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- WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply 7 George St. 20-8-11.
- WANTED—Capable housemaid. One to sleep at home preferred. Apply 139 Germain St. 20-8-11.
- WANTED—Two girls for general housework. 24 Charlotte St. 20-8-6.
- WANTED—Kitchen girl to do plain cooking. Apply 104 Union St. 19-8-11.
- WANTED—A dining room girl. Apply King Edward Hotel. 17-8-11.
- WANTED—Until October 1st, at Rosebery and afterwards in St. John, reliable house girl, not under 16 years old, with references. Apply to MRS. J. B. CUDDELL, Rosebery Park, Rosebery, N. B.
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- WANTED—By young woman, clean, by day. Apply Box 502, Star Office.
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- NOW LANDING, all sizes Scotch Anthracite, delivered promptly. Tol. 42. James S. McGovern, Agent, 5 Mill St.
- CHIMNEYS AND FURNACES CLEANED.—Prompt attention to all orders left at 154 Mill St., 13 Dock St., and Halls Book Store, 27 King St. JAMES HAPENEY, 15 Drury Lane. 16-8-12.
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- D. FITZGERALD, 25 Dock Street Boots, Shoes and Rubbers repaired. Also a full line of Men's Boots and Shoes at reasonable prices. Rubby Heels attached 35c. 1-1-07-11.
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- F. C. WESLEY Co., Artists, Engravers and Electrotypers, 49 Water Street, St. John, N. B. Telephone 983.
- E. LAW, Watchmaker, 3 Coburg St.

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- WANTED—Assistant milliner, also apprentices. Apply 107 Charlotte St. 20-8-3.
- WANTED—Two table girls Clifton House. 14-8-11.
- GIRLS WANTED—Apply at D. F. Brown Paper Co. 13-8-6.
- WANTED—Girl for general housework. To go home at night. Apply Mrs. T. McAfee, 29 Golding Street. 12-8-11.
- WANTED—A girl to go outside of the city. Apply between two and four, or seven and nine o'clock. Apply 97 Union St. 10-8-11.

LOST AND FOUND

- LOST—Wire haired fox terrier, white with black spot over eye. Finder please return to LEB. Wilson, 76 Germain St. 17-8-11.
- LOST—At Sea Side Park, a hand ratchet. Finder return to C. J. Eagles, Main Street. 20-8-11.
- BOOK BINDINGS. Artificial heat of all kinds is damaging to book bindings. It not only cracks the leather, but the paste. A large box of water placed in room, containing books will moisten the air sufficiently to prevent the drying of the leather. "I see that ballooning is becoming a society sport." "Rather more elevating than monkey dinners, ah?" "Exactly. It's decidedly a sport that can't be monkeyed with."—Pittsburg Post.

TERROR REIGNS IN SPRINGFIELD NEGRO QUARTER

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Aug. 19.—Fear and terror prevailed in the homes of Springfield Negroes tonight due to the departure of two regiments of infantry today and the announcement that two more organizations will be sent here to quiet the alarm which was only partially successful and in many a humble home there was no sleep before dawn. Early in the evening almost twice as many applications for shelter within the garrison had been received as on the previous night and about three hundred Negroes curled up on the floor or in chairs.

The exodus of Negroes, which had begun to abate, was renewed. Trains and trolley cars were used by those fortunate enough to possess a little money, but many of the unfortunate took the road, tramping across the country in a driving rain until exhaustion forced them to seek rest in corn fields or in wood lots. The children and aged who were driven to the open, sought most and it is feared that many of them will succumb to the hardships.

Adjutant General Scott insists there is no good ground for the fear of the Negroes. "There are plenty of troops here tonight and the force that will be available tomorrow, about 1,500 men, certainly can protect the city against any mob that may form. Then, too, the presence of the large body of soldiers as irritating some sections of the community and there was an element of trouble there that could not be overlooked."

This opinion was endorsed in other quarters. It is asserted that 1,500 men can easily hold the advantage that a larger body of the troops has obtained, and the addition of the cavalry has increased the mobility of the troops to such a degree that the presence of the full force is absolutely unnecessary.

The special grand jury today examined nearly two score witnesses, and covers from posture last night, on form for each order are the lowest. Unusual secrecy has been maintained as to the identity and testimony of witnesses against rioters.

UNCLE SAM'S DOGS OF WAR REACH SYDNEY

SYDNEY, N. S. W., Aug. 20.—Early this morning a thin veil of smokes on the horizon signaled to the watchers on the coast the approach of the American warships, and at 5.35 official notification was sent out that the fleet had been sighted. It was yet twenty miles outside of Sydney harbor.

So intense was the interest in the American ships of war that half the populace remained awake the entire night, and thousands upon thousands of them long before the night was over were on their way to the hillsides outside the city limits, where they massed eagerly in unbroken lines along the coast from Bondi Beach to Manly.

It is estimated that hardly less than half a million people assembled to greet the visitors a royal welcome. Hundreds of craft of all kinds were up and down even at that early hour, all the waters, with the exception of the harbor, were dotted with little and big vessels decorated in every conceivable manner with flags and bunting.

Had Fair Weather. The fleet left Auckland at 8.15 Saturday morning and with the exception of one day had fair weather all the way to Sydney. On Tuesday the warships encountered heavy winds which threw up a stiff head sea, greatly retarding their progress. Throughout Tuesday night the high seas caused the larger of the ships to roll at least twenty degrees, while the auxiliaries suffered even more severely. There was considerable discomfort for all the men and the intervals between the vessels were increased to 400 yards.

The formation, however, was not changed. No evolutions were indulged in on account of the heavy weather during this period, but this abated the following day, when the ships were about 160 miles from port. The speed was increased to 12 knots, and although the hospital ship Relief was left behind the others reached the coast on schedule time. The Americans as anxious as the Australians to participate in the receptions and the latter which the latter have prepared for them.

HALIFAX HAS CHOSEN R. L. BORDEN AND CROSBY

HALIFAX, Aug. 19.—At the Conservative convention today, R. L. Borden and A. B. Crosby, present mayor of the city, were nominated as the opposition candidates. This was settled by "the syndicate" some weeks ago, and the calling of the convention is a mere formality. A week ago Borden said he would accept nomination if it was tendered him, and Crosby has asked a week to consider. There was only fair attendance at the convention, many of the strong party men who are opposed to Borden on account of him accepting a salary, remaining away.

C. P. R. CLAIM THEY'VE WON THE STRIKE. The leaders of the men still profess confidence in the final outcome, but they are apparently somewhat worried about everything that you might be in doubt as to the possession of and advertising. So far there has not been any attempt at violence, and this fact today secured the release of two pickets arrested and found guilty of obstructing a public place, the recorder allowing them to go on suspended sentence, with a warning that in future they should obey the orders of the police.

MONTREAL, Aug. 19.—Canadian Pacific officials today made the claim that the strike is won and that the men have been defeated. Another 150 men were taken on today at the company's employment agencies, while more were engaged at the Angus shops and at other points. The company has received many telegrams from labor agencies in the United States offering men, but in each case the reply has been that while the company requires good mechanics it has no desire to break the alien laws, which forbid the importation of men under contract or promise of employment.

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DE-WAY INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY

ON AND AFTER SUNDAY, June 28th, 1908, trains will run daily (Sundays excepted), as follows: TRAINS LEAVE ST. JOHN. No. 6—Mixed train for Moncton leaves Island yard... 6.30 No. 2—Express for Ft. du Chemin, Moncton, Campbellton and Truro... 7.10 No. 4—Express for Moncton, Ft. du Chemin, connecting with Ocean Limited at Moncton for Halifax, Quebec and Montreal... 7.15 No. 13—Express from Moncton and Truro... 7.20 No. 8—Express for Sussex... 7.25 No. 13—Suburban for Hampton... 7.45 No. 14—Express from Quebec and Montreal... 7.50 No. 15—Suburban for Hampton... 7.55 No. 16—Express from Moncton and Truro... 8.00 No. 1—Express from Moncton, arrive at Island Yard... 8.10 No. 3—Express from Moncton and Point du Chemin... 8.15 No. 25—Express from Halifax, Pictou, Point du Chemin and Campbellton... 8.20 No. 15—Suburban for Hampton... 8.25 No. 1—Express from Moncton and Truro... 8.30 No. 81—Express from Sydney, Halifax, Pictou and Moncton (Sunday only)... 8.40 No. 11—Mixed train for Moncton (arrives at Island Yard daily)... 8.45 Through sleeper is now running on the Ocean Limited from St. John to Montreal.

