

SESSION CONCLUDED WITH THE TARIFF BILL SIGNED

Extraordinary Session of United States Congress Brought to a Close--Payne Act a Perfect Tariff Massacre or Not a Free Trade Bill Says Taft in Published Statements--Thinks Party Has Fulfilled Promise.

Washington, D. C., August 5.—The tariff has been reviewed and the extraordinary session of congress has been brought to a close. Both houses adjourned sine die officially at six o'clock today...

Lack of Unanimity May Bring Failure To Defense Congress

Delegates Bound to certain Policies Unable to Arrive at a Common Basis.

Things are Going the Wrong Way and I Am Sorry For It says one.

Special to The Standard. London, Aug. 5.—The Imperial Defense Conference met again at the Foreign Office today to resume discussion on the naval memorandum.

At the United Service Club dinner, at which the delegates to the conference were entertained last night, under the presidency of Gen. Henry Thomas, Arbourthnot, B. was in the chair.

THAW'S MOTHER ON STAND IN FIGHT FOR SON'S FREEDOM

Sensational Ending Addressed at Yesterday's Session of Lunacy Proceedings--More Stories of the Kind That Has Stained the Memory of Stanford White Indispersed With Illustrations of Great Filial Affections.

White Plains, N. Y., Aug. 5.—More of those stories which have stained the memory of Stanford White, stories that paralleled the tale of the Madison Square Tower room and told by Evelyn Thaw, were related to a breathless courtroom at the Thaw sanity hearing before Justice Mills today.

Adjudgment was taken today just after Thaw had left the stand. He may be called again tomorrow. The attorneys will sum up on Saturday and Justice Mills hopes to render a decision some time next week.

When Mr. Carvalho began his testimony about White, District Attorney Jerome seemed reluctant to admit it. He expressed regret that evidence of this kind should once more mark a case already famous for its salacious details.

MORE SEED AND BETTER IS NEEDED

Mr. W. W. Hubbard, Secretary for Agriculture, who was in the city yesterday, when interviewed by The Standard, said that from advices received from various parts of the province it was evident that the hay crop was below the average, but not so light as was thought some weeks ago.

MICHAUD GUTS ON ONE COUNT

Prisoner Charged With Obstructing Railway--Will be Sentenced today

Special to The Standard. Edmundston, N. B., Aug. 5.—The trial of Ubalde Michaud, charged with placing obstructions on the rails of the Tenimoulin Railway, was concluded here today.

An important feature of the day's evidence, was the testimony given by some of the witnesses to the effect that obstructions have on more than one occasion been found on the railway track since Michaud's arrest.

STOLEN BILLS APPEARING IN ONTARIO

Special to The Standard. Kingston, August 5.—Some of the Traders' Bank bills, stolen a few months ago from the Dominion Express car between Ottawa and Toronto, are being put in circulation in the northern part of Frontenac county and station agents, storekeepers, etc., have been notified to be on the watch for them.

ICE CREAM A FOOD UNDER SUNDAY LAW

Special to The Standard. Hamilton, Ont., August 5.—Judge Monk today gave a decision in appeal of \$3,500,000 worth of bonds have been received by Hon. Mr. Matheson, the Provincial treasurer, and applications are coming to him daily. The bonds are selling at a premium of two per cent.

YOUNG ISAARD MUST ANSWER FOR MURDER

Special to The Standard. Guysboro, N. S., Aug. 5.—The preliminary inquiry into the charge of murder preferred against Joseph Ash Joby Isaard, in the absence of his parents, was held this morning and the accused was sent up for the next sitting of the Supreme Court.

STRIKE WILL SPREAD SAYS M'COLLOUGH

Special to The Standard. Sydney, N. S., Aug. 5.—The general situation at the collieries of the Dominion Coal Company is considered satisfactory by the company. The mines are being worked, and getting back to their full quota of men.

FOUR LOST LIVES BY DROWNING

Special to The Standard. Charlottetown, P. E. I., Aug. 5.—A drowning accident, resulting in the loss of four lives, occurred here today. A party of eight persons left the city in the afternoon for Rocky Point, a pleasure resort opposite Charlottetown in a lobster boat to prepare for a picnic to be held there next Monday.

PROWLINGS OF A SPOOK AEROPLANE

Special to The Standard. Toronto, Aug. 5.—Flying with as much ease and grace as a bird a large airship with two men aboard was seen Monday night near the western channel at the foot of Bathurst street, according to Mr. E. Housey, who with his wife first saw the machine about 7.30 p. m. It swooped down within a hundred feet of the western shore and there was absolutely no noise to indicate that its engines were working.

LIEUT. PERRIN TO ACT AS OFFICIAL OBSERVER AT TRIALS

Peterborough, Ont., Aug. 5.—Lt. Perrin, of the Royal Canadian Engineers, Toronto, will probably be the official observer of the aerodrome trials for the Canadian Militia Department. Lt. Perrin has shown a great interest in the assembling of the aerodromes, having worked almost as indefatigably as the most popular officers in the camp here, being a Men's Man, as the soldiers call him.

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Special to The Standard. Montreal, Aug. 5.—A wireless message received here tonight from Captain Fairfull, of the steamship Titan, due here at 6 p. m. tomorrow night, gives the following message to the Bisley team as being on board: Mercor, Jones, Russell, Morris, Steck, Mercer, Mortimer, Blackburn and Bloomfield.

