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THOUSANDS OF LIVES LOST IN TYPHOON

Hong Kong Swept by Awful Storm Yesterday--Losses Estimated at Millions of Dollars--Wharves Swept Away, Houses Collapsed and Great Damage to Shipping.

MANILA, Sept. 18-3 p. m.--Latest advices from Hong Kong state that 1,000 lives were lost during the typhoon and that the damage to property, public and private, will amount to millions of dollars. Twelve ships were sunk, 24 were stranded, seven were damaged and one half of the native craft in port were sunk.

BERLIN ANGRY FOR NO CAUSE

Steamship Captain's Report of Bad Treatment at Portsmouth England Denied by Dock Officers.

BERLIN, Sept. 18--In a despatch from Hamburg, the correspondent of Neues Nachrichten says: "The Hamburg-American line steamer Meteor, which is at present being used for excursions, was forced a few days ago to leave the harbor of Portsmouth, England, where she had put in because of stress of weather. The captain reports that he was ordered out of the harbor and obliged to take to sea during a storm. This incident has created indignation."

ST. JOHN HEBREWS WILL KEEP NEW YEAR TONIGHT

The Jewish New Year commences this evening and will be observed by St. John Hebrews until sunset on Friday. Commemoration of the general observance of the festival, the Portland, Me. Express says: Beginning with sunset of Sept. 19, all the Hebrews of the world join in a universal observance of the Jewish New Year, known as Rosh Ashana, a holiday lasting for two days, or until sunset of the 21st. Religious ceremonies will be observed in all congregations in Portland during the forenoon and evening, followed by a general feasting of the homes.

LORD ROSEBURY ON SPELLING

HAWKICK, Scotland, Sept. 18--Lord Rosebery, speaking at the jubilee dinner last night of the Hawick Archaeological Society, of which Dr. Murray, editor of the Oxford New English dictionary, is president, said, amidst laughter, that he came especially to hear Dr. Murray's opinion of President Roosevelt, and was disappointed that not a word had been uttered on the subject. Lord Rosebery's spelling reform, saying that a blow struck at the recognized rules of the spelling of the English race was a blow struck at its nationality itself. Conscientious and virtuous people, he said, were hampered by spelling, but the unscrupulous and vicious spell according to phonetic rules of their own, producing results fully acceptable to themselves and, sometimes, understood by others. He was not at all sure that the archaic rules of spelling laid down by tradition and stereotyped by life dictionaries had not filled half the linguistic asylums of the country. The conscientious man got muddled, but the unscrupulous went ahead, and at the last moment of his life might be honored by the homage of the president of the United States.

REPUBLICAN MACHINE SMASHED; BOSS MURPHY STILL LEAS TAMMANY

Tammany's Big Indian Badly Jolted at Yesterday's Primaries in New York--Odell-Platt Combination Down and Out--Hearst's Chances for Democratic gubernatorial Nomination Have Improved.

NEW YORK, Sept. 18--(Special).--Benjamin B. Odell is down and out as a Republican boss. Charles F. Murphy is severely jolted, but holds on to his job as Tammany boss for the present. W. R. Hearst stands a better chance for nomination at the Democratic State Convention because of Murphy's victory. These are the important results of yesterday's primaries. The Odell forces were routed all along the line by the friends of County Chairman Herbert Parsons, who had the endorsement of President Roosevelt. Of the thirty-five assembly districts in Manhattan, Parsons carries twenty-three.

SEPTEMBER WEDDINGS

Murphy-Cullaghan. A very pretty wedding took place this morning at 8:30 o'clock in the Cathedral, when William F. Murphy, formerly of St. John, but now of Boston, was united in marriage to Miss Mary Cullaghan, of Richmond street, by Rev. A. W. Meahan. The bride was becomingly attired in a navy blue travelling suit with hat to match, and was attended by Miss Murphy, sister of the groom, who wore a travelling suit of grey. The groom was supported by John L. Cullaghan, brother of the bride. The happy couple left on their honeymoon for Boston, and on their return will reside at Portage, Me. The contracting parties were the recipients of many costly and useful presents. The groom's present to the bride was a handsome necklace, and to the bride a bracelet.

