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YOUNG WOMAN LEAPS FROM TRAIN ON WAY FROM DIGBY TO HALIFAX.

Sought to End Her Life and Probably Succeeded, for Skull is Fractured—Thought to Be an American Who Had Been in St. John.

Halifax, Aug. 28.—(Special)—An unknown woman attempted suicide by jumping from the D. A. R. express while on the way from Yarmouth to Halifax this afternoon. She was well dressed, about 25 years of age, wore dark clothes, and was of a prepossessing appearance.

The train at the time was going about 25 miles an hour and went about two miles before it was pulled up. The train then backed to where the woman was seen to fall, and her body was picked up and taken on board.

INQUIRY ORDERED BY MINISTER.

Captain Spain to Investigate Mishaps in St. Lawrence--Preparing for D. R. A. Meet--Englishmen Refrain from Entering Borden Memorial Match.

Ottawa, Aug. 28.—(Special)—Hon. James Sutherland has appointed a commission of inquiry to make an investigation into the mishaps which have recently occurred on the St. Lawrence route. Commander Spain will be the commander of the Dominion Rifle Association, and his associates, are busy these days, as entries for the meet are now being received from all over the country.

your telegram of 22nd August, regret unable to extend limit of time, as if we did successful firm would not have time to make arrangements for carrying out the contract. Suggest Canadian firm apply agents through which to tender. If successful, agents in this country will be required and their appointment for the meet in advance will make very little difference.

PERSIAN GULF SCENE OF WORLD INTEREST.

International Relations There the Next Problem, Says Capt. Mahan.

London, Aug. 28.—Discussing in the National Review, international relations in the Persian Gulf, Capt. Alfred T. Mahan, U. S. N., (retired), characterizes the problem there presented as second only to the Chinese question, and as one certain to claim world notice so soon as a stable equilibrium is established in the farther east. Comparing the Persian Gulf to the Persian Gulf, he says: "While Russia and Great Britain have nominally equal interests, it is probable owing to the necessity of her safe-guarding the route by way of Suez to India, that Great Britain's that it is reasonable to expect them to work hand in hand, while Russia will hardly undertake an aggressive move in Southern Persia until she has completed the Siberian railway which will absorb all her available money and energies for some time to come."

HOLDING SULTAN TO PROMISE.

Agrees to Repeal Exceptional Measures Adopted Against Armenians. Constantinople, Aug. 28.—The Sultan recently agreed to repeal the exceptional measures adopted against the Armenians if the Armenian patriarch would guarantee that no outbreak would follow. The patriarch accordingly met and signed a document and promising tranquility. An imperial decree is now awaiting the patriarch returning to give up duties and the promises of the Sultan are fulfilled.

Recognized as an Art G-m.

London, Aug. 28.—A despatch from Milan to the Daily Telegraph says that some years ago a picture was discovered in an old castle near Piacenza and deposited in the gallery of paintings at that place. Yesterday this picture was recognized as one of the finest of Botticelli's work. It is oval-shaped, and painted on wooden board. It represents the infant Jesus lying on grass. The picture, correspondent says, is a valuable one, which heretofore has been referred to as lost.

SATISFIED ACCOUNTS OF DEAF AND DUMB INSTITUTION WERE BADLY KEPT.

Auditor-General Beek on the Stand at Inquiry Thursday—Spoke from What Published Reports of Institution Showed—Mr. Gregory Wanted This Evidence Stricken Out--Other Witnesses Tell of Finances.

Fredricton, N. B., Aug. 28.—(Special)—The Deaf and Dumb institution was re-examined this morning before Commissioner R. B. Wallace.

R. B. Wallace Resumes.

Robert B. Wallace, of the education office, resumed his testimony. He was examined regarding the returns of Superintendent Woodbridge for the half year ending June 30th, 1899. The name of Henry Robinson appeared among the persons returned as a pupil. He was not aware that this pupil was an employee at this time. Mary Hale's name also appeared in this return. The reason that the application for the county grant for the return of 1900 was not allowed as asked for in the return of June, 1900, was that there was no certificate as called for under the amendments of 1900. No certificate had ever been presented as required. Mr. Woodbridge had made a chain in the return of June, 1901, but it was not allowed. Doctor Inesh had stated to him to deal as generally as possible with the institution as a pupil and allowed the return. In the return of 1899, Henry Robinson is given as attending the full term. He also appeared in the return of 1898 and assumed he was a pupil and allowed the return. The department allowed the payment for pupils under the amended act of 1900, still no certificates had been produced as required by the act.

carefully checked the returns for each succeeding year. Mr. Beek added, in reply to Mr. Gregory, that he had told the government that he would sign the warrant if they requested him to do so, but the government would not do that. He had never been interfered with by the government in the discharge of his public duties.

The Auditor General.

James S. Beek, auditor general for New Brunswick, was the next witness called and sworn. He said he had been auditor general of the province since Confederation. He had never had any of the accounts of the Deaf and Dumb Institution submitted to him, but had signed the warrants for payments to the institution, and they were also signed by the receiver general. The warrant for the appropriation of last session amounting to \$200, had not yet been issued. He had objected to signing the warrant because of the very meagre information contained in the reports of the institution. The report of 1901, for instance, showed that the total amount subscribed and acknowledged for support of institution for the previous year was \$1,577.72, and the amount credited was \$3,159.33. This left a deficiency of \$1,581.61. The government had ordered an investigation into the financial affairs of the institution. He thought it would be very indefinite for anybody to ask for payment of the grant while the matter was pending. He said that Mr. Whelpley and Judge Gregory had spoken to him in regard to the payment of the grant. He had been asked by members of the government why he did not sign the warrant, and he had replied that he was satisfied from the reports that the accounts were badly kept and did not disclose the information they should. Mr. Whelpley had assured him in conversation that the accounts were all right, but he had replied that he would not think that should be kept for an institution which had received such a large financial support from the government.

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ARRANGEMENTS FOR OPENING OF THE EXHIBITION ARE NOW COMPLETE.

Names of Speakers and Singers at the Ceremonies Saturday Night--Courtesies Extended to Charitable Institutions of the City.

Now that Lieutenant Governor Snowball has definitely signified his acceptance of the Exhibition Association invitation to open the big 1902 fair on Saturday night the programme of the opening ceremonies has been completed. It will consist of selections by Garrison's orchestra and the Grand Band, solos by Miss Lucy Tongue and G. S. Mays and speeches by Hon. J. B. Snowball, lieutenant-governor; Premier Tweedie, His Worship Mayor White, Hon. J. Israel Tarte, Senator Ellis, Hon. William Pugsley and J. D. Hazen, M. P. P.

Brighter, bigger and better than ever, St. John's 1902 exhibition will be thrown open to the public at 6 o'clock Saturday evening. At that hour the management promises that everything will be in motion and the gates open, the various departments will be in perfect running order.

Probably the exhibition buildings and the executive offices on Water street are the busiest places in the city this week. At the building last night scores of exhibitors and assistants were working at high pressure creating, designing and fashioning the many beautiful booths which will greet the eye on Saturday evening. As the office, Manager W. W. Hubbard and his assistants were even more busily engaged in the manifold duties which come within their province.

The programme as arranged so far is as follows:--

Saturday. Opening day--Building will be open to exhibitors and officials from 10 a. m. to 6 p. m.--Opened to general public when all departments will be in full running order.

8 p. m.--Opening exercises, addresses by public men, interspersed with instrumental music.

The floral exhibits will be judged during the day and before the general public are admitted.

