853, as the mechanical superintendent of the Great Western Railway, the pioneer railway of Canada, which later merged with the Grand Trunk system. In 1875 Mr. Bowman retired from his railway position, and organized the firm of Bowman and Company, coal dealers.

COL. H. H. McLEAN HOME FROM TRIP TO ENGLAND.

Was Present At Canadian Dinner—Hon. R. L. Borden, He Says, Made Excellent Impression.

Col. H. H. McLean arrived in the city yesterday from England where he appeared before the judicial committee of the Privy Council in the case of the St. John Pilot Commission. Col. McLean was accompanied by his daughter, Miss Elizabeth McLean and Miss Reed, daughter of Sir Hugh Gilglean Reed of Teunterden Hall, Hendon.

At the trial of Dingra, the as Jackson of C. Curry, H. Curzon Wyllie at the Old Bailey, Col. McLean accepted a seat on the bench by invitation of Chief Justice Lord Alverstone.

While in London Col. McLean met Sir Thos. Lipton. Sir Thomas informed him that he was much interested in Canada and intended to make an extended visit here this autumn.

TEAMS FOR GOLF MATCH TO BE PLAYED TODAY.

Players Chosen to Represent St. John and Halifax in Annual Match on Local Links.

A golf match between teams from Halifax and St. John will be played today on the local links.

The St. John team will be made up of the following players: J. M. Magee, Paul Longley, J. U. Thomas, Andrew Rose, W. T. Thompson, J. H. McCure, J. W. P. Ritchie, D. Macgillivray, Judge Wallace, A. E. Jones, O. B. Jones, W. M. McDonald, W. A. Curry, R. A. Murray.

The Halifax team will play Woodstock on Monday.

KING'S DAUGHTERS TO HOLD FAIR IN NOVEMBER.

At the monthly meeting of the King's Daughters Guild yesterday, it was decided to hold a fair on a large scale in the Assembly Rooms of the Nickel Theatre during the first week in November.

The object of the fair is to raise funds for the guild. Yesterday the convenors of committees were appointed, and the work of organization will be proceeded with without delay.

Arrangements were also made at the meeting for the luncheon which will be provided for the Canadian Club on the occasion of the visit of the Rt. Hon. James Bryce next Tuesday week.

Mrs. R. A. Skaggon, the matron, tendered her resignation, and steps were taken to fill the vacancy by September 1st.

MR. F. P. DAY ACCEPTS CHAIR IN UNIVERSITY

Word has been received from Mr. Frank Parker Day that he will accept the appointment of the chair of English Language and Literature in the University of New Brunswick.



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The University of New Brunswick recently offered him by the Senate. Mr. Day is at present at the Cavalry school at Colchester, Essex, England, and is expected to leave for Canada within the next few weeks.

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Anderson Furniture Co. The winding up proceedings of the Anderson Furniture Company of Newcastle was before Judge McLeod in chambers yesterday. In the morning the report of the liquidator, Mr. Allen Davidson, in regard to the claims filed against the company was received. The matter was adjourned until 2 o'clock in the afternoon to enable the attorneys to meet on the amount of the allowance for certain claims against the company for breach of contract. These claims were for the purchase of logs. In the afternoon the attorneys announced that the amounts had been settled on, and the hearing of these claims and also those of the Royal Bank of Canada were set down for this morning at 11 o'clock.

NOVA SCOTIA ASSOCIATION

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The objects of the association in the protection of the game, the enforcement of the laws, and the vertising the Province as a sporting ground. Tonight a large dinner is being held at the Millford House.

Mr. Day is at present at the Cavalry school at Colchester, Essex, England, and is expected to leave for Canada within the next few weeks.

At the trial of Dingra, the as Jackson of C. Curry, H. Curzon Wyllie at the Old Bailey, Col. McLean accepted a seat on the bench by invitation of Chief Justice Lord Alverstone.

While in London Col. McLean met Sir Thos. Lipton. Sir Thomas informed him that he was much interested in Canada and intended to make an extended visit here this autumn.

TEAMS FOR GOLF MATCH TO BE PLAYED TODAY.

Players Chosen to Represent St. John and Halifax in Annual Match on Local Links.

A golf match between teams from Halifax and St. John will be played today on the local links.

The St. John team will be made up of the following players: J. M. Magee, Paul Longley, J. U. Thomas, Andrew Rose, W. T. Thompson, J. H. McCure, J. W. P. Ritchie, D. Macgillivray, Judge Wallace, A. E. Jones, O. B. Jones, W. M. McDonald, W. A. Curry, R. A. Murray.

The Halifax team will play Woodstock on Monday.

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Windsor, Ont., Aug. 6.—Vincent Brennan, of Detroit, created a lot of excitement here last night when he attempted to run his automobile through the crowded streets. Although he had nearly run down Chief of Police Willis he was placed under arrest. Brennan's machine was decorated with American and Irish flags, and when one of the crowd grabbed the stars and stripes, the Detroitter proceeded to tear the British emblem into shreds as a retaliatory measure, which, however, would have resulted in further trouble had not the police promptly surrounded the auto and kept the people back. In the police court this morning Brennan was fined \$25 for fast driving, and being without cash, he left his \$3,000 car as security for his liberty.

THE DOG WAS FIRED BY BALMORAL.

Sackville, N. B., Aug. 6.—Thomas Murray, Jr., is now the owner of what is probably the best bred Scotch collie which has ever been brought to the Maritime Provinces. Balmoral Rex had, reached Sackville on Tuesday coming from Brockton, and has been greatly admired by the persons who have him.

The dog was fired by Balmoral Rex, the international champion and his dam was Victoria, an animal duly registered. Victoria had among her ancestors more than a dozen champions. It will be readily seen that Balmoral Rex was a dog of remarkably good pedigree. It is not surprising that his new owner is very much pleased with him.

With Alderman Woodford Turner, as joint owner, young Mr. Murray recently brought to Sackville two other fine collies, Daisy and Maida. These dogs came from the Golden Kennels, Chatham, Ontario. They were sired by Golden Comet, son of Andieff model, the \$10,000 champion. Since being brought to Sackville, Daisy has had a fine litter of pups, all much sought after by lovers of well bred collies.

Edmundston, N. B., August 6.—Ubaldo Michaud was sentenced to two years imprisonment, with hard labor, at Dorchester Penitentiary upon the opening of the County Court here this morning by Judge J. P. B. LeBlond.

Upon the close of the judge's charge yesterday afternoon at 4.30, the jury retired and at the end of an hour returned with a verdict of "guilty" on the fourth count of the indictment, which charged merely interfering with the running of the Temiscouata railway. The maximum penalty for this is two years' imprisonment.

IMPROVEMENT OF ROADS IN ALBERT COUNTY.

To the Editor of The Standard: Sir,—Some of the Grit orators celebrating the great St. John County victory from 400 to 47 made the statement at Hillsboro that the roads are worse here than they have ever been.

It must be either ignorance or dishonesty that makes men make such statements so far from the actual facts. Why, in the very parish in which they ever made such statements, doesn't live who can remember so much road work being done as there is this year.

The adjoining parish of Hopewell says the same thing, and I doubt if in the whole Province you can find a better piece of road than the one from Hopewell Cape to Albert, a distance of twelve miles. On this section which under British government was almost abandoned, you can now drive the entire distance and scarcely strike a rock or a rut. Last year under Commissioner Tingley a lot of the thuggered people and make the work was done in every way to assist me. I have driven over nearly all of Albert county, and in every district I found busy men with their teams taking an interest in the roads and endeavoring in every way to assist a good government in bringing about a condition so long desired.

