

CONVICTION IN SCOTT ACT CASES UPHOLD

Supreme Court Dismisses Appeal In Beal and O'Neil Cases — George McKean Also Loses Case.

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Special to The Standard. Fredericton, Sept. 23.—The supreme court this afternoon delivered a number of important judgments, the cases being those heard at last term.

In the King vs. Peck ex parte Beal, in which the case was held in Albert county and Beal was convicted under the Canada temperance act. Defendant appealed on grounds chiefly that over a year elapsed between the laying of information and the issuing of summons, while the act provides that action must be brought within three months from the commission of offence.

Court held, Judges McLeod and McKeown dissenting, conviction was good and dismissed the rule.

In the King vs. Peck ex parte O'Neil, O'Neil was convicted under C. T. act for sending liquor into Albert county, an appeal was taken on the main point being that the liquor was for private consumption.

The court upheld conviction and discharged rule.

In Gibson vs. Toronto Construction Company, conviction a non-suit and ordered pursuant to leave reserved.

Misdirection of Jury. Edmundson vs. Allen, appeal from York County Court, Judge Forbes presiding in place of Judge Wilson. Case one of assault and battery awarded damages. Appealed on grounds of damages being excessive, and also misdirection of Judge. Court allowed appeal and ordered new trial on the ground that judge misdirected jury and latter were likely influenced by charge.

McKean vs. Dalhousie Lumber Company. Case arose out of lumber contract and tried before Judge White. Verdict was rendered for defendant with leave to plaintiff to move for verdict of trial. Court held per Chief Justice and Judges McLeod and McKeown that verdict should stand. Judges Landry and Barry held judgment should be entered for plaintiff. Verdict stands.

King vs. Murray ex parte Copp. This was an appeal from conviction made under the C. T. Act. Rule was taken out on the ground of insufficiency of information as it appeared was laid by telephone. Court ordered rule to be made absolute to quash conviction, one of the judges remarking that it would be somewhat difficult to understand how an informant could sign an information in this way.

FRAUDULENT USE OF MAILS COST \$500

Portland, Me., Sept. 23.—Simon Courter of Pennsylvania, who was indicted for improper use of the mails, in conducting a fraudulent premium scheme in Portland, pleaded guilty in the United States court today and was fined \$500 and costs. He paid.

N. Y. CHIEF ENGINEER HANDS IN RESIGNATION

New York, Sept. 23.—Henry B. Seaman, chief engineer of the public service commission resigned today with a farewell prediction that if the commission does not change its methods, any attempt to build the proposed tri-borough subway to cost

G. T. R. CUT WAGES.

Reduction Effected in Toronto Shops By Laying Off Men One Day in Each Week.

Toronto, Sept. 23.—The Grand union officials started their employes today by issuing an order to the effect that wages must be reduced. The method applied in reducing the wages is not what is termed a direct cut, instead the men will be laid off one day each week or four days a month. This means that the men in the shops will lose from \$6 to \$8 a month. The order applies to shoemakers, car repairers, car tappers, in fact all who are not tradesmen.

NEW STEAMER FOR ST. JOHN

Steel Craft, Called The Canso, Launched On Last Day Of Fair—Boat Coming Here For Government.

Special to The Standard. Yarmouth, Sept. 23.—The exhibition closed this evening, and thanks to the good weather of the last two days, the receipts will probably meet the expenditures. Yarmouth's fairs have always been self sustaining with the aid of the government grant.

A handsome little steel steamer named the Canso which was built by the New Burrill-Johnson Iron Co. for the Dominion government made a trial trip today when it was found that the machinery worked beautifully. A speed of more than ten knots was developed. The Canso is 97 feet 6 inches in length, 22 feet beam and 10 feet 6 inches depth and is fitted with triple expansion engines.

She is now ready for delivery and will be taken to St. John in a few days where she will be used for towing purposes.

The cost is in the vicinity of \$50,000. On the invitation of Harold S. Crowl, the manager of the New Burrill-Johnson Co.'s works, a large number of the citizens accompanied the pretty little steamer on the trial trip and all spent an enjoyable hour or two.

REACTION IN TURKEY NOW

Telegraphic Reports To Mission Board Tell Of Persecution And Unfriendly Conduct—Court Martial Active.