Monday. 8 a. m.--Buildings opened. 11 a. m.--Start of grand labor parade, which will terminate at the exhibition grounds about 1 o'clock. It is expected 2,500 men will be in line, with a number of floats. All the city bands will be in the parade. On reaching the grounds the parade will pass in review before the grand stand.

1.30 p. m.--Band concert in main building and on grounds.

2 p. m.--Special amusement programme before the grand stand by the four Lakens, who will give a thrilling exhibition of horizontal bar gymnastics.

Parade of teamsters' horses, which will be judged.

2.30 p. m.--Athletic sports under auspices of the labor unions on exhibition grounds. First vaudeville performance in large amusement hall, and moving pictures in small amusement hall, Agricultural building.

7.30 p. m.--Band concert in main building. Loken's gymnastic exhibition before grand stand.

8.00 p. m.--First display of fireworks from the grounds with amusement hall programme and moving pictures immediately following.

Tuesday. 9.00 a. m.--Judging of medium draught horses commences in horse ring; of beef and dairy cattle in the stock ring and of agricultural products in agricultural hall.

1.30 p. m.--Band concert in main building. Base ball match on grounds, Rosses vs. Alerts.

2.30 p. m.--Performances in amusement hall.

3.00 p. m.--Judging of carriage horses in harness.

7.30 p. m.--Band concert in main building and Lakens before grand stand.

8.00 p. m.--Fireworks display, followed by amusement hall programmes.

Wednesday. 9.00 a. m.--Judging of carriage horses and standard bred horses continues, as well as in other classes.

1.30 p. m.--Band concert in main building.

2.00 p. m.--Lakens before the grand stand.

2.30 p. m.--Amusement hall performances. Horse races at Moospath Park. 2.34 class, trot and pace, purse \$200; 2.40 class, trot and pace, purse \$200. A special race train will leave the foot of Sydney street at 2 o'clock.

Wednesday evening's programme will be the same as Tuesday evening's.

Thursday. 9.00 a. m.--Judging in various classes continues. Judging of thoroughbred horses commences before the grand stand.

10.00 a. m.--Meeting of executive committee of the Farmers' and Dairymen's Association in the live stock commission's office.

1.30 p. m.--Band concert in main building.

2.00 p. m.--Lakens exhibition before the grand stand, followed by amusement hall programmes. Horse races at Moospath Park. 2.28 class trot and pace, purse \$200; free-for-all, trot and pace, purse \$500.

7.30 p. m.--The evening's programme will be the same as Wednesday evening, with an especially brilliant display of fireworks.

Friday. 9.00 a. m.--Draught competition, horse shoeing competition. Completion of judging in other classes.

1.30 p. m.--Band concert in main building.

Canada and France.

Premier Laurier's Address at Lille Banquet.

Hopes to See France an Open Market for Canadian Products--Canada an Exceptionally Good Place for Frenchmen Who Wish to Emigrate.

Toronto, Aug. 28.—(Special)—The Telegram's cable from Paris says: "The directors of the Lille Exhibition, which Sir Wilfrid Laurier visited yesterday, tendered a banquet to the dominion premier in the evening. In replying to the toast of his health, Sir Wilfrid said: 'Our political relations are broken, but our commercial relations may be re-mended. You have an open market in Canada and I flatter myself with the hope of seeing France an open market for Canadian products. Frenchmen wishing to emigrate to Canada will find most exceptional conditions prevailing for settlement. It is useless,' he continued, 'to speculate on what might have been had Canada continued under French regime. It was under the eyes of England that French Canadians had cultivated a worship of France and if France had inspired that worship, Canadians had preserved it and Great Britain had respected it.'"

FAMOUS SCIENTIST NEAR DEATH.

Professor Virchow's Strength Unmistakably Failing.

Berlin, Aug. 28.—Professor Virchow, the famous scientist, appears to be near his end. The German Medical Weekly regrets to announce on information obtained from the physicians who are treating him that the improvement of last week has not been maintained and that his strength is unmistakably failing.

Call Their Cattle Good.

Five Thousand Under Influence, and It is Spreading--Turn Live Stock Loose on Prairies--Government Likely to Interfere to Prevent Suffering.

Winnipeg, Aug. 28.—(Special)—Private advice received by an official today is to the effect that the dominion government will interfere in the case of the Doukhobors, who are under the influence of a religious mania. Five thousand are affected and the mania seems to be spreading. They have discarded the use of their cattle and other live stock, claiming they are gods, and have turned them loose on the prairie.

Russia in the Black Sea.

Czar's Ships Studying Turkish Coast Line--Unbusiness Caused.

London, Aug. 27.—The Times' Vienna correspondent reports that city says that the recent visit of the Russian squadron to the Turkish coast on the Black Sea created uneasiness in Constantinople. The Russians formerly used to be invited to the coast, but the change is attributed to the Grand Duke Alexander, who has induced the Czar to allow these visits in the future. The grand duke, after invading Turkish ports last year, boasted, so it is said, that he knew more about Turkish coasts on the Black Sea than all the Ottoman naval officers put together.

NEW BRUNSWICK DROWNED.

Word Received of Sad Death of Ludlow B. Lyon of Welsford.

Welsford, N. B., Aug. 28.—The sad news has just been received by Geo. Lyon, of Welsford, of the drowning of his brother, Ludlow B. Lyon, in the Spokane river (Idaho). He had been working in the winter in British Columbia all winter when he had several claims. He thought he would go down to Post Falls (Idaho) to see his brother, Leveritt Lyon, and take a rest.

After being there about a month he started out one day to shoot ducks in the Spokane river, which runs past his brother's ranch. He was out a while and came back and worked around, then went out again and did not return.

The brother thinking perhaps he had called on some friends, did not go to look for him that night, but the next morning he got uneasy about him. So they formed a party of 28 men and searched the woods closely for two days, but no trace could be found.

The police in nearby towns were informed and an advertisement was put in two papers, but still there was no trace.

On the 17th of August, after searching for six days, Mr. Lyon thought he would search the Spokane river and there he found the body floating. The river has falls in places perpendicular, of 50 feet and it is thought the unfortunate man had lost his footing on one of these places and fallen over and was drowned. He was a good swimmer, but he will never be known how he was drowned or he was taken. He leaves his aged mother and three brothers, one brother, Bradford Lyon, living in Eureka, Ontario; George Lyon, of Ross Hill (Idaho), and George Lyon, of Welsford, Queens county, N. B.

ing. Base ball match, Rosses vs. Alerts.

2.00 p. m.--Lakens in front of grand stand.

2.30 p. m.--Amusement hall programmes.

3.00 p. m.--Parade and judging of matched pairs and carriage horses.

4.4 p. m.--Concert by Westminster Abbey Coronation Choir in the large amusement hall.

7.30 p. m.--Band concert in main building. Lakens before grand stand.

8.00 p. m.--Amusement hall performances.

9.00 p. m.--Second concert by Westminster Abbey choir in large amusement hall.

Saturday. Children's day. The afternoon and evening programmes will include amusement features and fireworks. At 2.30 p. m. a grand parade of all prize winning horses and cattle will be held. The exhibition will close on Saturday night.

Fireworks. The fireworks programme will be the finest ever seen in St. John. In addition to hundreds of rockets, Roman candles, shooting stars, fire cascades, turbanes and magnificent jet pieces, the concluding spectacle will be a naval pyrotechnic display, the taking of the Taku forts. This is a brilliant set piece, more than 125 feet long. The Chinese fortifications and attacking war ships are shown in fireworks.