SALE OF ONTARIO BONDS

Special to The Standard. Toronto, August 5.—Subscriptions for \$1,465,000 of the Provincial issue of \$3,500,000 worth of bonds have been received by Hon. Mr. Matheson, the Provincial treasurer, and applications are coming to him daily.

MRS. SEAGRAM'S DEATH

Special to The Standard. Berlin, Ont., Aug. 5.—Mrs. Joseph E. Seagram, who died suddenly at the Ottawa Hotel, Cushing's Island, Port Harbor, Me., yesterday was sixty-two years of age. One daughter and four sons survive her. They are Ed. F. Seagram, Waterloo; Mrs. D. Herbert Bowly, Berlin; Joseph H. at Home; Norma in Toronto, and Thomas, with the bank of Montreal at Hamilton.

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### ODDFELLOWS ADOPT NEW BENEFIT PLAN

Special to The Standard. Shelburne, N. S., Aug. 5.—The Manchester Unity Odd Fellows were re-nounced by delegates from New Brunswick, and the total number now here reaches nearly one hundred. The sessions of the grand lodge were continued yesterday afternoon and evening, and much important business transacted, including the election of officers.

Among the more important items of legislation dealt with yesterday was the report of the committee on new form of memorial day service. The report was adopted and the new service added to the ritual of the order. The establishment of a central sick benefit fund provoked a long and spirited debate, and it was finally decided that the scheme introduced three years ago by the then grand master, Alderman Edwards of Halifax, be adopted. The new system of paying the sick benefits will go in force on January 1, 1910, \$100 was voted for the celebration of the centenary of the order.

The election of officers resulted as follows: Grand master, H. W. Keating, Halifax, by acclamation; deputy grand master, Dr. Oates, Shelburne, by acclamation; grand secretary, J. Burford, Halifax; treasurer, Eli Evans, Halifax; chaplain, Rev. Ward Fisher, Halifax; lecturer, J. R. Johnston, Halifax; warder, J. R. Surney, Halifax; conductor, Charles Walker, Bay; marshal, G. Hemmings, Sackville; guard, J. Barnes, Halifax; tyler, Ed. Simms, Hubbards; trustees, J. S. Edwards, R. H. Crayden, D. Johnston, Alderman J. S. Edwards of Halifax was reappointed editor and manager of the Maritime Odd Fellow.

From 7 o'clock until 8:30 last evening the Odd Fellows were given a harbor band concert on a fleet of five large motor boats carrying the Shelburne band. The evening was gloriously fine and the sail on the harbor listening to the music of the band interspersed with rollicking songs by jolly three links men was very enjoyable. Tonight the local lodge tenders a banquet to the visitors, to which the mayor and town councilmen and other prominent citizens have been invited.

#### FUNERALS.

The funeral of Mr. Chas. W. Alley took place yesterday afternoon from his late residence Metcalf street. The services were conducted by Rev. Neil McLoughlin. Interment made in Cedar Hill cemetery. Members of Doerries Lodge L. O. O. F. attended in a body.

### ANGLO-GERMANIC WAR IS INEVITABLE SAYS DENISON

Col. G. T. Denison Returned From Abroad Speaks of Uneasiness in the Old Country -- Britain in a Bad Way -- Chamberlain to Return to Parliament -- Diminutiveness of French Soldiers.

(Toronto Globe) War is inevitable. The day must come when the armed forces of Britain and Germany will be at each other's throats. This is the opinion of Col. G. T. Denison, who returned on Saturday from an extended visit to the old country and the continent. In the course of an interview Col. Denison said: "I am satisfied that war between Britain and Germany must come some day because the two nations are rivals, jealous rivals in trade, and there will be a final struggle for the supremacy. It will be the story of Athens and Sparta, Rome and Carthage over again. Already in Great Britain there is a fear of the German. There is a feeling that Germany is preparing for an effort to get on top, and throughout the country there is a nervous feeling. I lunched with Rudyard Kipling one day, and he was quite pessimistic as to the way things were going. It was shortly after that he published his poem, 'The City of Brass,' which is a strong indictment of a certain class of people. Among the people who look ahead there is a feeling of uneasiness. Of course there is also a mass of feeling that everything is all right, and always will be, but as Kipling says himself: "Men, not gods, devised it. And men, not gods, must keep." "With regard to the naval situation we must wait until the British Government gets the best naval authority to say which is the best method by which we can spend our money. I am afraid that our politicians of both parties want the money spent in the way most advantageous to their party interests."

Col. Denison is convinced that tariff reform will be one of the main issues of the next general election, and in this connection it may be stated that after an interview with the Hon. Joseph Chamberlain, whose guest he was, he was led to the opinion that the leader's health was so improved that his return to active political work was possible. "I visited Mr. Chamberlain at Highbury," he said, "and was pleased to find him better than I expected. He walks with the aid of a stick. Mrs. Chamberlain told me that her husband walks half a mile a day regularly. His mind is as clear and bright as it could be, and he is full of fight and confidence that his cause is sound to carry. I hope and expect to see at the next election his party carry the day, and he will again sit in the House of Commons and cast his vote for tariff reform."