Now how any Grit politician can dare charge the present government with an intelligent people and make such statements as these men made at Hillsboro, is more than the ordinary mind can grasp. Of course, one doesn't expect any more from a Ryan, but you surely would from men who want to govern the country. Albert county interests are being well looked after by two of the best members of the county ever had, and our Hillsboro member. We are all sorry Mr. Dickson was unfortunate in business, as many a good man has been, but in every department, and in every department of work, that kindly personality and tact, the influence of which is so graceful to young people, the general sympathy in the relations between teacher and pupil, and the interest which each one seems to feel in the work of the day. An education under such conditions is indeed a great asset.—Educational Review for February, 1909.

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ARRESTED IN LOS ANGELES FOR MURDER

Los Angeles, Cal., Aug. 6.—William Haney, believed to be one of the men concerned in the train robbery at Ducks, B. C., in June, has been captured by the Los Angeles police. He is desperate and it is feared will put up a stiff fight with his gun before he can be taken. Haney is thought to be the bandit who escaped when Constable Decker of Ashcroft, and another robber were killed in a fight on the Thompson river near Ashcroft. He was traced after the murder of the constable to Red Gulch, but there eluded the officers. Both the Canadian government and the C. P. R. have offered rewards for his capture.

Los Angeles, Cal., Aug. 6.—W. H. Church, a noted inventor of electrical appliances and an associate of Dr. Alexander Graham Bell and Thomas A. Edison, died here suddenly yesterday. He was a native of Ontario.

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MILLSTREAM.
Millstream, Aug. 5.—The Ladies' Aid Society of Berwick met at the home of Mrs. J. H. Folkins, and a very enjoyable time was spent. In place of the regular tea ice cream and cake was served.
Mr. Geo. Folkins, of St. John, who was in this vicinity visiting relatives and friends, was called home on Tues- day last on account of the sickness of his child.
The funeral of Mrs. C. Parlee, formerly of this place, but lately of Portland, Me., was held from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. H. B. Hayes, on Sunday, Aug. 1st, and was largely attended. Rev. A. C. Bell was the officiating clergyman. Those present were, Mrs. Lawson and son, Hiram and there promises to be a fair crop of berries.
The weather these last few days has been all the farmers could desire for haying and harvesting the hay and a good many are nearly finished.
An event of rare occurrence was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Fenwick when they celebrated their fiftieth anniversary on the evening of Monday, Aug. 2nd. The children present were Mrs. Wright and Miss Blanch, of Keene, N. H.; John, of Boston; George, of Minneapolis; Fred and Nettie at home.
Miss Ada Folkins is spending her vacation with her mother, Mrs. H. D. Folkins.
Miss Florence Parlee, of Moncton, is spending a few days visiting her aunts, Mrs. Warren D. and Mrs. J. H. Folkins.
Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Garnet were in St. John on Tuesday and Wednesday to see their son, Lloyd, who has gone through a second operation for appendicitis. When they left him he was resting easy and hopes are now held out for his speedy recovery.
Appointed School Principal.
Mr. Harvey P. Dole, of Sussex, has accepted the position as principal of the Victoria school, Calgary, and will leave shortly to take up his duties. Mr. Dole received the appointment through Prof. A. M. Scott, superintendent of education for Alberta, and formerly professor of physics at the U. N. B. Mr. Dole, during his senior year, was Prof. Scott's assistant.
Mrs. J. H. Barry and family of Fredericton, are in the city and will spend a few days here.

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NOTICE. Tenders will be received by Shediac Electric Light and Power Company, at the office of the undersigned at Shediac, N. B., up to the 14th August next, at five o'clock P. M., for the construction of a dam across the Bedouche river, at the head of the Bedouche river, and at the office of F. H. Plans and specifications for the same can be seen at the office of F. H. Plans, at Shediac, on and after the 7th day of August next. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. E. A. SMITH, Pres. of Company. Dated at Shediac this 29th day of July A. D. 1909.

FUNERAL OF GAME LAWS ARE STRICTLY ENFORCED AT APOHAQUI

STATION IN ASHES NEAR WEYMOUTH Weymouth, N. S. Aug. 6.—Fire last night destroyed the Dominion Atlantic Railway station at Bellevue Cove. It is supposed to have been set by the engine of the freight, which passed there about seven o'clock. The station was built right in the woods and the fire carried in the timber of David R. Saunders, of Yarmouth, and is still raging. It now transpires that the insurance on the Methodist church which was destroyed on Wednesday ran out a week or so ago and was not renewed.

BLACK HAND MEMBERS TO ANOTHER PROBABLE KLONDIKE Washington, Aug. 6.—A bill providing for a very stringent exclusion of immigrants was introduced in the house yesterday by Representative Austin, Tenn. It provides that all Asiatics, except public officials, merchants, students and travellers, shall be prohibited from coming into the United States, Porto Rico, Hawaii or the Philippines. It also excludes adults who cannot read or write, who are not industrious and who have criminal records, as well as all members of the so-called Black Hand or similar organizations. "THE CALL OF THE WEST." Harvesters! Harvesters! Again the West calls to the East for help to assist in harvesting the greatest crop Western Canada has ever produced. The increased acreage under cultivation and the splendid weather conditions that have prevailed throughout the entire season have combined to produce a wheat crop estimated at from 125,000,000 to 150,000,000 bushels, and to successfully harvest this enormous crop will require at least 30,000 farm laborers. The West can supply but a small fraction of this number, and consequently the Western farmers are obliged to look to the East for assistance in order to save the crops, which of course require to be harvested within a certain period of time. The Canadian Pacific Railway, realizing the need for labor in the West, will, as in previous years, run farm laborers' excursions, and it is expected the laborers from the Maritime Provinces will be engaged for the second or third week in August. The exact date will be announced later, and the general arrangements will be along the lines of excursions of six weeks' trip. The work of cutting, threshing and garnering will give months of steady employment to a vast array of laborers, and when the appeal for help comes from the Maritime Provinces will respond in large numbers as heretofore. Thousands of farmers from the Provinces are now located in Saskatchewan and Alberta, and they will gladly welcome those from the East who will go to their assistance. The rate is so low that it is almost equivalent to a vacation trip, and affords a great opportunity to see the great West at its best. Even by working part time only sufficient can be earned to pay the expenses of the trip, and passengers can return home from their vacation with money in pocket.

BERESFORD TO INSPECT NEW RAILWAY Special to The Standard. Toronto, August 6.—Lord Charles Beresford, the famous British admiral, after he opens the Toronto exhibition, will accompany the members of the Ontario Legislature on their trip over the Provincial Government railway from North Bay to Cochrane. The party leaves Toronto for the north on the evening of Labor Day. HARVEY STATION. Harvey Station, Aug. 5.—Mr. James Hunter and his sons, Charles and Fred, who are on a six weeks' trip to the coast, passed through Winnipeg last Monday. They intend visiting the exposition at Seattle, Vancouver city and other interesting points before their return. Mrs. John Swan, of Tweedside, has been ill for the past two weeks. She is now in her 87th year and has had remarkably good health until recently. She is an aunt of Rev. Dr. Mowatt, of Eskrine church, Montreal. Mr. Swan, in his 87th year, is enjoying good health. What a long-lived couple. Workmen are engaged in enlarging the station at Harvey. The freight shed, is to be lengthened out to meet the needs of this growing centre. Mr. R. B. Clark, student missionary at York Mills and Rockway, spent this week at his home in St. Stephen visiting his friends. Considerable improvements are being made to the Presbyterian manse property. This week farmers will commence complete haying on the high lands. Then there are meadow lands to cut. The crop is proving to be better than at first anticipated and will, with most farmers, be a good average one. Grain and root crops are very promising.