METHODIST CONFERENCE

Changes to be Made in Administration of Missions. MONTREAL, Sept. 18 (Special).--The advocates of the reconstruction of the Methodist mission board have won as far as the committee is concerned, and a proposal will be made to the general conference for the foreign and the other for the home field. At the head of each section will be a co-ordinate secretary, and each secretary will have an assistant. These latter are to be appointed by the board of missions. The secretary for the home field will have charge of home missions, and the secretary for the foreign field will have charge of foreign work and preside over the mission work at home. A Chinese and Indian work are directed by the general secretary, with an associate secretary, both elected by the general conference.

BUTTER AND CHEESE

MONTREAL, Sept. 18--(Special).--Cheese is more active and 1-8 up at 12 7/8 for Quebec, 13 to 13 1/8 for Toronto, and 14 to 14 1/8 for Ontario. Butter is dull and steady at 23 to 24 for good to finest creamery. Jack Armstrong, the young son of E. J. Armstrong, who had such a narrow escape recently by falling down the elevator shaft at his father's printing establishment, is reported as being greatly improved. He is still in the public hospital.

THE TIMES NEW REPORTER

THE CIRCULATING TEA. "As I was sayin' yist' day, when the car come along," said Mr. Hiram Hornbeam to the Times new reporter when they met this morning. "I went with Aleck to that circulin' tea out to Millville. You talk about a circulin' tea, but I no more know what a circulin' tea was than the man in the moon. "We went to a house out there an' I was introduced to a lot of fine people. I guess they didn't know but I was Hockefeller--anyway they used me fine. Well, we sat down to the table, an' they put me alongside of a gal that jist had out-

ALL IN READINESS FOR THE FIRST CRIB

Board of Works Will Notify Contractor Clark to Place it at Once--Union Street Continues to Sag and Slide--It is Now Impassable for Trains or Pedestrians.

The board of works, which meets this afternoon, will issue an order to Contractor D. C. Clark to proceed with the sinking of No. 1 crib, the site having been pronounced ready by the government engineer. Alderman McGoldrick, in company with Director Cushing and the recorder, called at Engineer Shewen's office and looked over the report of the soundings, and the director expressed himself as satisfied that all was ready. An order will therefore be issued to Mr. Clark to go ahead with his work. Mr. Clark, when seen, said he had heard that the site was ready, but had not received word from the board of works to that effect. As soon as he got his order from the board he would start immediately to get the cribs in place. He would first have soundings taken to satisfy himself that the site was ready and would then raise the cribs and put them in position. He said he had made arrangements for having stone brought for ballasting as soon as everything was ready and he would have no time in getting his part of the work done. He did not anticipate any trouble in moving the cribs, but it was hard to tell what might happen. The contractor states that the cribs must be in place inside of three months from the time he receives notice from the city, but he anticipated having them in place considerably inside of that time if unforeseen complications did not arise. Engineer Scamwell was taking soundings this morning. The dynamiting of the big breaker which has occupied considerable attention the past few days is expected to be finished at low tide today. Union street is now impassable for trains or pedestrians. Last night there was another cavern and the street took a drop of about eight or ten feet. The railway tracks have been taken up for a distance of 50 or 60 feet and it will be some days before anything can be done to remedy the existing state of affairs. The platform in front of the N. B. Southern station has fallen away and the eastern end of South & Queen's buildings has sagged down considerably. On one corner of the building the earth has dropped away completely and there is no support for the structure, except the framework itself. It was high tide about noon today and it is thought the receding tide will cause still greater damage. Contractor Clark, who has his office in the upper part of the N. B. Southern station building, feared this morning that the building might take a slide and he has put up a plumb line so that he can be warned if the structure starts to settle down toward the harbor.

NO BODIES FOUND YET

Victims of Yesterday's Railway Wreck Have Not Been Recovered--Think Two are Drowned.

