

SUGGEST TREATY OF ARBITRATION

Society Makes Plans for Celebration of Centenary of Peace Between Great Britain and U.S.

Hoped That Obligatory Arbitration Would be One Result of Observance in 1914.

Boston, Sept. 19.—An unlimited treaty of obligatory arbitration between the United States and Great Britain is the hope of the American Peace Society as a result of the proposition that the two countries join in 1914 in a celebration to observe the completion of 100 years of peace between them.

The plans for a celebration commensurate with the position among nations of the countries directly interested and the occasion have not yet approached the point, it is said, where details have been definitely discussed, but it is proposed that the observance along the lines of peace without military forms of demonstration and that it include a parade of the merchant marine of both nations, as well as features to commemorate the growth and mutual assistance of the educational institutions of Canada and the United States.

The American peace society gave out for publication nearly two score of letters from an extended correspondence with prominent men in connection with the proposed observance a number of which contain suggestions bearing upon the features of the celebration, and all of which approve the idea.

The Interested.

Among the writers: Andrew D. White, former ambassador to France and chairman of the American delegation to the first Hague conference; Former Secretary of State Richard Olney; President A. Lawrence Lowell of Harvard university; Dean Henry Wade Rogers of the Yale university law school; Cardinal Gibbons, President F. E. Clarke of the United Society of Christian Endeavor; Bishop Wm. M. Lawrence of Mass.; Governor E. S. Draper, of Mass.; ex-Gov. A. Montague, of Virginia; Richard Barthold, professor of the American group of the inter-parliamentary union; Congressman Samuel W. McCall of Mass.; Chas. F. Elby, president of the American bar association; Jas. P. Baxter, president of the New England historic genealogical society; Chas. Francis Adams, president of the Massachusetts historical society; John B. Lennon, treasurer of the American federation of labor, and representatives of various historical, peace and commercial organizations.

3,000,000 ODDFELLOWS PREDICTED IN 1919

Grand Secretary Makes Chill-Report At Annual Meeting Of Sovereign Grand Lodge At Atlanta, Ga.

Atlanta, Ga., Sept. 19.—The prediction that by 1919 the independent order of Oddfellows will number 3,000,000 members if it continues its present rate of increase, was made today by John B. Goodwin, grand secretary of the sovereign grand lodge at the opening of the annual convention. The hundredth anniversary of the order falls in 1919.

The grand secretary reported charters issued during the year to lodges in Cuba and Newfoundland, and to an encampment in Alberta. A constitutional amendment providing for the establishment of a tuberculosis sanatorium was presented to the grand lodge today. It was referred to a committee from which an early reply is expected.

"LITTLE NECKS" MAY BE COMMON CLAIMS

Ten Thousand Cans Seized In Boston—Alleged Violation Of Pure Food Law By Maine Packers.

Boston, Mass., Sept. 19.—Ten thousand cans of clams, styled "little necks" and canned in Maine, were seized in a Boston wholesale house today by Deputy U. S. Marshal Ruhl, it being alleged that they were labelled in violation of the pure food law. It is claimed they were not little necks, but clams of the common variety.

HON. J. D. HAZEN WILL ADDRESS MONCTON CLUB

Provincial Premier Invited To Speak To Conservatives At Railway Town In October—Missionary Meeting.

Special to The Standard. Moncton, Sept. 19.—Premier Hazen has promised to address the Moncton Conservative club, the date has not yet been decided as Mr. Hazen's court engagements as attorney general prevent him from visiting Moncton this month, but he is expected early in October.

At tonight's meeting of the city council Mayor Reilly and Aldermen Bourque and Charters were appointed delegates to the meeting of the union of municipalities in St. Stephen next month.

The women's foreign missionary society of the Presbyterian church in the Maritime Provinces meets here tomorrow and Thursday. Some 300 delegates are expected.

HAGUE AWARD PLEASES NFLD.

Premier Morris Claims Victory For Great Britain In All Points But One—Cabinet Considers Matter.

St. John's, Nfld., Sept. 19.—Premier Morris, after perusing today an official copy of the award recently promulgated at The Hague, on the fisheries questions, declared that his previous opinion, that the decision favors Great Britain, in all points except question six, is to his mind, confirmed. The official copy received by the premier was forwarded to him by the attorney general who is now in London.

Question six, which Premier Morris believes to be the only one decided adversely to Great Britain, was: "Does the treaty give the inhabitants of the United States the same liberties to take fish in the bays harbors and creeks of Newfoundland as it does in the bays harbors and creeks of Labrador?"

Formal consideration of the document will be had by the colonial cabinet tonight at a meeting which is expected to result in a decision as to the future action of the colony in the matter.

SENATE COMMITTEE HEADED BY BURROWS ARRIVES AT CHICAGO TO BEGIN INVESTIGATION INTO CHARGE OF BRIBERY.

Chicago, Ill., Sept. 19.—Senator Julius C. Burrows, of Michigan, chairman of the senate committee which is to investigate the election of Senator Wm. Lorimer, of Illinois, arrived here today with others of the committee and prepared to take up consideration of the charges that the election of the junior senator for Illinois was tainted with bribery.

"The committee itself must determine what will be the course of procedure," said Senator Burrows. "That will be done tomorrow."

SHOT MOOSE WITHOUT LEAVING CARRIAGE

Earl Mason Did Not Have to Exert Himself at Fredericton Junction—David Bunker Got First One.

Fredericton, Jct., Sept. 19.—The first moose of the open season in the Parish of Gladstone was bagged just on time last Thursday, by David Bunker, of Tracy Station.

The second was killed by Earl Mason on the Diamond Square Road, on Saturday. Mr. Mason was driving along the road when his moosehide stepped out into the highway. The hunter without dismounting, fired. The moose ran a few rods and then fell. He had seven antler points and was a fine specimen.

JOHNSON WILL HAVE RIVALS AS CANDIDATE

Many Politicians Willing To Accept Unexpected Honor Of Democratic Senator From Maine.

GEO. M. HANSON IN THE FIGHT

Portland, Me., Sept. 19.—Democratic candidates for United States senator continue to multiply. Today Charles F. Johnson of Waterville, formally announced his candidacy in the following letter to members of the legislature:

Dear Sirs:—At the solicitations of many Democratic friends in every section of Maine, I have decided to become a candidate for the nomination for United States senator, to be elected by the next legislature and I would be pleased to receive your support. Will you kindly write me whether I can rely upon the same?

Yours sincerely, Chas. F. Johnson. Geo. F. Haley of Saco, who had some support for the Democratic nomination for congress in the first district has decided to become a candidate and will make his announcement within a day or two.

The candidacy of Obadiah Gardner of Rockland and Geo. M. Hanson of Calais, has already been announced and there will be others. With Mr. Johnson's letter also came one from W. R. Pattangall, of Waterville, stating that he would be a candidate for attorney general of the state.

LOOK OUT FOR SURPRISES

This Week Likely to See Radical Changes in Standing Of Contestants—Reward for Hard Work.

Although the reports received by the contest manager indicate that the ladies who are listed in the various districts as being candidates for the honor of winning the special prize and the free trips to Bermuda are busier than ever, it is very evident to the outsider that many are holding back their subscriptions in order to create surprises for the fellow candidates. If any one thinks that because of the ladies having been keeping to the top right along in this race, they are the ones who are going to win the special prizes it may be well to say at this time that there might be a surprise waiting for such a top-notch in the shape of a "dark horse" that you haven't figured on, and one that will later hand out a vote that may act as a little surprise party for some of the too-confident ones.

It has happened many times before in contests of this kind and it may happen in this one. The thing to do is to keep working, and then you can spring a surprise yourself when the proper time comes.

And remember, the number of votes resulting from the getting of only a few subscribers is going to make a difference in the way the big race will end—the race for popularity and the delightful tour. Therefore, it behooves every contestant so to act while the contest is on that when the voting is over she will not realize to her sorrow the truthfulness of that saying, "Of all the sad words of tongue or pen, the saddest are these, it might have been." It might have been that she had won the race, instead of her competitor winning it.

FEAR THAT COUPLE MAY BE DROWNED

Henry Bryant and Margaret Eohart Ventured Out in Kennebec River in Rough Weather—No Trace Found.

Kennebecport, Me., Sept. 19.—Fears were entertained tonight that Henry Bryant, aged 23 years, and Miss Margaret Eohart, of Bath, aged 18 years, were drowned when they ventured out in the rough seas off the mouth of the Kennebec river late today in an 18 foot power dory. No word from the couple had been heard up to a late hour tonight, and fishermen in a large and powerful boat and searchlight started to search for some trace of the boat. They found none. Their opinion was that no dory could live in such rough weather as prevailed outside.

WIND PREVENTS FLIGHT.

Brig, Switzerland, Sept. 19.—The wind blew strong throughout the day preventing any further attempt at making the flight over Simpon Pass.

TRURO SHOCKED BY MURDER OF WRIGHT WOMAN

Fearful Sight Met Eyes Of Those Who First Entered Death Chamber—Struggle Preceded The Tragedy.

MURDERER LED WANDERING LIFE

Special to The Standard. Truro, Sept. 19.—The residents of this town are shocked over yesterday's tragedy and the murder of Mrs. Wright, is the only topic tonight.

When the police visited the house they found Mrs. Wright lying crosswise on her bed in an upper room, nearly nude with a gaping wound in her throat and congealed blood covering much of the body. The wound in her throat was more towards the right than the left and was wide open, showing a separation of the wind-pipe. The place smelled strongly of liquor.

A razor with dried blood upon it was also on the bed. Also a clean razor and a razor handle without a blade. No blood was on the last article. The room was in disorder, a broken lamp, broken chamberware and glass and several pieces of furniture recently broken. All these were evidence of a struggle which had preceded the tragedy.

The domestic affairs of both Mrs. Wright and Perry have been the subject of gossip for years. The woman was, when she married William Wright, a blacksmith now in the west, a Miss Maud McCollum, and belonged to North River, Colechester. Her children are the result of that marriage. Perry, whose antecedents do not seem to be certain, has been living in a peripatetic way, some time seeking alms and at other times travelling with various saleable articles through out the province. He is said to be from Massachusetts, and about a year ago a woman, claiming to be his wife, was here searching for him. She said she had several children. Mrs. Wright and Perry were living together in a house said to be owned by him.

MISS CAMPBELL LEADS GOLFERS IN 1ST ROUND

Scotch Lady Outclasses Opponents In First Day Of Toronto Meet—Miss Thomson Seventh Out Of 64.

Special to The Standard. Toronto, Sept. 19.—Sixty-four competitors entered in the qualifying round in the ladies' handicap tournament which opened this afternoon at the Toronto golf grounds.

The highest scores made were the following: Miss Dorothy Campbell—85. Miss Anderson—89. Miss Evelyn Cox—95. Miss Muriel Dick—95. Miss Nesbitt—96. Miss Florence Harvey—96. Miss Mabel Thomson—103. Miss McInnes—104. Mrs. Stikeman—106. Mrs. H. Morrison—110. Mrs. Charlotte Chaplin—114. Miss Sellowes—116.

NEW ENGLAND SENDS ATHLETES TO MONTREAL

Seven Good Men Picked to Contest in Canadian Championships—Nine Men from Boston A. A.

Boston, Sept. 19.—A representative team of New England athletes will be sent to compete in the Canadian championships at Montreal as a result of a vote taken at a meeting tonight of the N. E. Amateur A. A. The team will be made up of Oscar Hedlund, the miler; Frank P. Sheehan, half miler; W. H. McVicar and Joseph Silva, distance runners; Charles Brickley, broad jumper; B. F. Bowser, sprinter, and T. H. Guthing, quarter miler.

It was also announced tonight that the Boston athletic association will send a team of nine men. The N. E. association was found to be in a prosperous condition, with an active membership of 3,110 and a balance of \$3,318.08 in the treasury. Delegates from 27 clubs were present. The old officers were re-elected.