The guns of the fort play on the ships and the ships in turn conduct a heavy bombardment with lyddite shells. A shell penetrates to the magazines of the forts, which explode, hurling their contents high in the air. The forts are blown to pieces and the set piece terminates amidst the tremendous detonations of cannon, bursting of shells and the dazzling light of numerous naval pyrotechnic war devices.

Lodging Bureau. To accommodate the vast number of visitors who are expected to be in the city the association has decided to establish a lodging bureau in the building adjoining the Western Union office, Prince William street. This will be in charge of Fred W. James and persons having lodgings to let are requested to register there. While the fair is in progress the bureau will be open day and night.

The first big influx of visitors is expected to arrive on Monday when there will be an excursion from Halifax. The excursion will be run every day over the I. C. R. and C. P. R. and there will be a special boat from Fredericton on Monday.

Each amusement hall is this year situated in the agricultural building. In the larger one where the vaudeville performances will be given the entrance is provided for 1200 people. This hall is entered from the large door at the north of the building while access to the reserved seats is by the centre door.

The other amusement hall in which the moving pictures will be shown is at the southern end of the building. Here there are seating for 800 people. Both are capable of largely increased accommodation by the use of extra chairs.

Manager Hubbard received Tuesday a telegram from Hon. J. Israel Tarte to the effect that he was uncertain whether or not he could be in St. John in time to participate in the opening of the fair. He was just leaving Ottawa for Toronto and will advise Mr. Hubbard definitely in a day or two.

A distinctive cap has been prepared for those occupying office before the grand stand. The special police will wear navy blue yachting caps, with their titles inscribed on the white band. The officials will answer questions in caps similar to those of the police, but with the word "Staff" on the band, while the ticket sellers will take in currency under the shade of little scarlet sun caps, with their position signified in gilt letters on black ribbon.

The house committee also met last evening and talked matters over.

A scene of industry in the exhibition building these days and from early morning till late at night the sound of saw and hammer resounds through the long galleries, while busy workers through the building everywhere. The various booths are beginning to take definite form and by Saturday the chaos which now prevails will have been reduced to complete order and the fair be in attractive readiness for the public.

The coming exhibition promises to be one of the best in many years, not only from a standpoint of numerous exhibits, but in artistic effect, for unusual amount of care along these lines is being taken by possessors of space and the result promises to be a triumph in brilliant and striking decoration.

The lower part of the main building has some very pretty places already in good shape, among which is the space where Heinz & Company, of Boston, will make an exhibit of pickles and preserves. This is the show. Hundreds of yards of green and white check cloth are being used in firm's decorating up an artist in his line.

The Baker Company, of Boston, will exhibit in a handsome booth of dark crimson, with gold decorations, while near by the oak finish of Dunlap, Cooke & Company's space for the exhibition of fur garments makes a rich combination of color tones.

H. E. Gould, the florist, will make a very large display and fountains and other attractive accessories are being installed.

The Jamaica exhibit of fruits, etc., promises to be of the deepest interest, as

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MORGAN WILL NOT HELP END MINERS' STRIKE

Financial King Sees No Reason Why He Should Interfere in Trouble.

WAR TO BITTER END

Evident the Only Part Morgan Will Take Will Be in Support of the Operators--Panther Valley Situation Looking Serious--Mitche Has No Word.

New York, Aug. 26--It is war to the bitter end between the operators and the miners, who have not worked for nearly four months.

This was decided today, after a lengthy conference between the operators, reports of which were made to J. Pierpont Morgan, and in pursuance of a policy which he outlined when he said recently that there was no reason why he should interfere, and that it was his desire that the persons involved should settle the matter in their own way.

That he will not take any part in the conflict, further than his support will be given to the operators, was evident today. He first had an interview with the head of one of the roads, who has been accredited with being the prime factor in the movement to prevent any efforts at arbitration or mediation between his own people and the strikers, and after a conference between this man and his fellows, another report was made to Mr. Morgan, and then a brief but decisive ultimatum was set forth.

Although none who knows was communicative, there is little doubt that the mining railroad companies intended to go ahead and resume operations in all the mines for which they can furnish men, taking care to start the most productive mines first. This was shown by the president calling for their general managers and consulting with them at length, after which the managers sent for their superintendents of locomotive power and talked with them for hours.

To those who understand the ways of the railways it was simply the first move in preparation for a resumption of work in the mines and a general desire to get as much coal as possible moving toward this city in the shortest time possible. In furtherance of this scheme it is known that for some days thousands of cars have been sent to the Atlantic region, where they might be in readiness to take aboard every ton of coal that might be awaiting them.

In accordance with his custom, George B. Baer, president of the Philadelphia Reading railroad, came to this city by Philadelphia early in the morning and went at once to his office in the Central building. That the place where the president of the roads who are most interested in the mining of anthracite have met weekly since the beginning of the strike.

From his own office Mr. Baer went to that of Mr. Morgan. When he entered the private room of the financier he found several others in conference. Not a word of the subject under discussion could be learned, but it was noticed by some who saw Mr. Baer as he left Mr. Morgan that he seemed to be pleased.

Mr. Baer, when seen by a reporter, said: "I wish to say only that the issues of the strike are just the same now as when the strike began. Nothing has occurred to alter the policy of the operators and they see no reason why it should be changed. We will give no consideration to any plan of arbitration or mediation or to any interference on the part of any outside party. Our policy was fixed from the very beginning, and it will remain so until the very end."

"As far as the situation at the mines is concerned we consider it is improving daily. There will be no recognition of the union. Indeed, they must surrender all the principles for which they have fought in the last four months."

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Aug. 26--A conference of President Mitchell and the chief union officials of the region started today and will continue tomorrow. President Mitchell tonight refused to say anything further than that he had received no offer of settlement from the operators. Neither would he discuss the stand maintained by the coal presidents at their conference with Mr. Morgan in New York today.

Tamaqua, Pa., Aug. 27--The situation in the Panther Creek valley tonight is serious. At 8 o'clock the streets of Lansford and Summit Hill were thronged with strikers. Early in the evening two companies of the 12th Regiment were sent through the valley on a trolley car. All along the line the soldiers were hooped and jeered and it was not deemed prudent to take them off the cars.

Tamaqua, Pa., Aug. 27--The fact that the striking miners in the Panther Creek Valley are in a very tight place was shown today when several of the poles of the trolley line which runs from this place to Summit Hill were chopped down and the wires cut. This was probably done to incapacitate the line and prevent troops taking train from Mansfield where they are encamped, to Lansford and Summit Hill.

Shah Dined by President Loubet. Paris, Aug. 28--The Shah of Persia visited M. Loubet today and lunched with the president. M. Delcasse, the minister of foreign affairs, was present. The Shah returned to Paris during the afternoon.

BIG FIRE AT WALLACE. OLD MAN MISSING AND SUPPOSED BURNED TO DEATH.

General Store of C. W. Morris Destroyed and Two Other Buildings Damaged--The Little Nova Scotia Town Receives a Severe Shock.

Wallace, N. S., Aug. 27--(Special)--Fire here last night completely destroyed the large general store of C. W. Morris and an adjoining building. The fire also spread to a third building, but at 4 a. m. was believed to be under control.

An old man named James Chambers, a shoemaker, who was in the large building at midnight, is missing and it is supposed he has been burned to death. The fire is supposed to have caught from the overturning of a lamp or from a carelessly thrown match by some young folks who were in the building late in the evening.

The store was occupied by Mr. Morris. It is believed he has some insurance.

ASK THAT BRITISH WARSHIP BE SENT. Ciudad Bolivar Bombaraded by Venezuelan Government Vessel--Atrocities Alleged.