All trains run by Atlantic Standard Time. 24 o'clock is midnight. CITY TICKET OFFICE, 3 KING STREET, ST. JOHN, N. B. Telephone 271. Moncton, N. B. June 26th, 1908.

NEWS FROM UP IN AROOSTOOK CO. Joe Murphy Who Escaped From the Houlton Jail Four Weeks Ago Recaptured. FORT FAIRFIELD, Aug. 18.—Saturday night Officer Joseph and Mr. C. Pond captured one Joe Murphy, who escaped from Houlton jail four weeks ago. The fellow was making himself very disagreeable and causing considerable uneasiness in the Chamberlain neighborhood in this town, owing to the Boundary line. Alarm was given by telephone and the officers hurried to the house, arriving there at 10 p. m. and found Murphy crouching under a table. He was quickly put in irons and accompanied the constables to the village and placed in the lock-up. Monday he was taken back to Houlton jail where a close watch will be given him. Murphy is said to be a dangerous character. He had served out two sentences in jail and was serving on a third conviction, when he made his escape. He hails from Halifax, N. S.

Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Smith returned home from St. Andrews, Friday, after an absence of one week. They were on the steamer Henry F. Eaton, when the accident occurred which caused the frightened passengers to flee to the life boats for rescue. Mr. and Mrs. Smith had been enjoying their stay in St. Andrews, but had concluded to extend their trip to St. John and Fredericton and return home by train, so they had taken the best for Eastport, expecting to take a St. John boat from there, but their frightful experience led them to abandon that plan and to come directly home from St. Andrews. Mrs. Smith, who has not been in good health for some time, returns feeling quite rested and recuperated even in the short stay by the salt water.

FEMININE INTUITION. Hattie—In position George loves me and wants me to be his wife. Ella—Has he told you that? Hattie—No, but he has taken such a strong dislike to mamma.

HAYES SAYS HE CAN'T COMPLAIN VACATION DAYS WILL END WEDNESDAY NEXT

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ONTARIO FARMER KILLED BY A BULL

BELLEVEILLE, Aug. 20.—Charles Ketcheson, 37, a plowman, as well as one of the best known residents in Sydney Township, while bringing in cows from pasture last night, on farm near Ketcheson, was attacked by a bull and killed. Both legs were broken and he was other injuries being received. Ketcheson was about 75 years of age and leaves a grown up family.

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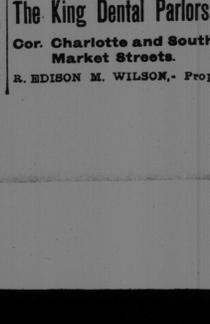
SCENIC ROUTE.

Steamer Marie Miller leaves Millville for Summersville, Kennebecasis Island and Baywater, daily except Saturday and Sunday, at 6.45 and 9.30 a. m., 2.45 and 5 p. m. Returning from Baywater at 6.30, and 10.30 a. m., 2.45 and 5 p. m. Saturday at 6.15, 9.30 a. m., 2.30 and 5 p. m. Returning at 5.30, 7, and 10.30 p. m. and 10.30 a. m., 2.30 and 5 p. m., 5 and 7 p. m.

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ST. JOHN, N. B., AUGUST 20, 1908.

AN INDICATION.

The Toronto Mail and Empire with characteristic unfairness in seeking to extract from the glory of Hon. Walter Scott's victory in Saskatchewan, says that it is evident that the people of the west are weary of graft and dishonesty and that what they want is freedom to manage their own lands.

The criticism of the Toronto paper seems silly in view of the fact that only last week the people of Saskatchewan decided very emphatically in regard to what they desired.

Early in the campaign, Mr. Haultain upon the advice of his leaders in the Federal party, styled himself the champion of the people in what he called "his demand for Provincial rights."

In his canvass of the electors he charged the Laurier government with gross injustice so far as the western lands were concerned. But his arguments were weak. The people of Saskatchewan knew what they wanted, just as well as Mr. Haultain or anyone else could tell them, and although every power known to political schemers was exerted to elect the "Provincial rights" party, the electors in no uncertain way showed Mr. Haultain that they did not believe him sincere. They emphatically declared that they were satisfied with the policy of Sir Wilfrid Laurier in regard to their lands in the west. They did not fall to see in the near future the great advantages that would be theirs when the Hudson's Bay Railway is built and they were not slow to observe that the prosperity of the west, in a large measure, depended upon their action in electing or rejecting the Scott government.

In the meantime it does not only result in their disappointment. They are still attempting to ward off the inevitable. Saskatchewan has spoken for the West and the result in that Province is an indication of what will take place in the other Provinces when the Federal elections are brought on.

OUTSIDE OPINION.

Mr. E. W. Thomson, the representative at Ottawa of the Boston Transcript, and one of the ablest political writers on the continent, was apparently not favorably impressed with the silly criticism of Mr. H. B. Ames, Commons last season. It was scarcely credible, Mr. Thomson writes to his paper, that such a man as Mr. Ames would go into "affected transports of suspicion and insinuation over the merest man's nest. Therefore, we hesitated too credulously while he was stumping the outlying regions with looks of sorrow and accents of indignation, telling what awful things he was going to expose. In the main they were that pretty much all the timber in the Canadian west had been given away gratis to friends of the Ministry at Ottawa.

Mr. Thomson points out that "when the evidence came it was clearly proved that Ames' whole façade of innuendo had been based on suspicious that ordinary business procedure had not been followed, whereas it turned out to have been followed every time." The correspondent's views of Mr. Ames are worth reading. He says: "In the course of his absurd campaign Ames slandered both Burrows and Turritt, men always as reputable as himself, and hereafter surely much more so. Both are his fellow M. P.'s for Turritt resigned his Land Commission before 1904 to run for the House of Commons. Ames tried to mock the evidence which proved the two members perfectly guiltless of his abominable imputations against them.

"Ames certainly has deserved severe treatment, but his only punishments are: (1) To be cursed by fellow Oppositionists, whom he inveighed into believing his cousin and would 'make good,' and who had to back him up in order to try to save his silly face; (2) to be laughed at by the cunning Ministerialists who drew him on by reserving their defense and their evidence until he had gone so deep into the mire that he could not get out without a piece of it all over him. "Of course substantial justice has been promoted by the Ministerialists' acquiescence, since the electorate watched the fun and cannot but discredit not only the alleged Burrows-Turritt scandal, but every other urged by the Opposition, on like grounds. Hence the Opposition stands to be soundly spanked for the folly and meanness of Ames.

"He was the more blamable because

if he had not gone into the slanders on the timber question, the Opposition stood to gain some deserved credit, inasmuch as they called the Ministry's attention last session to the need for some amendments in administering the timber of the west.

"They might have obtained it had not Ames marred their whole timber case by his preposterous scandal mongering."

THE SOUL OF THE HOME.

Locust timbers, brick and stones Are his home's bones. And I saw them wrought together In the keen Autumnal weather. Joint by joint and bone by bone, to fit a plan, As sagas build of fossil some unremembered man.

Lath and shingles for a skin, Glad in it. He had truckloads of good lumber, and it cost me \$1000 in an American house, who, he says lives in Denver.

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After going to England, whether he had been called to claim his estates after the death of his father, the combination of Englishman and western plainsman could not resist the call of the wild, and most of the land in the American West, who, he says lives in Denver.

"I am only Mr. Browne," said he, "I piled the poor, firsty fellows under the same roof."

"I have been to the place where I was born and where I'll live hereafter, but I confess to a more homesick feeling over here."