MAN KILLED BY BURSTING OF PIPE

Boston, Sept. 19.—A joint in the main steam pipe of the tugboat Vigilant burst when the boat was off the Graves early today, causing injuries to Ralph Spinney, one of the crew, from which he died late today at the Long Island Hospital. Spinney was 30 years of age, and belonged in Boothbay Harbor, Me.

WIDOW MAY BE ARRESTED FOR MURDER

Wealthy Woman Is Under Guard Of Deputy Sheriffs On Suspicion Of Causing Death Of Wm. Heath.

FIRST HEARING IN CASE TODAY

Lunenburg, Vt., Sept. 19.—The state authorities today continued their search for additional evidence in the case against Mrs. J. Marshall Dodge, a wealthy widow, who will be given a hearing tomorrow, on the charge of being in some way concerned in the death of Wm. Heath, a Dalton, N. H., painter. There was no hearing today.

In the meantime, the state attorney continued his investigations, and although very reticent, as to his discoveries, it was learned that the autopsy of yesterday which showed that Heath was shot in the back, and could not have committed suicide, was confirmed by the medical referee today.

The authorities also found Mrs. Dodge's revolver near the body, with three exploded cartridges, and the weapon will be used at the hearing tomorrow.

Mrs. Dodge is well known throughout Caledonia county. She is wealthy and of considerable social prominence. Harlan B. Howe, of St. Johnsbury, will represent her. She has not been placed in jail as yet, but allowed to stay in her own home under the guard of a couple of deputy sheriffs.

CHARGE THEFT OF \$314,207

James T. Lennox of Lynn, Arrested for Stealing This Amount as Outcome of Bankruptcy of His Firm.

Lynn, Mass., Sept. 19.—James T. Lennox, junior member of the bankrupt leather firm of Patrick Lennox and Co., was placed under arrest here tonight by Deputy Sheriff F. E. Willis, on an indictment returned today at Lawrence by the Essex county grand jury charging him with the larceny of \$314,204 on 25 counts from John W. Farrell, Charles Well and Sumner Well, and other Boston brokers.

Mr. Lennox was taken to the office of the clerk of court and there by agreement of the district attorney was held in bonds of \$50,000. These were furnished by Mrs. Lennox and Fred E. Baker, a local business man. The indictment returned against Mr. Lennox is an outgrowth of the bankruptcy of the Lennox firm which went to the wall during the panic of 1907. It is alleged in the indictment returned at Lawrence today that Mr. Lennox has hidden assets of the company amounting to \$314,204 the amount with which he is charged with larceny.

ARCHBISHOP OF YORK IS DEAD

London, Sept. 19.—Dr. MacLagan, Archbishop of York, is dead.

Rev. William Dalrymple MacLagan, P. C., D. D., D. C. W., was born in Edinburgh, in 1826. He was a son of David MacLagan, M. D., physician to the forces during the Peninsula war. He was educated at Edinburgh, Peterhouse, Cambridge, (graduated in mathematical honors, 1856). Served in the Indian army 1847-52, retired as a lieutenant, was ordained a deacon in 1855, priest in 1857, rector of Newington, 1869; vicar of Kensington 1875; Bishop of Lichfield, 1878. He published several learned works and was joint editor of The Church and the Age.

DEATH OF VETERAN IN MISSIONARY WORK

New York, Sept. 19.—Mrs. Charlotte M. West, a veteran missionary under the American Board in Asia Minor, died Saturday night at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Henry B. Loveland, near West Falls, N. Y. Mrs. West went with her husband, Dr. Henry S. West, to Sivas, Turkey, in 1858. Dr. West later received an offer of the post of physician to the Sultan, but declined it. He died from typhus fever in 1876, while fighting an epidemic of that disease.

TAFT CONFERS WITH ROOSEVELT

3 BALLOONS QUALIFY FOR ST. LOUIS RACE

Nine Started From Indianapolis Speedway On Saturday—Clifford S. Harmon Pilot Of One Winner.

Indianapolis, Ind., Sept. 19.—If they have not met with disaster or landed safely at some isolated spot from which they have not been able to report, these three balloons and their crews have qualified tonight, as the American contestants in the international balloon race, which will start at St. Louis, Oct. 17.

New York—Clifford B. Harmon, N. Y. pilot; Thomas Baldwin, aid. Not sighted. Buckeye—J. H. Wade, Cleveland, pilot; A. H. Morgan, Canton, O., aid. Sighted at Charleston, W. Va., 7 p. m., Sunday. Miss Sophia—W. T. Asman, St. Louis, pilot; P. J. McCullough, St. Louis, aid. Sighted at Pomeroy, O., 8.45 p. m., Sunday.

Nine balloons started in the American elimination race, at the Indianapolis speedway Saturday afternoon. Four started in a free-for-all contest, and all of them are down. The sixth of the starters in the elimination race to alight was the America II, which landed at Warrenton, Va., at 2.20 o'clock this afternoon. Allen R. Hawley, New York, was the pilot and Augustus Post, New York, the aid.

Warrenton, Va., Sept. 19.—The balloons America II, with Allen P. Hawley as pilot, and Augustus Post as aide, landed today at 2:20 o'clock three miles southwest of this place. The balloon left Indianapolis Saturday in the elimination race for the international contest. Mr. Hawley reports that the big bag met with a little rain, and practically no storms, maintaining an altitude of between 18,000 and 20,000 feet in its trip across Ohio and West Virginia, into this state.

The balloon was in the air 44 1/2 hours, and the two aeronauts were practically exhausted. They left this evening with the balloon for New York. The America II was the winner of last year's international contest at Zurich, Switzerland. Hawley and Post came near to equalling the American endurance record, which is 48 hours and 26 minutes.

Seen in Virginia. Roanoke, Va., Sept. 19.—A special from Pulaski, Va., says at 5:30 this morning a large whittopped balloon was seen due west of this town and that it passed south over the mountains.

SUES C. P. R. FOR \$100,000

Geo. Van Dyke Of Manchester, N. H., Has Brought Action To Recover For Damages By Fire Set By Trains.

Portland, Me., Sept. 19.—An important case to be tried at the fall term of the United States court, which opens tomorrow, is that of Geo. Van Dyke, of Manchester, N. H., against the Canadian Pacific Railway for damages by fire to timberlands in Maine and New Hampshire, alleged to have been set by locomotives of the defendant company. The suit is for \$100,000, and the fire occurred in September, 1908.

HEAVY GALE RAGES ON MAINE COAST

Several Schooners Damaged In Fierce Storm Yesterday—Yacht Pinafore Ashore—Take Refuge At Portland.

Portland, Me., Sept. 19.—This morning's gale was the worst along this part of the Maine coast since last winter. The schooner Eva May, had both jibsails torn to ribbons off this port, and came in to be refitted with new sails. The schooner yacht Pinafore owned by Gen. Joshua L. Chamberlain, dragged her anchor and went

onto the rocks at South Portland but was only slightly damaged. The fishing sloop Varuna had her bowsprit caught in the wharf where she was tied up and snapped off. The harbor is filled with small vessels seeking shelter.

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Relations Not Quite So Cordial and Feeling Between Two Can Never be Same Again.

Roosevelt Determined Not to Accept Nomination for Governor of New York.

Albany, N. Y., Sept. 19.—Mr. Taft is entirely satisfied with the position he has taken. He is not out hunting for delegates or endorsements for renomination. Even the thought that Col. Roosevelt may be in the fight against him does not appear to disturb the president in the least degree. He feels every man is at liberty to do as he pleases. Col. Roosevelt among the rest. There is no doubt, however, that the shadow of 1912 hung over today's gathering. There was not the cordiality of old between the president and the colonel.

It was the first time they had met since the story was given out at Oyster Bay, that Col. Roosevelt felt Mr. Taft had not dealt fairly with him in New York, and had "sold out to the bosses," there in return for a pledge of delegates in 1912. The president felt the injustice of that story keenly, it is said and as a result of it, their relations can never be the same again.

Roosevelt Pleased. Oyster Bay, N. Y., Sept. 19.—Well pleased with the result of his conference with President Taft, Col. Roosevelt returned to Oyster Bay at 11 o'clock tonight and drove at once to Sagamore Hill. "I had a very pleasant interview with the president," said the colonel, "and an entirely satisfactory talk on the New York situation." He admitted that the national situation was also discussed but he declined to repeat any of the conversation. It was learned, however, that they did not take up the question of a candidate for governor of New York.

When the Col. was asked whether today's conference would have bearing on his course in the New York state fight, he replied that his position would be precisely what it has been. "There will be no compromise in any way," he said. "This is a straight fight for decency in politics, as against bossism." Questions followed as to just what was meant by his statement of Saturday that C. D. Collins, Superintendent of State Prisons, whom he met at Syracuse would be his right hand man, at the Saratoga convention.

He chose Mr. Collins, he said, because he wanted a man from the central part of the state, who knows the situation there and will be able to estimate accurately the strength of the opposition. Mr. Collins lives in Troy. The colonel added that he had noticed in estimates given out by Wm. Barnes, Jr. of Albany, that Mr. Barnes had placed some of his own counties in the Roosevelt column. He was too old a campaigner, he intimated, to be thrown off his guard by anything that Mr. Barnes said.

Not For Governor. More emphatically than ever, the colonel reiterated his determination not to accept the nomination for governor of New York.

"At Philadelphia, in 1900, at the Republican National convention," he was reminded, "you said that under no circumstances would you accept the nomination for the vice-presidency. Yet the convention nominated you and you accepted."

The reminder did not shake him. He repeated that no one could force the nomination for governor upon him, and added, that should the convention be stampeded for him, despite his outspoken opposition, he would decline to accept the nomination.

In speaking of the arrangements which led up to his conference with President Taft, Col. Roosevelt said that it was planned originally that they should meet in New York. President Taft found, however, that it would be inconvenient for him to go to New York, and sent a request to Col. Roosevelt through Mr. Griscom, president of the New York county Republican committee, to meet him in New Haven instead.

Earle Dodge, who formerly was Mr. Griscom's secretary of embassy at Rome, came to Oyster Bay from New York on his motor boat, Tarpon, this morning, picking up the colonel and starting across the sound. Arriving this evening at the Grand Central station in New York, Col. Roosevelt had barely time to drive to the Penna terminal for an Oyster Bay train. The newspaper men ran after him, however, and got a few words.

In reply to their questions, he answered: "Well, I haven't much to say, except that we had a very pleasant luncheon and talk and that I am very much pleased with my visit. I can't go into details just now."

FARMER A SUICIDE

Waldoboro, Maine, Sept. 19.—Alfred Koler, a farmer living near this village, committed suicide by shooting this morning. He was sixty years old and unmarried. Ill health was the cause.

BUDGET FROM BOSTON GIRL

Airships And Suffragists Keep Bostonians Looking Upward And Not Down—Prof. Jones Can "Come Back."

Boston, Mass., Sept. 19.—Every body knew that Prof. William James would soon be holding converse from across the great divide, and sure enough, at each seance in spiritualistic Boston he has had something to say. The late philosopher thus reveal himself after death. He was not a man to appreciate keenly the skit of one of his colleagues which last term greatly amused some of the Harvard boys: Eanie, meanie, minnie mo.

Catch Palladino by the toe. If she hollers this will show James' notions are not so.

Raise rubber on your farm may be sensible advice to New England farmers before many years have passed. Boston's admirable Arnold Arboretum the world's most extensive museum of living trees, is just now experimenting with a rubber tree believed to be capable of living in this neighborhood. It comes from central China where it grows on mountain sides in a climate not so unlike that of this part of the world. It has already been reared experimentally in Paris at the Jardin Colonial. The collectors for the elements, who have been at work in China for the past three or four years, sent over a few of these trees a short time ago. They have been planted out of doors on the southern slope of Bussey hill and there in this bracing autumn weather they may be seen any day with their glossy green foliage. If they successfully weather the Boston winter it will appear to be pretty probable that the farmer will make no mistake who secures a few cuttings and begins at once to grow a rubber orchard for the benefit of his children and his old age.