Boston, Sept. 23.—A violent outbreak of hostilities against a number of prominent Albanians in the city of Elbasan, who are known to be connected with the movement for progress in education and for religious toleration, is reported in a despatch just received by Rev. Dr. James L. Barton, of the American board of commissioners for foreign missions. The principle "boy in the city of Dibra has also been beaten and sentenced to 100 years imprisonment, and his house burned. For the same reason, at Elbasan, a progressive editor, friendly to the American mission, has just been sentenced to exile for life.

A telegram from Rev. C. T. Erickson, the American board missionary at Elbasan, reads: "Court martial has ordered me to leave here temporarily with my family." Another despatch from Elbasan states that hundreds are being beaten, some almost to death. The entire situation seems to show a complete reaction from the progressive policy emanating from Constantinople. Subsequent despatches announce the arrival of Mr. Erickson and family at Monastir.

\$120,000,000 will "end in disaster to the work and the reputations of those ostensibly responsible for it." The chief engineer complains that his opinion has been over-ruled.

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REVENGE FOR WIFE SLAIN IN ARMENIA

Bogus Matsukian Shot Down Two Turks On Steps Of Lowell Post Office—One Is Dead In Hospital.

ARMENIAN CLAIMS VICTIM KILLED WIFE

Lowell, Mass., Sept. 23.—On the steps of the Lowell post office during a busy part of the afternoon, Bogus Matsukian, an Armenian, aged 35 years, fired four shots from a revolver at Mohammed Ahmad, aged 35 and Ahmad Noory, aged 34, both Turks, inflicting wounds that caused Mohammed's death tonight at the hospital. Noory was dangerously wounded, but it is thought he will recover.

Matsukian, whose name has been Americanized into Paul Mike, gave himself up without any struggle and said he shot the two men because they had maltreated and killed his wife, whom he had left behind at Shakajin, a suburb of Harpoot, Armenia, six years ago. The shooting caused a panic in the crowded streets and one of the shots went wild through one of the post-office windows narrowly missing Edwin H. Cook, an employe. The three men had met on the steps and had sat down for a talk. Suddenly Matsukian leaped to his feet and drawing a revolver fired at Mohammed. The bullet passing through the heart.

Fired at Prostrate Man. Noory turned to flee but Matsukian sent a bullet crashing into the fugitive's head, and then turned to the prostrate Mohammed again, firing a second shot into the man's body, while still a fourth bullet went wild through the post office window.

There was a wild scramble for safety by the crowds around the men and a policeman rushed up to whom the Armenian surrendered without making any attempt to escape or resist. Ahmad Noory was operated upon at the hospital and had recovered sufficiently tonight to tell a story that differed materially from Matsukian's according to the police.

Noory says that when the three men met on the post office steps Matsukian had demanded from them \$40 saying he must have it at once. They refused to give him any money and then the shooting began. Matsukian told the police later, it is said, that he had purchased his revolver and ammunition with the last cent he had.

INQUEST ON DEATH OF P. E. I. BLACKSMITH

Roused From Sleep And Treated To Liquor By Young Men Was Found Dead Next Morning By Wife.

Special to The Standard. Charlestown, Sept. 23.—An inquest is being held today by Dr. Dougherty the coroner, into the death of Geo. Holmes, a well known blacksmith of Victoria, aged 46.

The deceased retired last night in his usual good health and about 1 1/2 o'clock he was roused from sleep by three young men who had been attending the exhibition in Charlestown. They brought liquor with them and treated Mr. Holmes. Between four and five o'clock this morning Mrs. Holmes was shocked on finding the lifeless body of her husband on the floor of the kitchen lying close to a chair from which he had evidently fallen. There was a bruise on the side of his head evidently caused by the fall.

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"I arrived in Munich on August 31," said Mr. Ryan, "and on entering the dining room of my hotel, I was amazed to see Dr. Cook, his wife, son and daughter, sitting at a table. There was no attempt at disguise. I am acquainted with the doctor and on recognizing him, immediately walked over to him, addressing him by name. He knew me, answered to his name, and introduced me to his family."