"I found my estate in pretty good shape. There are still some debts owing them, which I have got to pay. The estate lies in three counties. The estates in Warwickshire, the house in Derbyshire and most of the land in Leicestershire. That's going some, as we say out west."

"A man present wanted to buy Sir Genille a drink. The man could make a show-down of only 31 cents for a brandy and one of the best sodas, and the change was three cents short. Sir Genille became very much vexed at the man's conduct, and he showed a side of his western character."

"I'll pay for it myself," said he to the man who had produced a handful of gold. You shouldn't buy drinks if you haven't the money to pay for them. As a justice of the peace I never fined a man who hadn't the money to pay. You ought to have more money."

"I'd hate to use the deacons of this nice saloon for a frame for your face, but on my word, I've a mind to decorate the furnishings with your hair and pay for it. You don't look as though you had many brains, any way."

"If you were in my country out in Arizona and ordered drinks you didn't have the money to pay for, you'd be taboored by the entire community. There wouldn't be a man that would speak to you or recognize you."

"I think it is about time you left, and by my finger bones never flood a cent, as they say in this country."

"Steward, bring us another drink." Of the halcyon to which he is engaged Sir Genille said: "She lives in Denver. She's the sweetest little blossom that ever bloomed. She looked this beautiful on my wrist and she keeps the key, I'm going to see her now and I'll be back in England in two months."

The only person to whom Sir Genille brings a letter is the correspondent of a London newspaper. He has figured since he ran away from home because he couldn't get on with his father are those of the western plains and in Porto Rico, as a scout with Gen. Miles in the Spanish war.

After his soldiers had hunted for him, the cow puncher reluctantly consented to return to claim the estates of his father, Sir Mylle Cave-Browne-Cave. It is said that the estates are worth, if they were not mortgaged, about \$1,000,000, and are very beautiful. The buildings are much out of repair.

It is Henry's intention to reach the pole this time or drop out of the game. We should hate to see him do this. He is about the best midsummer reading we know—Cleveland Leader.

It doesn't seem to me possible to make any suggestion for any improvement in the west this year," he observed. "The country is in fine condition, and there will be results unless something unfavorable crops up."

A QUESTION ANSWERED. Which school offers the quickest and most profitable results for a future career? Will be the question of hundreds of young people next week. The Currie Business University is willing to compare its records for the past four years with the Normal School, any New Brunswick University, or the combined N. B. opposition business colleges. There will be but one result—the Currie Business University will surpass all in the following points:—Public efficiency of its certified pupils, number placed in responsible positions during the past year, amounts in salaries secured, and the quick and profitable satisfaction derived through perfect organization.

In order to relieve the strain on the staff, which will be caused by the rush at the end of this month, the Currie Business University offers its old rates, one-half in advance and balance on date of acceptance of position, to all who close up contracts during next week, ending August 23rd. A card or telephone message will bring a representative to any city or outlying district address. One week's trial is offered free. Arrangements can be made on a ten dollar monthly plan.

COWBOY BARONET, SEEKING A BRIDE

Sir Genille Cave-Browne-Cave Who Went to England Back

Talks of His Divinity and is Inebriated at a Butler's "Lack of Form."

NEW YORK, Aug. 20.—None of the passengers on the Lusitania, arriving in New York Saturday, from Liverpool, knew that a rather stout man of an English height, square head, mostly bald and with a heavy reddish brown mustache, who was passenger in the steerage, was the cowboy baronet, Sir Genille Cave-Browne-Cave, owner of titles and a thousand acres at Stratton, England.

He was dressed in a check suit of light plaid. He had truckloads of good lumber, and it cost me \$1000 in an American house, who, he says lives in Denver.

After going to England, whether he had been called to claim his estates after the death of his father, the combination of Englishman and western plainsman could not resist the call of the wild, and most of the land in the American West, who, he says lives in Denver.

"I am only Mr. Browne," said he, "I piled the poor, firsty fellows under the same roof."

"I have been to the place where I was born and where I'll live hereafter, but I confess to a more homesick feeling over here."

"I found my estate in pretty good shape. There are still some debts owing them, which I have got to pay. The estate lies in three counties. The estates in Warwickshire, the house in Derbyshire and most of the land in Leicestershire. That's going some, as we say out west."

"A man present wanted to buy Sir Genille a drink. The man could make a show-down of only 31 cents for a brandy and one of the best sodas, and the change was three cents short. Sir Genille became very much vexed at the man's conduct, and he showed a side of his western character."

"I'll pay for it myself," said he to the man who had produced a handful of gold. You shouldn't buy drinks if you haven't the money to pay for them. As a justice of the peace I never fined a man who hadn't the money to pay. You ought to have more money."

"I'd hate to use the deacons of this nice saloon for a frame for your face, but on my word, I've a mind to decorate the furnishings with your hair and pay for it. You don't look as though you had many brains, any way."

"If you were in my country out in Arizona and ordered drinks you didn't have the money to pay for, you'd be taboored by the entire community. There wouldn't be a man that would speak to you or recognize you."

"I think it is about time you left, and by my finger bones never flood a cent, as they say in this country."

"Steward, bring us another drink." Of the halcyon to which he is engaged Sir Genille said: "She lives in Denver. She's the sweetest little blossom that ever bloomed. She looked this beautiful on my wrist and she keeps the key, I'm going to see her now and I'll be back in England in two months."

The only person to whom Sir Genille brings a letter is the correspondent of a London newspaper. He has figured since he ran away from home because he couldn't get on with his father are those of the western plains and in Porto Rico, as a scout with Gen. Miles in the Spanish war.

After his soldiers had hunted for him, the cow puncher reluctantly consented to return to claim the estates of his father, Sir Mylle Cave-Browne-Cave. It is said that the estates are worth, if they were not mortgaged, about \$1,000,000, and are very beautiful. The buildings are much out of repair.

It is Henry's intention to reach the pole this time or drop out of the game. We should hate to see him do this. He is about the best midsummer reading we know—Cleveland Leader.

It doesn't seem to me possible to make any suggestion for any improvement in the west this year," he observed. "The country is in fine condition, and there will be results unless something unfavorable crops up."

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DEATHS POWER—On Aug. 19th, at Quispamsis, Rose, widow of Edward Power, leaving two sons and two daughters to mourn. Funeral will be held from her late residence, 21 Dorchester street, at 8 o'clock Friday morning. Requiem High Mass will be celebrated at Cathedral at 8.30 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances are invited to attend. RODDY—in this city, on Aug. 18th, James P., infant child of William D. and Teresa A. Roddy. Funeral from the parents' residence, 69 Brook street, on Thursday, 20th inst., at 2 o'clock. (Boston and Winlock, Me. papers please copy.)

DEADLOCK IN BELGIAN HOUSE IS INEVITABLE BRUSSELS, Aug. 20.—It is stated that a crisis in the Belgian cabinet is inevitable as the result of a deadlock between the majority in the chamber of deputies and the government on the subject of responsibility of Belgium for interest in the Congo Independent Bond.

The chamber voted an article in the Cobden Bill in its second reading, as adopted at the first reading, which thereby Belgium is not responsible for this international loan until a special law is passed and rejected, the government bill empowering Belgium to assist the Congo Independent state.

At a meeting of the cabinet this morning this was discussed, but no decision was reached. One of the ministers, however, is reported as saying that the matter would be considered.

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"THE GRIMP AND THE CONSEQUENCE" is the Title of a Mighty Interesting Little Booklet on Washboards, that has just been issued. It tells the Value of the Crimp in Washboards, the Features of the Ordinary Crimp, and the Features of the Better Crimp. And it tells the Kind of Crimp that is the Better Crimp—AND WHY. If you are interested, a Post Card will bring this Bright Little "Eye-Opener" to you at Once. Ask Yourself—Why not let us Send You a Copy Today? Here Since 1861.

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GOMPERS DECLARES LABOR NEEDS BRYAN Says, He Controls No Votes But Will Support Democratic Candidate, Himself.