AVONMORE. Avonmore, August 4.—Miss Lydia Marven, of Saint John, is visiting at her father's, Mr. Benjamin Marven. Mrs. Edward Kellier, of Springfield, is also visiting at her father's, Mr. Benjamin Marven. Mrs. William Cosman will soon leave for the West to settle near Regina. Good progress is being made at ballasting on the Central Railway. The steam shovel is working every day, and two trains are busy hauling the gravel. POLICE COURT. In the police court yesterday morning Leslie Singer was before the court charged with assaulting his wife. Singer told the court that he struck his wife in "self-defence," as she had hit him first. Mrs. Singer testified that on Thursday afternoon she stopped to speak with a gentleman friend who told her that her husband was very sick. Her husband saw her speaking to the man, Singer, when he first home struck her, saying, "I'll teach you to talk with men on the street." He was remanded. Herbert Stephenson was charged with using firearms within the city limits. The last said that he was firing at a target in Courtenay Bay. After promising not to use the gun within the city limits, he was dismissed. Fined \$20 For Assault. In the police court yesterday afternoon, Jas. Convery, charged with assaulting Harold Ross, on Britain St., was fined \$20 or two months in jail. Mr. Stewart Bell was a passenger on the Calvin Austin yesterday.

FUNERAL OF GAME LAWS ARE STRICTLY ENFORCED AT APOHAQUI Special to The Standard. Apohaqui, August 6.—The funeral of the late Burton T. Veysey, the 14 year old lad who was drowned while bathing here on Wednesday last, was held today at one o'clock from the residence of his parents. No death in recent years has cast such a gloom over the entire community. The very large number that attended the funeral and the numerous and beautiful floral offerings were a fitting tribute to the popularity and the high esteem in which the dead boy was held. Rev. J. McLeod, pastor of the United Baptist Church, Apohaqui, conducted the funeral services assisted by Rev. A. C. Bell. Special music was rendered by a quartette composed of Mrs. A. Price, Mrs. D. A. Vall, Mr. J. D. McKenna, and Mr. Plummer. The poll bearers were Herbert Wright, Herbert Johnson, Colby Jones, Roy Thompson, Willie Armstrong and Sterling Parlee, all comrades of the deceased boy. The Union Sunday School and Ambition Lodge, I.O.G.T., both of which he was a member, attended in a body as a mark of respect. All places of business in the village were closed during the service. Jones Bros. mill was also closed down to give their employees the opportunity to attend in full respect. The mourners were the boy's parents, his three sisters, Mrs. Heber Wiles, Miss Nellie and Miss Pearl, Heber Wiles, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Somerville, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Belding, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Belding. Interment took place at the Old River Bank Cemetery. The floral offerings were wreaths from the family, Court Kings I. O. F., Ambitious Lodge, I.O.G.T., Wm. R. Land and O. Gray, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Innis, W. H. Wallace, Judge McIntyre and J. McEwen, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Vaughan, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Belding, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Eddlestone. Bouquets from Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Folkins, Mrs. Davidson and family, Mrs. Jas. Wiles, Colley and family, Mrs. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Burton Mercer, Mr. and Mrs. B. Mercer, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wiles, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Jones.

ST. PETER'S NEW BURIAL GROUND CONSECRATED. Bishop Casey With Impressive Ceremony Yesterday Blessed Final Resting Place of Former Clergy of The Parish. With impressive ceremony the new prepared burial ground in the rear of St. Peter's church, was blessed yesterday morning by His Lordship Bishop Casey, assisted by Rev. Fr. Shauner as deacon, Rev. Fr. Barry sub-deacon, and Rev. Frs. Holland and Leonard. A large congregation began at 7.30 o'clock and lasted about one hour. After the usual benediction, the Bishop blessed the ground set apart for burial purposes. Six crosses of wood had been erected and His Lordship moving from one cross to another, blessed the intervening space sprinkling it with holy water. He then imparted the Episcopal blessing which includes an indulgence of 50 days to all present, after which he was escorted by way of the rectory through the corridors by the altar boys and priests and into the church where solemn high mass was sung. Rev. Fr. Shauner was the celebrant, Rev. Fr. Leonard, deacon, Rev. Fr. McCormick, sub-deacon, and John McMonaghan, clerk. The master of ceremonies, Rev. Fr. Shauner was in the sanctuary. The work of excavating, filling in and laying out of the portion of ground set aside for burial purposes has been going on for some time past under the supervision of Rev. Fr. Duke. The lot is now ready for the final services on Sunday and Monday when the bodies of former clergymen of the parish will be removed from their present resting place and interred in the rear of the church. A space about twenty-five feet square has been prepared for this purpose, one-half of it being already filled with earth and the other being left open, showing six coffins in which the remains of the former clergymen will be placed. The Honored Dead. A handsome monument of steel grey granite has been erected to the memory of the priests who died while in the service of St. Peter's. On one side of the memorial are the following inscriptions: Rev. Stephen J. Krien, born July 28, 1849, ordained Oct. 31, 1873, died June 25, 1897. Rev. Peter Trimple, born Jan. 15, 1832, ordained March 19, 1877, died Oct. 9, 1898. Rev. Michael Corduke, born Feb. 16, 1849, ordained June 7, 1873, died May 9, 1895. On another face of the monument is the following: Brother John Leo Will, professed May 26, 1884, died Nov. 14, 1887, Age 31 years. Brother Jeremiah Keefe, professed April 16, 1883, died Oct. 17, 1899, Age 33 years. Rev. John Nep. Jentsch, ordained July 28, 1844, died March 12, 1890, Age 73 years. The other two sides of the monument are bare but on its base the initials of the Redeemptorist order—C. S. S. R.—are engraved.

THE DIPPERS PREPARE FOR JUDGMENT Dublin, Aug. 6.—The third annual convention of The Dippers, at the Coney Revival in progress at Ballinacorney, County Fermanagh, called, presents strange scenes of religious enthusiasm. It is the belief of the sect that the millennium may be ushered in any moment, and prayer meetings are being held almost continuously. John West, a member of the sect, has placed his large house and grounds at the disposal of the convention. The house accommodates one hundred persons, and the others of the pilgrims utilize the outbuildings and the spacious marquees erected on the lawn for sleeping purposes. Over 2000 pilgrims are attending the convention. The little colony is the realization of the ideal of simple self-supporting communal life. Each morning finds the camp full of life and activity. All the pilgrims are dressed in coarse, plain clothing. The men are unshaven and wear rubber collars; on the heads of the women are straw hats. All are busily engaged in manual labor or domestic duties, milking, butter-making, cooking, sewing, boot-making, carpeting, etc., every one being assigned a daily task. Then follow intervals of devotional meetings, preaching, hymn singing and baptisms. Energy is the keynote of the campaign. Edward Conroy, the leader of the sect, is the son of an Eniskillen magistrate. He has a wonderful power of language, and his sermons are interspersed with anecdotes. He easily holds his followers during his long discourses. He preaches on the worthiness of all existing churches and the usefulness of the worldly mission. One of the favorite hymns of the sects concludes: "Neither carry scrip nor raiment, nor shoes nor staves, walk unburdened through the deserts, through the waves." The baptismal ceremony is performed in an adjacent stream, running along the valley. The leader dons his boots and wades in the water to the centre of the stream. Then he gently lowers the convert backward until the entire body is immersed, after which the convert is assisted to the shore while the pilgrims sing "Who will be next." No money collections are taken up. Dining and tea are given freely to all visitors to the convention, crowds of whom flock daily to see "The Dippers." Many persons are being converted to the sect by reason of the energetic sincerity of the campaign and are promptly admitted to the brotherhood. The converts already numbered over 200. The men and women are separated at the shore while the pilgrims sing "Who will be next."