The Boston 1915 exhibition, minus, one may hope, some of those dreadfully inartistic signs, is likely very soon to be transferred almost bodily to the great town planning exhibition exposition which is being arranged for London. Like so many other Boston movements, this one started things even bigger than itself. Out of it grew directly the city planning exposition at Berlin last winter, and now the affair which will bring together before the eyes of the public of the world's largest city the results of what is being done in various countries to make city life better worth living.

Airships and suffragists conjointly kept staid Bostonians on the lookout and look up during aviation week. Both aeroplanes and orators suffered somewhat from the elements, but not at all from want of public appreciation. On Tuesday night when the suffrage band, returning from their state wide campaign, were about to open their big meeting at Common, the heavens also opened in advance and so copiously that only a man in a mackintosh and a dog stood under the historic elms to greet them. The weather man—if it had been a weather woman, perhaps, things would have gone perfectly—vouchsafed somewhat better conditions for the meetings in Charlestown, East Boston, South Boston and Roxbury.

Finally after a threatening day, came the windup in the glorious evening on the common when the young English women who were in the Massachusetts campaign during the past month and the other eloquent speakers had their opportunity before a vast polyglot crowd. They made their points tellingly and with apparent impression on the men as well as the women of the audience. One well dressed young fellow became so interested that he forgot he was not at a political caucus. "Good boy—rou're telling the truth," he shouted as Miss Bondfield rounded up one of her impassioned arguments. Then as he noted that that didn't sound just right he ejaculated, "Good girl," and then looked sheepish. Many of the faces seemed to express approval when Miss Bondfield declared that women will have to do their share of the hard work of politics: "If women imagine," she said, "that they are going to get any of the glory or any of the responsible positions in political life without also its hardships, they are mistaken. We are not asking that women be given a new oy. We expect the burdens as well as the privileges."

TO ENTER U. S. INSURANCE FIELD

New York, Sept. 19.—The Journal of Commerce & Commercial Bulletin says: The London & Lancashire Fire Insurance Company of Liverpool is about ready to enter the casualty insurance field of this country through the medium of the London & Lancashire Guarantee & Accident Company of Canada, which is a subsidiary institution of the London & Lancashire Fire. The entry of the London & Lancashire Guarantee & Accident of Canada will be consummated as soon as the necessary formalities are completed. This company has its head office in Toronto and began business in July, 1908, with an authorized capital of \$500,000. It is owned and controlled by the London & Lancashire Fire and is managed by Canadian managers of that company. It is stated that at the outset the company will confine its operations to personal accident and plate glass risks.

STRICKEN WITH PARALYSIS.

George B. Fullerton, of Market lace, West Side, was seized with a paralytic stroke while working on a saw at the foot of Portland street, about 1.30 o'clock yesterday afternoon and was conveyed to his home in the ambulance.

WAGNER BEST OF BATTING DUEL

Average of Clever Dutchman for Fourteen Years Higher Than That of Lajoie—Sketch of His Career.

Four pages of individual merit have been placed on the pages of baseball history by players of the present day that bid fair to remain for all time and never suffer effacement by the superior work of other players. The fourth of these records was turned recently when "Cy" Young, the veteran Cleveland pitcher rounded out his five hundredth victory, a mark he has since increased to 504. The ten-year record of Christie Mathewson, the famous New York pitcher, all in the service of that club, and the phenomenal batting averages of Hans Wagner, the Pittsburg shortstop, and Napoleon Lajoie, the Cleveland second baseman, during their major league careers, furnish the other three events of renown.

It is so difficult these days to hang up big batting figures and the life of the player is so short that their work is not likely to be ever disturbed. Lajoie has been in the big league a year longer than his Pittsburg rival but on their entire careers Wagner is the better average batter. In thirteen years of playing from 1897 and up to and including 1909, Wagner never fell below that aim of all batters, the 300 percentage mark. In fact, except for a year, when he fell to 303, in his second year in the league, this phenomenal slugger has never finished below 320. His batting percentage for thirteen years is the wonderful figure of 347.3-13.

Burdened With Managership. Lajoie came into the National League a year earlier than Wagner, and though he has fallen below 300 this in recent years, he batted hard enough in other years to bring his figures up to 344.11-44. His drop out of the charmed 300 circle came in 1907 and 1908, the two years in which he was burdened with the managerial cares of a losing team. Strangely enough, both of the great batters have played in but two cities during their big league careers. Lajoie started with the Philadelphia club in 1896 and stayed there until he joined the Athletics of the American league, also a Philadelphia club, during the war from Philadelphia he was forced to Cleveland by the injunction suits instituted by the Phillies. Thus Lajoie has played in only Philadelphia and Cleveland.

Wagner began his career with Louisville in 1897, and when the Louisville club was consolidated with Pittsburg, a couple of years later, he went with Barney Dreyfuss to the latter city, where he still remains. The batting averages of these great players during their careers in the big ring are as follows:

Table with 3 columns: Name, Year, Average. Rows include Lajoie (1896-1909) and Wagner (1897-1909).

COTTON CROP RECORD IN EGYPT

Washington, Sept. 19.—Egypt's cotton crop this year, it is estimated, will exceed 700,000,000 pounds, and Consul Birch, at Alexandria, reports that probably it will be the largest crop ever yielded by Egyptian fields. He declares that weather conditions both in upper and lower Egypt have been favorable for crops.

SALISBURY.

Jack Patterson Had Narrow Escape From Drowning in Western Ontario—Death of Mrs. Addy.

Salisbury, Sept. 19.—The recent death of Mrs. Addy, who for five months had been a victim of paralysis is being keenly felt by surviving relatives and friends.

The L. C. R. authorities are attempting to provide for a water supply at the depot here. This time the power of a gasoline engine is being utilized in the attempt. Mrs. P. J. Gray, who was some time since subjected to a surgical operation, is not yet able to be up. Improvement in her case has not recently been satisfactory.

The members of the Sackville Methodist district met here on Thursday day last and completed the business of the meeting before noon on Friday. A largely attended religious service was held on Thursday evening at which Rev. J. L. Barry, of Moncton, preached and the sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered. Mr. Barry's discourse on "The Problem of Healing the Lame Man," was listened to with the closest attention and produced a deep impression.

Jack, eldest son of J. A. Patterson, Esq., dept. Crown land surveyor, who is a member of a company of engineers engaged in northern Ontario by the C. P. R., had a narrow escape from drowning not long since. The camp was moving and its members had to portage the utensils and supplies. Jack was fording a stream with the cooking stove on his back when the accident occurred. He was relieved and rescued only in time to save his life. Fortunately no injury was sustained. A very successful united service was held last evening in the Methodist church in the interests of the Bible Society. The pastor of the church, who is president of the local branch, conducted the exercises. An effective sermon was preached by Rev. Dr.

ST. JOHN STANDARD AND NEW STAR

YOUNG LADIES' BERMUDA & NEW YORK CITY TOUR GOOD FOR ONE VOTE

LATE DR. HALE'S SISTER PASSED AWAY

Miss Susan Hale, Artist, Dead in Her Seventy-Sixth Year—Was the Author of Several Books.

Boston, Sept. 19.—Miss Susan Hale the artist, and sister of the late Rev. Edward Everett Hale, D.D., died Friday at the old family summer home at Mattuck, R. I., in her seventy-seventh year.

Miss Hale was born in Boston, Dec. 5, 1833, and was the daughter of Nathan and Sarah Preston (Everett) Hale. Upon finishing her education in the public schools she took up teaching, later devoting herself to the study of art, finding her inspiration for her work directly in nature. Most of her attention was given to water-color work, and early in the seventies she went abroad to study that branch of art spending two years in close observation in London, Paris and Germany. Returning she passed most of her professional life in Boston, making her home with her brother at his place in Highland street, Roxbury. Many of her works are in the possession of prominent art collectors in Boston. She exhibited considerably in the public galleries, both here and in New York.

Miss Hale also found time for writing more or less. "Life and Letters of Thomas Gold Appleton" was from her pen, and she also wrote the "Family Flight" series of travels for young people in conjunction with her brother, the late Dr. Hale. Her only survivors are her late brother's children, Miss Ellen D. Hale, Arthur Hale, Edward Everett Hale, Philip L. Hale and the children of a deceased brother, Herbert D. Hale.

CANADA GETS BEST SHOT IN BRITISH NAVY

Niobe Will Leave England Next Month Manned By Officers And Crew Largely Drawn From Royal Navy.

Says an English paper:—The cruiser Niobe, which has been purchased by the Canadian Government for use as a training ship, will leave Devonport early in October. The vessel is being fitted out under the supervision of Rear Admiral Kingsmill, who is a Canadian by birth and is now organizing the Canadian Navy.

She has been commissioned with first entry candidates and volunteers from the Royal Navy who desire to transfer to the Canadian Navy, and with few exceptions, all her officers have served in the Royal Navy. As was the case with the Rainbow which was also purchased by the Canadian government and recently sailed for British Columbia, the time-honored "grog" tub will have no place on board. The same paper says: "Petty Officer Morton, said to be the best shot in the British Navy, is joining the Canadian Navy."

DETROIT RIVER TUNNEL IS OVER

Detroit, Mich., Sept. 19.—The establishment today of regular freight service through the double barreled Michigan Central Railroad tunnel under the Detroit River between Detroit and Windsor, Ont., marked the beginning of the end of the road's car ferry, one of the picturesque Detroit marine features. Yesterday several preliminary round trips were made through the tunnel by heavily loaded freight trains drawn by electric locomotives. Passenger service under the river will be inaugurated as soon as the engineers became conversant with the handling of the motors on the tunnel grades. The \$15,000,000 tunnel work will be augmented by the complete electrification of the Detroit terminals.

Probate Court.

The regular weekly sittings of the probate court were held in the chambers, Pugsley Building, at eleven o'clock yesterday morning. Judge Armstrong presiding. In the matter of the estate of John Beamish, butcher, deceased, Catherine Ross was sworn in administratrix on the return of the citation. Mr. John B. M. Baxter, K. C., proctor. The passing of accounts in the matter of the estate of John Riley, deceased, was concluded and adjournment was made until next Monday when distribution will be made. Mr. J. A. Barry appeared for Mary Stack, an heir, and Mr. Homer D. Forbes for Thomas Riley and Joseph Riley, heirs. Mr. Edmund S. Ritchie for Della Strous, an heir, and Thomas X. Gibbon, trustee.

Heine, of St. John. The choir of the Methodist and Baptist churches united for this service and rendered appropriate music.

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To the contestant, regardless of district limitations, who gets the greatest vote between September 14th and September 24th, at ten p. m. will be given the \$75.00 Diamond Ring. To the contestant getting the second greatest vote, under the terms outlined above, will be given the \$40.00 Solid Gold Watch. To the contestant getting the third greatest vote, under the terms outlined above, will be given the \$20.00 Solid Gold Brooch. To the contestant getting the fourth greatest vote, under the terms outlined above will be given the \$10.00 Silver Mesh Bag. Votes received for contestants prior to 5 p. m., September 14th will not count on the special prizes, but all votes received during the special prize period, will count for the trip prizes at the end of the contest. Any woman eligible may enter the contest and compete for one of the special prizes even though she does not care to try for the trips to New York City and Bermuda. Everyone starts even at five p. m., Wednesday, Sept. 14th.

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GRAND TRUNK WILL BUILD NEW HOTEL Vancouver, Sept. 19.—The Grand Trunk Pacific Railway has closed the deal for the purchase of a site for its hotel, the price paid being about \$300,000, and will shortly begin the construction of a fireproof building to cost in the neighborhood of \$750,000. The hotel is to be finished in about two years.

San Francisco, Sept. 19.—The Asiatic Exclusion League in a report embodying all communications with the State Department in Washington, yesterday criticized the local immigration bureau and insisted that steps be taken to check the influx of Orientals. The secretary will endeavor to ascertain the views of all political candidates upon exclusion.

Thousands of Votes For Candidates

Many Surprises Will be Sprung During This Week --Many Changes in Position Imminent-- Be Sure Your Name is Not One to be Left Behind

Continued from page 1. Now is the time to again see those friends who, early in the contest, came forward so quickly and aided you with the votes resulting from the six months' subscriptions; get them to complete the payment necessary to carry their subscriptions for a whole year, or, better yet, two years, and thereby secure credit for the remainder of votes that will complete the total given for the longer period.