"What are the indications as to the approach of a general election?" "It depends on whether the Lords throw out the budget. At first I was inclined to think that they would not, and that in adopting that course they would be following the wisest plan, giving the Government enough rope and letting them hang themselves. There has, however, been talk on the budget so many new principles of taxation that I think the House of Lords will throw out the bill and that will mean an immediate appeal to the country. There is an opinion that Lloyd-George has not properly considered the difficulties of working out his scheme, and that he will probably amend it himself. The fact of the matter is that the old country is in a very bad way. Going through the country I saw that there were a good many fields out of cultivation. There were but few people working in the fields, and I was told that the cities were full of paupers. There is a great lack of employment. Then I went over to France and was struck by the difference. One saw what protection had done for France. The country was the picture of prosperity. There were beautiful crops everywhere, and everywhere there were people working in the fields. The only waste lands were in the forests, and there was evidence of the practice of the most careful forestry."

There was another thing which struck me in France. I was through France in 1868 and visited the great military camp at Chabons. I was struck by the diminutiveness of the soldiers, for I could look over their heads. Since then there has been a great physical improvement and the increased height of the French infantrymen struck me when I saw a number in Orleans. I should say that the average height is now higher than that in the British line regiments."

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Miss Enid Hutchinson, daughter of Rev. D. Hutchinson, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. B. MacKenzie, Moncton.

### THAW WILL DEVOTE LIFE TO LETTERS

New York, Aug. 5.—Harry K. Thaw will devote his life to literature if he wins his fight for freedom from the Matteawan asylum, and anticipating such a victory, his mother, Mrs. Wm. Thaw and her daughter Alice, the former Countess of Yarmouth, have spent about \$25,000. It is reported, in fitting up a corner of the new Thaw house on Fifth avenue in Pittsburg as a literary den for Thaw. Both Harry Thaw and his relatives have believed he would succeed in literary work and for a year this has been the main subject under discussion between Harry, Alice and the mother whom they visited him. If permitted to leave the asylum he will go with them to Pittsburg and engage in literary work after a little vacation in Europe to brighten up. Mother and sister will go with him to Europe. Alice Thaw has also decided to cast her lot with her brother in his literary career in case he is liberated and she has already shown some good work by making contracts for Thaw's writings which will surely prove profitable if he is allowed to get out to do the writing. It is claimed by close friends that Alice has secured contracts which will require a full year's work on the part of Harry and herself, and that \$20,000 is about the total contracts call for. In connection with this Pittsburg society is discussing a story concerning the devotion of Alice Thaw to her mother and brother. She is said to have recently an offer of marriage from a very rich young business man of Pittsburg, but she has declined it, explaining that her life belongs to her unfortunate brother and to her mother.

#### PUBLIC LANDING.

Public Landing, K. C., Aug. 4.—The weather has proved excellent for hay- ing and the most of the people have finished their upland hay- ing.

George B. Jones, M. P., passed through here yesterday looking after the bridges and roads.

Master Ensley Dunham of North End, is helping Charlie Parker to hay at Public Landing.

Mr. Craig Parker, who has been very ill, is somewhat better now.

The raspberries here are only a half crop.

Captain Harrington's wife and family of New York are here visiting their friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Donville Walsh who has spent a few days at their old home, have returned to St. John.

Mr. George Galien is very ill at his home here.

Mr. Daniel Collins of Boston is visiting his brother, Mr. Michael Collins of Fairville.

### ACTUAL NOT THEOLOGICAL UNITY AIMED

Northfield, Mass., Aug. 5.—That there will be individuality with peculiar and personal characteristics after death, and resulting therefrom some theological differences in heaven and different explanations of divine things, these were some of the statements made before the conference here yesterday by Rev. Dr. J. M. Jowett, of Birmingham, England, and they have precipitated a general discussion among the delegates, not all of whom are in harmony with the opinions of the English divine.

Dr. Jowett advocated a form of church unity which has set all the ministers here thinking. His subject was The Perfect Man. He severely criticized the lack of harmony and unity among Christian denominations but said what was needed was not theological unity, but actual unity in faith in Christ, and in the grace received from Him. He advocated unity of action for the good of the world, but does not believe that unity of doctrine or creed is possible. Dr. Jowett's views are quite new to Northfield.

Dr. Jowett's address was listened to by the largest congregation since Sunday, and was doubly interesting as he has recently said that the church and state will soon be separated in England and that many of the Protestant denominations will unite even if there is a difference in creeds. Just before he came here he got into trouble with the Church of England because of one of his leading canons spoke in the pulpit after being forbidden to preach in a Nonconformist church.

### MEXICO IS TO HAVE BIG STEEL WORKS

Mexico City, Aug. 5.—A gigantic steel plant will be established in this city within the coming year by French and American capitalists. The initial outlay will be \$50,000,000. Victor Belanger, of Paris, is the head of the concern.

It is understood that a large part of the capital will come from Paris and Boston. Coal and iron mines in Mexico will be acquired later by the company. The steel will be manufactured by a new and secret process.

Miss Jean McManus, Charlestown, Mass., is the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. McManus, Queen street West.