BOSTON, Aug. 20.—"I am for Bryan in his race for the presidency of the United States," said President Samuel Gompers of the American Federation of Labor yesterday. "Let me tell you that this convention of farmers is the greatest event held by the agricultural workers and the real wealth producers of our nation. What I shall say I know not, and you will have to read my report. If a correct one is made, and I trust it will be, because what I shall say will awaken the farmers of the country to a realization that laborers, mechanics and artists are grieving in common to them."

"Labor day I shall deliver the Labor day address in Danville, Ill., the home of the genial Joe Cannon, speaker of the House of Representatives, and what I shall say will cause Joe to sit up and listen."

More than \$5,000 has been turned into the Democratic national campaign fund up to date by William J. Bryan's political paper as the proceeds of subscriptions sent indirectly to it by individuals, clubs and newspapers. This amount does not include any personal contributions by Mr. Bryan or receipts from the publication of the paper over and above the running expenses, which the candidate has promised to give to the national campaign.

"I speak not of Hagen. I shot straight in my effort at righteousness. My aim is at the bulwark. I know no quarter, nor for do I ask. We trade unionists believe as your Massachusetts post said, aim high and no crime there be if failure attend. "The labor movement of America will err if this political decision is not with the party that decries faith in its voice. I speak not for party. My voice is against party and against a party's platform. "The Republican party insisted labor's intelligence at its recent convention. The Democratic party was,

and I venture the saying, is cognizant of the true grievance of organized labor and is willing to legislate for a judicial and legislative amelioration of the wrongs of the workman. "Labor asks no favors. It seeks justice. It will secure it even if the time and the process require a decade. The record of the candidates known. Labor's favor is known. My literary from here is to Washington, D. C. where Thursday I will meet the executive council of the A. F. of L. At the latter end of the month I will go to Fort Worth, Tex., to address a convention of the organized farmers of America. "Let me tell you that this convention of farmers is the greatest event held by the agricultural workers and the real wealth producers of our nation. What I shall say I know not, and you will have to read my report. If a correct one is made, and I trust it will be, because what I shall say will awaken the farmers of the country to a realization that laborers, mechanics and artists are grieving in common to them."

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Cecil F. Underwood Has Found Data Earlier Than the Cortez Conquest.

BODY CARRIED AWAY, JUDGES CALLED NO RACE

CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 19.—A heavy sea which caused the judges to lose the buoy, cost the Columbia, of the Columbia Yacht Club, the Lipton Cup, in this afternoon's race. The third buoy was cast adrift by the heavy waves, and before the judges could mark the corner of the square, the Columbia and Jackson Park, which were leading, had passed 2 miles out of their course. The trial was immediately called no race by the judges and the final race will be sailed tomorrow.

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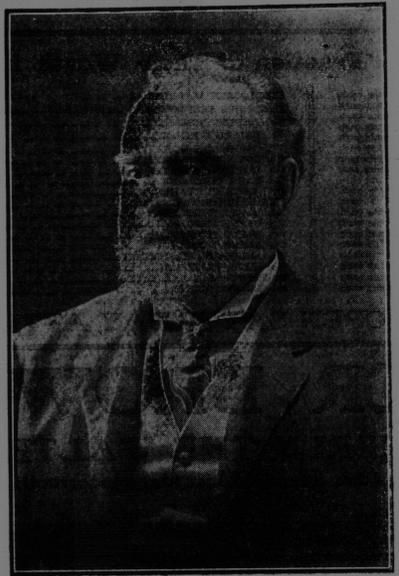
WINTER PORT WORK WILL BE RUSHED, SAYS PUGSLEY

Construction of the New Wharf to Begin at Once

Grain Conveyor Will Be Ready for This Winter's Business

G. T. P. officials Are Closely Interested in Courtenay Bay

Ministers Confident of Result of Elections Whenever They Come



HON. WILLIAM PUGSLEY

Hon. William Pugsley, Minister of Public Works, who arrived from Ottawa yesterday, will remain here until Saturday or Monday, when he will go back to Ottawa to attend meetings of the cabinet. After that he expects to return to this province for four weeks.

In an interview, Dr. Pugsley spoke on various matters connected with his department which are of great interest to St. John. Plans and specifications of the wharf extension on the West side are now in the printer's hands and tenders for the work are to be called at once. The building of the grain conveyor for berths No. 5 and 6 is also to be begun as soon as the C. P. R. officials arrive at some agreement with the government concerning the plans. The survey of the St. John river channel above Fredericton, said Dr. Pugsley, is being made by two survey parties and on their report depended the possibility of having the channel dredged.

Most Optimistic

Concerning the prospects of the Liberal party the Minister was optimistic. Sir Wilfrid Laurier was in the best of health and had arranged to address a series of meetings in Ontario. No date had been set for the election, but the members with whom he had conferred were decidedly of the opinion that the country would support the present administration at the next election.

When asked if the date of the next general election had been decided upon the Minister said the matter had not been considered in detail. Personally he had no idea as to the date of the election. The life of the present parliament, he said, would not expire for about eighteen months.

The reporter drew Dr. Pugsley's attention to the fact that there was considerable activity displayed in New Brunswick political circles.

"Yes," Dr. Pugsley replied, "it is always desirable to be ready. There is nothing so good for a party as to keep up its fighting spirit. Candidates should be early in the field in the constituencies in order to become acquainted with the electorate and give attention to matters of importance."

"Has any new business affecting St. John been transacted by your department," Dr. Pugsley was asked.

"When I left Ottawa," he replied, "the specifications for the wharf extension on the north side of Sand Point slip were being printed. As soon as the printing is completed tenders will be called."

"Not long ago the importance of having a grain conveyor built for the new No. 5 and 6 berths was brought to my attention by His Worship Mayor Bullock, who said the Common Council felt that the city should give attention to bear the burden of equipping the port with conveyors and, as the C. P. R. had declined to undertake the work, the government should be urged to do so. I am now in communication with Mr. McNicol, general manager of the C. P. R., concerning the plans and specifications of the conveyor, and work will shortly be commenced."

RIVER CHANNEL

Concerning the improvement of the channel of the St. John river from Fredericton to Woodstock, Hon. Mr. Pugsley said that at the last session of parliament a bill was introduced for the purpose of establishing a survey of the cost and practicability of doing work so as to ensure safe navigation during the summer season. Two survey parties had been engaged, and he was hopeful that the result of the survey would be of great benefit to the province.

"I am happy to inform the readers of 'The Sun' that Dr. Pugsley when asked concerning the intentions of the Premier, that Sir Wilfrid Laurier is

GLERGYMEN FIGHT FIRE WITH BUCKETS

One of City's Houses Badly Gutted

A fire which might have caused more serious damage occurred yesterday in one of the houses owned by the city at the junction of the Randolph and Milford roads.

The fire occurred about 3 o'clock, and as soon as it was discovered, Willard H. Reid and John Harrington, who were engaged in painting at Rev. Zach Collins', got to work with axes and tried to stop the progress of the flames. When they found they could not get the fire under control they went into the burning house and saved much of the furniture. Rev. Father Collins and Rev. L. V. Broughall, prefect of English studies at St. Joseph's University, as well as Joseph Dwyer and Charles O'Brien, also took great risks in helping to save the furniture.

The Fairville fire department arrived just at a critical time, for the fire was threatening the nearby houses. Two families, S. Townsend and William McTherson, occupy the premises.

The house was badly gutted, the damage amounting to about \$200. The fire is supposed to have been caused by a defective fuse.

GREATLY DELAYED.

The work of the session, said the minister, had been considerable, but had been greatly delayed by the obstructive tactics pursued by the opposition, which had drawn the session out to a length of eight months all but gone. The caucus of the opposition had been that its members were opposed to certain bills and particularly the Electoral Act. The minister said that he had been designed to remedy very serious evils complained of by the Liberal party in Manitoba. These evils had resulted from the electoral lists being controlled, according to provincial statute, by officers appointed by the provincial government. Another point on which the opposition had disagreed with the government had been the allocation of electors in certain districts in Ontario. The determination of the Liberal members was to pass not only the supply, but also the Electoral Act, no matter how long it might be necessary to remain at Ottawa for the purpose. The result of this determined attitude had been that an agreement had been arrived at under which the Conservative government in Manitoba extended the date for the placing of names on the electoral list, and that in unorganized districts the county court judges should have the power to establish polling places and allocate electors to districts. The government in this way had attained its purpose of removing control of the electoral lists as far as possible from politics.