GUTHRIE, Okla., Sept. 18--Eight persons are dead, twenty more or less injured and as many more missing as the result of the wrecking of a Rock Island passenger train three miles from Dover, Okla., at 8:30 o'clock this morning. The engine, tender, baggage and mail cars, smoking car and day coach of passenger train No. 12, northbound, left the high bridge that spans the Cimarron River and plunged into the stream which is flanked by treacherous quicksands. The locomotive disappeared almost immediately. The mail and baggage clerks escaped from their cars and swam ashore. DOVER, Oklahoma, Sept. 18--At daylight today, no bodies of victims of yesterday's Rock Island train wreck had been recovered, but it was believed two persons had been drowned. Hank Littlefield, a circus man, and a negro carpenter. The injured are being cared for at Kingfisher, Okla. The passengers were nearly all rescued. The collapse of the bridge was due to high water in the Cimarron river. The river is falling as rapidly as it rose, and the bridge will be repaired and the submerged cars raised.

COUNTRY MARKET

The country market is well supplied this week, and game seems to be plentiful. Moose and venison are to be had at 20 cents, while black ducks and geese can be had at 60 cents; partridge at 30; teal at 60 and whistlers at 60. The opinion was expressed this morning that too much game was being killed this season.

MONTREAL STOCKS

MONTREAL, Sept. 18--(Special).--Stock prices were for the most part stationary in the absence of pressure either way. Iron common was 27 7/8, and bonds 83 3/4, Rio 42 1/2 and bonds 57, Twin City 114 3/4 to 5-8, Toledo 32 1/2, Toronto Railway 117 1/4, Mackay 73 1/2, Mexican 55 1/2, bonds 79 7/8, Montreal Power 95 1/2.

JUDGMENTS IN CUSHING CASE

Banker delivered judgment on the application of Mr. Cushing to have the suit above referred to dismissed for want of prosecution. This application was made at the August sitting of the court, but was stood over in order to allow the Plaintiff, Partington, to apply to Judge MeLeod for leave to use the company's name, which he did with the result above stated. Judge Barker's judgment was that the suit should be dismissed with costs to be paid by the company. The suit was commenced about two years ago, but has never reached a hearing by reason of delay on the part of the plaintiffs. By the above judgments the suit is ended and the company is to pay Mr. Cushing's taxed costs. J. D. Hazen, K. C., appeared for the liquidators of the company, and L. A. Curvey, K. C., and Barnhill, Fering & Barnford for Mr. Cushing, and Partington, Ford & Hanington for Capt. Partington.

BOHEMIANS HAVE HOPES

They See in Emperor Francis Joseph's Visits a Possible Recognition of Independence

VIENNA, Sept. 18--It is reported that Emperor Francis Joseph has decided to spend several weeks each year in Prague, and that he will be accompanied by the cabinet ministers, courtiers, and military dignitaries. His sojourn will be marked by splendid court festivities. As his majesty has been at Prague since the outbreak of the war, the report has caused a sensation in German and Czech circles. The Czechs are inclined to regard the emperor's decision to visit Bohemia as indicating the approaching recognition of their demands for the restoration of the independent kingdom of Bohemia, but the Germans decline to admit its political significance.

DROWNED AT DALHOUSIE

Thirteen Year Old Boy Meets His Death While Fishing. DALHOUSIE, N. B. Sept. 18--(Special).--A boy named Girard, aged 13, was drowned here this afternoon by falling from a slab wharf while fishing. His body was found a few minutes after the accident.

SHOT HIM IN THE THIGH

Had Bullet Been Little Higher Carleton County Would Have Had Case of Murder. WOODSTOCK, N. B., Sept. 18 (Special).--There was a shooting occurrence near Woodstock last night that nearly resulted fatally. It appears that Al. Geddes and Oliver Hanson met Edward Faulkner near the bridge in the town. Faulkner and Hanson had ceased and asked him who his companion was. When told that it was Geddes, Faulkner approached the latter and after a few shots, which he pulled a revolver and, it is said, remarked to Geddes that he would blow his brains out. They were close together when Faulkner fired, striking Geddes in the fleshy part of the thigh. Faulkner then left as Geddes fell. Hanson went to several of the farm houses to get a team, and Geddes, who was found in a ditch by Fred Dowler, was driven to the boarding place of Neil McKinnon, in town, where he is under medical treatment. The doctor says if the wound was an eighth of an inch higher it would have caused death. He will recover unless gangrene sets in. There was a woman in the case. Faulkner has not yet been arrested.