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ODDFELLOWS CONCLUDE SESSION Shelburne, N. S. Aug. 6.—The Grand Lodge, Manchester Unity Odd Fellows, concluded its business yesterday and adjourned at 4 p. m. The afternoon session was devoted to clearing up odds and ends and installing the newly elected officers for the meeting next year. Invitations were received from Halifax, Liverpool, Bridgewater and Hubbards. Bridgewater was selected and the Grand Lodge will convene there on the first Wednesday in August, 1910. The last number of the program of this very successful convention was the banquet tendered by the local lodge, this function being held in the Memorial Hall and was probably the most elaborate affair of the kind ever given in Shelburne. The hall was beautifully decorated and redolent with the perfume of potted plants and cut flowers. Music was furnished by an orchestra from the Shelburne band and the beauty and elite of the town were present to do honor to the men whose object it is to visit the sick, comfort the distressed and relieve the wants of the needy. Covers were laid for 150, and when at 8.30 grace was said by Rev. Mr. Warner every seat was filled. The menu card was in full form, very pretty, while the bill of fare was such as would tempt the appetite of even a dyspeptic, to say nothing about the strong and jolly old fellows, and the rugged sons of the mountains of Shelburne. The guests were waited upon by twenty of the most charming young ladies of the town, and they performed their duties with the skill and grace of the most experienced waitresses. The toasts included eight numbers, Rev. Ward Fisher being toastmaster, and the speeches were excellent. "The King" was duly honored with the national anthem. "Canadians" was responded to by Mr. Irwin, M. P. P., who made a splendid speech. "The Mayor and Town Council of Shelburne" brought brief but interesting speeches from Mayor Bruce and members of the town council, while the next on the list was "The Grand Master and Board of Directors of the Manchester Unity Odd Fellows." Alderman J. S. Edwards responded in an able address to the order, tracing its history to the present time and paying a long tribute to the men who have directed its affairs. "Amen to the King" brought up Grand Master Keating, who made one of the best speeches of the evening. "Sister Societies" brought forth a thoughtful and impressive address from Stipendiary Magistrate H. S. West. "The Ladies" was looked after by Rev. Mr. Warner and Dr. Lavers, both of whom brought down the house with their merry words. Rev. Mr. Warner's description of his first visit to a ladies' business meeting set the audience into convulsions of laughter. The whole affair was a great success, and the Old Fellows are loud in their praise of the hospitable manner in which they have been treated by the people of this town. The men who exemplify the motto of friendship, love and truth all leave us today for their homes. They carry with them the best wishes of the people of this town, for no finer body of men ever honored Shelburne with their presence.

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WEEKLY REVIEW OF LOCAL AND FOREIGN FINANCIAL MARKETS. BY J. C. MACKINTOSH & CO.

Conditions in Europe appear to have quieted down since our last writing, and latest reports are that the threatened coal strike in Great Britain may be overcome. Advances from Spain also are of a more reassuring nature and the revolution at one time feared to be assuming serious proportions, is now petering out.

Montreal Market. The Montreal market has been rather inactive during the past few days, with a slightly reactionary tendency. Usually following a boom in New York, Montreal is decidedly active and during the present week the general tendency of the market and sold up from 6 1/2 to 7 1/2.

New York Market. Conditions in the United States and Canada are more improved than they were some time ago. The settlement of the United States tariff and the fact that the crops have reached a position where it is practically impossible for any extensive damage to occur has given an excuse for an upward movement of prices, which has carried the market up, and in many cases, the level reached before the sensational boom of 1908.

COTTON RANGE. By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co. High. Low. Ask. Bid. Jan. 12.31 15 20 21. March 12.31 18 22 24. May 12.31 20 24 26. Sept. 12.26 22 27 29. Oct. 12.27 11 17 18. Dec. 12.32 17 17 19.

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N. Y., CHICAGO BOSTON, PRODUCE MKTS. STEEL SHOWS THE MONTEAL STOCK MARKET. REMARKABLE RECOVERY.

Chicago, Aug. 6.—Flour receipts 117,000 bushels, 9,284; sales, 7,000. Market easier with quiet local trade. Minn. patent 5.90 to 6.25. Minnesota bakers 5.15 to 5.50; winter patents 5.40 to 5.70; winter straights 5.00 to 5.20; winter extras 4.50 to 4.90; winter low grades 4.40 to 4.80; Kansas straights 5.50.

Chicago, Aug. 6.—Wheat, Sept. 99 7/8; Dec. 98 1/2; Corn, Sept. 63 5/8 to 34; Dec. 52 1/2 to 33 1/4. Oats, Sept. 36 5/8 to 34; Dec. 36 3/4; May 35 7/8. Mess Pork, Sept. 20.55; Jan. 16.45 to 17. Lard, Sept. 11.35; Oct. 11 1/2 to 12; Nov. 10.90. Short ribs, Sept. 11.07 to 12; Oct. 10.75 to 11.20.

Chicago, Aug. 6.—Cattle receipts, 1,500. Market steady. Steers 5.60 to 7.65. Hogs, receipts 11,000; market 5 to 10 cents higher; Choice heavy 8.10 to 8.25; butchers 8.05 to 8.20.

LA ROSE. (By Direct Private Wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co.) Cobalt, Ont., Aug. 6.—The New 8 to 12-inch vein found by the La Rose Company on its Lawson property as yet contains 3,900 ounces of silver. The importance of this discovery is that the vein is in a different part of the property from that where the other veins were found, being near the western side line and in the conglomerate formation.

TENNIS—THE GAMER. M. M'AVITT. Easily Defeats Wood. Finals—Annual day Was a Mo.

The sixth annual tournament provincial Tennis Association concluded yesterday morning. The result of the day's play was as follows: A Mixed Doubles. Semi-finals: Miss M. Thomson and Miss H. R. Babbitt defeated Mrs. W. M. Angus and Mrs. W. M. Angus and Mrs. W. M. Angus and Mrs. W. M. Angus.

CHICKENS W MANY EYES AT DETROIT. Detroit, Mich., August 6.—Following is a detailed list of results in the International Intermediate Double. Arundel Boat Club, Baltimore, first; Springfield Boat Club, Springfield, Mass., second; Grand Rapids Boat Club, Grand Rapids, fourth. Time 7:52.

ST. JOSEPH'S. Special to The Standard. The football team of St. Joseph's school of St. John's defeated the team of St. John's on Wednesday and Thursday.

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No. 3, 39 7/8.
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established a new record mark for
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Improved Offices.
Messrs. Emerson and Fisher have
shells—New York Athletic Club, New
York, first; Arundel Boat Club, Balti-
more, Md., second; Ottawa Rowing
Club, Ottawa, Ont., third. Time
6:27.25.