Concerning the borings in Courtenay Bay, Dr. Pugsley said that both Mr. Morse and Mr. Hays of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway were awaiting the results, as they realized that should St. John be made a terminus of their line, Courtenay Bay would be the site of the terminals. The Minister also said that on his own part he was highly pleased that the reports on the borings as he had learned from the press indicated that the bay could be dredged easily.

In concluding the interview, Dr. Pugsley said: "It is the natural dispo-

FIRE IN BRITISH COLUMBIA

GRANBROOK, B. C., Aug. 19.—Forest fires are still raging in the Province and as there has been no rain for over a month the task of fighting them is becoming increasingly difficult. The fire near Kimberly is beyond control and is running north toward Skookumchuck Creek. Sullivan and Kimberley are in no danger, however. Another fire is burning at Ryan while there is still another one mile east of Movia.

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AMUSEMENTS.

NEW HUMANOVO BILL TODAY.

The Humanovo Co. at the Nickel today will have a new bill, this time a delicious comedy, "The Pretty Typist," or "The Lovelock Clerks," with pictures by Pathe Freres of Paris. Throughout the whole run of this laughable play the dialogue is bright and witty, full of smart sayings and novel catches. Needless to note the photography is perfect. For the ladies and children in the afternoon a double Humanovo bill will be presented, viz. The Cowboy and the Schoolmarm, by special request, and The Pretty Typist, in addition. Two Little Dogs, and The Trouble They Made, and The Honest Newsboy's Reward, Miss Felix's new song, "Taffy," is a great hit.

MISS SMITH STILL MAKING FRIENDS AT BIJOU.

Where is the ear, the musical ear, that really loves good singing, that hasn't listened to Miss Ada Smith, the English soprano now at the Bijou? If such there be, lead me to it. Let me whisper, "Go, go, go to the Bijou and enjoy yourself, for this little lady can sing." As she sang "The Song That Reached My Heart" last night, the audience sat in breathless silence, drinking in every note, and as the last note died away deafening applause filled the place. Miss Smith sings the same song today, and tomorrow a new one. Some excellent pictures at the Bijou, too. "Mysterious Flames" depicts some of the wonders his satanic majesty performs and it's a most beautiful picture. "A Troublesome Thief" proves itself a quite unnecessary and he's sorry. "The World Is Mine," said "Monte Cristo." Guess the people were his also, at the Bijou last night. They were all stuck on the dramatic portrayal. New honours for "Dave" Higgins in his song, "In the Valley of Shermanston," and well deserved. He sang well.

HIGH CLASS PICTURES AT THE UNIQUE TODAY.

What may be truly said to be the best picture programme ever shown in St. John is now on at the Unique Theatre. Last evening it was impossible to accommodate the crowds who clamored for admission and it is safe to predict record houses today. The leading picture, "Romance in a Gipsy Camp," is acknowledged by all who see it to be the best sentimental drama ever put on in this city. The story winds out into evil ways by bad company. He is driven from home and falls in with a band of gipsies. A young girl belonging to the tribe falls in love with him. Her lover becomes angry at this and gives a young man a terrible beating. His people hear of his trouble and with his sweetheart come to his rescue. When the gipsy girl finds that her lover is pledged to another she kills herself. Another picture is called "The Old Maid's Parrot," and is one of the most wonderful ever produced. "The Secret of the Iron Mask" and "Head Over Heels in Politics" are both excellent comedies and are in themselves worth many times the price of admission. The Unique, which is famous for its good songs and singers, has something especially good in this line to offer its patrons today. Drop in and hear them.

HAPPY HALF HOUR.

The new programme at the Happy Half Hour drew the usual large crowds yesterday. Miss Holmes sang the Italian novelty song, Sweet Little Canadian, from the musical comedy success of her greatest success. The performance here was particularly good. Mr. Buchanan sang You Are My Life, My All, from the musical comedy, Top of the World, with his usual success. Both singers received the usual applause.

Making Tomato is a most interesting picture, and when the dark-eyed Italian beauty offered some to the audience it looked tempting enough to accept. Three Magic Dice is a splendid trick picture, beautifully hand-colored and is the kind the spectator guesses about. A Lover's Trick is funny and he certainly won't the girl. An Exalted Father is a strong pathos-dramatic picture. Last time for these pictures today. New ones tomorrow.

Today new illustrated songs, Prof. Plus sings Dear Old East Side, and Harry LeRoy sings, "Fare Thee Well, My Old Kentucky."

LONGBOAT SHOWS OLD TIME SPEED

Easily Defeats Fred Simpson

HAMILTON, Ont., Aug. 19.—The first mile in \$20, loading, and talking to his opponents.

The second in 5 minutes flat.

The third in \$24.

Victory by half of a quarter-mile track.

That is, in brief, the story of Tom Longboat's first step back toward the top of the ladder of fame.

It was Saturday at Bobby Kerr's meet in Hamilton and the man he beat was Fred Simpson, the Mississauga Indian, whom Will Sherring picked to win the Olympic Marathon. He finished sixth.

Fred Simpson came to Hamilton to add himself to Bobby Kerr's list of athletic celebrities. It came expending to an exhibition two-mile run, just to let Hamilton people see him run.

Tom Longboat was asked to meet Simpson in a two-mile race. He came expecting a race, and after an hour's communion with himself rejected a proposal that the pair just do a friendly gallop, and made a real race.

Simpson wasn't ready for a two-mile race, and does not profess to be a short-distance man, but he was game and said he would run Longboat five miles. Longboat refused five, and they compromised on three. At the pistol Tom took the lead, and after leading the first mile to give Simpson a chance to loosen up, let out in real earnest. For a period, Simpson clung on, and then slowly went back. Longboat, loosening right up, ran the next two miles in 10.4, a remarkably good performance, when it is considered that three miles in the five-mile race, and Meadows was chased all the way, while Longboat ran alone. Simpson was never dangerous.

While the two Indians were together the critics got a chance to study their respective strides. "There is no use talking, Longboat has the better stride," said Dr. Thompson. "He has improved greatly in style."

A five-mile race between Simpson and Longboat is mooted.

The fickleness of a crowd was well illustrated in Saturday's race. When Longboat, once the idol of Canada, appeared there was a faint cheer, and some hisses. Simpson got a good cheer.

"No faking, now," some one shouted. When he won the crowd received him with hearty cheers and awarded about him in the same old way.

the audience in laughter. Harry Newcombe was heard in an up-to-date and very pretty illustrated song. This talented singer has long won the hearts of St. John theater-goers and still retains his popularity. A new picture to be shown today is entitled "The Miraculous Flowers." It is a mad-drama that should not be missed by men, women or children. It is an excellent lesson and pathetic in the extreme. The Strangler Automobils is a picture full of thrilling events and one that is most interesting. Bear Hunting in Russia gives a true idea of the dangers in going after big game. No Beard or no Wedding is the name of a comedy picture that is a continuous laugh from start to finish. The Princess programme is undoubtedly one of the best seen in the city for some time.

AT THE OPERA HOUSE.

It is predicted that playgoers will be most agreeably surprised with the excellence of the plays offered by Joseph Selman and his excellent company. It is quite safe to say that the most sanguine anticipations will be more than realized. Every play in their list has met with success in New York and London. The exquisite play "When We Were Twenty-One" is one of the most beautiful ever staged and by the Selman players is given an interpretation that is bound to please. Mr. Selman as "Dick Carewe" gives a pleasing and dignified portrayal. Miss Du Bois, as "Phyllis," is most charming. The Selman Company will no doubt become great favorites with our theatre-loving people and a fine audience will be present at the opening performance, Monday, Aug. 21.