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THE SCARLET PIMPERNEL

BY BARONESS ORCZY.

A burning curiosity seized her to know him: although for months she had heard of him and had accepted his anonymity, as everyone else in society had done, but Foster, Dr. Montague or others who happen she longed to know—quite impersonally, quite apart from Armand, and she quite apart from herself—only for her own sake, for the sake of the enthusiastic admiration she had always bestowed on his heavy and cunning.

He was at the ball, of course, somewhere, since Sir Andrew Frouke and Lord Anthony Downham were here, evidently expecting to meet their chief—and perhaps to get a fresh note d'ordre from him.

Marguerite looked round at everyone, at the aristocratic high-topped Norman faces, the squarely-built, fair-haired Saxon, the negro giant, humorous cast of the Celt, wondering which of these betrayed the power, the energy, the cunning which had imposed its will and its leadership upon a number of high-born English gentlemen, among whom rumor asserted was His Royal Highness himself.

Sir Andrew Frouke's surely not, with his gentle blue eyes, which were looking so tenderly and longingly after little Suzanne, who was being led away from the pleasant coté-to-côté by her sister, now Marguerite watched him across the room, as he finally turned away with a sigh, and seemed to stand, amidst and lonely, now that Suzanne's shiny little figure had disappeared in the crowd.

She watched him as he strolled towards the doorway, which led to a small boudoir beyond, then passed and leaned against the framework of it, looking still anxiously all round him.

THE POLLARDS AT THE YORK

Another Great Audience Cheered Them Last Evening—Tonight the Geisha.

"Aren't they wonderful!" This was the delighted exclamation from the lips of many in the audience that thronged the York Theatre last evening to see and hear Pollard's Lilliputian Opera Co. in the Belle of New York.

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A LOSS OF MONEY

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DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS

For many years Mr. Burke was proprietor of the North Annapolis Hotel in Market Square, which was one of the largest hotels in this city. About forty years ago he removed to Long Reach and conducted a large farm for many years.

A CASE OF WIFE BEATING

A young man called at the central police station last night and told Policeman Crawford that a man was murdering his wife in a house on Brussels street.

ALL OVER TOWN!

Times Want Ads.

Once there was a dog which had a reputation as a mighty hunter. And all paid tribute to his prowess. But on a day there came a strange dog, which met up with a spacious hound which was on to the famous canine.

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A ONE-SIDED AFFAIR

New Brunswick is not securing desirable immigrants in such numbers as may be hoped for, it is possible that the province is receiving more than its share of undesirable.

The men who are being brought in from Boston and sent north to work on a railway include some very tough characters. But no questions are asked. The authorities take no notice. On the other hand the American officials can very closely every man who attempts to go from this province to the States.

It may be true that men are scarce and that employers cannot be choosers when they go into the labor market at such a time; but the people of this province have a right to choose the sort of persons they desire to have employed in their midst; and to protest against any who are likely to become a menace to the peace of the community.

THIS IS DREADFUL

The Sun is surely not serious in comparing the aldermen to bluebottle flies buzzing around in a beer mug. The comparison does not hold. If, for example, by any possible stretch of imagination, Ald. Hann could be described as a bluebottle, the like could not be said of any other alderman.

SOME IN-FIGHTING

The New York World has been conducting a very interesting campaign against Hearst and Murphy of Tammany. Murphy is now supporting Hearst. The World has therefore been reproaching from Hearst's paper a series of cartoons published last year, representing Murphy as a bungler, bully, thief and all-round criminal.

Murphy has often succeeded in stealing the people's money. "Murphy should be in Sing Sing wearing stripes instead of at Delmonico's." "Murphy grows rich and insolent on corrupt contracts."

"Murphy is as bold a buccaner as ever sailed the political seas." "Murphy—the common enemy against whom everybody is voting." "Murphy is the man responsible for Tweed's crimes."

MEDICAL SCHOOL INSPECTION

In the city of Montreal the sum of \$3000 is granted to the Hygiene Committee for school inspection.

In the Good Old Summer Time That's when cramps and colic are prevalent. The quickest cure is Poison's Nerville. Ten drops in water cures the worst case, 25c. at all dealers.