City Play Roll.
The fortnightly play roll distributed
yesterday at City Hall, was made up
as follows: Ferry, \$196.82; water and
sewer, \$2,387.55; public works, \$3,
415. Total, \$6,180.91.

TENNIS--THE BIG LEAGUE
GAMES

M. McAVITY RETAINS
TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIP

Easily Defeats Wood of Sackville in Yesterday's
Finals--Annual Tournament Concluded Yester-
day Was a Most Successful Affair.

The sixth annual tournament of the
provincial Tennis Association was
concluded yesterday morning on the
courts of the local club and in the af-
ternoon the champions of the previous
year met the winners of this year in
evidence of their fitness. One champion-
ship was lost and two were forfeited
by default.

In the ladies' singles Mrs. H. R. Bab-
bit, of Fredericton, once more captured
the ladies' Championship of the provin-
ce, by defeating Miss Madge
Robertson, of Rossburn. Mr. T. Mal-
colm McAvity, of the St. John club, re-
tained his title of men's champion by
defeating Mr. Wm. Wood, of Sack-
ville. Mrs. Roy Thomson and Mr. T.
Valcolm McAvity holders of the mixed
double championship, were defeated
after a hard and close match by Miss
Mabel Thomson and Mr. Rupert Tur-
nbull, of Rossburn. The 1908 champions
of the ladies' doubles and also of the
men's doubles were obliged to forfeit
titles in the absence of Miss Robert-
son and Mr. T. McAvity.

A Mixed Doubles.
Semi-finals:—
Miss M. Thomson and R. Turnbull
defeated Mrs. H. R. Babbitt and R.
Wood, 6-8, 6-3, 6-3.
Finals:—
Miss Thomson and R. Turnbull de-
feated Miss M. Robertson and H. Dan-
iel, 6-2, 6-2.
Championship:—
Miss M. Thomson and R. Turnbull
defeated Mrs. Roy Thomson and T.
M. McAvity, 6-3, 3-6, 6-4.

Men's Singles.
Championship:—
T. M. McAvity defeated W. Wood,
6-4, 6-1, 6-3.

Ladies' Singles.
Championship:—
Mrs. H. R. Babbitt defeated Miss M.
Robertson, 6-1, 6-1.

Ladies' Doubles.
Championship:—
Mrs. Babbitt and Miss Babbitt de-
feated Miss K. E. Hazen and Miss F.
Hazen, 6-0, 6-1.

In the semi-finals of the mixed dou-
bles tennis was played. Mr. Wood's
lobbing was a feature and Miss Thom-
son played a strong game.
The men's singles between McAvity
and Wood, though a little one-sided,
was watched closely by the spectators
who had their first opportunity of
seeing McAvity in singles since his
return from the Canadian champion-
ships at Montreal. McAvity has de-
veloped a new back-hand stroke which
he used with great effect. He also dis-
played good judgment in placing
and it was by this means that he
got the better of Wood. Wood's
play was stronger than in former
years so McAvity's victory proves that
he is without an equal in the provin-
ce. The Hibernians hope to see him
retain the Maritime championship to
be played in Halifax next week. Mr.
Wood was heartily congratulated by
his many friends on his excellent

CANUCKS WON
MANY EVENTS
AT DETROIT

Detroit, Mich., August 6.—The fol-
lowing is a detailed list of today's
results in the international regatta:
Intermediate double scull shells,
Arundel Boat Club, Baltimore, Md.,
first; Springfield, Mass., second; Grand Rapids
Boat Club, Grand Rapids, Mich., third;
Vahnetah boat club, Flushing, N. Y.,
fourth. Time 7:52.
First heat—James Cosgrove, Argun-
naut Rowing Club, Toronto, first; A.
Warneck, Springfield Boat Club,
Springfield, Mass., second; Geo. A.
Allison, West Shore Boat Club,
Philadelphia, Pa., third. Time 7:24.25.
Association of shells, senior—
Second heat—V. J. Gordon, Vesper
Boat Club, Philadelphia, first; William
Merkhoff, Nassau Boat Club, New York,
second; Fred P. Wessel, Harlem Row-
ing Club, New York, third. Time
7:32.
Intermediate eight oared shells—
Argonaut Rowing Club, Toronto, first;
Detroit Boat Club, Detroit, second;
Wyandotte Athletic Association,
Wyandotte, Mich., third. Time 6:15.

ST. JOHN'S TO PLAY
Special to The Standard.
Fredericton, N. B., August 6.—St.
Joseph's team of St. John tonight ac-
cepted terms to play ball games here
next Wednesday and Thursday.

TENNIS CHAMPIONS FOR
'09-'10.

Ladies' Singles.
Mrs. H. R. Babbitt, Frederic-
ton Tennis Club.
Ladies' Doubles.
Mrs. H. R. Babbitt and Miss
H. J. Babbitt, Fredericton Ten-
nis Club.
Mixed Doubles.
Miss Mabel Thomson and W.
R. Turnbull, Rossburn Tennis
Club.
Men's Singles.
T. M. McAvity, St. John Ten-
nis Club.
Men's Doubles.
T. M. McAvity and W. M.
Angus, St. John Tennis Club.
Boys' Singles.
Jack Chipman, St. Stephen
Tennis Club.
Doubles.
Don Skinner and Chas.
Knowlton, St. John Tennis
Club.

SHEPPARD OUT
OF THE GAME
FOR SEASON

Melvin Sheppard, the world's great-
est runner, is out of athletics for the
rest of the season, says a New York
despatch. Mel, has been in bed for
some time suffering from an abscess
on the calf of one of his legs, and it
has caused him so much trouble that
he has decided to remain idle for the
rest of the year.
Sheppard received his first injury
about seven weeks ago and was forced
to undergo an operation. After a
few days' rest the star athlete thought
he would be able to get in shape
again and ran at Pittsburg recently.
His leg kept getting worse instead of
better, and Dr. D'Apéry, of the Jef-
ferson medical hospital, who is look-
ing after the injury, has told Shep-
pard that he is run down and must
give up athletics for the summer, and
that in all probability he will not be
in a good enough physical condition
to compete in the fall meets.



NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Chicago Won In The Eighth, Pounding
Ferguson for 2 Singles and 2 Dou-
bles.
Chicago, August 6.—The locals won
today's game in the eighth inning by
pounding Ferguson for two singles
and two doubles. Evers led off in the
first with a triple and scored on a long
fly. Boston tied the score in the
fourth on a single a double and an in-
field out, but Kroh pitched the re-
maining innings so that only one other
Bostonian reached third. Score:—
Chicago . . . 10 0 0 0 0 2 x—3 10 0
Boston . . . 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 5 1
Batteries: Kroh and Archer; Fergu-
son and Stahl.
Time—1:41. Umpires Klem and
Kane.

Pittsburg, Aug. 6.—Score:—
Pittsburg . . . 10 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—3 8 0
Brooklyn . . . 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0—2 13 1
Batteries: Camnitz, Lever and Gib-
son; Scanlon and Bergen. Marshall.
Time—2:50. Umpire, Day.
St. Louis, Aug. 6.—Score:—
St. Louis . . . 0 0 0 0 0 2 3 0—3 2 1
Phila. 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 3 2
Batteries: Lush, Beebe and Phelps;
Morre, Scanlon and Doolin.
Time 1:38. Umpire Emsley.
Cincinnati, August 6.—Score:—
Cincinnati . . . 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—1 10 0
New York . . . 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 8 3
Batteries: Gaspar and McLean;
Ames and Schlie.
Time—1:50. Umpires, Rigler and
Johnston.