The songs last night by Percy Sayas and Miss Ethel McAfee were well received by the large audience present and is pronounced as being the best of this kind yet seen at that popular theatre. Al Dillon was seen in a new act, which kept the audience in one continuous roar of laughter.

The picture end of the programme was up to the standard. The Timekeeper's Nightmare is a feature film relating a real good temperance story. The Black Bandit is another interesting drama. The Costly Coat and The Thine's Legacy make up one of the best shows ever seen. Same price, 5c.

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FIGHTING A BIG FOREST FIRE;

THE WORK AND HARDSHIPS OF THE WESTERN FORESTERS

For days now we have had an opportunity to meet and know the members of the United States Forest Service and to see their work first hand, to watch them in the great forests of California and to see what they are working at and learn what they hope to accomplish, writes a California correspondent of the St. Louis Globe-Democrat. Undoubtedly they form one of the most interesting and unique bodies of men ever brought together in the country. For the most part they are men of a high order of intelligence and with educations acquired in some of the best schools and colleges in the United States. Such a man is Capt. Elliott, whom we met at Lake Tahoe. Such a man is Mr. Hopping, who is still with us, having come down the mountain from Camp Sierra. Such a man is Col. Shinn, who is in charge of the big forest which stretches for miles to the south of us and comprises more than a million and a half acres. Such a man is Capt. Adams, chief of all rangers, and next in rank in the forest service to Gifford Pinchot, the chief of the whole system.

led by the men, that it would seem impossible to gather together such men as are really found in the service. Almost without exception the chief foresters and superiors and district rangers are men with college educations. They are men who love the trees and the mountains. In talking with them I found most of them have a conviction that they are doing much for the progress of the world and for the preservation of resources for coming generations, which will make them famous in the future history of the republic, though but little appreciated now. These men are just like Gifford Pinchot, back in Washington. For the most part they could take their ease and find congenial employment elsewhere, but their love for the woods and the great open mountain spaces and their conviction that work well done now in the preservation of the great forests will mean much for the future and will hold them to their lives of hardship and toil.

Without exception they wear the dark green and picturesque khaki of the service and there is nothing to distinguish the relative rank of the men. They ride themselves on their horses and their equipment. They usually have two horses and a pack animal. I saw Capt. Redwood ride away from Camp Sierra with his rifle under his saddle pommel, a pack horse carrying provisions for six weeks, and a blanket roll in which he may sleep at night, and simple cooking utensils with which he may cook. He has a tiny mite of a baby, only three days old, born up there under the big trees in Camp Sierra, and it seemed almost pathetic to see him ride away, leaving the anxious mother and the newly born baby looking after him from under the edge of the raised tent flap. He will be gone for weeks. Each day he will climb mountain sides and descend into deep canyons and gorges. Each day he will keep his eyes constantly on the sky line to detect signs of the light gray and blue haze which rises toward the sky when there is a forest fire. Many days he will ride from 60 to 80 miles.

Most lumbermen and mountaineers will tell you that the forest service more than pays for itself in the way in which it saves the destruction of trees and property from forest fires. It had an opportunity the other day to see how the rangers work and what grim and desperate duty they do up here in the mountains. Fire broke out far up on the side of the Sierra Nevada. Ralph Hopping the district ranger in charge, had been riding almost continuously for 24 hours and had secured but three hours' sleep in that time. He rode up to the mountain inn here on the stage route and turned his horse and his pack animal out in the corral. He slipped off his riding boots, threw aside his coat, opened his shirt front and was just sinking into an afternoon slumber out on the wide front porch when the telephone bell rang. He was summoned and told that a fire had broken out not far from the electric plant of the Mount Whitney Power Company. Fatigue was forgotten. He shaded his eyes and looked far up the mountain side and across the deep gorges which separated him from the spot where a thin wreath of pale blue smoke was slowly rising.

"That promises to be a bad fire and we will need all the help possible," he said, almost to himself, as he looked up the side of the mountain. The underbrush and wild oats are as dry as tinder and I guess we have a fight before us."

Then he spent 15 minutes telephoning throughout a country which the government has separated into five zones or more. To every station post, to every ranger house, he had a hamlet he telephoned that fire had broken out on the grim old mountain peak and that he wanted 60 men. He telephoned to his summer headquarters and ordered two of his rangers to meet him. He telephoned to the headquarters of the Mount Whitney Power Company at Vasilla and told the officials to hurry up as many men as possible in their big red automobiles and up the mountain side as he felt the great fame of the company was threatened. The fame costs thousands of dollars and carries an immense volume of water in its wooden enclosure, from far up the mountain side to the power plant half way down the steep incline where it produces 4000 horse power as it runs through the big turbine wheels and drives the electric generators night and day.

It was but two miles across the gorge to where the fire was burning but it was six over the mountain trails and roads. By this time Hopping was on the scene the trails and roads were alive with men coming to the fire. They reported at once to Hopping. He divided the forces into three bodies. One each he assigned to his two rangers and the third he took charge of himself. Then when he saw that a thousand acres was being swept by the great sheet of flames he telephoned to the military post inside the Sequoia National Park and in four hours two score troopers rode down the mountain trail and reported to him for duty. The great and expensive six-mile tunnel of the power company was threatened. Already the flames had burned it away for a hundred feet or more, sending a flood of water down the gorge like a mountain torrent and stopping one of the two big power plants. Men with sacks and every available article, even coats and skirts and undershirts, were beating out the fire at its edge.

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TRAGIC DEATHS AT EASTPORT, ME.
Ten Year Old Boy Crushed by Loaded Team - North Lubec Man Drowned.
EASTPORT, Aug. 19.-Two tragic deaths in one afternoon was the record for this city on Saturday, Aug. 15, the victim in one instance being a boy of ten, and the other a man in the prime of life. George Matthews, the ten year old son of Albert Matthews, was sitting on a wheelbarrow at the corner of the Odd Fellows' block when a heavily laden team owned by George Ferguson and driven by Herbert Farris, came up the driveway from the Independent Canning Co.'s plant at a rapid pace, the front wheels of the truck striking the hands of the barrow on which young Matthews was seated, overturning the vehicle and throwing the child beneath it. The blind eye of the truck, which passed diagonally across his chest, crushing out his young life almost instantly. A companion named Bowman, who was with young Matthews, succeeded in getting out of the way and escaped injury, but the dead boy was not quite agile enough and was caught by the rushing team. The driveway where the accident oc-

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curred is a steep one and teamsters are obliged to bring their horses up on the run. The turn is rather abrupt and Mr. Farris, who was driving the Ferguson team Saturday, did not see young Matthews, who was sitting on the truck struck the barrow on which the child was sitting. The terrible accident was a fitting shock to the parents of the victim, who was a bright and promising lad. Sincere sympathy is felt for Mr. and Mrs. Matthews who are overcome by the terrible death of their boy.

The second accident occurred near Estey's Head and resulted in the death by drowning of Herbert Small of North Lubec, son of Loring Small of that place. Mr. Small and a companion came over from North Lubec to this city on Saturday in a gun boat, and were homeward bound when their frail craft was overturned. Saunders, Mr. Small's companion, succeeded in getting ashore but Mr. Small sank quickly from view. Up to Monday afternoon his body had not been recovered. Deceased was 44 years of age and is survived by a wife and family. For whom deep sympathy is expressed.

NEW YORK'S RELICS TO BE MOVED THIS WEEK

Historical Society Prepares to Transfer Valuable Collections From Old Building to New.

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.-Moving of the collections of the New York Historical Society from the old building to the new will begin this week. The floors of the structure at No. 110 Second avenue, which the society has occupied for more than fifty years, are covered with heavy packing cases in which the library of 12,000 volumes is being packed.

Each box has locks with two keys. One of the keys will be retained in the old building, while the other will be ready in the new structure at Central Park West and Seventy-sixth street. More than one hundred vanloads will be required to move the collections. The shelves and cases in the old building have been arranged with great care.