### ARCANUM OFFICERS FOR NEXT YEAR

Halifax, Aug. 5.—The seventh annual convention of the Grand Council of the Royal Arcanum of the Maritime Provinces was opened at the Queen Hotel on Wednesday, when a business session was held in the forenoon. Rev. E. T. McFadden of Richmond, Va., the supreme vice regent of the order, and representatives of the Supreme Council arrived in the evening. In the Maritime Provinces the order has 964 members, and the total membership of the order is nearly a quarter of a million. The delegates include the following: Prince Edward Island, Samuel Lower, St. John, M. D. Brown, Fredericton, John J. Weddell, C. W. Burnycot, A. N. Charter, Miramichi, George Watt; Bon Temps, C. L. Hamilton, Sussex, W. C. Watson; Crystal, A. C. Sears; Lorne, Harry M. Blair; Woodstock, I. E. Shearsgreen; Truro, Charles M. Dawson; Amherst, A. G. McKenzie; Halifax, William S. Munnis; Kentville, F. A. Masters; Yarmouth, Hiram Gundy; Bridgetown, J. B. Whitman; Lethbridge, George A. Hubley; Lunenburg, D. Frank Matheson; St. Stephen, J. Robert Polly.

At the Grand Council Royal Arcanum meetings in Halifax the election of officers this morning resulted as follows: Supreme regent, Frank Power; supreme alternate, D. G. McAndrews; grand regent, Frank Powers; grand vice regent, G. H. McAndrews; grand tutor, J. Huston; past grand regent, J. A. McQueen; grand secretary, J. T. Allison; grand treasurer, G. H. Burquater; grand chaplain, Rev. A. Hale; grand guide, Hiram Gundy; grand warden, J. P. Polley; grand scribe, G. T. Estabrooks; grand trustees, William Crowe, C. A. McManus, C. H. Perry.

### S. S. MAORI FOUNDERED OFF AFRICA

Cape Town, Aug. 5.—The British steamer Maori founderd last night off Champs Bay. It is feared that the fatalities will be heavy as the vessel carried a considerable number of passengers. Nine survivors have thus far been landed and six bodies have been washed up on the beach.

Rev. C. P. Carleton of Peterborough is in the city arranging for his Sunday school picnic, which will be held on Tuesday next.

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SAINT JOHN, SATURDAY MORNING, AUG. 6, 1909.

CANADA AND THE MONROE DOCTRINE.

A Minnesota paper advises Canada not to establish a fleet of her own or to contribute to the Imperial navy. This the Minneapolis journal holds to be unnecessary because there is a Monroe Doctrine by virtue of which the United States would protect the whole of this continent from European invasion, and in fact from all possible aggression.

Of course the journal does not mention the contingency of the United States becoming the aggressor. But Canadians happen to know that the only times their country was attacked since it became wholly British, the enemy came from the immediate south.

This patronizing way of advising Canadians to trust to the United States for succor in time of trial is getting out of fashion among up to date politicians and journalists of the Republic. They are beginning to see that it is stupid when not meant seriously and offensive when it is earnest.

The Monroe doctrine as interpreted by President Cleveland, setting forth that the continent of America belongs to the United States sphere of influence, and that European nations must not increase their holdings on this hemisphere may concern the republics of Central and South America.

The United States is a great nation with a splendid past, and a glorious future. We Canadians are a part of an Empire with a more splendid past and a more glorious future.

THE POET LAUREATE.

This is the centenary day of Tennyson, almost the best beloved of British poets, the most English of all Englishmen who wrote. There are people, but happily they grow more rare, who teach that Tennyson does not belong to the really great names in literature.

There may have been English poets of the last century who are better known than Tennyson to those who speak other languages. There are no others so familiar to English speaking people. A generation has come up since his work was done, and yet Tennyson is better known and has higher reputation than in his life-time.

It was pointed out by Mr. Stopford Brooke in the Contemporary Review at the time of Tennyson's death that he was a poet who, like Milton and Wordsworth, had a self-respecting view of his lofty and dignified vocation.

Then let us abolish Sir Fred. Borden. He comes high. The Standard is still of the opinion that Canada should make her contribution to Imperial defence in the form which will best assist in the defence of the Empire.

those ideals of humanity which are as capable of being pursued and fulfilled in the college as in the palace. We look back on the life and work of Tennyson as that of a man who uttered nothing base, and nothing basely. Rather as one who thought and spoke in high and noble strains of whatsoever things are honest, whatsoever things are just, whatsoever things are pure, whatsoever things are lovely, whatsoever things are of good report.

SIR FRED'S VAIN BOASTING.

Sir Fred Borden's statement in London that a few years ago the Canadian Militia was an unorganized mob, whereas now there is an organization which can place 50,000 soldiers in the field at once, with another 50,000 in a short time, is a vain boast on his own behalf and an unjust reflection on his predecessors.

It is true that the minister has the headquarters staff for an army of 50,000 or 100,000 men. But he has very few more men in training than there were years ago, when the expenditure was a quarter of the present amount. So far as can be observed they are no better trained in camp or elsewhere than they were ten or twelve years ago.

Of course Sir Fred has more generals and colonels about him. He has a host of inspectors. His salary bill at Ottawa has doubled and doubled again. It is certain that if trouble arose he could place in the field five or six times as many staff officers as could have been found before his day.

TRADE WITH CUBA.

Yesterday's meeting of West India shippers and others interested in the trade with Cuba should give results. One thing which seems likely to be accomplished is the establishment of direct sailings from St. John which will prove a regular and permanent service while there is business to be done.

The trade might be made general and large if mutual confidence were established. The Provincial Secretary, who has promoted the inquiry into the possibilities of this trade, and who is giving all possible encouragement to the enterprise, may be congratulated on the position and prospects of the movement.