FIRST ALPINE FLIGHT ENDS IN DISASTER

Successful Aviator Injured in Alighting LOST \$20,000 PRIZE

George Chavez, a Peruvian, Crosses The Alps At Height Of 8,000 Feet—Came Down Too Fast.

Domodossola, Italy, Sept. 23.—The great feat of crossing the snow-capped Alpine barrier between Switzerland and Italy in a heavier than air machine, was accomplished today by Geo. Chavez, the young Peruvian aviator. But the plucky hero of the exploit met tonight in the Domodossola hospital badly injured as the result of an accident which occurred just as he had completed the most arduous and nerve racking portion of a task he had set out to accomplish—a flight from Brig, Switzerland across the Alps to Milan, Italy, in all a distance of about 75 miles. Both his legs are broken, his left thigh is fractured and his body is badly contused, but the physicians in attendance are of the opinion that the hurts will not prove fatal, and that unless unlooked for complications ensue, Chavez will be about in two months.

The accident occurred as Chavez was endeavoring to make a landing here. The Alps had been crossed most successfully and the aviator was descending gracefully with the power of his machine cut off. When it was about 30 feet above the ground a sudden gust of wind seemed to catch the monoplane which turned over and fell carrying down Chavez with it. When the crowds that had been watching the descent ran up they found Chavez lying bleeding and unconscious beneath the snow-capped wings. Willing hands tenderly lifted the aviator from the ground and bore him to the hospital. Fifty miles away and over the country that has none of the hazards of the Alps, lay Milan, the goal Chavez was seeking in an endeavor to win a prize of \$20,000 offered by the Italian aviation association for the flight. Chavez had lost the race.

Story of the Flight. The weather at Brig was clear and bright when Chavez made his start. Leaving the ground with his motor running at full speed he rose in sweeping circles until he had reached an altitude sufficient for him to clear the Resti shoulder, to the south-eastward of Brig. This obstacle having been overcome the Peruvian aviator headed his monoplane straight for the snow-capped crags of the Piat-chorn. Constantly ascending Chavez reached the Simpon Kula where at an altitude estimated at 7200 feet he turned his machine south over the Kewasir glacier. Chavez was seen from the Kewasir at his left and the frozen peak of the Hubschorn at his right.

After crossing the divide instead of taking a short cut over the Monchers pass, Chavez followed the route of the towering white mountain head of Monte Leone, which rises to a height of 16,646 feet and passed down the Gonde gorge, a deep gulf in sweeping sheer walls until he reached the open valley of the Vadrone, and then descended easily toward Domodossola which is 889 feet above the sea level. It was here that the accident occurred.

Some of the spectators of the flight say that after crossing the Simpon Pass Chavez followed the short cut route over the Monser Pass, which is 8,000 feet above the sea. If this be so, it is possible that the Peruvian beat his own world's record for height of 8,771 feet.

Traversed by Napoleon. The 25 miles between Brig and Domodossola, which it took the armies of Napoleon to traverse, a long-gone Chavez accomplished by the way of the Eagle in exactly forty minutes. From the high point at Monser he descended 7,000 feet in 13 miles, his machine gaining momentum as it flew over the jumble of lower peaks, gullies and hills beyond, until the speed was terrific as it approached the aerodrome here. This doubtless caused the accident which turned the cheers of admiration by the waiting crowd into cries of horror, for the machine came hurtling to the ground, just as it seemed Chavez was about to alight in safety. After treatment in the hospital, Chavez regained consciousness. He suffered nothing from his hurts. He said he was unable to explain how the accident occurred—that he could not remember having fallen. The generally accepted opinion is that it was due to a slight shift in the rudder while the monoplane was going at a high rate of speed. Thousands of the aviator's friends and others arrived here from Milan and other points to tender their services to him.

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DISTINGUISHED PASSENGERS. Quebec, Sept. 23.—The steamer Empress of Britain left Quebec this afternoon at 3:40 o'clock with about 650 passengers. Amongst the first class were Lord and Lady Albermarle, Lord Clinton, Sir H. H. Cozens-Hardy, Sir Walter Cano, Lady Hillier, Mr. and Mrs. Vezev, Capt. Duncan Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Nedef, the Assyrian strong

TWELVE KILLED 11 INJURED IN KANSAS WRECK

Cloudburst Washed Out Steel Bridge And Train Plunged Into Gap At Full Speed—Many Drowned.