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quote from the Star's summary of the report:— The inspection ought to be of a two-fold character. One set of inspectors should be present when the schools open every day. The other set, which would be few in number, might hold a couple of times every year a general inspection of all schools.

Great care, the reports says, should be given by the inspectors in order to detect any scholars who may be suffering from eye, throat, ear, or similar diseases. Generally it would not be necessary to inspect all the scholars every day; the sickly, however, should be closely watched.

The civic authorities ought to take steps so that those who are suffering from eye and other troubles can get prompt attention at dispensaries which make a specialty of treating these troubles.

It will be seen that Dr. LaBerge holds very pronounced views on the subject of medical inspection of scholars, and the care of those afflicted with disease. The Hygiene Committee will endeavor to secure a larger grant, in order to carry out his suggestions as far as possible.

Among the speakers at the recent session of the International Homeopathic Congress at Atlantic City was Sarah M. Hobson, of Chicago, who took up the question of hereditary tuberculosis.

The amiable gentlemen of the Methodist General Conference have fixed the status of women in the church. Presumably the women may continue to prepare annual teas, raise funds, and do the religious chores in a general way, in addition to singing in the choir and attending prayer meetings.

The decent Republicans of New York rejoice today that at the primaries yesterday they wrested the control of the state organization from Odell and Platt.

Each day brings its separate worries for the aldermen, in connection with matters at Sand Point; and now there is trouble about the waterworks extension.

Winston Churchill, the novelist, who has been fighting the Republican machine in New Hampshire, failed yesterday to capture the Republican convention, although he appears to have very nearly succeeded.

Readers of the Sun this morning, who looked anxiously to learn the result of the primary elections in New York, read in large headlines the statement that the "Primaries will be held today."

Lord Rosebery, after a long period of leisure, has directed attention to himself by a criticism of the Rooseveltian system of spelling. There was a time when Rosebery was expected to become a great force in imperial politics, but he has not justified the expectation.

With high class performances at two theatres drawing large houses every night, and two roller rinks doing a thriving business, in addition to other attractions, it would appear that there is no lack of currency in general circulation in St. John this season.

If at this critical juncture the Laidlaw should break down, the city fathers would surely collapse.

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AN INVOCATION

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IN LIGHTER VEIN A GOOD REASON. "Why are you so downhearted this morning?" "Our cook left last night and positively refused to give us a recommendation."

CONTENTIOUS. Patience—Did you say that Peggy was fond of continuous performances? Patience—Indeed, yes! Why, she was engaged to 14 men at the beach this summer.

IT HAD. Beryl—You've read Scribner's new novel. Has it a happy ending? Garnet—Yes; the villain is the only well drawn character in the book, and he escapes punishment.

INFLUENCE OF ENVIRONMENT. "I notice," said the sarcastic friend, with a keen glance at the other's new head covering, "that since you've been talking through your new hat you have Panama on the brain."

SIMILAR SCENE. Redd—If Paul Revere had made his memorable ride today it would have been in an automobile. Greene—Yes, and the farmers would be seen running out of their houses with guns in their hands just the same.

THINGS THAT WENT WRONG. Dickey, Brannigan had been a bad boy, and Mr. Brannigan had given him a spanking. "Ouch!" he yelled. "I'll be good! Don't paw. That hurts!" "I am glad it does, my son," said his father, continuing the exercise. "That's the object of the spanking. My hand is tough from frequent practice, and this isn't hurting me a bit."

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR. A woman would rather have false teeth than big feet. Being in love in five parts part names and five parts giggle. Hardly any man with a wife can afford any more extravaganzas.

INTERESTED. Brown—Are you interested in labor problems? White—Intensely—in one, how to avoid it.

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C. P. R. Led in August!

Canadian Pacific earnings for the second week of September, showed an increase of \$28,000. Again in August the Canadian Pacific led all the American roads in points of increase. The chief gains for the month were as follows: Canadian Pacific \$1,379,600; Great Northern 1,029,629; Northern Pacific 821,640; Louisville & Nashville 496,582; New York Central 477,582; Illinois Central 452,488; Missouri Pacific (freight) 420,800; Grand Trunk (4 roads) 377,398; Lake Shore 342,698; Texas and Pacific 275,642; Southern Railway 336,901.