A FEW DONTs. Don't talk; hustle. Don't tell everybody how many votes you have in reserve. Don't believe every fairy tale that you may hear. There are many such in motion. Don't neglect to keep busy. Don't imagine that each subscription that someone else gets will cause you to lose. Don't procrastinate, but work. Don't miss one person, as if he "does not" he "will" take The Standard or New Star. Don't get careless, but put in your votes as you get them—and there are many homes in New Brunswick that neither you nor any other candidate has visited. Get after each one. In short, WORK Keep your own counsel. Tell no one where you stand. "Say nothing, but saw wood." Don't miss the pleasure of being counted in on the finish.

CANDIDATES VOTE STANDING District No. 1. Miss A. Beatrice Andrews, 46 Victoria street ... 22,228 Miss Iola M. Branscombe, 65 Portland street ... 4,608 Miss Louise Brown, 6 Cranston street ... 568 Miss Maud Cowan, 111 Main street ... 19,104 Mrs. Murray Holly, 18 Cedar street ... 3,452 Miss Ida Kaplan, 53 Douglas Avenue ... 312 Mrs. H. A. Knox, Millidgeville ... 7,548 Miss Nan McInerney, 489 Main street ... 2,640 Miss Frances Oatsy, 108 Somerset street ... 3,682

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EVIDENCE IN CRIPPEN TRIAL



JOHN E. NASH AND PAUL MARTINETTI, WITNESSES AGAINST DR. CRIPPEN, WITH POLICE CHIEF INSPECTOR ON THE LEFT.

London, Sept. 19.—Something of what Ethel Clare LeNeve suffered as half mad with jealousy, she impatiently awaited the fulfillment of Dr. Hawley H. Crippen's promise to make her his wife, was revealed at today's session of the inquest into the death of Belle Elmore with the murder of whom the doctor and his typist are jointly charged.

In her distress, Miss LeNeve confided in her landlady, Mrs. Jackson, and the story that the latter told on the witness stand rivalled the most sensational evidence introduced at the murder trial.

Mrs. Jackson said that the accused girl gave up the room which she had occupied at the home of the witness on March 12, explaining that she was leaving to be married to Dr. Crippen. Until the first week in February, Miss LeNeve had slept regularly at Mrs. Jackson's. After that she stopped at the house only occasionally. She said that she spent the other nights at the homes of friends. On one occasion, Miss LeNeve mentioned having been at the Hill Drop Crescent home of the Crippens early in February, to help the doctor in a search for a bank book which showed an account of \$1,000. She added that a diamond tiara and rings had been found in the house and that the doctor had raised \$50 on these.

About the middle of February, the witness said, Miss LeNeve appeared miserable and depressed. Such was her state that Mrs. Jackson followed the girl to her room to learn if possible the cause of her trouble. Miss LeNeve, the witness said, was in a terrific state of agitation. Her eyes seemed fairly starting out of her head. The landlady insisted on an explanation telling the girl that she must have something awful on her mind to be in such a condition. The witness testified that the other replied: "Would you be surprised if I told you that it was the doctor and Miss Elmore? He was the cause of my trouble when you first knew me. She is his wife and when I see them go away together it makes me realize my position; as to what she is and what I am."

Mrs. Jackson asked: "What is the use of you worrying about another woman's husband?" To this Miss LeNeve answered: "Miss Elmore has been threatening to go away with another man. Dr. Crippen has been waiting for her to do so when he would divorce her."

Solicitor Newton, who is looking out for the interests of Dr. Crippen and Miss LeNeve, closely cross-examined the witness suggested that her lodger's excitement was due to the landlady having resurrected a "trouble" which the girl experienced during her earlier association with Dr. Crippen but the witness maintained the correctness of her evidence as given.

Austrian Women Evening Gowns

Through a decree of the Minister of Public Works opening the state trade and technical schools to both sexes alike, Austrian women will enjoy a greatly enlarged choice of occupations. Among the chief new trades and industries which they can now enter upon are artistic leather work and bookbinding, photography, watchmaking, engraving, ornamental woodworking, as well as some branches of the electrical and chemical trades. Hitherto women have been rigidly excluded from these trade schools and those who desired to obtain such training were compelled either to go abroad or else attend expensive private institutions at home. But while the women are rejoicing at the new opportunities of work afforded them, their male relatives do not share their enthusiasm, pointing out that even under the old conditions of every 1000 wage-earners in Austria 430 were women.—Pall Mall Gazette.



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TWO GATHERINGS IN KINGS COUNTY Agricultural Society Will Hold Fair at Hampton Oct. 11th and 12th—S. S. Convention at Havelock Next Week.

Hampton, Sept. 19.—The Hampton and Central North Agricultural Society will hold a fair and exhibition in agricultural hall, and adjacent grounds on Tuesday and Wednesday, Oct. 11th and 12th for which they have sent out the prize catalogues. The exhibits cover ten classes, including cattle, horses, sheep, swine, poultry, horticulture, agricultural products, woolen goods, fancy work and miscellaneous.

The annual convention of the Kings Co. Sunday school association will be held this year with the Baptist church, at Havelock, on Tuesday and Wednesday, of next week, Sept. 27th and 28th. There will be four sessions, the first on Tuesday evening at 7.30, when besides a devotional service led by the Rev. J. B. Gannong, the various committees will be appointed and an address delivered by the field secretary. On Wednesday morning devotions will be led by John Branscombe and reports from parish secretaries and superintendents of departments will be read and discussed. The afternoon session will be opened by the Rev. J. M. Dawson and the report of the county secretary and treasurer will be presented. An address on the organized class will also be delivered by Gordon Mills and a model Sunday school arranged by the Rev. J. B. Gannong. The closing session on Wednesday evening will be led by the Rev. H. H. Saunders, the reports of nominating committees will be presented for action and addresses delivered by the Rev. Geo. Farquhar, and Rev. J. L. Dawson, the former on "The Soul of the Sabbath School, and the latter on "The Scholar as an Individual. Appropriate music will be furnished at each session.

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AN IMPARTIAL OPINION.

There has been much difference of opinion in the Canadian press on Sir Wilfrid Laurier's tour of the West. His own organs profess to regard the event as a triumphal success, the like of which Canada had never witnessed. The opposition press dissent from this view, and even dare to suggest the ominous word "frost" as a more accurate description. Under these circumstances the views of an impartial observer have additional interest.

The Outlook, which numbers ex-President Roosevelt among its editorial contributors, and is a journal of the highest standing in the United States, has the following comment on Sir Wilfrid's experiences:—"Hitherto, when a Dominion Premier or political leader of first rank went on a speech-making tour, he delivered his addresses, and resolutions of confidence and congratulations on the English model were all that followed. There were new and wide departures from this mode of procedure when Sir Wilfrid Laurier was in the West. It was in no sense a triumphal progress with eulogy all along the line, that the Premier made from Ottawa to Vancouver.

"Crowds there were at every place where the Premier's special train was brought to a halt. But there was very little of the enthusiasm that greeted Sir Wilfrid Laurier when between 1887 and 1896 he went into the constituencies, urban and rural, east and west of Ottawa, as the trusted and esteemed leader of the Liberal Opposition in the House of Commons, and as the most vigorous and fervid opponent of the National Policy of the Conservatives. Complaint and criticism and expressions of disappointment, for the most part bluntly stated, were awaiting the Premier from his own party all the way from Winnipeg to Calgary.

"No Premier in any British country ever had to listen to more outspoken criticism outside the walls of the House of Commons than was addressed to Sir Wilfrid Laurier by the numerous spokesmen of farmers and grain-growers' associations as he travelled through Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta. This strong and unexpected criticism of the Premier arose out of the feeling that the Liberal party since 1896 has been false to its pledges with regard to the tariff, and false to the Liberal programme of 1893, on which the Liberals now in control of the government at Ottawa, climbed into power."

"THE ETERNAL WOMANLY."

Mrs. St. Clair Stobart contributes an article to the Fortnightly Review entitled "The Eternal Womanly" which is calculated to make mere man sit up and take notice. Not only do we learn that man is an inferior creature, but there was a time it seems when the ladies, so to speak, were monarchs of all they surveyed. Man hadn't begun to exist. He was merely added as an after thought of nature.

Mrs. St. Clair Stobart tells of her discovery as follows:—

"God had made us womanly for His purpose; man had made us feminine for his. The inferiority of Woman is in respect of her Man-made femininity, not of her God-made Womanhood. Woman is equal to the Man as touching her Womanhood—only inferior to the Man as touching her femininity. Male and female created He them—not masculine and feminine. In Nature there is neither masculinity nor femininity. Woman has been judged by that which is only a fringe tacked on to the real garment of Womanhood—by her femininity. This has become dragged out of place, of service mainly for the attraction of dust and dirt. But it is detachable, and Womanhood is still unscathed. It was not of femininity that Goethe dreamed when he wrote "das Ewig-Weibliche treibt die uns hinan!" Not the eternal Feminine! Gott bewahr! But the eternal Womanly! This mistranslation has been almost as misleading to a true understanding of Woman's destiny as has been the rib-theory of her creation in Genesis.

"The womanly characters are those which are essential for the preservation of the species; they are concerned only with the primary functions of sex itself; they have been evolved; they are of germ-cell origin, and are inheritable in that sex only to which by Nature they belong; they are half-marked by God for creative purposes; they are, in a word, the primary qualities of sex. The instincts of Mother-love, of self-sacrifice, of usefulness—these are in Woman essential for the fulfillment of the idea of the species, without them the race would die—these are inheritable, ingrained elements of Womanhood. The feminine qualities have not, on the other hand, been evolved by God, they have been inculcated by Man for purposes of an artificial social life."

Before making this discovery Mrs. Stobart had been studying Lester and Geddes and others as to the evolution of sex. From them she had learned with emotion that the female is, indeed, "not only the primary and original sex, but continues throughout as the main trunk, while to it a male element is afterwards added as a mere afterthought of Nature—a variation of the original female sex. Pursuing her studies still further she found that by feeding frogs well, nearly all their tadpoles were female, and in moths also if you want males you starve the caterpillar."

"If higher and lower degrees of nutrition are symptomatic respectively of higher and lower grades of evolution, then the sex which is the result of the better nutrition which produces the higher grade must itself be long to the higher grade. If it be true that superior

conditions produce—other things being equal—superior results, surely it must be true that the result of superior conditions, even though this result may be female, will be something which is superior to the result of inferior conditions—even though this result may be male."

A further study of the characteristics of sex in the lower creation led her to this discovery:—"For I found that throughout nearly or quite the whole of the invertebrates, and to a considerable extent among the vertebrates, the male has remained an inferior creature. It is difficult to identify any qualities which by their universality of application to one sex alone can be recognized as fundamentally characteristic of that sex. Even such habits as those of incubation and care of the young—usually regarded by Man as inherent functions of femaleness—are not by any means so regarded by Nature. It seems clear, therefore, that many so-called characteristics of sex are not truly characteristic of sex at all, but are the result mainly of predominating habits due to circumstance and environment."

As creatures were once only female, multiplying by division without variation, it was necessary for Nature to create a male to give the monotonous female a chance of improvement, so citizens being monotonously male may need the female voter to improve the race. Mrs. Stobart says:—"May not the failure of our social organization be equally due to the parthenogenic system of government—government, that is, by one sex only—which has hitherto prevailed? When Woman is no longer set aside as apocryphal, may it not be found that she is, equally with Man, a portion of the revealed Word of God, which is, to the loss of the world, now excluded from the sacred volume on the bookshelf of the State?"

THE GROWTH OF THE EMPIRE.