Caracas, Venezuela, Aug. 26--Ciudad Bolivar (capital of the State of Bolivar), has been bombarded by a Venezuelan government warship and many persons were killed or wounded. The place has a large British population and the British subjects have requested that a warship of Great Britain be sent for their protection. It is alleged that atrocities have been committed at Ciudad Bolivar by both the government troops and the revolutionaries.

Washington, Aug. 26--In view of cable reports from Europe indicating that a movement is on foot to have the United States join Germany, France and other powers with a view of suppressing the disorder in Venezuela, it is learned at the state department that no such move as the one suggested has taken official form. Caracas, Venezuela, Aug. 26--Ciudad Bolivar is still at the mercy of the revolutionaries. The town was fired upon by the gunboats Bolivar and Restaurador, which attempted to land forces to re-occupy the place.

There are no foreign warships in the Orinoco river to protect the interests of the powers, and the British government is being blamed for abandoning the 3,000 subjects of Great Britain.

MASONIC LAWN PARTY AT ANNAPOLIS. Members of Fraternity Enjoy Function and Help Pay the Debt on Temple.

Annapolis, N. S., Aug. 27--(Special)--A most delightful masonic lawn party, under the auspices of the Annapolis Royal Lodge of Free Masons, was held this evening on the spacious grounds of Mrs. Robinson. It was largely attended. The handsome lawn presented a fine appearance. It was illuminated with Japanese lanterns hung in the trees, and the tables and chairs about the grounds were artistically arranged. Refreshments were served. During the evening the Annapolis Royal Brass band discoursed some nice selections, which added greatly to the enjoyment of the occasion. A sum was realized which will greatly assist in paying off the indebtedness incurred in the building of the masonic temple, which is a credit to the fraternity of Annapolis and an ornament to the town.

MRS. MARSTEN TAKEN TO FREDERICTON JAIL. Arrived With Her Three Weeks Old Child in Custody of Deputy Sheriff Hawthorne

Fredericton, Aug. 26--(Special)--Mrs. Annie Marsten, of Meductic, who was committed for trial on charge of poisoning her husband, was brought here today by Deputy Sheriff Hawthorne. Upon leaving the train they were driven to the county jail, where Mrs. Marsten will be kept in custody until her trial in January. The prisoner brought her three-weeks-old baby with her to Fredericton.

NEW NOVA SCOTIA RAILWAY. Contract for Line from New Germany to Caledonia Signed.

Halifax, Aug. 27--A despatch from Bridgewater says that the first contract on the Halifax and Southwestern Railway was awarded yesterday. Henry Sordis has signed the contract to build the line from New Germany to Caledonia. The railway company have ordered 2,500 tons of rails to be delivered in Bridgewater in October.

Welsh Miners aid U. S. Miners. London, Aug. 28--At a meeting today of the council of the South Wales Miners' Federation it was decided to forward \$5,000 to aid the striking miners of the United States.

ROOSEVELT'S TRIUMPHANT TOUR OF MAINE. President of United States Was at the Bangor Fair Yesterday.

Meets an Old Friend. Bill Sewall, an Old-time Hunting Companion, Gets a Kindly Reception from the Chief Executive--The President Left for New Hampshire.

Ellsworth, Me., Aug. 27--The president's second day state was full of interest. Starting from the governor's residence at an early hour, he was taken for a short drive about the city of Augusta, and at 10 left for Bangor where the principal speech of the day was delivered at the fair grounds in the presence of an immense audience. At Waterville on the morning of his coming, a general holiday was declared and all business was suspended.

Just before leaving Augusta the president heard that his old guide, "Bill" Sewall, of Island Falls, Me., who had accompanied him on many hunting expeditions and who had for a time been employed on his ranch in Dakota, was at Bangor. He immediately wired Congressman Powers at Bangor to corral him and stop in front of the train. The president then proceeded to the fair grounds where the instructions were fully given when he produced the "all right" signal. Bill Sewall is still at the mercy of the revolutionaries. "I am glad to see you," said the president, whereupon Bill replied: "You are not a gladder man than I am." Then the president told the story of his friendship of many years with the old guide and hunter, and how, many years ago, while on a hunting trip through Maine, owing to the shortage in the meat supply, they had eaten muskrat together, which, the president said, was the last meal he had eaten in Maine before this trip. The president seemed to delight in the rural simplicity of the man and insisted that he should sit down to dinner with him. Bill was escorted to the platform by the executive of the nation and the governor of the state.

On the drive through Bangor a pretty little incident occurred at the orphan's home. The president's carriage was held up in front of the home where the little tots were assembled and they greeted him in song. Before beginning to speak at the fair grounds, the president mentioned the jamming and pushing of the crowd in front of the grand stand, cautioned the people to be careful of the women and children and asked them to show their capacity to manage themselves, which immediately had the desired effect. He quickly caught hold of the president's hand and, upon leaving the platform drove around the track in response to cries from the audience that he do so. Tonight the president dined at the home of Senator Hale, who accompanied the party from Bangor. At the depot when the train pulled in the president was greeted by a large number of people and delivered a short address. He left at 10 o'clock for Nashua (N. H.), and other points in that state, where he will speak tomorrow.

MANY WOMEN AMONG HARVEST EXCURSIONISTS. From 1500 to 2,000 Expected--Total Arrivals Now Number 12,000.

Winnipeg, Aug. 27--(Special)--The special harvesters excursion train arrived tonight with about 600 from Quebec and points east. They will be sent west tomorrow morning. The brings the total number now landed up to 12,000. This year the cry for more female help has been responded to, and it has been estimated that from 1,500 to 2,000 women have come or will come from the east by this year's harvesters' excursions. Many of these are going to assist friends in the farming communities and few are open for engagement when they reach Winnipeg.

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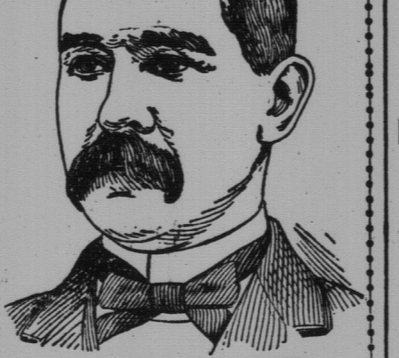
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BATTLE IMMINENT. Castro and the Revolutionists--All Telegraph and Telephone Lines Cut

Wilmington, Island of Curacao, Aug. 28--A battle between the army commanded by President Castro, of Venezuela, and the revolutionists of that republic is imminent. The president returned from San Casar to Cur, 25 miles south of Curacao, and is marching on Ocumare, 60 miles west of Caracas, where the advance guard of the government army is stationed.

The revolutionists occupy La Encarnacion, only a few leagues from Ocumare. All the telegraph and telephone lines are cut.

"PE-RU-NA NECESSARY TO THE HOME." (Says Prof. Talfourd Smith, of Georgia.)



Professor Talfourd Smith, Principal Silem High School, Silem, Ga., writes: "With much pleasure I recommend Peruna to all who may be suffering with any trouble of the respiratory organs. I have been using it in my family for the past five or six years and find it to be almost a grand catarrh remedy and general tonic and will do all that is claimed for it by the manufacturers."

Peruna is an infallible remedy for numerous ailments, such as colds, influenza, whooping cough, croup, bronchitis, asthma, hay fever, and all other troubles of the throat, nose, and lungs. It is a powerful expectorant and will loosen the most stubborn phlegm. It is also a powerful tonic and will build up the system. It is a safe and reliable remedy for all ailments of the respiratory system.