AVENGER AND ELMINA THE
WINNERS IN THE ASTOR RACES

Feature Yacht Race of the New York Yacht Club's
Annual Cruise Won by Cochrane's Fast Sloop
and Brewster's Speedy Elmina.

Newport, R. I., Aug. 6.—The schooner
Elmina, owned by F. Brewster, of
New Haven, Conn., and the sloop Av-
enger, owned by A. DeWitt Cochrane,
of New York, were the winners in the
races for the Astor Cup, sailed today
under the auspices of the New York
Yacht Club. The Avenger had a lead
of only 1 minute and 19 seconds, cor-
rected time, over the Isabella, which
in actual elapsed time, was over 18
minutes in the lead of the Avenger
at the finish. It was the speedy Av-
enger then owned by Robert W. Em-
mons, which last year captured both
the Astor Cup and the King's Cup in
the New York Yacht Club's race. At
the time of the start there was a five
knot breeze from the north. The first
leg was a close track to port. In the
second leg half the distance was a
broad reach with balloon jib topsails
set. Just at this point the doldrums
looked on when the whole fleet slowed
down and the yachts had but little
motion. The Elmina and the Vigilant
finally broke away from the fleet
and headed for the Naragansett shore
while the schooner Queen, which un-
der the conditions at the early part
of the race had been leading was now
held up for the want of wind.
At the first mark the Vigilant was
the leading boat, rounding at 11, 21.33
while the Queen was next at 11, 22.35
and the Elmina third at 11, 24. The
time of the Queen at the first mark
was 11:27.19; Muriel, 30.30; Westmore,
11:29.33, and the Avenger, 11:31.28
with the other boats strung along
behind.
Soon after rounding the first mark
the Queen passed the Vigilant and at
noon was leading the whole fleet an
eighth of a mile to the good over the
Vigilant and half a mile ahead of the
Elmina. At that time it looked like
the Queen's race, but Captain Denis, of
the Elmina, sent his craft inshore to
hunt for wind, which he found less

than a mile after he had broken away
from the fleet.
In a little better than a drift the
yachts sailed the last half of the
second leg with the wind taking on
a bit and heading them off. As they
nearly Block Island match, the stern
boat seemed to depart by the shift
of wind to the south.

With spinnakers bent the fleet
reached home in a slightly increasing
wind over half the leg when the wind
hauled to the west which necessitat-
ed taking in the spinnakers. Sheets
were then trimmed in and with the
balloon jib topsails carrying full, the
racers sailed the last half of the last
leg, the stern boats apparently get-
ting the greater benefit from the
wind.
The Elmina was first to cross the
finish line at 4:06.14 and received
a handsome ovation from the large
fleet of yachts gathered about the
lights. The Vigilant was second
across at 4:20.04, the Queen third at
4:46.52, and the Isabella fourth at 4:
17.30. Following is the summary of
the race:

Table with columns: Schooner Class, Name, Finish Elapsed time, Correct time. Lists races for Avenger, Elmina, Muriel, Queen, Westmore, Corona, Iroliota, Sloops and Wavies.

EEL WINS AT
KALAMAZOO
IN FAST TIME

Kalamazoo, Mich., Aug. 6.—The
Grand Circuit met today with
today with great racing and the
fastest heats of the year. The two minute
pace brought out four starters and
was the first clash of the Eel with the
Trotter brigade. The Canadian
horse was favorite and justified the
opinion in which he was held. The
first heat saw Hedgewood Boy trail
The Eel at the start, but the second
round saw the Eel win by a nose from
the second place horse. The second
heat was a close race, the Eel again
proved a hard race and the veteran
Country Jay lasted long enough to get
the decision. This 13-year-old gelding won
the first heat by a neck, the second
a little easier and in the third, af-
ter racing the last sixteenth head and
head with Carroll, was given the heat.
The other races were easily won. Sum-
maries:
2:09 PACE.
Purse \$1000.
Walter Hall, gr. h. by Walter
Direct-Duck, by Brown Hall
(Garth). 1 1 1
Sir Milton, ch. g. (Jackman). 2 2 4
Prince D., ch. g. (Spangler). 5 4 2
Detroit, h. b. (Snow). 3 3 5
Robert Kernan, br. g. (McMa-
hon). 4 5 3
Time—2:09 1/2, 2:08 1/2, 2:10.
2:11 TROT.
Purse \$3000.
Country Jay, ch. g. by Jay Haw-
ker-Peronella, by Parkville
(Macey). 1 1 1
Carroll, b. g. (Shaw). 6 2 2
Henry Setzer, b. h. (Lassell). 2 5 5
Miss Adbell, b. m. (McDonald). 3 3 4
Maxine, ch. m. (Murphy). 5 4 2
Nancy Rovee, b. m. (McCarthy). 4 6 5
Just the Thing, b. m. (McMahon). 7 6 6
Melva J., b. m. (Cox). 8 5 8
Time—2:10 1/2, 2:09 1/2, 2:09 1/2.
2:00 PACE.
Purse \$1500.
The Eel, gr. h. by Gamboller-
Bello Bidwell, by John L. (Mc-
Ewen). 1 1 1
Citation, br. m. (McMahon). 2 3 4
Hedgewood Boy, ch. h. (Wilson). 3 4 2
Allen Wilson, b. m. (Cox). 4 3 2
Time—2:05, 2:02 1/2.
Purse \$1000.
Baron McKinley, br. h. by Mc-
Kinney-Ettrill Baron, by Baron
Wilkes (Dickerson). 1 1 1
My Gift, b. m. (Sauer). 2 2 2
Ethel, b. m. (Murphy). 3 3 3
Time—2:18 1/2, 2:17 1/2, 2:15 1/2.

SPRINGHILL AGAIN
DEFEATS WESTVILLE

Special to The Standard.
Springhill Mines, August 6.—In a
well contested game of baseball this
afternoon the home team scored a de-
cisive victory over the Westville team,
the visitors being shut out by a score
of 16 to 0. This is the 14th game
which Springhill has played this sea-
son, winning ten, losing two, playing
two ties. The team that defeated
the home team were subsequently de-
feated by the home team. Saunders and Camp-
bell constituted the battery for the vis-
itors, while Trotter and Harroun acted
in a like capacity for the home team.

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SPORTING NOTES FROM THE
PROVINCIAL CAPITAL.

THIS AFTERNOON'S GAME
This afternoon on the Shamrock
grounds the Marathons and St. Peters
will play the second game of the series
for the city championship. The Mar-
athons were victorious last Saturday,
but the St. Peters feel confident that
the tables will be turned today.
It is understood that a change will
be made in the St. Peters line up.
Hodd will pitch and A. Mahoney will
play right field. The Marathon line
up will be the same as last Saturday.
A change will also be made in the
position of the umpire. "Dandy"
McAllister will look after the balls and
strikes, and "Pete" McAllister will
attend the bases.

TORONTO LOOKS GOOD.

The manner in which the Toronto
baseball team has been traveling the
last week or so would lead us to be-
lieve that Joe Kelly was to be depend-
ed upon for a strong team, with pen-
nant-winning possibilities. The Leafs
are going like a house on fire, and with
such a good twirling staff as Hadolph,
McGinley, Pfefer, Newton and Lee,
and no less than six players clouting
the ball in the 300 class, they sure
look good for first place. Mitchell is
hitting at a 342 gait, while House,
A. Grimshaw, MacDonald, Pfefer and
Lee are well over the charmed mark.
Lee, in addition to being some twirl-
er, is a hitter from way back, and is
clouting at a terrific gait.