A DIFFERENCE.

A Prince Rupert Journal makes criticism of the Grand Trunk Pacific Company for its rigidity in dealing with contractors on the Mountain section. The statement is made that the company is getting its own work done at a surprisingly low rate on the heaviest section of the railway, and in a region where labor and materials would be abnormally high.

A QUESTION OF RECOGNITION.

The statement that strikes are likely to be ordered at Springhill and in the Nova Scotia steel and coal works may well be a conjecture contrary to fact. In both places investigations under the Lemieux Act have taken place. At Sydney Mines there does not appear to be any question of pay which calls for a strike.

MR. BRODEUR AND AUTONOMY.

From what is known about Mr. Brodeur and his methods there is reason to believe that he is more concerned about having the spending of public money in his own hands than he is about Canadian autonomy. It would have been more to the point if the Minister of Marine had protected the autonomy of his department from the gang of contractors and middlemen who took charge of it, and managed the expenditure for their own profit.

The reformed and repentant Sun insists on bringing forth fruits meet for repentance, even though its motives are attacked by the predatory parasite, mercenary "buccaneers." It refuses to discuss its own motives, but once more remarks that the evil element which controls the Liberal party in St. John is dangerous to the peace and welfare of the party.

La Presse, of Montreal, feels easy about the protection of Canadian commerce and Canadian territory from possible foes. Our conferees say that no one is threatening Canada, and if an enemy should appear the United States will drive him away in the name of the Monroe doctrine.

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Superior Dentistry

Emerson puts the POINT of it:— "If a man can write a better book, preach a better sermon, or make a better mouse-trap than his neighbor, though he build his house in the woods, the world will make a beaten track to his door."

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PORT OF ST. JOHN. Arrived—Aug. 6. Schr W. O. Goodwin, 308, Price, Hillsboro for New York, lumber laden.

British Ports. London, Aug. 5.—Arrived—Str. Lake Michigan from Montreal for Antwerp. Bristol, Aug. 4.—Sailed—Str. Montcalm for Montreal.

Foreign Ports. Antwerp, Aug. 5.—Arrived—Str. Mariette from Philadelphia via London. Havre, Aug. 5.—Arrived—Str. La Lorraine from New York.

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EVIDENCE IN CURREY CASE WAS CONCLUDED YESTERDAY. Judge McKeown to Decide Suit Money on Monday -- Mr. Edward Bates Denies Miss Currey's Statements -- Dr. Currey on the Stand -- His Wife's Denials -- Argument Deferred for Three Weeks.

The hearing in the Currey separation case, except for argument by counsel, was concluded yesterday before Judge McKeown. In the morning Miss Eliza Currey and Dr. L. A. Currey gave evidence. Mr. Edward Bates was called in the afternoon to rebut certain of Miss Currey's statements. Mrs. Currey was also on the stand, and denied the truth of much of the testimony given by her husband.

When the Court resumed in the afternoon Mr. Skinner put in evidence receipts for grocery and dry goods bills which Mr. Teed had inquired for. Mr. Currey was about to be examined by Mr. Skinner as to the amount of other bills which have been lost, when Mr. Teed objected, and was sustained by the Court.

Mr. Teed called Mr. Edward Bates. Mr. Skinner— object to Mr. Bates giving testimony. The case is now finished. The Court to Mr. Teed—As I understand it, this is in the nature of rebuttal. What do you want to rebut? Mr. Teed—We want to rebut the evidence of Miss Eliza Currey and Dr. Currey with reference to the alleged statements made by Mrs. Currey about the ell matter.

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SINGLE SCREW STEAMERS ARE NOW DOOMED. New York, Aug. 5.—The day of the single screw liner is done. The once-rack Cunard liners, Etruria and Umbria which first cut under the six day record are tied up useless at Birkenhead, England. Yesterday the Cunard line agents announced that these two vessels, which cost nearly \$400,000 each to build, were for sale and that the reasonable offer would be refused.

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London, Aug. 5.—Few hunters have undergone such a terrifying experience as that which befell Mr. Harry Williams, the African explorer, near Nairobi last month. He was attacked by a wounded lion, which mauled him terribly, and would have killed him but for the unexpected interference of one of Mr. Williams' bearers.

CLOSING COTTON LETTER

New York, Aug. 5.—Intense nervousness and spasmodic activity characterized today's cotton market. Liverpool came 5 points better than expected, but the bear clique was in evidence from the start.

CLOSING STOCK LETTER

New York, Aug. 5.—Today's market was decidedly quieter of tone and more definitely reactionary than its immediate predecessor. There was no time for speculation in the market.

CHICAGO WHEAT

Chicago, Ill., Aug. 5.—Wheat, Sept. 1.09 1/4; Dec. 95 3/8; May, 1.01 3/4 to 7.8. Corn—Sept. 68; Dec. 52; May 52 1/4. Oats—Sept. 36 1/4 to 2.8; Dec. 26 1/2 to 2.5; May 23 1/2.

MONEY ON CALL AT 2 P. C.

New York, N. Y., Aug. 5.—Close; Prime mercantile paper, 3 3/4 to 4 per cent. Sterling exchange steady with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.85 to 4.85 1/2 for 60 day bills and at 4.86 1/2 for demand. Commercial bills, 4.84 1/4 to 3 1/2; silver, 50 7/8; Mexican dollars, 44. Government bonds steady; R. R. bonds, firm. Money on call easy; highest, 2 per cent; lowest, 1 3/4; last loan, 2 per cent.