A blue book recently issued by the British government shows the growth of the Empire in population and trade, the returns being made up to the end of 1908. Exclusive of India and the Crown Colonies, the growth of population in twenty-seven years is shown in the appended table:—

	1881.	1908.
United Kingdom	34,884,848	45,008,421
Canada	3,745,574	6,945,000
Australia	2,250,198	4,275,306
New Zealand	489,933	972,982

In 1881 the Empire's total population was 303,694,000, and by 1901 it had increased to 385,357,000. The area of the Empire has increased to 11,334,000 square miles. The population of the British Isles is given at 34.2 per square mile, for British India, 213.3; for New Zealand, 7.8; for Canada, 1.4; and for Australia, 1.3. Of the total population of the Empire about three-quarters is credited to India, the population of which, including the native states, is nearly 300,000,000.

It is interesting to note that as a result of the death of King Leopold of Belgium, the Empire has grown greater by the addition of a tract of land measuring some one hundred and fifty by two hundred miles. It lies at the north-eastern end of the Congo, and is described as a very rich country, though little developed. Its chief town, Lado, was founded by General Gordon.

After the Khalifa had been disposed of a Belgian expedition advanced from the Congo and occupied the district, which King Leopold coveted both for its resources and as a future outlet on the Nile for Congo trade. After some trouble with both the British and French governments, he managed to retain it for the time being; but in 1906 it was arranged that six months after his death the district should become part of the British Sudan.

CURRENT COMMENT

(Halifax Herald.)

His Grace Archbishop McCarthy, who has returned from Montreal, whither he went to attend the Eucharistic Congress, stated yesterday in reply to a question as to the sermon preached by Father Bernard Vaughan in which the latter designated Protestantism as "soulless" and a religion without a sacrifice, that the preaching of the sermon was deeply regretted by the heads of the church. "More has," said His Grace, "been made of it than there was in it, but we all regretted it. It was entirely uncalled for, and was especially regrettable because of the great courtesy and kindness which we received from the Protestant community."

(Christian Herald.)

Superstition is a long word. You cannot cut it out with your knife, but if you have a keen edge on your brain you can divide it into two words. The first half is the Latin word "super," meaning over, and the second half is "stare," meaning stand. Superstition is something that has been left to stand over. If a box came to you and you did not know it was candy you might let it stand over until it spoiled. Superstition is a truth that people do not understand and let it stand over until it spoils. Spoiled-truth is superstition.

(Montreal Herald.)

Commander Roper no doubt meant well, but he made a serious blunder when he undertook to discuss in public the merits of the Canadian naval programme. It is little wonder that Mr. Monk protests against the interference of an official of the marine department in a matter that is still at issue between the political parties. There is only one safe course that may be pursued by departmental officers, and that is to stick to their departments.

(Hamilton Herald.)

Probably the grossest blunder yet committed by a branch of the Lord's Day Alliance is the action of the Montreal branch in protesting against the use of a theatre by the Anglican Brotherhood of St. Andrew for a Sunday afternoon meeting in connection with the convention now being held in Montreal. The force of stupidity could hardly go further than that.

(Moncton Times.)

The St. John Telegraph rises from the government will tub to remark that "for an able man it is astonishing how completely Mr. Borden fails to get the ear of the public." It is the ear of the grafter that Mr. Borden has failed to get. But when he does get it there will be some great squealing.

(Vancouver News-Advertiser.)

Lest Vancouver, Victoria and Prince Rupert should be too vain of the high praise Sir Wilfrid Laurier gave each in its turn, it is right to say that the premier, on his return to Ottawa, declared that "nowhere had he seen a city nature had dowered with beauty as generously as Ottawa."

(Brooklyn Eagle.)

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(Vancouver Province.)

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Weep not for golden ages on the wane;
Each night I burn the records of the day,
At sunrise every soul is born again.

Laugh like a boy at splendors that have sped,
To vanished joys be blind and deaf and dumb;
My judgments seal the dead past with its dead,
But never blind a moment yet to come.

Though deep in mire, wring not your hands and weep;
I lend my arm to all who say "I can";
No shame-faced outcast ever sank so deep
But yet might rise and be again a man.

Dost thou behold thy lost youth all agast?
Dost reel from righteous retribution's blow?
Then turn from blotted archives of the past,
And find the future's page as white as snow.

Art thou a mourner? Rouse thee from thy spell;
Art thou a sinner? Sins may be forgiven;
Each morning gives thee wings to flee from hell;
Each night a star to guide thy feet to Heaven.

The above was written by Judge Walter.

THEN IT HAPPENED



Horace Ham, the night operator at Poke Junction, could work the key tolerably well, when awake. "There'll be nothing along before No. 84, at 4:03 a. m.," yawned Horace. He set his train order signal from red to white, forgetting all about the order on his desk for 84 to meet a special at Cider Sliding. Then he turned in for a snooze. Horace didn't even hear No. 84 as she rumbled past, but the special heard her, all right; a few minutes later.

(The End.)

BUDGET OF NEWS FROM SACKVILLE

Dr. Andrews Banquetted in West—Interesting Engagement Announced—Barn Destroyed at Midgic.

Sackville, Sept. 17.—The sudden death of Mr. John A. Kirk, warden of the Maritime Penitentiary, Dorchester, occurred on Tuesday evening. The deceased had been visiting friends in Guysboro County, N. S., and while there was taken ill. The fatal termination of his illness came as a great shock to his friends. Earlier in his life Warden Kirk represented Guysboro County in the Commons, after which he was Immigration Agent at Halifax for a time. His work at Dorchester has been most successful and he was held in the

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highest esteem by all classes. Mr. Kirk was in his 75th year; his wife predeceased him by several years. Three daughters are left to mourn. Mrs. Day of Boston, who was with him at the time of his death; Mrs. Coburn, wife of Rev. Mr. Coburn of Little River, N. S.; Miss Geraldine at home, and three sons—two who reside in the West and Ernest at home.

Dr. W. W. Andrews, science professor at Mt. Allison, and Mrs. Andrews, who have been touring the West and attending the general conference, had a pleasant surprise while at Edmonton. They were banquetted at the King Edward Hotel by former Mt. Allison students. Among those present were Dr. J. H. Riddell, Judge Taylor, Rev. J. E. Hughson, E. S. McQuoid, and Principals Bailey and Clendinning of Edmonton schools.

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An engagement of interest lately announced is that of Rev. Howard W. Outerbridge, M.A., to Miss Edna Baker, on the vocal staff of the conservatory last year. The marriage will take place at the bride's home in Toronto early in October, after which the couple will sail for Japan to engage in mission work.

Make a Nickel Anyway.
In a drug store not a thousand miles from here the apprentice was filling his first prescription, and when he had handed it to the lady he told her it was a dollar and ten, and after she had gone he informed the proprietor that the dollar was counterfeit. The proprietor turned in his chair and said: "Well, how about the ten cents—is that good money?" The young man answered in the affirmative. "Oh, well the proprietor replied, 'hasn't not so bad—we still make a nickel.'"—Hepworth Progress.

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MEETING CALLED TO FORM T. AND L. COUNCIL Delegates from City Unions to Organize on Thursday -- Effort to Develop Labor Movement in St. John. HARRY L. SIMPSON FINE ENTERTAINER Former Pupil of M. H. Emery Delights Audience in Latter's Studio Last Evening--Parodies Particularly Good.

A meeting of representatives of the local labor unions will be held in the hall of the old Longshoremen's union on Water street on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock for the purpose of organizing a central Trades and Labor Council. The bricklayers and masons the printers, pressmen, stereotypers, carpenters and joiners, sheet metal workers, the longshoremen and other unions have appointed delegations to attend the meeting.

The officers of the bricklayers union feel that they have already advanced wages as far as they can hope to do for some time, and say that to further improve their position they must join their fellow workers in a concerted effort to utilize the powers of civic government to establish conditions calculated to reduce rents, prices and taxes, as the workers of Glasgow and other British cities have managed to do.

MR. SWEENEY AFTER A JOB Ex-Surveyor General Said To Be Pressing Claim To Position As Penitentiary Warden --Emmerson May Retire.

Moncton, Sept. 16.—The Hon. F. J. Sweeney, it is understood, is pressing his claim for appointment as warden of the Dorchester penitentiary in succession to the late Mr. Kirle. Mr. Sweeney was an applicant for the collectorship of customs at Moncton, vacated some time ago by the resignation of Mr. Blaney, but Mr. George H. Cochrane, who had been an active party worker, had also to be provided for. It was proposed to superannuate another official to provide for Mr. Cochrane, but there was some objection to this. Mr. Sweeney got the collectorship on the understanding that there would soon be a vacancy in the penitentiary wardenship, as Mr. Kirle was advancing in years. Apparently it was the intention to retire Mr. Kirle at a convenient time.

Word from Los Angeles, Cal., announces the marriage there of Eleanor or Monroe (Hitchcock) Cobb and George H. Rogers, said to be a wealthy ranch owner in Riverside, Cal. They knew each other half a century ago when both lived in Newton. Mr. Rogers was then a clerk in the post office and his bride then Miss Hitchcock, met him when she called regularly for her mail. While Mr. Rogers was in service in the Civil War, Miss Hitchcock was married and later became a widow. Mr. Rogers moved to the West and also married. His wife died some years ago. He and Mrs. Cobb met unexpectedly in Riverside, where she was visiting friends. Their early friendship was renewed and culminated in their marriage. The bridegroom is seventy-one years of age and his bride is five years his junior.

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SCHOOL BOARDS COLLECT \$2 FEE FROM COUNTY CHILDREN

Regulation Allowing City Schools to Ask Tuition Charge from Outsiders Will be Enforced in Future--Unsuccessful Tenderer Complains Heating Contract in Winter Street Annex is Not Carried Out.

At the meeting of the Board of School Trustees last evening, it was decided to enforce the law requiring children living in the country and attending city schools to pay a tuition fee of \$2 per month. The secretary submitted a report showing that nearly 1000 new pupils had been granted permits to attend the city schools since the opening of the term. F. H. Barr sent in a complaint about the awarding of tenders for heating the Winter street annex.

Trustee Russell asked some questions as to the law governing children living in the country and attending city schools. The secretary stated that the law empowered the school trustees to exact a tuition fee of \$2 per month from pupils attending the city schools and living outside the city limits, but the law was not always enforced.

Some discussion ensued in which it was claimed that it was neither fair to the county schools to have children living outside attending the city schools without paying tuition fees. The practice unduly crowded the city schools, whose capacity was now taxed to the limit and tended to decrease the efficiency of the county schools by reducing the number of pupils in attendance. It was decided to enforce the law imposing a tuition tax on pupils from outside the city.

BRUNDAGE JURY FIND BOOTH WAS NOT SAFELY CONSTRUCTED

Coroner Berryman Refused to Accept First Verdict and Three Hours' Deliberation Was Necessary--Recommend That Shooting Galleries be Prohibited in Future at Exhibition Grounds.

Last night in the police court rooms Coroner D. E. Berryman summed the inquiry into the death of Harry Brundage, the boy killed by a shot from a rifle on the Exhibition grounds. After the evidence of two witnesses had been taken the jury retired and they brought in a verdict on the length of time occupied in consultation.

It was just 8:40 o'clock when the case was given to the jury, and they returned to the room at 10:45 o'clock with a verdict that the construction of the booth was not safe, and that the coroner was not satisfied with the statement given by the boy as to what the cause of the discharge. He heard a man say the ball went through an open space and had killed a boy. Witness said the only experience he ever had with a rifle was during the two or three hours that he had been working in the booth.

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This is certainly a Nickel weather. Last evening and yesterday afternoon with the thermometer shrinking to ward the winter zone, the crowds that filled this popular house of pictures and good music were bigger and apparently more pleased than ever. There was a sparkling line of motion photographs including Essanay's cowboy heroes "Broncho Billy's Redemption," Edison's tale "The Lady and the Burglar," and two of those inimitable Biograph comedies "The Affair of an Egg" (cold storage romance) and "Gussie's Hero." These were no objectionable films, nothing risqué or unduly sensational, but pure and exhilarating. Mr. J. W. Myers brought forth a late hit "Toot, Toot Your Horn, Kid" which was enjoyed because of its extreme novelty and the MacBrady children in a three-fold programme were warmly encored. Their offerings were: "Mexico"—a song and castenet dance and the Italian burlesque "Ma Fluffy Da Ruff." The Orchestra was a feature as usual.