Bank Profits \$11,100,000

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THE INTRODUCTION OF SUPERVISED PLAYGROUNDS

Report of Miss Mabel Peters to the Women's Council on What Has Been Accomplished in St. John.

The following is the report of Miss Mabel Peters, convener of the Playground Committee, read at the meeting of the Women's Council on Monday: REPORT OF PLAYGROUND COMMITTEE.

Westfield, Sept. 14, 1906. Madam President and Ladies: In 1900 your convener first brought the subject of playgrounds before the Women's Council of St. John by reading a paper upon the needs, during vacation, of the little children who do not get to the country in summer. Your convener asked then that a committee be appointed for the local council, but her request was not granted.

The following year, 1901, when the St. John council was asked for resolutions for the national annual meeting to be held at London, Ont., your convener suggested that a resolution on playgrounds be sent. This was done. Your convener also furnished a paper, urging the adoption of the resolution, which was read and recorded in the year book; but it was not until the following year that a national playground committee was appointed.

Your convener moved again, in 1901, that St. John appoint a local playground committee. This carried, thus making the St. John council the first in Canada to have a playground committee. This committee, appointed five years ago, only consisted of every quarterly meeting volunteers have been asked for. The committee now consists of your convener, Mrs. McElean, Miss Leavitt, Mrs. Chisholm, Miss Reid and Mrs. Pickett. Mrs. Setra and A. M. Belding, by request of the council, also became members, and have rendered very valuable assistance. Mrs. Pickett acted as secretary and Miss Leavitt as treasurer for the committee.

Your convener for the past six years has not been idle, having constantly kept the subject of playgrounds before the council at every quarterly meeting, issuing circular letters, and securing the printing of playground articles in our daily papers. Through these efforts David Russell, the proprietor of the Evening Times and Daily Telegraph, generously started a fund for the promotion of playgrounds in our city, by opening the subscription list with one hundred dollars from each paper. Too much credit can be accorded to the editors of the Times and Telegraph, Mr. Belding and Mr. McCready. Their untiring energy, cheerfulness and willingness to assist your committee was an inspiration, and the convener feels that without their efficient co-operation the playground would not have been realized this summer.

As soon as Mr. Russell's donation was announced the subscription list grew, generous subscriptions coming in from Montreal, Ottawa and Halifax. Our citizens also responded generally. At the close of the season the fund amounted to over \$1,500. The ladies of the Women's Council contributed \$170.

Your committee then applied to the school board for permission to use the Centennial school grounds for fine lawns, two class rooms for rainy days, which was granted. The grounds consisted of two yards; one was 10x150 feet, the other 20x90 feet. In addition to this the Brussels street Baptist church board allowed your committee the use of a piece of land adjoining the church, 30x45 feet. This proved very useful, as it was used for the large eight-seated swing. The playground was equipped with tees, swings, bean boards, basket ball, hand balls, bats, rope quoits, croquet, paving blocks, a sand bin with little balls and shovels and small wheelbarrows, kindergartens tables, chairs and materials, sewing materials, raffia straw, crocheting materials, and clay for modeling. A piano was hired for the season. Great many of these supplies will be available for next season.

Miss Miller of Montreal, who had four years' experience in playground management in Montreal, was engaged as supervisor, and gave to your committee the greatest satisfaction. There were always present in the grounds the supervisor, a kindergarten teacher and her assistant, and Mr. Hill, the janitor of the school. In addition to these teachers that were