TENNIS-THE BIG GAMES

MORDECAI BROWN PHOTO BY PHILLIPS

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TENNIS TOURNAMENT

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NORTH STARS WIN AGAIN AT HALIFAX WESTFIELD OUTING CLUB'S ENTRY LIST

Special to The Standard. Halifax, Aug. 5.—The only sporting event of interest this week was the Banook Club Regatta held today in connection with Dartmouth's Natal Day celebration.

EASTERN LEAGUE. At Baltimore—First game: Baltimore, 6; Rochester, 2. Second game: Baltimore, 10; Rochester, 1.

NEW ENGLAND LEAGUE. At Haverhill—Fall River, 5; Haverhill, 0. At Lawrence—Brockton, 4; Lawrence, 0.

CONNECTICUT LEAGUE. All games in the Connecticut League postponed on account of rain.

AT THE HOTELS Royal. A. Dolan, Halifax; B. A. Burke, Boston; E. I. Kener, St. Stephen; H. Foster, Calais; N. J. Gillispie and wife, Savannah; W. S. McFadden, Montreal; Chas. E. Dunbar, Bristol; W. W. Dunbar, Bristol; S. P. Larsson and wife, London; Willard E. Yaver, New York; M. C. Buffington, Providence; H. A. Lako, Providence; J. P. Edwards, Londonderry; Miss Parlee, Montreal; M. M. Mowat, Boston; E. A. Wilnot, Providence; R. L. A. W. Heald, Boston; J. E. Cross, New York; Phillip S. Rust, Boston; Phillip O. Rust, Boston; E. W. Russell and wife, Lewiston; Ira W. Fitz and wife, Auburn; Mrs. W. D. Beck, Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Morse, Chicago; H. V. Rutherford and wife, New York City; H. A. Parley and wife, Calgary; Miss L. Everett, Fredericton; Mrs. John Palmer, Fredericton; A. B. Bailey, Montreal; E. Z. Mason and wife, Boston; Fred Condon, Moncton; H. M. Blight, Toronto; W. H. Duffy, Huron; Mr. and Mrs. Murelia, Brookline, N. Y.; H. Murelia, Moncton; N. J. Paul, Paterson, N. J.; J. Bunch, wife and child, Halifax; L. A. Des Rosiers, Ottawa; F. H. Richardson, Toronto; M. W. G. Anderson, Newcastle; W. A. Dandrocky, Newcastle; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Carver, Philadelphia; B. J. Cleaver and wife, Biddeford; Mrs. S. T. Piker, Biddeford; Joseph C. East, Lynn; James S. Carter, Lynn; Mrs. M. A. Pease, Baltimore; Mrs. W. M. Bidean, Baltimore; M. A. Riley, do.; J. F. Conroy, Boston; F. L. Robbins, New York; J. P. Morley, Boston; W. C. Bates, Boston; Robert F. Gallagher, Boston; Miss E. Grace McCullough, Baltimore; J. Johnson and wife, St. Louis; Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Devlin and family, Salem; Mr. and Mrs. F. P. In, Boston; F. E. Hayes and wife, Boston; Fred, Wadell and Stephens, Warshop and Kilmow; Time—1.28. Umpires, Perrine and Sheridan.



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The "three fingered" marvel is doing fairly well this year, but he has an arm which has to be favored, and chance doesn't like to take any risks as long as there appears to be some hope that Chicago may beat Pittsburgh.

SHAMROCK GROUNDS FOR BIG GAME

Tomorrow's Big Baseball Feature will be Played at the North End -- A Great Game.

The Shamrock management announced last evening that it had been definitely decided that the game on Saturday in the championship series with St. Peter's would be played at the Shamrock grounds.

A baseball game on the Victoria grounds this afternoon at 4.30 o'clock is expected to throw this championship business in the shade entirely.

TENNIS TOURNAMENT TO BE CONCLUDED TODAY

The third day's play in the Provincial Tennis Tournament was concluded yesterday. The final rounds of the ladies' singles, the men's doubles and the boys' singles were played, in which the last set was only won after thirty games had been played, and they thereby captured the championship for men's doubles.

At one o'clock a meeting of the association was held with F. E. Fairweather in the chair. The following officers were elected: President, P. W. Thomson; vice-president, C. F. Ingham; secretary, C. F. Ingham; treasurer, C. F. Ingham.

ED. GEERS NARROW ESCAPE AT GRAND CIRCUIT RACES

Kalamazoo, Mich., Aug. 5.—Ed. Geers, the widely known driver, had a wonderful escape from serious accident today at the Grand Circuit race, when he was thrown over the fence during the first heat of the \$5000 pacing event.

Prize-Kate, by Danville Wilkes (Cox), 1:11. Captain White, ch. s. (Cunningham), 1:23. Ham, b. h. (Francis), 1:42. Complex, b. h. (Commons), 1:33. Dr. C. K. b. g. (Hoffman), 1:55. Princess Nutwood, ch. m. (Walker), 2:05. Time—2:01 1/2, 2:10, 2:08 1/2. Time—2:07, 2:07 TROT.