ARRANGE TONIGHT FOR DR. TORREY MEETINGS

Clergymen and Laymen Will Discuss Arrangements for Campaign to be Held in Queen's Rink.

A meeting of clergymen and laymen will be held at the Y. M. C. A. tonight at 8 o'clock to make further arrangements in connection with the Torrey meetings.

The attendance at Dr. Torrey's meetings in other cities has reached such large figures as to make it impossible to hold the meetings in St. John in any building with a smaller seating capacity than one of the rinks.

At the close of the Scranton meetings a local paper, The Republican, invited the pastors to send letters giving their verdict as to the result. In these letters Dr. Torrey received the highest commendation.

RECOMMEND GUARDS TO PATROL GROUNDS

Jury in O'Neill Inquest Made This Suggestion Yesterday--Dr. Anglin and Chief Attendant Gave Evidence.

"We, the jury impanelled to inquire where, when and how Patrick O'Neill came to his death, find that on the 25th of June, 1910 the said Patrick O'Neill, being of unsound mind, made his escape from the Provincial Hospital and jumped from the suspension bridge into the river and was drowned."

This was the verdict yesterday at inquest in the death of Patrick O'Neill, who was drowned on June 25th. The following were the jurors impanelled: Samuel K. Wilson, Thos. Ripley, Ernest Brown, J. P. Wilson, W. B. Nasse, William Burley and E. R. W. Ingraham.

Dr. Anglin on the witness stand stated that O'Neill had been an inmate of the hospital for the past two and a half years and that at the time of his death he was thought to be fairly sound of mind and he would probably have been dismissed from the hospital in a month or two.

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OBITUARY Geo. M. Enman. Sussex, Sept. 19.—A telegram was received here this morning from South Port, P. E. I., announcing the sudden death of Geo. M. Enman, at that place, last night. Mr. Enman is a resident of Sussex and has been on the island for the last five weeks travelling for the Pelham Nursery Company. It is not definitely known what was the cause of death, but it is thought heart failure. Mrs. Enman is at present visiting relatives in Boston. The news came as a great shock to the children who are here. The body will be brought here tomorrow. The funeral arrangements will be announced later.

FLOUR Daisy Daisy Daisy FLOUR Nothing more removes the mind from things interfar than avarice, this being a best in the lowest degree terrestrial—A.C. 1327—Swedenborg.

DELANCEY SMITH. Woodstock, Sept. 19.—In the death of Delancey Smith which occurred on Sunday evening at 8 o'clock, an old and respected citizen has been removed from this community. Mr. Smith has been in failing health for the last two years, and about a month ago suffered the second paralytic stroke from which he did not rally. He was a man of distinct personality and kind disposition, and was universally respected. He was a lifelong Conservative and a Methodist. By his first wife, who was a Miss Morse of Sheffield, he is survived by one son, Perry, of Heron, Mont., and two daughters, Mrs. C. G. Condit, of Digby, N. S., and Mrs. Ada Poole, of Woodstock. Mrs. Joseph Griffith of Lower Woodstock, is a sister. Deceased was 79 years of age. The funeral will be held Tuesday afternoon.

ROYAL. A A McGill, Montreal; A M Bentley, St. Martins; E M Burnell, Sussex; A C York, H. Hunter, Boston; F Coles, Providence; A Staret, Weldon, Mass; F Harvey, Newton, Mass; G E Brimmo, J L Holden, Toronto; C W Smith, Montreal; C Baldwin, N Y; G M Harding, Windsor; Mrs. Henry Brooks, Philadelphia; G R Nimmo, Montreal; Mr and Mrs Edgar Batterbeln, N Y; C S Hansen and wife, Spokane; A Colly, London, Eng; L P Thayer, Chicago; Jas Rodgers, Montreal; J D Lefler, Halifax; R W Southern, Manchester; P W MacGachie, Toronto; W A Mott, Dalhousie; J P Long, Boston; Manly Davis, St. Stephen; J E Baldwin, N Y; D O Roblin, Toronto; Mrs J L Kelo, Boston; A Bartlett, R McAdams, Montreal; H K Patriarche, Boston; R Moffat, J Kerr, R F Forbes, Campbellton.

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- Eat plain, well cooked food.
- Start exercising and keep systematically at it.

real exercise, she lifts 700 pounds and does it with the grace and ease that astonishes.

Miss Lengel has the appearance of most any ordinary well developed girl. Still she is more than that; she is a bundle of bone and muscle, loaded in the graceful curves of a perfect physically developed woman.

The Lengels' home is at Scranton, but not among the dwellings packed in sections known as centres of population or even in the little more airy suburban sections. They live out on the outskirts of the city where the mountains slope to the valley, where the air is unimpeded with the sulphur and soot of the industries, and where the water bubbles from the ground in all its purity—and where paved streets have ended to broaden out into green fields.

When a year and a half old, under the tutelage of her father—himself an athlete—the girl started training, and a year later she lifted 86 pounds. When three years old she lifted 100; at seven she was able to pull up 186.

This, the father explained, was accomplished by consistent, systematic training that followed a schedule of clockwork regularity and consisted of sticking to it. The training was kept up, and at 14 years the girl showed a remarkable development.

Miss Lengel comes from a family of athletes. Her father, William, is a strong man. He lifts 1367 pounds and has a chest expansion of 10 inches. With the aid of a harness he has lifted 2000 pounds.

He has another daughter, Ethel, 14, following in the footsteps of her sister. She weighs less than 90 and can lift 210.

"How about the stage?" I asked the girl wonder.

As she shook her head, her father volunteered that the footlights were not luring his daughter, and while both of them were constantly receiving offers from vaudeville managers and museum men, they were content to go on with their way of living.

(By J. D. Keator.)

Scranton, Pa., Sept. 19.—Will all the girls who can not lift six times their own weight please stand up? My, what a great army!

Now, will all the girls who can lift six times their own weight stand up? Thank you, Miss Isabelle Lengel.

Of course if there is one girl who is the exception to the great army of American girls, there must be some reason. Miss Lengel was not born a physical wonder; she has developed into one; and in order that all the other girls may know how it was accomplished, what this girl does, how she does it, and in other ways get more intimately acquainted with her, I went to her home for The Standard, to talk with her.

Miss Lengel is 17 and weighs 117. For pastime she toys with 50 pound dumbbells, swings on rings and takes a turn in making a punching bag beat routine against an overhead platform.

But when Miss Lengel gets down to

Wm. Lengel, father of the girl physical-wonder, called attention to this. "There must be good health before great strength."

If anybody thinks Miss Lengel is not a girl of unusual strength let them take an iron bar 30 inches long and hang there three iron weights of 200 pounds each and then tie on two dumbbells of 50 pounds each, bend over, slip into their hands, two grips and straighten up, bringing the load free from the floor. This Miss Lengel does night and morning and gradually she is adding a little more weight and says she will not be content until she can lift 1,000 pounds as easily as she now swings 700 from the floor.

This, of course, is to be done without the use of a harness, for with a 1,000 pound harness she can now lift 700 pounds; but she thinks to lift 700 without harness counts for more than an extra 300 with one.

HARRIERS PLAN GOOD SPORT FOR WINTER SEASON

Largely Attended Meeting Draw Up Ambitious Program Last Evening—To Have New Basketball League.

An ambitious programme was mapped out at a meeting of the Y. M. C. A. Harriers last evening and subjects of sporting interest thoroughly discussed.

First in order of importance, it was decided to place a basketball team in the city senior league this winter and to form an 8-team league of Harriers players. The teams will be drawn from the following:

Clerks.
Drygoods men.
Hardware men.
Wholesale grocers.
Bankers.
Manufacturers.
Professional.
Gentlemen.

It was also decided to support a Y. M. C. A. intermediate football team and a meeting will be called this week to consider the formation of a junior league such as existed last year, made up of the High School, Rothesay, and Y. M. C. A. teams.

A series of indoor athletic meets were planned for the fall and winter. Three of these events will be open to intermediates from Rothesay and High School, one to be held in the early fall, one in winter and the last next spring.

A closed meet will be put on exclusively for Harrier members and another series will be arranged for the proposed corps of boy scouts.

It was decided to take fortnightly walks during the coming winter.

A letter from the M.P.A.A. asking opinion of members on the question of semi-professionalism in hockey and baseball was read. Considerable discussion ensued and it was agreed that hockey should be kept free from professionalism. As regards baseball, it seemed to be the prevailing opinion that a professional battery might be engaged but that the M. P. A. A. should have control of this sport in any way.

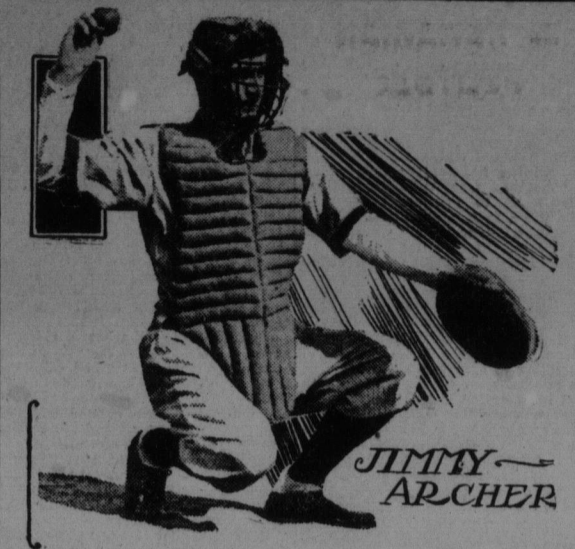
BUFFALO MEN CLEANED UP AT COLUMBUS

Columbus, Ohio, Sept. 19.—Buffalo owned pacers gathered in the two stakes which made up the major portion of the programme of the opening day of the last grand circuit meeting of the year. Both were odds-on favorites. Ess H. Kay took the Board of Trade event away from Merry Widow but lost the third heat to her, breaking after the turn home had been made.

The Abbe won his tenth successive race when he won the Hotel Hartman \$5,000 stake from Evelyn W., the Cleveland mare, which beat him in one heat this year. At times the Geese entry was pronounced by his rival, being lapped the greater part of the last hundred yards in the second mile. The final quarter of the third mile was timed officially in 28 and the last half in 1:01 1/2. Gen. H., easily won the 2:10 trot, Ora Bellini and Direct Tone being unable to reach him when they tried in the stretch.

Independence, Bay, Illinois-bred, but owned in Columbus, was about an equal choice with Dickie C., for his 2:11 pace. He moved away from his opponents when the lead was desired and finished first each time with plenty to spare.

World Series Stars



Although he may not get an opportunity to shine in the world's series—Jimmy Kling is expected to catch all the games—James Archer may prove to be a dominant factor in the outcome of the contests for the supremacy of the baseball world.

An accident to Kling would necessarily shove Archer into the breach and there is little question of his ability to make good. With Archer on the bench, the Cubs have, apparently, a better catcher looting than Connie Mack can put into the games.

Archer is one of the greatest throwing catchers playing today, and since he was taken up by Chance, after Jennings had let him go, he has improved materially, until today he is reckoned one of the game's great backstops.

STANDING OF BIG LEAGUE PERFORMERS

Speaker Makes Big Gain on Leaders in Auto Race—Lajoie Still Ahead of Cobb—Wagner 8th.