there all day, was the teacher of clay modeling in the afternoon and the pianist in the morning. The teachers were: Miss Miller, supervisor; Miss Benedict and Miss Morton, kindergartens; Miss Bell Miller, Miss Stephenson, Miss Scott and assistants; Miss Poulin, teacher of clay modeling; Mrs. Chisholm, pianist; Mr. Hill, superintendent of grounds and equipment. Your committee were most fortunate in securing such interested, capable teachers and so zealous a co-worker as Mr. Hill. The grounds were opened on the 3rd of July and closed on Aug. 17th. There was a daily average attendance of 504, and total for the season of 20,200. The grounds were opened every week day from 10 to 12 a. m. and from 2 until 5.30 p. m. Besides the free play, there were marching and circle games, with music, in the morning; in the afternoon there were classes in sewing, crocheting, raffia straw work, clay modeling and all kinds of kindergarten table work. It is impossible for your committee to state what form of amusement was most enjoyed with the children. Glancing at the sand bin one would think that most in favor, but attention would soon be attracted by the shooting from the basket ball court; and, after a glance in that direction and then at the quiet, patient croquet players waiting for their turn, a game of eight players, one would give up trying to determine. Work done in the playground was exhibited at the provincial exhibition, and made a creditable display. Your committee provided a prize of 50c. for the best specimen of sewing, crocheting, raffia straw work and weaving; a prize of a book and pocket knife were also given for a croquet tournament. On Friday afternoon Musicals were given, kindly given a Nature study committee, in Lockwood Park to the older children. The supervisor and three of the committee accompanied them. It was a most enjoyable afternoon and long to be remembered by both children and committee. The closing-day exercises consisted of recitations and vocal selections, some performed in costume, and flag drill, etc., by the children of the playground. Harrison's orchestra rendered the delightful programme, donating by your committee presented her with a letter of appreciation. Dr. Briggs, superintendent of schools, was present and addressed the children in a most happy manner. Judge Treaman, chairman of the school board, although invited by your committee to be present, was out of town and sent his regrets. Rev. Mr. McElean, a frequent visitor at the playground, made a short address, moving a vote of thanks to the orchestra. High child on leaving the grounds was given a small bouquet of flowers, your committee receiving the flowers from friends and florists, who responded most generously. Mayor Sears was not in the city but later wrote a letter of regret that he could not have accepted the invitation to be present and congratulated your committee on the success of their undertaking. It is most gratifying to your committee that so many citizens visited the playground during the season. Having had Dr. Briggs, supervisor of schools; Judge Treaman, chairman of the school board; Mr. Carter, inspector of schools; Mr. Maxwell, M. P. F.; Mrs. Dever and Mrs. Glanville and other members of the school board as visitors it ought not to be difficult for next year's committee on playgrounds to approach the school board and playgrounds as legitimate school work. Your committee is glad to report that no damage was done either to the school building or grounds. Your committee is most grateful to the volunteer workers who assisted in either work or play in the playground, to the ladies who gave the musical attention, to those who donated flowers, sewing materials, etc., or in any way assisted in making the playground a success. Your committee's grateful thanks are also due to the city council. Not one unkind utterance was made and an abundance of space was given to friendly reports of the work. The city council was most kind in providing sand for the sand bin, and paying

blocks, also earth and labor to make a croquet ground.

As the bills are not all in your committee can not report the full expenditure, (but it will be about \$720) of maintaining the Centennial school playground, but there is a surplus of funds and some equipment which will be available for next season's work.

The outlook seems favorable for having supervised playgrounds opened in several of the school grounds next year and the hearty support of our citizens is hoped for. Respectfully submitted, MABEL PETERS, Convener.

REV. W. S. PRITCHARD TALKS OF THE WEST

He Has Just Returned From a Trip to Alberta and Finds the Country Pleasing.

Rev. W. S. Pritchard, pastor of the Congregational church, is home from a tour through the Canadian west, particularly Alberta, and is greatly pleased with his trip. While away Mr. Pritchard attended a large socialistic picnic on the Green River.

The gathering was addressed by a socialist orator from the United States. Mr. Pritchard says that socialism does appeal to the working classes in the larger western cities, particularly textile workers. Referring to church work, Mr. Pritchard said there was a great field for missionaries in the west, and there are a great many churches. He deplored very much the keen competition which is to be seen among workers of the different denominations. The rivalry is much keener than in St. John, and acts as a hindrance to the progress of religion, for a great many persons claiming to be disciples with the presence of affairs among the different denominations, have given up going to church altogether. Mr. Pritchard said that the competition had some to such a pitch that no business houses could be more keen in their efforts. There were altogether too many churches in the small towns for the number of inhabitants. The keen rivalry is not so noticeable in the large cities, but in the small towns it becomes only too evident and the effect upon the inhabitants of the town is derogatory.