BASEBALL THE NATIONAL LEAGUE

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AT THE HOTELS

Stanley Goggin, Portland; H. G. McPherson, Toronto; N. S. Hon, J. C. Fleming, Hartland, N. B.; E. L. Warner, Bridgeport, Conn.; Augustus Langley, Ayer, Mass.; W. E. Wetmore, F. W. Wetmore, Clifton, C. B. Lafayette, Fall River, Mass.; M. J. Neville, Malden, Mass.; S. W. Johnson, Truro; Geo. B. Jones, Apohaqui; Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Hadden, Doughton; W. G. Grammel and wife, Boscawen; Arthur Hoyt, McAdam Junction; David R. Smith, McAdam Junction; Fern D. Brown, St. Martins; Mrs. H. F. Chute, Everett, Mass.; W. W. Hubbard, Fredericton; Jack H. Connelly, St. Martins; Miss Jennett Elizabeth Newton, Chelsea, Mass.; Miss Elizabeth A. Berry, Malden, Mass.; Chas. P. Alley, Brockton; S. N. Grammel and wife, Boscawen; A. Grammel, H. M. Grammel, Providence; R. J. Miss Annie Fisher, Carlisle, Pa.; Mrs. H. O. Harris, Doylstown; J. F. Thomas, H. L. Brown, Boston; Boston, New York; W. S. Wilson and wife, Boston; Mr. and Mrs. McRae and child, Montreal; L. A. Marlette and wife, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Richards, Boston; Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Bishop, Salem, Mass.; G. M. Kerkow, New York City; Owen J. Carney, Lowell; Miss J. F. Cuffe, Lowell, Mass.; D. J. Hunter, F. J. Pierce, Boston.

THE WEATHER.

Maritime—Easterly winds, partly fair, some showers, a little lower temperature. Toronto, Ont., August 5.—Fair warm weather has prevailed today from the Lake Region to the Maritime Provinces, with the exception of a light and scattered shower in Ontario and Nova Scotia, while in the west showers and local thunderstorms have occurred in Alberta; heavy local thunderstorms in Manitoba.

Forecast for New England. Washington, D. C., August 5.—Forecast for New England: Showers and somewhat warmer Friday; Saturday, fair, light variable winds.

English Mails Today. The English mails via Rimouski will arrive here on the Maritime express this morning.

Carleton Church Picnic. Carleton Presbyterian Church held a very successful picnic at Westfield yesterday. Several sporting events were largely participated in by those present, and altogether the outing was very enjoyable. The Carleton Cornet Band was in attendance.

Commercial League. On the Every Day Club grounds last evening in the Commercial League, M. R. A. team were defeated by Vassie & Co. by a score of 5 to 0. The battery for the winners was Smith and McLeod, and for the losers Sprout and Girvan.

Lancaster Baseball League. In the Lancaster League last evening the Millford Stars defeated the Portlands by a score of 7 to 4. The Stars have lost but four games out of seventeen played, and announced that they will shortly be out with a challenge to any team in the city.

Military Veterans' Excursion. At a meeting of the N. B. Military Association last evening it was decided to hold their annual excursion at Baywater on Wednesday, August 18. A committee consisting of Mr. Andrew Emery, Mr. James Hunter and the vice president was appointed to make the necessary arrangements.

Mrs. Ellis is Improving. On inquiry last evening at the home of Mrs. Wm. Ellis, who fainted in the depot on Wednesday night, it was learned that both Mrs. Ellis and her mother-in-law were much improved. Word had been received that Corp. Ellis was also progressing favorably in the hospital in Montreal.

Liquor Case Postponed. The case of Mrs. Mary Bradley, charged with selling liquor to an intoxicated man, came up before Magistrate Ritchie yesterday afternoon. Several witnesses were examined and the case was postponed until Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Returned to New York. Mr. John B. Roberts, who arrived last week from New York in his Dutch auto, with his family and has been staying at the Barker House, Loch Lomond, left last evening on the Boston express for New York. He will return later to take his auto back by road.

Question of Club House Deferred. At the quarterly meeting of St. Andrews Society last evening a motion introduced by B. R. Macanlay was decided not to adopt the restriction house building fund was held over until the November meeting. It was decided not to adopt the restrictions to the eligibility rules as suggested by Mr. J. Roy Campbell, Dr. G. L. McIntosh presided at the meeting, at which, in addition to the usual routine business was transacted.

Got Beyond His Depth. Some excitement was caused in the North End yesterday afternoon when one of a crowd of small boys who were swimming in P. E. Sayre's mill pond, got beyond his depth. His loud cries attracted the attention of some men nearby, and one of them took off his coat and plunged in after the boy.

The water was not very deep and the rescuer had little difficulty in bringing the youngster ashore.

First Fatality Here From Sunstroke. St. John has always been noted for its cool summer climate. Suffering and prostration from the heat have been almost unknown. Yesterday Mr. T. M. Burns, secretary of the Board of Health, issued a burial certificate for death from sunstroke, and it is believed to be the first time in the history of the city that a certificate has been issued for this cause. The victim was the late Mr. Chas. W. Alley, of 154 Metcalf street, who died last Tuesday, aged 59 years. Mr. Alley was formerly an engineer on the tugboat Champion.