The Standard's statistical men have been busy again and have compiled the batting averages, run getting and base stealing records of the big leaguers. He finds that Lajoie is still the real leader in the auto race with Cobb a close second and Tris Speaker cutting down the distance considerably. Wagner is eighth and Snodgrass next in line. The records follow:

Player	Team	Bat. Av.
Strunk	Philadelphia Am	.352
Lajoie	Cleveland	.350
Cobb	Detroit	.347
Speaker	Boston Nat	.345
Magee	Philadelphia Nat	.338
Crandall	New York Nat	.333
Campbell	Pittsburg	.332
Wagner	Pittsburg	.330
Snodgrass	New York Nat	.326
Hofman	Chicago Nat	.319
Lober	Cincinnati	.312
Kaibitz	New York Am	.311
Collins	Philadelphia Am	.311
Murphy	Philadelphia Am	.306
Oldring	Philadelphia Am	.305
Paskert	Cincinnati	.302
Konetchy	St. Louis Nat	.300
Keeler	New York Nat	.290
Chase	New York Nat	.288
Thomas	Philadelphia Am	.288
Burns	Cincinnati	.283
Karger	Boston Am	.282
Gardner	Boston Am	.282
Meloon	Cincinnati	.281

FOOTBALL MEN E.D.C. DRAWS UP LIST OF EVENTS

Some of the Players Who Will Appear With Algonquins—Carleton Has Strong Half Line.

There is a tingle in the air these days which turns the thoughts of the sport lover footballward. The Standard's article on Friday seems to have started the ball rolling so to speak, and the first senior practice is scheduled for tonight. The Victoria grounds have been secured and the Algonquin management would like to see all intending players out tonight at 6 o'clock. It is too early to forecast a probable line-up of any of the teams, but it is known that some of the following men are counted upon for the Indian XV this year:—H. Howard, F. Finley, S. Thorne, G. Patterson, Tully McKay, G. Stubbs, F. Goodspeed, J. Mackinnon, F. Greason, S. Smith, C. Leonard, C. Seely, O. Wilson and others.

While there does not seem to be any prospects for the organization of a senior city league, the Algonquins are counting upon the annual games with the U. N. B. and a series with the proposed team in Carleton.

From present indications it looks like a strong aggregation for the West Side.

A snappy line of young half backs is put forward, viz., Dryden, C. McKelrose, and Scott, the first three of whom made good in senior company last year, while Scott is said to be a newcomer and a crackerjack. The usual strong forward line of huskies can be counted upon.

The High School Football squad was out in force last night on the Shamrock grounds and is rapidly getting into shape.

Plans for intermediate football are yet in more or less of a nebulous state, but before the end of the week the situation is expected to clear somewhat.

Leading Run-Getters

Player	Team	Runs
Cobb	Det.	95
Bush	Det.	89
Lajoie	Clev.	82
Speaker	Bos.	82
Wolter	N.Y.	80
Baker	Phil.	77
Milan	Wash.	77
Collins	Phil.	76
Oldring	Phil.	75
Hooper	Bos.	69
Crawford	Det.	69
Delehanty	Det.	67

Leading Base-Stealers

Player	Team	Stolen Bases
Bryne	Pitts.	32
Magee	Phil.	31
Wagner	Pitts.	29
Bescher	Cin.	28
Huggins	St. L.	26
Doyle	N. Y.	24
Hofman	Chi.	24
Konetchy	St. L.	23
Evers	Chi.	22
Hoblitzel	Cin.	22
Bates	Phil.	22
Devore	N. Y.	21

CALGARY MAY SEND TEAM TO OLD COUNTRY

Calgary, Sept. 19.—Football men and others who are interested in the city hadn't heard of the success of the Hillhurst team very long before they were considering something else for the football teams.

The suggestion was first made by some football men. It was that as soon as the Hillhurst team returns from Toronto, an effort be made to form a combined Calgary team, composed of Hillhurst and Caledonians and have the same sent to tour the Old Country.

The cost would not be very great, as the Canada team, champions of Canada would be a drawing card in the Old Country. To this some objection would be made that such a team would stand no show against the big clubs in the Old Country. But such a team could defeat the strong amateur teams and would make some of the other teams go home. It would be a great publicity feature and should be arranged very easily.

The question will be taken up seriously as soon as the Hillhurst team returns on Saturday night and something will be done at an early date.

PLAYERS RELEASED

Chicago, Sept. 19.—President B. B. Johnson, of the American league, today announced a list of players released and signed. The list included: Released—By Cleveland, L. Nunnemaker to Boston, By Boston—C. A. Thompson, Dulin, Lechen, McLeod, Anderson and O'Rourke to Sacramento.

Bill Papke and bride are included in the McIntosh-to-Australia party. Maybe the Illinois thunderbolt can get by with some of the rough stuff over there.

CASE OFF UNTIL FRIDAY

Boston, Sept. 19.—The test case over Sunday baseball playing in Boston went over to Friday, for hearing in the West Roxbury court today, when Eugene J. O'Connor, Jr. was held in \$100 for his appearance at that time. O'Connor was manager of one of the teams advertised to play yesterday, to test the laws, and was arrested when he attempted to start the game by batting off flies.

New York, Sept. 19.—With almost 30 entries already actually made for the sixth Vanderbilt cup race, it is certain that this year's contest will be a truly great race—if not the greatest of cup races. In all probability there will be fully twice as many contestants to face the starter as in any of the five previous contests. Racing teams have begun to arrive at their camps on the course, and the latter is being put into the pink of condition for practice trials and for the cup race itself. Nearly 100 men are at work on the roadway, the stands and wire fencing.

Plans to Organize Third Big League

D. A. Fletcher, Born in the Business, Has Another League Under way.

Will Rival Existing Organizations and May Force Them Out of Existence.

Cincinnati, Sept. 1.—Practically born into the baseball business, D. A. Fletcher, a Cincinnati man, is promoting a new major league, which he confidently thinks will make one of the present major leagues go out of the business.

When Fletcher was born, his father was in the baseball manufacturing business. When baby Fletcher was old enough to have toys, he played with baseballs, and when he became older his father gave him all the baseballs he wanted and told him to go out and play to his heart's content. At the age of fourteen Fletcher began to travel for the concern with which his father was connected. He sold baseballs, thousands upon thousands of them, but drifted out of the business at the age of twenty.

He then became a promoter. He created new lines of business and interested capital. He was successful. He promoted tent cities, railroad enterprises and scores of different ventures.

Four years ago he began to turn to baseball again. Why not organize two all-star teams and have them play a series of games in the principal cities of the country? was one of the ideas which popped into his head. He dismissed the matter at the time, but it recurred from time to time. He made an attempt to carry it out last year, but started too late and gave it up. This year he interested Cincinnati capital, and the success of the venture seemed assured when the national commission tabooed it.

But Fletcher is not through with baseball. He is promoting a new league. He says several wealthy Cincinnatians have been interested, one of them a millionaire. Fletcher declares lawyers are now drawing up contracts which will be presented to players this fall.

"I have just as much right to be in baseball as Garry Herrmann or Ban Johnson," says Fletcher. "And



NEDEFF HAS SIGNED WITH J. COLONIS

Moncton, Sept. 19.—George Nedeff, the Assany strong boy of Eastport, Maine, is here and has engaged the Grand Opera House for a bout next Friday night with John Colonis of Chicago, who claims to be the Greek middleweight champion.

NOTED BROOD MARE KILLED HERSELF

Lexington, Ky., Sept. 19.—Peg Woodington, by Longfellow out of Bala and one of the oldest of the famous brood mares in America, becoming frightened today by lightning at Major T. C. McDowell's Ashland farm, ran into a tree and killed herself.

MEDICAL TEST FOR Y.M.C.A. GYM CLASSES

Physical Committee are Considering Advisability of Making Doctor's Examination Compulsory.

At a meeting of the physical committee of the Y.M.C.A., yesterday morning a great deal of work was done with reference to the plans of the physical department for the coming season. Between now and the tenth day of October, when the gymnasium classes will commence, the gymnasium dressing rooms, showers, baths, etc., will be thoroughly gone over and renovated to start the season with everything in apple-pie order.

The classes will be much the same this season as last, the only change will be doing away with the senior classes on Wednesday night and substituting that night for senior games, gymnasium competition, etc. Otherwise the schedule is much the same as last year.

The idea of medical examination at the beginning and end of each season for those entering the gymnasium classes was generally favored by the members of the committee. It is expected that the members of the class will avail themselves of this free medical examination, besides it is a great help to the physical director in his work and may be made compulsory.

There is much work to be done by the committee before the season opens, and another meeting will be held in a few days to still further complete the plans for the coming year.

M'FARLAND WOLGAST BOUT DECLARED OFF

Chicago, Ill., Sept. 19.—Packer McFarland has canceled his date to box Ad. Wolgast, light weight champion of the world, ten rounds before the Star club of Milwaukee, October 6. In calling off all bets McFarland makes free to admit the weight at which he had agreed to meet Wolgast is a bit too low for him.

The making of limousine bodies is now regarded as an art, as the public through experience is demanding a product which will embrace comfort, luxury, individuality, and the essential quality, durability. Among the persons who have had an extended experience in the building of carriages and limousine bodies and whose work needs no higher recommendation than the fact of his being entrusted with the best quality of work in this regard, is Ferdinand F. French of 79 Milk street, who is a pioneer in the business, and whose 47 years of experience entitles him to be regarded as an authority and expert on these matters.

HARVARD AND PRINCETON GOLF WINNERS

Manchester, Mass., Sept. 19.—Harvard and Princeton were easy winners in the first round matches of the Intercollegiate golf championship tournament at the Sussex county club today, for the team championship. Harvard winning five of the six singles, and two of the foursomes from University of Pennsylvania, while Princeton did not allow Williams a single match. Williams, despite the overwhelming defeat, played a plucky game and carried five of the matches to the home green. F. C. Davidson, of Harvard, was the low medal scorer of the day with a card of 78, which was good golf considering the strong northeast gale blowing across the links.

Harvard tomorrow plays Yale, and Princeton meets Dartmouth. Yale and Dartmouth have drawn byes.

27 OUT FOR FIRST PRACTICE OF HARVARD XI

Cambridge, Mass., Sept. 19.—Twenty-seven candidates for the Harvard varsity football team for 1910 reported for the first practice of the season at the stadium today, and were put through the early season stunts by Coach Percy D. Haughton and Trainer "Pooch" Donovan. The afternoon work consisted mainly of passing the ball, quick starts, tackling the dummy and kicking. The work was wound up with a dog trot around the field. Capt. Lothrop Withington stated that the work was exceptionally good considering that it was the first day.

BIG LEAGUE BASEBALL AT A GLANCE

NATIONAL			AMERICAN			EASTERN		
Team	Won	Lost	Team	Won	Lost	Team	Won	Lost
Chicago	80	40	Philadelphia	94	41	Rochester	88	56
New York	78	55	New York	77	57	Newark	82	64
Pittsburg	78	57	Detroit	76	58	Baltimore	77	68
Cincinnati	69	69	Boston	75	61	Toronto	66	69
Philadelphia	68	67	Cleveland	60	73	Buffalo	66	76
St. Louis	53	77	Washington	59	77	Montreal	67	75
Brooklyn	54	80	Chicago	55	80	Jersey City	64	83
Boston	48	89	St. Louis	43	94	Providence	60	85

National. At Philadelphia—Cincinnati 2; Philadelphia 4.
Rain and cold weather prevented all other games.

American. At Cleveland—Philadelphia 4; Cleveland 5.
At Chicago—New York 0; Chicago 1.
At St. Louis—Boston 3; St. Louis 6.
At Detroit—Washington 6; Detroit 6.
Called at end of 11th on account of darkness.

Eastern. At Montreal, first game—Buffalo 1; Montreal 8. Second game—Buffalo 2; Montreal 3.
At Toronto, first game—Rochester 9; Toronto 1. Second game, Rochester 2; Toronto 1. Second game, Rochester 2; Toronto 1. Baltimore 1; Jersey City 2.
Rain at Newark.

THE WEATHER.

Maritime—Strong winds or moderate gales, easterly at first with rain.
 Toronto, Sept. 19.—Fine weather has prevailed today throughout the Dominion, quite warm in the western provinces and comparatively cool from the lake region to the Atlantic. A depression is shown tonight off the middle Atlantic coast.
 Washington, Sept. 19.—Forecast for New England: Showers Tuesday; Wednesday partly cloudy; brisk to high northeast winds, becoming light and variable.

AROUND THE CITY

Special Meeting.
 A special meeting of the women's council will be held on Wednesday afternoon, at 3 o'clock in the King's Daughters' guild rooms.