A FIND IN CAPE BRETON. Iron Box Said to Contain Treasure, Found at Bail's Creek.

Sydney, Aug. 26--An iron box said to contain treasure has been discovered at Bail's Creek, at the head of Northwest Arm, nine miles from Sydney. The box was discovered a few days ago by a man named Ball, of Bail's Creek, and another man from Sydney Mines. A diver from North Sydney has been secured to help in the removal of the heavy iron box, which lies in about eight feet of water. Some years ago a hardwood stake, with chain attached, ascended from the bottom of the creek near where the box was discovered, and it was thought then that it belonged to some old pirate or treasure ship, and a thorough search was made of the whole creek by the people about there, but nothing more was found that would lead to the belief that any wealth was lying in its shallow waters. It is stated that on several occasions boats from French warships lying in Sydney harbor have gone up that creek and spent hours in surveying and taking soundings, and this leads to the belief that a real treasure has been discovered.

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CHICAGO CHURCH SUS. Chicago, Aug. 26--For the purpose of ascertaining what proportion of the population of Chicago attends church on Sunday, the Record-Herald last Sunday made a count of the men and women at the larger places of worship within the city. The general results follow: Men at church, 80,844; women at church, 127,723. Total, 208,567. The total number of churches in Chicago, according to the city directory for 1922, is 668. Manifestly it would be impossible to count the attendance at all of these churches, except by elaborate preparation. One hundred and twenty-five leading churches were, therefore, selected, and a careful count was made of the people present, with the following results: Men, 26,940; women, 41,241; total, 68,181.

REPORTS SCHOONER WITH SMALLPox AT DALHOUSIE. Ottawa, Aug. 26--(Special)--The marine department has been advised by Dalhousie (N.B.), with a case of smallpox on board.

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The government paid \$13,000 towards the building fund. This was paid annually in sums of \$1,000. When \$11,000 still remained to be paid the director of the institution capitalized the amount and received from Sidney Murray \$7,440 for it. This with two warrants amounting to \$2,000 made the total received for the \$13,000 equal to \$9,440. The interest on the money while on deposit amounted to \$870.61. The building fund was placed in the hands of the deputy receiver general in the Bank of British North America and was paid out on the application of George J. White, the deputy receiver general in grants to the institution \$31,000, consisting of \$18,000 for maintenance and \$13,000 for the building fund. This did not include the municipal grants which came through the educational department. The grant for this year had not been paid as no application had been made and if it were made he would refer the matter to the government before making payment. The auditor-general signs the warrant and it was quite within his province to refuse to do so, or even withhold the warrant.

Robert B. Wallace chief clerk of the education office, was called and testified to the warrants issued to the Deaf and Dumb Institution by the deputy receiver and payable by municipalities out of the school grants. The pupils, under the act, are only admitted to the institution on the certificate of the wardens of the municipality giving the age and further particulars. These certificates are then approved by the provincial secretary. The directors of the institution are required to send a list, half yearly, of the pupils upon which the municipal grant can be drawn and the return made by the deputy receiver to the government before making payment. The auditor-general signs the warrant and it was quite within his province to refuse to do so, or even withhold the warrant.

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Summit Hill, Pa., Aug. 26--Excitement prevails throughout the Panther Creek Valley today. At daybreak the strikers assembled to prevent non-union men from going to work. Anticipating trouble, Major Gearheart sent two companies of soldiers in trolley cars to this place and their presence prevented a possible outbreak. Several non-unionists had been attacked and the town was in a turmoil. The soldiers escorted the workmen through the mob that had collected and placed them in safety on the cars which carried them to their work.

CANADIAN ARCH DISMANTLED AND SOLD. Brought Twenty Pounds As Timber--Homecoming.

Toronto, Aug. 26--(Special)--The Telegraph from London says: "The Canadian arch in White Hall, which cost more than \$1,000 to erect has been dismantled and sold for \$20 to Ealing, merchant, who will use the material for building purposes. The timber used in the construction of the arch weighed 40 tons. "Sir William Mulock will sail for Canada via New York on the Campania Saturday. Sir F.W. Borden and Messrs. Fielding and Paterson will sail by the Lusitania for Montreal, September 11."

KINGSTON IS CHOSEN FOR THE MODEL SCHOOL. Middleton, N. S., and Pownal, P. E. I., Also to Be Rural Educational Centres.

Ottawa, Aug. 26--(Special)--Honourable Deputy Commissioner Robertson has returned from the maritime provinces. In regard to the announcement that Sir William Macdonald, of Montreal, would provide in each of the provinces an object lesson of an improved and consolidated rural school, he says that in Prince Edward Island the consolidated school will be placed in the Pownal district; in Nova Scotia, Middleton has been chosen, and in New Brunswick, Kingston, Kings county. Under the plan of these Macdonald rural schools, from five to eight small rural schools in the locality will be closed and the children from the whole area will be conveyed in vans to a central graded school.

The main feature will be a small plot of ground for each child attending the school. This plot will be practically an out of door state. The school will be managed by a board of school trustees elected by the whole district, served by it, and expenditure for maintenance above the cost of maintaining the small school houses existing at the present time will be paid from the rural school fund provided by Sir William Macdonald during a period of three years. A traveling instructor will be provided for each province for a period of three years.

The group of rural schools in Nova Scotia will likely be in the neighborhood of Truro. The group of schools for the province of New Brunswick will be in the St. John valley, between Woodstock and Andover. Commissioner Robertson notices improvements in the agriculture of the maritime provinces.

HOPE OF COAL STRIKE ARBITRATION GONE. Senator Hanna Gives Up for Operators Won't Agree--Morgan Could End It, Says Russell Sage

Buffalo, Aug. 26--Senator Hanna yesterday for the first time stated that he had abandoned all efforts to end the coal strike. He said it with evident sorrow, for his sympathies apparently are with the miners, and he believes the operators should meet them in arbitration. "I have exhausted my efforts," Senator Hanna said. "I have done all in my power and can do no more. I will make no further attempt, for it would be useless. There is no arbitration when only one side is willing to arbitrate. The miners are willing to arbitrate. The operators are not. The miners will stand out as long as they are able. It will not be a short fight."

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GOOD HARVESTING PROGRESS. Ideal Conditions in Western Canada--Yield Larger Than Last Year in Manitoba.

Winnipeg, Aug. 26--(Special)--Telegraph reports are received from correspondents at the chief grain centres of Western Canada telling of progress of harvest. Every one speaks of ideal conditions. In Manitoba cutting is general, the yield is much larger than last year, ranging from 25 to 35 bushels to the acre. A scarcity of harvest hands is mentioned by many. Toronto, Aug. 25--(Special)--The following telegram was received today by James Hartney, Manitoba immigrant agent in this city, from Hugh McKellar, deputy minister of agriculture, Winnipeg: "Harvest on a grand scale. Men all picked up on arrival. Will want full complement, 20,000 men."

Only 11,000 men arrived at Winnipeg so far, and agents all over Eastern Canada have been instructed to get the necessary additional 9,000 not later than Wednesday, Sept. 3. Mr. Hartney is busy formulating plans by which it is hoped to secure the necessary help within the time named.

The stick insect of Borneo, the largest insect known, is sometimes 13 inches long. It is wingless, but some species of stick insects have beautiful colored wings that fold like fans. Thirty thousand dollars was paid recently for a bronze statuette of Hercules the concluding sale of the Bordin collection in London. The total amount realized by the entire collection was \$28,000.

OUR COUNTRY CORRESPONDENCE.

ST. ANDREWS.