Visitors to Police Headquarters. Among visitors at police headquarters yesterday were Andrew Creelman, of the Brookline force, and Thomas R. Clark, brother of Chief Clark on the staff at the Boston headquarters. They are on their way to Turin, N. S., where they will attend a convention of the Knights Templar, and are taking their annual outing at St. John on the way. Mr. Charles W. Kingsbury and Mr. Edward Woodbine are also in the party. Mr. Clark will be the guest of his brother, Mr. J. Alfred Clark, Queen street. The visitors were warmly welcomed by Chief Clark, Deputy Chief Jenkins, Sergeant Baxter and other officers, and were well entertained last evening.

Farm Laborers' Excursion. Our readers' attention is called to Canadian Pacific advertisement in today's issue. The demand for laborers in the Canadian Northwest is greater than ever before, and it is estimated from the most reliable sources that at least 30,000 harvesters will be required this year for that section of work. The rate from St. John is \$12.00 weekly, and on application, and the distribution of the laborers will take place in Winnipeg as in previous years. This will be the only excursion from the Maritime Provinces this year, and it is the first excursion to the West this year, those going from here will have the advantage of being the first to get to work.

RIVAL COMPANIES PREPARED TO BID FOR CUBAN TRADE

Mr. F. E. Williams Speaks of Proposed Line of Steamers from St. John to Havana—Will Ask Assistance of Local Government—Mr. Percy Thompson has Manifesta Ready to sail Sept. 15—Dominion Subsidy Being Sought.

Two rival steamship companies, one a local concern, and the other a Boston organization in which St. John men are largely interested, propose to run a direct line of steamers from St. John to Havana and return, commencing September 15. The purpose of the companies was revealed at the produce shippers meeting yesterday afternoon, and later when a Standard reporter sought confirmation from those interested.

Mr. F. E. Williams, when interviewed, said he was connected with the St. John, Boston and Cuba Steamship Company, organized in Boston some time ago, and which had completed all arrangements for the running of steamers from St. John to Havana. On Tuesday next he will interview the Local Government with regard to securing assistance for the service. The nature of the assistance to be asked for would not be defined, but it would be left to the Government to decide whether it should be in the shape of a subsidy or a guarantee of so much freight.

Mr. P. W. Thomson when interviewed confirmed what had been said at the meeting that the Wm. Thomson Co. was interested in placing steamers of their own on the route. The Federal Government, he said, were being asked for a subsidy, and in case arrangements were completed the Manifesta would make the first trip on September 15.

Mr. Thomson added that his company would operate regardless of what the Boston company intended to do. He believed that the same men were behind the St. John, Boston and Cuba Steamship company as had promoted the Tallman service.

At a meeting of the executive of the Canadian Club, held yesterday afternoon, the secretary, Mr. G. A. Henderson, reported the receipt of a letter from Rt. Hon. James Bryce, in which His Excellency accepted the invitation to lunch with the club on Tuesday, Aug. 17.

The club has also invited Lt. Governor Tweedie to be a guest at the luncheon and His Honor has sent word that he hopes to be able to attend. The executive decided to ask the presidents of all the Canadian Clubs of New Brunswick to be present.

The luncheon will be held in Keith's Assembly room and will be in charge of the King's Daughters' Guild. Mr. Geo. Fleming and Mr. LeBaron Wilson were elected members of the club.

Those present were Mr. C. B. Allan, the president, Dr. B. F. Quigley, Dr. A. W. MacRae, Ald. J. B. M. Baxter, Mr. G. A. Henderson, Mr. E. P. C. Knowles, Dr. H. S. Bridges and Mr. J. A. Estey.

Lumbermen in Northern New Brunswick will be affected by the action of the New Brunswick Railway Company at the annual meeting held in the city yesterday in raising the stumpage rates 25 cents a thousand on all classes of timber. The railway company controls a large tract of land and the additional charge will mean a big item in the total winter's cut for the operators in their territory.

The directors elected at the meeting were: Lord Strathcona, Mr. Robert Meighen, Lieut. Col. F. S. Meighen, Mr. John Turnbull, Montreal; Mr. George Cantile, H. H. McLean, and Mr. W. T. Whitehead, Fredericton.

At a subsequent meeting of the directors officers were chosen as follows: Robert Meighen, president; Lieut. Col. McLean, vice president; Mr. Whitehead, land agent, and Mr. Alfred Seely, secretary-treasurer.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Meighen, Lieut. Col. Meighen and Mr. Turnbull left in the private car Saraselle last evening by I. C. R., for Lord Mount-Stephens' camp at Matapedia, P. Q.

Another Fire in Cotton Mill. Between three and four o'clock yesterday afternoon a slight fire broke out in the drying room of the Cotton Mill. It was extinguished before much damage was done.

Hearing Postponed. The case of J. J. Ferris, who was charged with wilfully running his team into that of Jas. Sullivan, thereby breaking the pole of his wagon, came up before Judge Ritchie yesterday afternoon. Several witnesses were examined and the case was postponed for further hearing.

The Time Please! The Amherst people don't give out the time in Fred Cameron's last evening at Amherst Wednesday night. Don't it look good enough after Stirling's performance Monday night here? 7:30-4 is going some. Did the Amherst lad beat it?

Ludlow Resumes Today. Repairs to the Ludlow have been completed and she will be placed on the ferry route about 1 p. m. today. Unless anything unforeseen happens, the Ludlow will remain in commission until October, when her certificate runs out. She will then be placed on the blocks for a thorough overhauling.

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