\$400 IN PRIZES AT
SUSSEX SEPTEMBER 6-7.

Special to The Standard.
Sussex, N. B., Aug. 6.—The Sussex
Trotting Park Association will offer
\$400 in prizes for the race meeting
on Labor Day, September 6, and Sep-
tember 7. The events will be an-
nounced at a later date. There will be four
races and a big entry list is expected.

At Lansdowne, Ont., while playing
baseball in a game between Lans-
downe and Wilstead, Blaine Cross,
sixteen years old, who was catching
for the home team, was accidentally
struck on the head by a foul ball and
suffered in a few moments.

THE WEATHER.

Maritime—Moderate winds; fair and warm. Toronto, Aug. 6.—Pressure distribution has changed very little since yesterday. Fine weather has prevailed throughout Canada, with the exception of a few local showers or thunderstorms in Quebec and Nova Scotia. Temperatures have been slightly higher in Alberta and somewhat lower in Saskatchewan and Manitoba.

Zion Methodist Picnic. The Zion Methodist church picnic was held yesterday at Quispamsis. A large crowd attended and the day passed off without incident. The picnic party returned to the city about 5.30 p. m.

Up River Visitors. Mrs. J. E. Idone, of Boston left last evening for Burton, on the St. John river, where she will join her husband, Professor J. E. Idone, of the Boston conservatory of music, who is spending a short vacation there.

Mr. N. L. Brennan is President. At the annual meeting of the Maritime Funeral Directors' Association, which was held at Halifax on Thursday, Mr. N. L. Brennan of St. John was elected president of the association for the coming year.

Thrown Out But Uninjured. Yesterday afternoon while Harry B. McGehee's grocery wagon was coming down King street, the horse slipped on the car track and fell. The driver was thrown out, but fortunately he was not injured. A shaft of the wagon was broken.

Became Unmanageable. A horse owned by Mr. James Robinson became unmanageable on Main street, last evening. The driver, Mr. Robinson, managed to extricate himself before the vehicle upset however, and the animal was quieted with the help of a few bystanders.

Better Late Than Never. The confession of a young girl cleared up the mystery of the theft of various articles from the residence of Mr. Herbert Smart and Mr. Geo. Clark, on the West Side, on July 21. The girl was seen by the police in conversation with Miss Clark, who was trying to persuade her to return the stolen goods. The clue was followed and the girl on being taxed with the theft, disgorged the spoils, which consisted of three rings, some silver and a pair of ladies' gloves.

A Double Medalist. Owing to a mistake in tabulation by one of the University matriculation examiners, Miss Rosalie Waterman's marks in the mathematical subjects were placed at 156, whereas her correct marks were 109. The correction gives Miss Waterman the Parker medal for highest marks in mathematics of any St. John student. Miss Waterman, who is now visiting at Jemseg, made an excellent showing in the examination, winning both the Corporation gold and the Parker silver medals.

Narrow Escape From Drowning. Yesterday afternoon while William Higgins, a boy of 10 years, was learning to swim in Marble Cove, he got beyond his depth and sank. The cries of his companions attracted the attention of some men working on a raft nearby and one of them jumped overboard after the lad and had little difficulty in getting him ashore. He had lost consciousness, but after working with him for a few minutes, he came to and was able to proceed to his home near Victoria street. On inquiry at the house last evening it was learned that the boy was none the worse for his experience and was playing about as if nothing had happened.

St. Peter's Jubilee Celebration. Last evening at the jubilee celebration in St. Peter's church, Rev. Patrick Leonard, C. S. S. R., formerly of St. John, preached an eloquent sermon, taking for his subject The King of the True Church. After the sermon benediction was given. This evening Rev. J. Barry, C. S. S. R., will preach on The Queen of the True Church. After the sermon there will be benediction and a procession in honor of the blessed virgin. On Sunday morning at 10.30 o'clock the papal benediction will be given by His Lordship Bishop Casey. At 4 p. m. the removal of the bodies of the deceased Redemptorists from the old St. Peter's burying ground to the new vault in the rear of the church will take place. In the evening Rev. A. Wynn, C. S. S. R., will be the preacher.

LARGE ENTRY LIST FOR ANNUAL RIFLE MATCH. Sixty Already Received for Provincial Association Meet at Sussex Next Tuesday—Fine List of Prizes.

Preparations are now well under way for the annual match of the Provincial Rifle Association which will open at Sussex next Tuesday, Aug. 10, and last four days. About sixty entries have so far come to hand, and it is expected that at least thirty more will be received. The competitors will shoot at each range from 200 yards to 900 yards inclusive. Cash prizes amounting to about \$1,300 will be awarded to the winners of the different cups and a number of other prizes consisting of guns, medals and shields, will also be presented.

Among the cups to be presented are the Donville cup, presented by Senator Donville; the McLean cup, presented by Col. H. H. McLean; the Pugsley cup, given by Hon. Wm. Pugsley; the Hazen Challenge cup, donated by Premier Hazen; silver cup, property of the association; the Coleman shield; the ladies' cup, presented to the club by the ladies of New Brunswick; and the Fowler trophy, given by Mr. George W. Fowler.

A party in charge of Captain J. S. Frost, secretary of the association, will leave on Monday for Sussex and will set up the tents and make other arrangements for the accommodation of the marksmen.

Captain Frost is confident that the meet this year will prove highly successful and the members are busy arranging details and making final preparations in connection with the meet. Visitors will be made welcome and

BOARD DECIDES TO GIVE I. C. R. OLD WATER RATES

Messrs. Tiffin and Brady Heard Yesterday With Increased Charges—Change in Effect May 1.

Messrs. E. Tiffin and F. P. Brady, of the I. C. R. Board of Management, made a trip to St. John yesterday for the purpose of conferring with the Water and Sewerage Board with regard to the increased water rates, charged against the I. C. R. since October last. After being given a hearing a resolution was passed recommending that the old rate of 10 cents per 1,000 gallons be restored for the year beginning May 1, last. This will leave the I. C. R. liable for the extra rate from October 1 last until April 30.

Mr. Brady stated he had checks with him for upwards of \$2,600 for two past quarters, made up on the old basis, and he was ready to hand these over to the city. He was referred to the Chamberlain to make arrangements. Mr. Tiffin said the city was penalizing the I. C. R. because it was a large consumer of water. He said the plan the city proposed was to double the rate after the consumption exceeded 25,000,000 gallons, whereas they thought the rate should be reduced. At present they paid 10 cents per 1,000 gallons up to 25,000,000. Mr. Tiffin further complained that the railway had not been given any notice of the proposed increase, and first learned of it through their bill. The railway, he said, was paying more for water in St. John than in any city along the line, excepting Moncton, where the rate was 10 cents per 1,000 gallons. In Halifax it is 7 1/2 cts.

He asked if there was not a danger that the high rates would force such a large user as the I. C. R. to seek for water supply elsewhere, and so defeat the end the city has in view. The I. C. R. used from 40,000,000 to 45,000,000 gallons annually, and he feared the Water Board had not given the matter their usual careful attention. Probably they never thought the road would use 25,000,000 gallons, and so would not have to pay the increase. Ald. Frink and others discussed the matter, and when the I. C. R. delegation had retired, the resolution referred to was carried.