The library is to be known as the John Alsop King-Dean Hoffman room in honor of two generous donors. Most of the books are rare and are of great value on account of the light they shed on the history of the city. The collection of old newspaper files is unequalled. The society also possesses several hundred paintings by early American artists and many old prints illustrating scenes in the New York of long ago.

There are sculptures that have for many years been unused in the basement of the building for want of adequate space in which to display them. The collections also include antiquities of unusual value, among which are several Egyptian mummies. The society has an important place in New York, for in its younger days it was a social centre, and the members of the old New York families belonged to it. Many of their descendants retain membership.

The new building was largely paid for through the generosity of Henry Dexter, between whom and the society there was a heated argument owing to the delay of the organization in moving. The society's present staff of five, under Robert Hendre Kelby, will be doubled after the transfer of the collections.

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COMMERCIAL

NEW YORK STOCK QUOTATIONS. (Published by D. C. Clinch, Banker and Broker, Chicago Market Report and New York Cotton Market. St. John, N. B., Aug. 20th, 1908. Wed. Thura. Ctg. Op'g Noon.

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WITNESS SWEARS BAYNE GAVE HIM MONEY AND RUM

TRURO, N. S. AUG. 19.—The trial of A. R. Bayne for bribery in connection with the Stanfield election last November opened here today. It began at the town office in the Y. M. C. A. building before County Stipendiary Crows. On request of counsel it was adjourned to the county court house at 11 o'clock. The entire morning was spent in the examination of Alex. McDonald, Five Islands. The gist of his evidence was that following a long conversation in which both indulged in praise of Stanfield, he was given six or more bottles of whiskey and \$15 by

POWELL'S UNFAIR AND PARTISAN TACTICS DENOUNCED BY DR. PUGSLEY

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thought the amount might be made up by including all payments made including labor, cost of material, percentage to contractors, etc.

Mr. Shannon in reply to Mr. Powell, said he thought the I. C. R. had a claim against the N. B. C. and R. Co. for the operations of the road by Mr. Hunter.

He signed the period of the provincial government advanced \$350,000 to the road the Senator said he knew nothing about the matter and did not know the total.

In reply to Mr. Powell witness said he heard that Rhodes Curry and Co. had been paid for rolling stock purchased before he took office. He was consulted about the payments but as he knew nothing of the contract he did not offer his opinion.

He thought he had a statement of the amount of the road when the government took it over, which he thought would amount to about \$150,000.

Mr. Powell questioned witness regarding the I. C. R. claim of \$40,000 for the work he did in America, which he thought would amount to about \$150,000.

Witness had given considerable time in arranging the contract with Brown Bros. He did not know of an arrangement by which the government should pay the claims of the full cars while he knew of the government paying the claims but the transactions had his consent as a commissioner.

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Improvements he thought they could go better than formerly. They ran one first and as the business developed they put on two tractors. He thought these tractors paid. He had given considerable attention to this matter and thought he qualified to judge.

This ended Mr. Powell's examination. In reply to Mr. Carvel the senator said that the Brown Bros. contract was extremely low. They might have come out clear on it but it would have been impossible to make any money on it. He had heard of the claim for double subsidy being entered as offsetting the cost of rails purchased from the Dominion government.

Regarding the old Central Railway he knew of the provincial subsidy being granted from Norton right through to Fredericton. The first Dominion subsidy was only for forty miles which would leave the road 5 1/2 miles south of Chipman. It was planned, however, that the road should be extended to Chipman after Clark and Co. of Philadelphia, took charge. He knew that Clark and Co. furnished capital for the road and lost a lot of money on it.

Mr. Powell asked whether the commission intended to go back twenty years into the original cost of the old road, he understood the commission was limited to the period since 1881. He knew as well as any one the object of the originators of the commission. He said he was interested in the matter as a former member of the provincial government. It had been stated that a million dollars had been advanced in the road. If they were going back to the beginning of the road he thought he ought to know it as he thought that witnesses could be furnished to show that a large amount probably about \$500,000 had been expended on the road in the earlier stages of its history. If this matter is gone into at all he should be given the opportunity to prepare for such an investigation.

Judge Landry said the commission would take the matter into consideration. In reply to Mr. Carvel, Senator King continued, he was not sure of the date of the N. B. C. and R. Co. the right of way had been secured, a bridge across the river at Chipman had been built and the money had been advanced in other ways. These assets were taken over by the N. B. C. and R. Co. In reply to Mr. Powell he said that prior to the formation of N. B. C. and R. Co. coal had been mined in Queens county. In fact the first coal mined in America was in Queens county. The French had been engaged in the business in early years. The business had been carried right along being carted several miles and then shipped by water.

The road was built to extend the development of the mines. Up to last year 5,000 chaldrons was mined. Last year 40,000 were mined and shipped by rail in addition to the amount still shipped by water. He thought if labor could be secured the business would be developed to a much larger extent.

In reply to Dr. Pugsley, the senator said that the branch roads formed a junction with the main line at Grand Falls. The road extends two miles farther. He had covered the distance between Chipman and Minto in sixteen miles by the water. He had been talking he thought that section would be considered a first class road.

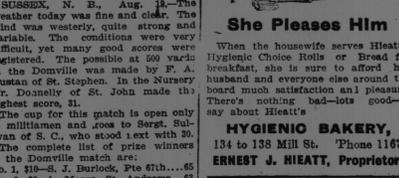
There is now a connection between the N. B. C. and R. Co. and the Transcontinental Road. His son is now shipping coal for use on the Transcontinental. The building of the G. T. P. had been the means of increasing the business of the N. B. C. and R. Co. He thought the road was safe. He never hesitated.

Regarding Dr. Barnes' slowness in completing his contract, the witness said he was of the opinion that other members of the government had also complained of the delay. Mr. Barnes had explained the delay in delivery of the rails. At times his slowness was ahead of the delivery of the rails. Mr. Powell asked if he had heard of Mr. Pugsley promising contracts that would amount to five hundred tons a day?

Here Mr. Pugsley enquired whether Mr. Powell was acting as counsel for a commission or for a party. Senator King knew of a company being formed to do work on this scale, but so far had not commenced work on this scale.

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The cup for this match is open only to 1/4 milliam and goes to Sergt. Sullivan of S. C. who stood next with 30. The complete list of prize winners in the Donville match are: No. 1, 30—S. J. Burlock, Pte 6th... 30

The Sinclair cup was also shot for in connection with the association match. This cup was donated by John J. McKane and was called after Mrs. McKane's maiden name. It was to be shot for by teams of five men in active militia, the team winning twice in succession to become the owner. It was first competed for last year and was won by the 2nd Fusiliers.

The Fusiliers won again this year and thus became holders. The best in the Association match is: No. 1, 31—E. N. Gladwin... 31

Two winners: 1, 32—J. F. Duxton... 32

At the close of the association match the county match will be shot over the 200, 500 and 600 yards range. It is completed for by teams of eight men from the different counties. In the afternoon the Ladies' cup will be shot for. This match is over the 500 and 600 yards range. Seven shots at each range.

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"MAT" CAVANAUGH THE NEW POLICEMAN

Will Join Chief Clark's Force Tomorrow

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There is no doubt that there will be a change in the police circles tomorrow. Policeman Roland Pitt will resign and Matthew Cavanaugh will be appointed in his place.

Chief of Police Clark was asked by the Star this morning regarding the matter and he said he would not discuss the subject at present, but intimated that there would be a new appointment probably tomorrow.

It is understood that Officer Pitt, who has been on the police force for only a few months, had become tired of doing police duty and in the event of accepting another position, has abandoned his resignation.

Matthew Cavanaugh has had his application in for some time and will undoubtedly be a great addition to Chief Clark's force. For some years Mr. Cavanaugh has been a driver in the northern division of the fire department. He handled the ribbons over the horses on the North End ladder truck for years and when chemical engine No. 2 was placed in command he was placed in charge of it. He is young, big and strong, good looking, and a man of excellent habits. While Chief Kerr will lose one of his best drivers the citizens will undoubtedly procure the services of a man who will make an ideal policeman.