St. Andrews, Aug. 28.—Though other summer resorts in other climes have suffered from lack of tourist travel, owing to the bad weather this season, St. Andrews has been exempt from that complaint. Never in the history of the town as a summer resort has it been so congested as during the past fortnight. Hotels and boarding houses have been crowded and many private houses have been invaded for rooms. It is the prevailing opinion that further hotel accommodation is required. This view is shared in by no less an influential personage than Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, manager of the C. P. R., who says that one of the chief requirements of St. Andrews is a large hotel with rates a little lower than those prevailing at the Algonquin.

Sir Thomas's summer cottage is rapidly approaching completion. It is a commodious summer house—conveniently large, yet not very costly. During the three months that it has been in course of construction \$2000 has been distributed in wages to the workmen. Mr. O'Leary, the contractor, early adopted the policy of giving employment to all the local men that he could. It was only when he found he could not get sufficient hands here that he imported them from Montreal and St. John.

Golf is the great game at St. Andrews, among the summer visitors. The man or woman who does not play golf, is simply not in it. Among the most enthusiastic golfers are the Misses MacLaren and Hazen, of St. John. Miss T. MacLaren carried off a handsome cup last week in the mixed foursome, the winning gentleman being Bruce M. McLeod, manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia, Woodstock.

Capt. Pitt, of Antigonish, who has been held for a week past negotiating for the steamer Marguerite. The deal is about closed.

Yacht Maple Leaf, which was hired in St. John by Mr. McColl, a wealthy New York gentleman, has been showing some of the "boats about here" what she can do in the way of sailing. The other day she showed a clean pair of heels to Van Horne's fast life-built boat.

Many of the John people are to be seen about St. Andrews' streets this summer. Mrs. George F. Smith and her three daughters are at Mrs. Fred G. Andrews' cottage. Mrs. John H. Thomson and Miss Thomson are at the Algonquin and their team may often be seen driving about. Mr. John H. Thomson spent Sunday here.

D. W. Newcomb, of Woodstock, and W. F. Noble, of St. John, two C. P. R. men, ran into St. Andrews on the former's gasoline motor Monday afternoon. They drove down pretty lively, covering some of the stretches at 25 miles an hour.

Rev. J. de Soyres occupied All Saints' church pulpit Sunday last, preaching two eloquent sermons.

St. Mark's Lodge, A. F. & A. M., held a very successful affair at home this evening. George B. Williams, of New York, gave dramatic readings; there was some excellent singing by local talent and some very choice confectaries were served. Together it was a most enjoyable evening, and reflects much credit upon the Masons of St. Andrews.

The work room of the Public Works department, which was suspended August 15, was resumed today. Mr. Armstrong's having been successful in obtaining a sufficient sum from the public works department to complete the undertaking.

Several of the sardine weirs in this vicinity (notably at Chatham) have yielded good returns this summer, but for the most part the season has been dull for the fishermen. Haddock and line fish are also scarce.

The Algonquin Hotel will close Sept. 10. It is not yet known under whose auspices it will open next season.

Miss Kelly, head landress at the Algonquin, had one of her hands badly crushed in the mangle Saturday. She has gone to the general hospital, St. John, for treatment.

Rev. D. J. Fraser, of St. John, is here and will occupy Rev. A. W. Mahon's pulpit Sunday, the latter going to St. John for the day.

Sunday next will be Hospital Sunday in St. Andrews.

A drove of handsome Southdown sheep from the Chatham farm, has been sent to the Ottawa exhibition. They will take in the other Canadian shows. The farm will also be represented at the St. John exhibition.

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Owen Scottie, a millionaire tobacco manufacturer of Detroit (Mich.), is enjoying an outing on the Tobique in company with George Armstrong, general manager of the Fredericton Brass Band, and a number of others from here attended.

Doctor Inch, chief superintendent of education, accompanied by Mrs. Inch, will leave tomorrow for Sackville where Mrs. Inch will visit her daughter, Mrs. H. H. Ingham. The doctor will proceed to Winnipeg as a delegate to the Methodist general conference, and before returning home will cross the continent to Vancouver and Victoria.

J. Chapman Hartley, of Woodstock, counsel for Mrs. George Marsten, accused of the murder of her husband and now in jail here awaiting trial, was here today. Mr. Hartley may in a few days make application to Judge Gregory for bail for the accused woman.

Fred. A. Estey, who has been spending a few days at his home here, will leave tomorrow for Edmundston to make ready for next season's lumbering operations on the Rockaway. He will take eight horses.

The annual picnic of the Church of England congregation of Fredericton Junction was held at that place today. The members of the Fredericton Brass Band and a number of others from here attended.

Miss Kate Moore, eldest daughter of Ald. John Moore, is to be married at Boston, Sept. 3, to George Swimmer, of the firm of Baker & Swimmer.

tion all within a radius of five miles of Kingston. It was not expected that Cliff which has always had a good school, would be willing to come five miles and join hands with Kingston, but it is understood that they are willing to unite with Kingston and the surrounding districts and so enjoy the great advantages that will be derived if Kingston is only fortunate enough to be the chosen situation.

Congratulations are being extended to Mr. and Mrs. Audrey D. Northrup upon the arrival of a daughter on Thursday, the 21st inst.

The farmers are having a very serious time in getting the hay crop this season as the prolonged wet weather makes it a difficult task.

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John Keoughan had his leg broken today at Nelson while helping to load a steambath. Mr. Keoughan is more than 60 years old and lives at Lower Newcastle.

Rutia Wright, of Moncton, visited his parents in Fredericton yesterday.

H. H. Stuart, principal of the Superior School here, came today from his home at Fredericton Junction, accompanied by Mrs. Stuart.

King's condition appears much the same tonight, but hopes of his recovery have been abandoned and he is considered steadily sinking.

A "labeled" boy, giving the name of Fred Wood, aged 18 years, tramped the streets of Moncton today asking for work. The lad visited other mills and stores, but, although unable to find employment he still talked cheerfully this afternoon of finding steady work.

Wood says he arrived here from the north at 2:30 from St. John, where he has been living of late. He says his parents are dead and that he belongs to Windsor (N. S.), but that he lived in Fredericton six years. According to his story he has wandered around a good deal, but is now anxious to settle down and get steady employment.

The eight-year-old boy, who was found friendless in search of something to do excited pity, but the cheerfulness of the lad tended to relieve the harshness of the case.

Rev. S. J. Arsenault, formerly of St. Joseph's College staff, now in charge of the parish of St. Thomas (North Dakota) is home on short visit, after an absence of two years. Father Tessier, who has spent the past year at St. Centre College (Quebec), returns to St. Joseph's College this year to teach philosophy and French literature.

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If such an idea were adopted we see no reason why passengers and mails could not be landed after an ocean voyage of four and a half days under a service not faster than 20 knots, while the steamers could proceed to their natural freight destination at a decreased rate of speed.

The original idea so stoutly maintained in this city in 1896 that the matter of terminals should be left to the choice of the contracting steamship line, it seems to us the result would be that outlined by us.

More than a question of finance. The Telegraph is informed that at the meeting of the committee of management of the Fredericton Institution for the Education of the Deaf and Dumb on Monday evening last a suggestion was made to vote out of the funds on hand a sum to cover the salaries of the Principal and other officials.

Hard coal prospects. The coal shortage is at present a very interesting topic and any accurate information upon it is of value.

The fast line. There seems to be need of cohesion in public sentiment, if any practical results are to be attained in the establishment of an improved Atlantic service between Canada and Great Britain.