When asked if he intended settling in the west, Mr. Pritchard replied that he would most probably remain in St. John, as his journey was chiefly for pleasure and to attend to some private interests.

IN QUANDRY OVER THE WATER SYSTEM

Report That an Effort is Being Made to Retain the Dual System.

The common council decided some time ago that a single service system should distribute the new water supply through out the city. This decision was arrived at as the result of Engineer F. A. Barbour's recommendation. Director Marchant advocated the continuance of the dual system, and some of the aldermen say that an attempt is now being made to retain it under the new conditions. A wire was sent yesterday to Mr. Barbour asking for instructions.

Near the One Mile House the new 36-inch main which runs to the Marsh bridge is to be connected with the old 12-inch main and one of the 24-inch mains which connect with the Loch Lomond system at Little River. The remaining 24-inch main which runs parallel to the large main across the marsh should be connected with it, so it is claimed, at the Marsh bridge. It is said that the director will not make this connection, but will allow the main to distribute the water independently. It is done, then it is stated that by re-opening the connection of this main with Little River reservoir, the original source of supply, which was to be abandoned, could be used and different sections of the city would get various qualities of water. Last evening a telegram was sent to Mr. Barbour to get his opinion as to whether the board should insist on a connection of the other 24-inch main with the 36-inch pipe.

WANTS IT ON HIS NERVES. Shock the editor's nerves once in a while by paying what you owe him.—DRAIN (Over.) Nonparal.

Mrs. James Farrell, of Fredericton, and Dr. J. D. Darty, of Boston, are visiting their cousin, Mrs. G. Wilbert Currie, Princess street.

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BASE BALL

National League. At Boston-Boston, 6; Chicago, 4. At Brooklyn-Cincinnati, 4; Brooklyn, 2.

American League. At Cleveland-Cleveland, 5; Washington, 5. At Detroit-Detroit, 7; Detroit, 4.

Eastern League. At Rochester-Baltimore, 3; Rochester, 4. At Montreal-Montreal, 3; Montreal, 2.

THE BIG LEAGUE FIGHT. With the closing of the major league seasons only two weeks away the one subject of the fans' conversation is the race between New York and Chicago in the American League.

Although managers in general and a large percentage of the fans are convinced that the Sox will land the flag, there are some firm enthusiasts in favor of the Highlanders.

A FIGHTING UMPIRE. NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—Ball players and club managers in the National League who have been in the habit during the season of using profane language to an umpire after that official has rendered a decision which displeased them, had better be careful of what they say.

THE TURF. CHATHAM RACES. CHATHAM, N. B., Sept. 18.—The horse races were the feature of the 2nd day of the exhibition. They were attended by about 2,000 people and proved very interesting.

THE RING. LETTER FROM MIKE TWIN. Mike (Twin) Sullivan in writing to the sporting editor of the Times from his home in Cambridge, Mass., says he expects to come to St. John for a few weeks and bring his mother with him.

THE RING. KILLED IN THE RING. Boston, Sept. 18.—Aurora Herrera, of Mexico, was given the decision over Ed Gomez, of Boston, at the conclusion of a fight between the two boxers at the Lincoln Athletic Club in Chelsea tonight.

THE RIFLE. OTTAWA, Sept. 18.—Special—Sir Horatio Vaneau, colonel of the Queen's West Volunteer Battalion, of London, England, who is here, is arranging a rifle shooting match between the Queen's West Battalion and the Seventh National Guard, New York, which will take place on October 2nd and 3rd at the Crematorium ranges.

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CITY WHARF FINANCES. Two sub-committees met in the city hall yesterday afternoon. At 3 o'clock the committee appointed to investigate the wharf finances in connection with the city's shares, with a view to future nationalization, met and, after briefly discussing the financial condition of the wharf, adjourned.

PROBATE COURT. In the probate court yesterday afternoon the will of the late George C. Connor was admitted to probate, and letters testamentary granted to his widow, Mrs. Sophia Connor, Harry H. Beaman and Fred P. Galloway.

TO TRY CANADIAN POLITICS. Ottawa, Sept. 18.—It is stated on good authority that G. D. Devlin, M. P., who represents Galloway, in the British parliament, intends resigning his seat, and will not return to Britain.

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