An extra vote of \$100 was ordered to complete the Cedar street sewer, and the Engineer was authorized to purchase two metres for rock. The Board then adjourned.

GARBAGE RECEPTACLES EXCITE SOME CRITICISM

Painted Directions on Latest Civic Improvement a Subject of Much Interest—A Gem in English Composition.

By placing garbage receptacles at many of the principal points in the city yesterday the Works Department took a step which it is hoped will mean a distinct improvement in the appearance of the streets. Like many civic reforms however—the new ferry pay boxes for example—the innovation in some respects was open to criticism. Each bright red iron box which was placed in the street, was not unlike a coal scuttle standing on end, bore in large white letters the following legend, punctuated marks included: THE PUBLIC ARE REQUESTED TO DEPOSIT ALL WASTE PAPER AND GARBAGE INTO THIS.

It was suggested by one facetious alderman that the presence of a comma in the first line might be the artist's contraction for "common people" but any explanation regarding the liberal sprinkling of periods entirely failed him. Much speculation was indulged in as to the authorities which the officials consulted in framing the expression "deposited into" but no solution was arrived at.

The impression seemed to prevail that this literary effort might possibly give visitors an erroneous idea of English "as she is written" in St. John, New Brunswick, but that it was certainly a gem in its way.

It is a melancholy fact that the only "garbage" which found a resting place in the receptacle in front of the post office yesterday was a copy of a St. John one cent evening paper.

MRS. DIAMOND FOUND DEAD ON BEDROOM FLOOR

Patrolman Ross Summoned to House in Carmarthen Street Last Evening Made Startling Discovery—No Inquest Necessary.

A woman lying with her back against a bed partly reclining on the floor with death written plainly in every feature was the sight which met the astonished gaze of Patrolman James H. Ross when he stepped into a room of the house at 303 Carmarthen street shortly after 7 o'clock last evening. The woman was Mrs. Isabella Diamond, wife of Elias Diamond. She had passed away a few minutes before while alone in the room. The alarm was given by her husband, who is old and feeble, and Amelia Frances, who lives near, told the officer soon after the latter had arrived on the beat for his night's patrol.

Mrs. Diamond was formerly Bella Nickerson, a sister of the well-known Pegleg Nickerson, at present serving a term in jail. She was married to Diamond, who is a colored man, about thirty years ago, and the couple had always lived respectably together. She was a woman who had worked hard and was somewhat broken down in health. She had not been feeling well for the last two days, but no serious result was anticipated and at the time of the sad occurrence her daughter had left her to go on an errand to Erin street. It was thought she had been seized with a severe attack and struggled up, only to fall, her head resting on the edge of the bed.

When Policeman Ross arrived he did not disturb the body, but telephoned for the coroner, Dr. D. E. Berryman. The latter arrived, and having viewed the body pronounced death due to natural causes. No inquest will be held.

Miss Jean Leich was taken to the General Public Hospital yesterday, to undergo an operation. Upon inquiry last night it was learned that the operation had been performed and that Miss Leich was doing as well as could be expected.

JULY A RECORD MONTH IN S. T. P. CONSTRUCTION.

Work On New Brunswick Sections Reached High Water Mark—\$446,970.87 Expended—Labor Market Not Well Supplied.

Figures given out yesterday by Mr. C. O. Foss, Chief Engineer of District A of the National Transcontinental Railway construction, show that the work done during the month of July was by far the largest yet accomplished. The total amount expended during the month reached the sum of \$446,970.87.

Mr. Foss, in speaking of the matter yesterday said this was a high water mark which exceeded any previous month's work and would probably not be equalled again. If the same rate of expenditure was kept up the work of construction would be completed inside of four months, as there was about \$2,000,000 available for the section.

The largest sum expended by any one contractor in New Brunswick was on the section under the supervision of the Willard Kitchen Company who are doing much of the heaviest work. Their estimate alone is \$193,075.88. The smallest sum expended was on one short section of eight miles near Chipman where the total was only \$27,580.89.

The labor market, Mr. Foss said, was none too well supplied. It was rather remarkable he thought, that it was more difficult to keep men steady at work when wages were high than when the work was scarce. The men were always looking for higher wages or else faster work if they had an idea that the contractors were hard up for men.

THIS FISH STORY COMES FROM THE MATAPEDIA

It Tells, Without Apology, of a Sussex Man's Great Presence of Mind in Trying Circumstances.

The Maritime express yesterday morning pulled into Sussex behind time, but arrived in St. John right on the spot. The cause, rather than the incident, is of interest. The Canadian Express Company unloaded two immense salmon at Sussex from the train. One was addressed to Mrs. O. R. Arnold, and the other to Mr. Manning W. Doherty, and both were prizes won from the waters of the Matapedia by Mr. Thomas, manager of the Bank of New Brunswick at Sussex.

The details of the capture of the larger of these salmon were received by The Standard last evening. It appears that Mr. Thomas, who with Mrs. Thomas and some friends, is spending a vacation on the banks of the Matapedia, had been fishing with little success for some hours and had become more or less careless in making his casts. Suddenly the line tightened with such force that the canoe was upset and the fisherman found himself in water which just took him up level with the eyes.

The water was deeper on all sides, so that it appeared for a time that Mr. Thomas would have to let the salmon go and swim for shore. It is said that the measure of a man's ability is shown by his conduct in a crisis. The hero of this tale measured up to the best of them, for in this supreme moment there flashed through his mind the idea of raising the played-out salmon above the water and thus lowering the level of the river. Action followed on the heels of the thought and both lives were saved.

Mr. Thomas' friends, it is reported, held a grand celebration on the banks of the river and crowned him king of the Matapedia.

Mr. Thomas Malcolm, the contractor for the construction of the International Railway from St. Leonards to Campbellton was in the city yesterday on his return home from Portland and other points in Maine. When Mr. Malcolm left the north, the work on the railway was progressing favorably and he expects to have the road completed about the middle of September. When the last spike on the railway is driven at St. Leonards, it will be accompanied by appropriate ceremonies to which prominent men will be invited.

Speaking to a Standard reporter, Mr. Malcolm said the rolling stock for the railway, including locomotives and passenger cars, had all been ordered and a considerable quantity was already on the ground. The prospects for traffic on the new railway look very encouraging, though the development of the new country to be opened up has hardly begun.

Mr. Malcolm spoke of the devastation worked by forest fires and said the cost of keeping the flames in check during the dry season was a very heavy item in the working expenses. The actual loss from fire, he said, on the North Shore, would not amount to very much.

OTTAWA OFFICERS HERE ON PLEASURE BENT

Three Government Employees Now Visiting the City Who Hold Responsible Positions at the Capital.

Among the tourists arriving in the city yesterday were three officials from the Government departments at Ottawa. Their visit here is entirely one of pleasure. They occupy responsible positions in their respective departments at the Capital.

Mr. Thomas Simmons, one of the number, is an engineer in the office of the Railway Commission, and is making a trip to his old home at Fredericton. He is accompanied by Mrs. Simmons.

Mr. R. F. Unlacek, an engineer in the National Transcontinental Railway, is also in the city, accompanied by his wife.

The third visitor, Mr. Robert Dunbar, is one of the official reporters for Hansard in the House of Commons, and a former newspaper man. He is accompanied by his little son, Jack. Mr. Dunbar was in St. John with the grant commissioners on the occasion of their visit here and has returned to get better acquainted with the city.

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