His robust sentiments. Upon his recent return from England, Premier Tweedie, in a reported interview, made some remarks which seem to have greatly pleased the people of Ontario as well as those of his own province.

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An American game. The Erie Canal, which was one of the primary causes of the United States to acquire the terminal ports of the New York, was constructed before the era of railways.

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CURRENT OPINION.

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The Coal Trust. Coal Trust President Fowler says: "Neither Bishop Potter nor Senator Hanna, nor the Civic Federation, nor Senators Quay or Brewster will change the situation."

The Wealth in the Soil. For years the farmers' sons have flocked to the towns and cities, imbued with the idea that the education received so readily under our school facilities was wasted in the life of a farmer.

A New Power Rising. A succession of magnificent harvests, a period of great business prosperity on this continent, general and favorable business and agricultural conditions over much of the world have helped to make Canada fast these latter years.

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Worth and Low Prices join hands at this sale of a lifetime. Each succeeding day makes a bigger hole in the stock. The opportunity to fit out yourself and family for such a small amount of money will soon be over.

Now is the Time. Of course you are coming to the exhibition. It will be well worth seeing. But other exhibitions will in all probability be held again. Like the exhibition, this sale is now on, but, unlike exhibitions, another sale of like proportions may not occur in a lifetime.

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LOCAL AND PROVINCIAL.

The report from Dr. A. A. Stockton, at Boston, is more favorable. The physicians here have been able to give him temporary relief.

George McConnell, who has for several years conducted a grocery business in the North End has closed out his business to accept a position with a tea company.

The Germain street Baptist church board of management, which recently acquired the vacant lot next to the church are having it cleared up and made presentable.

Frederick Morin, of Stanley, and Miss Susan Campbell, daughter of George Campbell, of this city, were united in marriage at the Methodist parsonage, Carleton, on Wednesday of last week. Rev. Henry Penna performed the ceremony.

Rev. H. H. Cozman has decided to sever his connection with the Seamen's Mission and take up active duties as a minister. It is understood that his field of labor will be in Yarmouth county (N. S.), where he has received a call to a church.

The tent meeting for the promotion of Bible readings at Havodok Corner, will be continued over Sunday, 31st inst. Rev. J. H. Coy in charge. Rev. G. W. McDonald will preach on Sunday. Other workers will be in attendance. All are invited.

Captain Pitt, with the steamer Marguerite, arrived in St. John Thursday afternoon from St. Andrews by way of L'Etete Passage. The captain made the trip in eight hours and reports the Marguerite ready for the Robbeway, Long Island and Clifton ferry route.

W. H. Nugent, of Springfield, Kings county, was in the city Tuesday with a sample of ore which he believes indicates that he has a valuable property. While digging a post hole on his farm the other day he came across what he believes is ore rich in iron. Near by is a mineral spring which gives him more assurance that there is something in his find. Mr. Nugent's visit to the city was to have the ore analyzed.

Visitors to the big St. John exhibition should not miss calling at the Robertson, Trice & Co. dry goods store on Charlotte street, the splendid situation opposite King square (near the Dufferin Hotel) and handsome interior, makes it one of the most popular shops in St. John. In addition to selling everything at most reasonable prices, they give customers a five per cent. cash discount off amount of purchase. See their advt. on page three to-day.

The Trades and Labor Council at a meeting Thursday night selected W. Frank Hatheway and George V. McInerney as candidates for election to the New Brunswick legislature as representatives of the trades and labor element in this city and in opposition to the local government. Mr. Hatheway was a unanimous choice but the decision to offer Mr. McInerney the candidacy was arrived at after a ballot had been taken, the other name under consideration being that of Daniel Mullin, K. C.

Up-to-Date Clothing House. J. N. Harvey's clothing store on Union street is one of the most up-to-date places in its line in this city. The store is well furnished in every department and it may be found everything that pertains to a well-equipped store. Long familiarity with the clothing business has made Mr. Harvey expert in line and that is what the public wants. He has made a special effort to cater to the fall trade and has now an especially full line of men's, boys' and youths' clothing, overcoats, and a general line of furnishings which for quality and price cannot be excelled in this city. The prices are fixed to suit the great buying public and are bound to give perfect satisfaction.

Tragedy of Youthful Lovers. New York, Aug. 27.—Dora Leska, 17 and pretty, was shot by her equally youthful lover, Joe Brokowitz, today at her home in Yonkers.

Lord Windsor, whom Mr. Balfour appointed first commissioner-of-works, in the place of Mr. Akers-Douglas, is the fourteenth baron of that title. He was born in 1837 and is the son of the Hon. Robert Windsor Olive, M. P., and the grandson of Baroness Windsor, whom he succeeded in the title in 1889. He has been known for several years as one of the chiefs of the Imperial South African Association.

In Bohemia 63 nobles own the greater part of the country. None of their estates are less than 12,000 acres.

SEM-WEEKLY TELEGRAPH'S PICTURE PUZZLE



WHERE IS THE WATERBOAT?

COUNTRY MARKET.

Fish About the Same as Last Week—Good Supply of Vegetables—Poultry a Little Cheaper.

In the country market very little change is perceptible from last week. In the fish stalls, fish of nearly every kind are reported to be very scarce. The dogfish along the Nova Scotia and Grand Manan coasts are responsible in a large degree for the scarcity of the edible members of the fishy tribe. There is no change in retail prices this week. In the meat and vegetable stalls things are also quiet this week. Lamb is in very good supply. Chickens are considerably cheaper. Cauliflowers are in and vegetables of all kinds are plentiful. Retail prices corrected to date are:

Table listing various market items and their prices, including fish, meat, and vegetables.

THE CENTRAL SCHOOL PLAN.

Visit of Prof. Robertson to Carleton County—Rural School Idea Explained. Telling of the visit to Carleton county of Professor Robertson, in connection with the establishment of a central school, under provisions of the MacDonald grant, the Woodstock Press says:

In addition to the establishment of a central school at Kingston, as a model, Professor Robertson's scheme includes the introduction of manual training and nature study into the school work at five central schools, with a view to each one of these schools being a central school in the future. A traveling instructor will spend half a day each week at each one of these schools. This section of Carleton county between Hartland and Andover, will probably be chosen, in which five centres will be selected; Morencville will be one. Prof. John Brittain, of the Normal School, will perhaps accept the position of traveling instructor. Of course Mr. Brittain's success as a science teacher is well known. One of the first moves in advancing this scheme will be the appointment of instructors for the central school at Kingston, whose services will be retained for five years at ample salaries. Their first year's work, while the building is erected, will be at Harvard, Cornell and other universities, in fitting themselves for the work. The salaries will be paid, of course, during this first year. The Press also says that D. W. Hamilton, B. A., principal of the Woodstock Superior School, has been offered the principalship of the new central school, and he has been asked to take charge of the work in natural study there. The Telegraph's Ottawa despatch of Tuesday told of the choice of Kingston for the central school and of the section between Hartland and Andover for the rural schools.

Provincial Sunday School Association.

The annual convention of the Provincial Sunday School Association is to be held in German Street Baptist church at St. John, October 14th, 15th and 16th. In this great meeting the pastors, Sunday school teachers, and superintendents of every county feel to have a share. Reduced rates of travel for delegates and visitors are being arranged on all railways and boats, and will be published later.

All will be glad to learn that Marion Lawrence, the international field secretary, is to be present at this convention. Mr. Lawrence has had a lifetime experience in Sunday school work, from being a scholar all the way to the international field secretary, and is a wise counsellor, eloquent speaker and devout Christian.