"Mat" Cavanaugh is a very popular young man, who has been ever ready to assist the police and has a great sense of duty that will prove a great addition to the force.

TERRIFIC SEA ON LAKE STOPS NAVIGATION

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Aug. 20.—A 45 mile gale kicked up a heavy sea on Lake Ontario last night and practically stopped navigation, only the steamer Toronto being able to make port. The steamers North King and Capitan were unable to cross and tied up at Canadian ports. The gunboat Sandoval put back into port after trying to reach Oswego where the train steamer Toronto was to assist in the unloading of the State Volunteer Firemen's Association. Considerable damage was caused to cottages along the lake front.

MERCHANTS FOUGHT DUEL; BOTH WILL DIE

ROBINSONVILLE, Miss., Aug. 20.—H. B. Suber, and J. H. Gilmore, rival merchants, fought a duel with pistols in front of the former's store, last night. Suber was shot in the breast. His pistol failed to explode, but he retreated to his store and seizing a shot gun, emptied the contents into Gilmore's back as the latter was leaving the store. The wounded men were conveyed to Memphis Hospital aboard a special train. Both will die.

AMERICAN BATTLESHIPS' SOJOURN AT SYDNEY

SYDNEY, N. S. W., Aug. 20.—8.30 p.m.—The first day of the sojourn of the American battleships at Sydney has passed, and while there have been comparatively few official functions, tomorrow being set aside for the public reception and the official landing, the spirit of cordiality and whole-hearted welcome which fills the people of this city has found open expression in several minor ways.

This afternoon the Admirals of the fleet and the captains of the various battleships came ashore and called officially upon Lord Northcote, Governor General of Australia, and Sir Harry Rawson, Governor of New South Wales. Later the governor returned this official call.

This evening Lord Northcote gave a dinner in honor of the officers.

LOCAL NEWS

St. John Exhibition, September 12th to 19th.

C. B. Pidgeon, corner Main and Bridge streets, leads in quality and low prices on men's and boys' clothing

One lone drunk faced Masistrate Ritchie this morning and was fined four dollars.

A special meeting of Div. No. 1 A. O. H. is to be held this evening in St. Malach's Hall at 8 o'clock. As this will be the last meeting before the convention, a large attendance is expected.

The civic employes are receiving to-day their semi monthly pay envelopes. The amounts are as follows:

Officials	\$1,534.14
Market	88.50
Public Works	118.10
Police	1,262.50
Fire and Salvage Dept.	89.00
Ferry	60.22
Total	\$4,442.22

The laborers will be paid tomorrow.

DUSSELDORF, Aug. 20.—Dr. Ems-annual Laker won a remarkable victory yesterday in the 2nd game of the series of eight up for the chess championship of the world in forty-one moves, after a calamitous beginning, defeating Dr. Tarasch, the Nuremberg master.

DEPARTED BROTHERS HONORED TODAY

Annual Decoration Day of Knights of Pythias

Memorial Services Held in the Cemeteries and Graves Beautifully Decorated With Flowers.

With perfect weather and a profusion of beautiful flowers the annual decoration day of the Knights of Pythias will be a striking and impressive event this afternoon.

Large quantities of flowers have been received and prepared at the Queens Hotel for the touching ceremony of decorating the graves of the departed members of the order.

The Knights assembled at their hall on Germain street at 1.30 this afternoon and left there at two o'clock. The parade was headed by Alfred Dodge, Colonel in command of the 1st N. B. Regiment with him marched Col. F. A. Godson, Col. Moulton and Lt. Col. J. E. Wilson. Next came the Artillery Band. The band was followed by the subordinate lodges of Knights commanded as follows:

N. B. Co., No. 1, R. H. Irwin, Union Co., No. 2, E. Milton Smith; St. John Co., No. 30, Oscar Price. Next came the Uniform Rank with Victoria Company No. 1, in command of Lieut. Harrison Kinross, and Cygnet Company, No. 5, in command of Capt. R. T. Patchell.

The parade marched via Germain, Queen and Charlotte streets to the graves of departed members of the order. From there they marched via Charlotte, Union and Waterloo streets and out the Westmorland Road to the Church of England cemetery, where the first stop was made.

A short service will be held here and the graves in this cemetery and the Methodist burying ground across the road will be decorated. The procession will next march to Fernhill cemetery. Here the annual service will be held on the large grass plot near the pavilion. The service will be conducted by Rev. Ralph J. Horton, of Boston, chaplain of the Massachusetts Brigade. Col. Moulton will deliver his annual address and hymns will be sung to the band's accompaniment. After the graves have been decorated the parade will reform and return to the city by way of the Marsh Road.

The following is a list of the deceased members whose graves will be honored:—William Collins, Wilmet Kennedy, James Deemy, John Campbell, A. J. Nicoud, Robert Parkin, Joseph Duffell, Adam Young, Jr., John A. M. Hunter, Thomas S. Hayes, William S. Baldwin, J. W. Wilkinson, James Adam, G. R. Prichard, Thomas S. Adams, A. R. Wilson, John Slater, Jr., W. H. Murray, Robert Willis, Thomas W. Peters, John A. Russell, J. A. Swon, M. D., F. L. Hea, R. H. Green, Samuel Tutts, S. W. Dinmore, E. S. Coughton, W. A. Cathers, J. H. McEivern, M. D., Thomas H. Foster, William Robb, H. V. Cooper, S. Pierce, Wm. E. Miller, T. H. McAlpine, T. A. Crockett, Fred. Fowler, Robert Ferguson, Frank H. DeForest, J. Luncman, J. F. Fraser, B. A. Stammers, D. A. Hatfield, C. E. Scott, C. M. Palmer, H. Duffell, James Ross, R. D. McCa. Murray, J. F. Whitte, John A. Watson, Nell Hoyt, James E. Fraser, Geo. D. Frost, Henry Rubins, Samuel Blaine, W. C. Godsoe, Jr., E. P. Leonard.

Three deaths have occurred during the past year, viz: S. H. Riley, Geo. E. Price and E. W. Allingham.

THE WEST SIDE BARBERS LOWER RATE FOR HAIR CUTTING

Soms time ago the West Side barbers agreed that in future the charge for hair cutting should be 25 cents. It was later learned that two of their number were cutting the rate to 15 cents. As a result a meeting was held last night and it was decided that hereafter the barbers of the West Side would have a standard rate of 15 cents for hair cutting.

JUDGMENTS GIVEN IN THE CITY COURT

In the civil court this morning Judge Ritchie gave judgment in a couple of cases that have been before the court for about four weeks. In the case of Mrs. McCallum, of the West Side, vs. Louis Green, the West End lady was given judgment in her favor for \$19.77 and counsel fees.

In the case of Horace Brown vs. Smith, judgment was given for Mr. Brown for the sum of \$8 for a suit of clothes. The case has been before the court for some time, and the reason given for non payment by Smith was that the clothes ordered by him were not delivered when promised.

PERSONAL

O. S. Crockett, M. P. P., G. H. Ganong, M. P., arrived in the city on the Atlantic express this morning.

Dr. Creed, of the Normal School, Fredericton, is in the city.

Miss Jennette Dienstadt, who has been visiting in Piston, Ont., returned to this city on the Montreal express today.

ST. PETER'S MINOR LEAGUE.

This evening in Alexandra Hall, North End, the Alleghens, winners of the league, will be presented with the trophy. The presentation will be made by E. J. Mahoney, president of St. Peter's Y. M. A. The other teams in the league are invited to be present.

League Standings

Won	Lost	P.C.
Alleghens	11	1 217
Tribbers	6	6 560
Wanders	3	2 250

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4 pkgs. Jelly Powder, for 25c.	1 lb. Pepper, for 25c.
4 pkgs. Bird Seed, for 25c.	1 lb. Ginger, for 25c.
3 pkgs. Maltia Vita, for 25c.	And many others too numerous to mention.
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2.95	2.49	2.50	1.89
2.25	1.89	3.15	2.49
2.50	1.99		
3.25	2.69		
2.50	1.79		

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