62nd Pay Night.
 The members of the 62nd band are requested to meet at their room this evening and every one is requested to be present as the chief business is to receive their yearly pay.

Moved Downtown.
 The general offices of the Dominion exhibition were moved yesterday from the main building back to Prince Street. It is hoped to get the accounts in soon, looking forward to an early windup of the business.

Boy Scout Committee.
 A meeting of the committee appointed Saturday afternoon to inaugurate the boy scout movement here, will be held in the board of trade rooms at 4 o'clock this afternoon, to select a provincial and local council.

Fight Pictures Again.
 Once more the Jeffries and Johnson fight pictures were shown last night in the Queens Hotel, and there was a good audience present. This morning the five men interested in the pictures will appear in the police court when the case will be resumed.

Plans For Winter.
 The members of the St. Joseph Society met last night in their rooms, St. Malloch's hall, when the plans for the coming season were discussed. The meeting was an enthusiastic one and the fall and winter gatherings promise to be most enjoyable.

Charged With Fighting.
 Yesterday afternoon the case against James McInerney, an charge of fighting was resumed in the police court. A witness was called and testified that there was a fight and the case was adjourned until Monday next when further witnesses will be examined and the case will be disposed of.

Ladies Auxiliary A. O. H.
 There was a large attendance of the members of the ladies' auxiliary of the A. O. H. in their rooms, Union street, last night. The provincial president, Mrs. McCarty, of Woodstock, was present and gave an address in which she told of the work done at the convention recently held at Sydney, C. B. Other officers of the auxiliary also spoke.

Creating a Disturbance.
 About 7.30 o'clock last evening policeman Lee was called on board the steamer Venus lying at No. 2 berth, Sand Point, and Captain T. B. Peters gave a seaman named William Lockhart, in charge of creating a disturbance on board the steamer, kicking at the captain's cabin door and demanding money. The disorderly sailor will be taken before the police magistrate this morning.

Nurses May Take Special Course.
 As a result of the lecture delivered by Col. G. Carleton Jones, director general of the medical services of the militia department, on army reserve nursing, some of the nurses at the general hospital are talking of taking the three months' special course in the military hospital at Halifax, as soon as they complete their hospital course. None, however, have definitely made up their minds on this point as yet.

Rosal Trial on Tuesday.
 Tuesday next the supreme court will meet in session and the chief case of interest in the city will be that of Giovanni Rosal, the young Italian, who is charged with the murder of his fellow countryman, Diego Stracusa, whom he shot in his house on North street last June. The young man who is charged with the horrible crime, and who may have to pay the penalty with his life, is living quietly in the county jail and does not seem to realize the position that he is in. He eats well, sleeps well but has very little, if anything to say to the others in the jail.

Victoria Hotel Changes.
 From rumors about the city yesterday afternoon it seems probable that John H. McInerney, the manager of the Victoria Hotel, is leaving that popular hostelry and Alexander Phillips will assume the management. Last spring Daniel McCormick sold the hotel to a company. A few months ago a citizen who seemed to be one of the chief movers in the company and had considerable to say regarding the management, dropped out. Since then the business has been run with Messrs. McInerney and Phillips as managers. Last night when asked those concerned would not discuss the matter. While in the city Mr. McInerney has made many friends, who will regret to learn if the story is true, that he has severed his connection with the management of the hotel.

PERSONAL.

Miss J. Gertrude Powers returned from Fredericton at noon yesterday. Mrs. Douglas R. Hensley, Mrs. T. L. Morrissey, and Miss Darrell Morrissey of Montreal, who have been guests of Mrs. Sydney Paterson of 18 Horsfield street, returned to their homes last evening.

W. B. Dickson, M.P.P., of Albert County, passed through the city as a passenger on the Pacific Express last evening.

Fishery Inspector Calder arrived in the city from Campbellton yesterday afternoon and is at the Victoria hotel.

Assorted Jelly Gum Drops made by Stahl of Boston at White's, King St.

MERCHANTS JOIN IN MOVEMENT FOR LIGHTS

Believed That Business Men Will Bear Expense of Keeping Up Great White Way During Year.

Most of the merchants on Dock and King streets as well as on Charlotte street between Union and Princess streets have joined the movement to have the special lights put up for exhibition week continued in operation in the shopping district.
 The Street Railway Co. have dismantled the fixtures for the special illumination from the exhibition grounds up to Princess street and from the I. C. R. station to the intersection of Mill and Dock streets. The fixtures of the remaining lights will be left standing, pending the decision of the merchants.
 Some of the aldermen have been approached with a view to inducing the city to pay a portion of the cost of the special illumination, but it is believed the merchants interested will be willing to bear the whole expense.
 The larger stores want the lights kept in operation at least three hours every evening throughout the year, while others would be satisfied to have them kept on three evenings in the week. What arrangement will be made with the Street Railway Company will depend on the agreement arrived at by the merchants.

HYDRANT DEMOLISHED BY RUNAWAY AUTO

Break in Waterloo Street Main Caused Big Drop in Pressure Last Evening—Water Spurred High.

About six o'clock last evening something went wrong with the steering gear on Col. James McAvity's automobile as he was going down Waterloo street, and as he reached a point near the entrance to the Hospital the large touring car swung into the side of the road and collided with a fire hydrant. With the shock the fire plug was broken off at the ground and there was a flow of water that shot high in the air and flooded the street.
 The affair caused considerable excitement, and at the water and sewerage office on Carmarthen street the pressure dropped 14 pounds. Foreman Stockton with a gang of men started out to work on the break and the water was turned off from that section of the street. An hour after the collision the break was repaired sufficiently so as to turn on the water.
 The gang of men worked nearly all night making repairs, and early this morning a new hydrant will be installed. The automobile was not badly damaged by the collision.

CHAIN GANG LOSES ANOTHER PRISONER

Edward Read, Working on Westmorland Road, Took to the Woods Yesterday While Guards Were Not Looking.

An Irishman named Edward Read who was arrested on the 6th inst., and sent to jail with a sentence of hard labor for refusing duty on board the steamer Manchester Commerce, worked faithfully on the chain gang until yesterday morning, when he made good his escape.
 The gang were working on the Westmorland Road and all was peace and quietness until a cry was raised that Read had made his escape. He took a chance when guards Beckett and Collins were not looking in his direction and he made for the woods. He was followed for a distance by one of the guards but was not captured.

NEW DEPARTURE FOR C. OF E. SYNOD HERE

Annual Diocesan Gathering Opens on Saturday, Oct. 1st.—Boston Rector Will Conduct Special Service.

The meeting of the diocesan synod of the Church of England will be held in St. John this year, beginning on Saturday, October 1st. This is a new departure. The usual custom is for the clergy to assemble at the beginning of the week. It is understood that Bishop Richardson has instituted the change with the object of having as many of the outside clergy in St. John for the Sunday as possible. The services in their own parishes will be conducted by lay readers.
 On Saturday evening a special service, which will be conducted by Rev. W. H. Van Allan of Boston, will be held in Trinity church. On Sunday, October 2nd, there will be special services in all the Anglican churches of the city at which some of the visiting clergymen will preach.
 Morning and afternoon sessions of the synod will be held on the following Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday. On Monday evening Rev. Canon Powell, president of King's College, Windsor, N. S., will conduct a special service in Trinity church. On Tuesday evening a missionary meeting will be held in the school room of Trinity church, at which addresses will be

GIRL'S PURSE STOLEN IN HER ABSENCE

Lily Crowley of Newfoundland Complains That Thieves Abound at York Point—Pocketbook Missing from Room.

Lily Crowley a young woman whose native place is Conception Bay Newfoundland, stated to The Standard last night that she had been the victim of a bold robbery.
 Miss Crowley said that she has been in the city for a couple of months and for the last few weeks she has been a boarder in the boarding house on George street near the I.C.R. depot, of which Mrs. Cain is the boarding mistress. Yesterday afternoon she said she went out for a walk and before leaving the house locked the door of her room and besides her clothing that she did not need left her purse in which was the sum of one dollar and twenty-five cents.
 On returning to the boarding house about six o'clock she found that the door of her room was still locked but that some person had been in the room during her absence and that her purse had been opened and the dollar and a quarter had been stolen.
 Such a theft was more than she could stand so about nine o'clock last night she made her way to the central police station and there she told her tale of woe to policeman McLaren, who is in charge.
 She stated that it was not so much the amount that she lost as that she thought that there was too much stealing going on about York Point and that the police would do well to look into the matter. The officer at the central station promised to look into the case.

THREE CROPS OF ALFALFA IN SEASON

J. D. Seely of Havelock Has Had Remarkable Success With Growing of New Fodder Plant.

Specimens of Alfalfa, raised by J. D. Seely of Havelock, Kings County, were received by W. I. Fenton of this city yesterday. Mr. Seely has cut three crops of Alfalfa this year. The first crop was cut during the first week in June, and the second crop, which was what farmers call a rank growth, 40 inches in height, was mown 35 days after the first. The third crop is now in flower and ready for harvesting.
 Last year Mr. Seely had a small field of Alfalfa in cultivation. The plants stood the winter well, and he believes the cultivation of Alfalfa will soon engage a good deal of this province. The secret of success in raising Alfalfa is to supply the plant with a special microbe culture. These microbes enrich the soil by retaining the nitrogen which is taken into the plant through the leaves.
 Alfalfa, it is said, has a higher fodder value than our best upland grass. It may be used to fatten hogs, as well as horses and cattle. In some countries the plant before it reaches maturity is used by the people in lieu of greens. It will flourish on very dry soils, because the roots push their way deep into the earth. Its cultivation is comparatively inexpensive, because it requires no fertilizer.

STRIKE OF SARDINE FISHERMEN IN PORT

Reduction of \$2 per Hoghead in Price by Maine Factories Resulted in Forty Crews Taking Night Off.

There has been considerable talk about the numerous fishermen in the port from down the bay and the success that they have made in the fishing of small herring for the sardine trade. There are over 40 craft in the port and this means there are about 100 men engaged in the fishing.
 When they started in on their work the sardine factories or the canneries as they are called, were paying \$8 a hoghead for the fish and as fast as a motor boat was loaded it would leave for the Eastport or the Lubec factories.
 Yesterday the fishermen were given a surprise when they learned that the management of the factories had cut the price from eight to six dollars per hoghead, and it did not take the fishermen long to make up their minds what to do. They all acted as one and there was an immediate strike. There was not a fisherman who left his vessel last evening to catch the fish, and they claim that they will not catch any more fish unless the factory operators pay the \$8 that they started out to pay.
 The jaunty little fishing vessels in Countenay Bay and along the reefs of the bay shore have been watched by hundreds for the past week or longer, but they were not at work last evening and the boats with their crews were quiet in Rodney slip, West End.
 It is possible that the price will be raised today and the men will get to work again this afternoon or evening.

Decision Today.
 City Engineer Murdoch when seen yesterday stated that he had not decided whether to permit the employment of the Hassam process on Smythe street, or have the concrete foundation laid by one or other of the old methods. He expected, however, to decide the question today.
 given by various speakers. Wednesday evening will be devoted to social purposes.
 The synod will be brought to a close after the morning service on Thursday.

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F. M. S. Enthusiastic.
 The Father Matthew Association met last night in their rooms, Sydney street. It was the first well attended meeting since last spring, and the members seem to be more in earnest stirring speeches by Mr. Miles E. Agar, John Lanney, the president; James McHugh and William Higgins. The meeting was more for re-organization and the society promises to boom this winter. On Monday night next there will be a meeting at which there will be the nomination for officers.

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New Veilings
 Late ideas in Net and Chiffon in assorted colors. In finished Veils and by the yard.

Dainty Ribbons and Beltings
 A new assortment of Paisley Ribbons. "Wirebo" the self wired Taffeta Ribbon, ideal for Millinery. Fancy Dresden Ribbons for Fancy Work. Dorothy Dainty Sets. Beltings, Fancy Tinsel and Plain Silk Corded, all colors. Velvet Elastic Belting, all colors.

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