A Cure for Rheumatism. A correspondent sends the following cure for rheumatism, which he says he has found invaluable: To make a liniment for rheumatism put a fresh egg in a gill of strong vinegar and leave it till dissolved (about 24 hours), and then beat both together. Then add the following: Half a gill of turpentine, a pennyworth each of spirits of camphor and rectified spirits. Shake well and it will be ready for use. Keep tightly corked.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

Blind-eyed Justice.

To the Editor of the Telegraph: Sir: I am much surprised that there has not appeared in your columns a protest against the incarceration in the Fredericton jail of Mrs. Munton with her three wretched old babes. It seems to me a travesty on justice that a woman in her condition, and a helpless babe, should be subjected to such treatment in a Christian and God-fearing land. For the child's sake, if not for the mother's, justice might have stayed its hand long enough to give the frail creature a room and get a crust in the world, outside the prison cell. Perchance the child may fare as well inside its dark and threatening walls, but methinks some transcendent might has been made to spare the little mite this shame and misery. Until proven guilty the mother in the eyes of the English law is innocent. Surely, in her condition, whether the charge prove true or false, two lives need not suffer. The innocent three weeks' heart might even stay the murderous machinery of the law, and touch the hardest heart of flint, so that its life might be spared the hardship the mother must suffer in being taken from her home and friends and thrust into a felon's cell. I do not seek to condone the deed if the mother is guilty. Murder such as she is charged with is a terrible crime, but in a Christian land it does seem hard that a tender infant on the very threshold of life should be pursued and stretched with the proceeds of the jail. Surely Mrs. Munton would not seek to escape the young life entrusted to her care must be a bond that would hold her safe from any summons. In her own home, among her own friends, the little one might never bear the shame which must ever brand it in the present quarters.

Perhaps I am sentimental, but I know the touch of a baby's hand and a baby's voice will soften the hardest heart, and the child's cry in the night will bring succor. Yours for orphans, GEORGE EDGAR FRYE, St. John (N. B.), August 27, 1902.

New Brunswick Mining.

The Sackville Post says that in the opening up and incorporation of the Maritime Reduction Copper Company property in Albert county, and known as the Vernon mine, Robert Dryden was the pioneer in getting this property into line. Wan, Alperston, a mining man from the United States, examined the property on the property so favorably that a company has been formed, incorporated for \$1,500,000 under the name of the Sackville Copper and Iron Co. The property is valued at \$2,000,000 and stock is now being offered for 15 cents on the dollar to raise development funds. There is every evidence of the value of the ore and quantity in the mine. The directors are Geo. H. Freeman, vice-president of the company; George McSwiney, of the Brunswick House, Moncton, treasurer; and Claude Price, of the I. C. R. H. Trueman, Wm. Alperston, Geo. McSwiney, M. Lodge, T. R. Gue, Halifax, and J. S. Stewart, St. John. A trial for some 20 tons of more has been sent to Perth Amboy (N. J.), for test. The development of a copper ledge at Lettete, Charlottetown, is showing some very fine copper and carrying it is said, would be a profitable mine. The Intercolonial Copper Company still continues to produce fair amounts of copper at the Dorchester works, and it is understood that \$25,000 is to be spent soon in building additional tanks and other plants.

Movements of the Bank Officials.

Lawrence McDonald, of the Bank of Nova Scotia's agency, Toronto, is visiting friends in Stellarton (N. S.). Dick Allen, son of E. H. Allen, has entered the service of the Bank of Nova Scotia at Moncton.

Percy Pedlow, of the Royal Bank of Canada, is spending his vacation at his home in Newcastle.

B. M. Macleod, manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia at Woodstock, while in Perth Amboy on his vacation, played in the 70th birthday, with a 100 check, payable yesterday, according to the nature of his insurance. For the next 10 years Mr. Macleod will be entitled to an annual payment of \$100. The function of last evening was the first of its kind in the history of St. John Forestry.

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News of the Local Fishing.

Trillix, Aug. 25.—The reports tonight from the fishing centres are: Nova Scotia. Lunenburg—Cod fair, haddock and squid fair; herring and mackerel scarce. Miramichi—Cod and haddock plenty; mackerel fair. Isaac's Harbour—A good catch of cod reported about two to three quintals per boat. Casco—Cod fair; squid scarce. Arichat—Cod and haddock fair; herring scarce. Petit-de-grat—Cod, haddock and herring fair; no squid. Louisbourg—Cod, haddock and squid plentiful. Cheticamp—Haddock fair; cod and squid scarce; no mackerel. Port Hood—Hake, haddock and squid fair; cod scarce.

New Brunswick.

Caracquet—Cod very plentiful; herring scarce. P. E. Island. Bloomfield—Hake fair; cod, herring and mackerel scarce. Quebec. Pasphebec—Cod and squid fair. St. Adalthe Fabos—Cod, herring and squid fair. Lunenburg—Cod and squid fair; herring scarce. Douglstown—Squid very plentiful; cod plentiful. All branches dull at St. Ann's, L'Ardoise, Whitehead, Lunenburg, Port in Tour, Port Malouin. Fresh bait squid at Gabaus, Bloomfield, and Southwest Point (Anticosti).

Bait and Ice.

Bait can be obtained at St. Ann's, Caracquet, Pannure Island, Shipigan, Queensport, Port, Schooner, Schooner, Pasphebec, West Arichat, Arichat, Big Duck Island, Seal Cove (G. B.), Bloomfield, Mad Island, Port Felix and Woods Harbor. Ice at Yarmouth, Casco, Lunenburg, Isaac's Harbour, Drummond, Digby, St. Mary's Bay, Tiverton, Freeport, Westport, North Head (G. B.), Port Hood Island, Public and Cass Cove (C. B.). Fresh bait squid at Gabaus, Bloomfield, Queensport and Lunenburg.

Presentation to a Forester.

Thursday night the Orange Hall, Simonds street, Court Loyalist, No. 121 I. O. F., met to formally give William McMullin, a court member who yesterday reached his 70th birthday, with a \$100 check, payable yesterday, according to the nature of his insurance. For the next 10 years Mr. McMullin will be entitled to an annual payment of \$100. The function of last evening was the first of its kind in the history of St. John Forestry. Mr. McMullin was also presented with a Morris chair from his associates in the court, the presentation being made by Chief Ranger A. O. Mabey. Mr. McMullin suitably replied, after which refreshments were served and the remainder of the evening happily spent in songs and addresses.

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Commissioner Hon. L. P. Farris in Town. Hon. L. P. Farris, chief commissioner of agriculture, came down the river Thursday and will go to Fredericton. In conversation with The Telegraph Mr. Farris said that the work of buying throughout the province is well advanced. Upchad hay is in and the farmers are working now on the intervals. The crop is a good one and the same may be said of New Brunswick grain and roots. Mr. Farris, speaking of the exhibition, said: "Present indications point that the horse and cattle show will be the finest and most extensive ever held here." The early date coupled with the lateness of the season might interfere somewhat with the attendance of farmers during the early part of the week, but he had no doubts that they would be in in large numbers before the fair closes. Hon. Mr. Farris will likely return to St. John for the opening tomorrow.

On his return from the Soudan the Marquis of Tullibardine brought home a miniature of the tomb of the Mahdi. It has been placed on one of the towers of Blar Castle. The miniature, which is made of copper plates riveted together, bears marks of bullets fired at Omdurman. It is said that the Greeks had a curians made of linen or woolen fibres, which was impermeable to the sharpest dart of spears. That, by the way, is one of the discoveries that have not been rediscovered, for we do not know the secret of its manufacture.