BASEBALL TEAM ESCAPED INJURY

Clayton, Kan., Sept. 23.—A dozen persons lost their lives and 11 others suffered injuries in a wreck today of a west bound Rock Island passenger train running to Denver from Kansas City. The wreck was the result of a cloud burst, which carried out a steel bridge, and turned what is normally almost a dry bed, into a torrent many yards wide. The water washed out nearly a thousand feet of track also.

The train, running at full speed, plunged into the gap. The locomotive and mail car went into 20 feet of water. The chair car almost telescoped the smoker, ahead of it. Several passengers in these two cars were killed almost instantly. Others were carried into the raging stream with the wreckage, and drowned. It was many hours before the bodies could be recovered. Passengers in the Pullman and the other day coaches were hurled from their berths or seats by the shock. Those who were able hurried out into the storm and gave what assistance they could to the injured. Members of the Topeka baseball team of the western league were occupants of the Pullman, but all escaped injury. Nearly all those killed and hurt were in the smoking car, and the day coach next to it. All the slain passengers lived in Kansas and Colorado.

LAST CHANCE FOR PRIZES

Special Period Contest Closes Tonight And Work Of Few Hours Remaining Sure To Tell—Have You Enough.

All candidates are requested to turn in their subscriptions to The Standard office as early as possible today, in order that the contest department may have time to make out the proper voting certificates. Members of the Topeka baseball team of the western league were occupants of the Pullman, but all escaped injury. Nearly all those killed and hurt were in the smoking car, and the day coach next to it. All the slain passengers lived in Kansas and Colorado.

At ten o'clock tonight the ballot box will be closed to all ballots except those which will be in the mails. The count to decide the winners of the special prizes will be made at five p. m. on Monday, and the winners' names will be published in Tuesday morning's issue of The Standard. The race has been very close, and no one can tell what the outcome will be so get all the votes you can before ten p. m. tonight, for just a few more make you a winner. It will be for contestants to turn in their subscriptions during the day and take the ballots away with them to cast as near the closing hour as they care to. This will do away with a great rush at the last minute, as well as giving the contestants time in the evening to get those last few promises which they will surely need to win.

JUST A FEW HOURS. Just a few hours remain for the votes that will tell who will be the winners of the special prizes. Votes will win the prizes. Get the votes. The shortening of the life of the contest is adding interest to the work. Just two weeks remain in which to secure the valuable ballots. Only two weeks and the contestants will know who are the successful bidders for the honors of the vacation trips.

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WESTMORLAND CO. TEACHERS' OFFICERS

J. C. Pincock Of Moncton Is Chosen President At Institute Meeting—Chief Superintendent Carter Speaks.

Special to The Standard. Moncton, Sept. 23.—Chief Superintendent of Education Carter addressed the Westmorland County Teachers' Institute at Fort Elgin today, answering questions in regard to text books, course of instruction, pensions, etc.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President—J. C. Pincock, Moncton. Vice-President—Miss Horsman, Dorchester. Secretary—W. E. Irons, Moncton. Additional members of executive—Miss Elizabeth Anderson, Sackville; Miss Ryan, Petticoatic.

The next annual meeting will be held in Dorchester.

FISHING CONDITIONS.

Newfoundland Government Will Not Hamper Americans Until Appointment of Commission.

St. Johns, Nfld., Sept. 23.—The present conditions governing the winter herring fishery in the Bay of Islands, probably will remain unchanged during the coming winter. Pending the appointment of an international commission as authorized under the recent decision by the Hague Tribunal, to determine the fairness of local fishery regulations made by the Newfoundland government, it is understood that the colonial government will not attempt to subject American fishermen to any additional regulations.

MISS CAMPBELL IS CHAMPION

British And American Title-Holder Also Leads Canadian Players—Exciting Match From Miss Anderson.

Special to The Standard. Toronto, Sept. 23.—In one of the hardest fought and exciting contests which has ever taken place in the annals of the competition, Miss D. Campbell of Hamilton, the present British and American champion, defeated Miss Henry Anderson, of Montreal, the present champion in the final for the Canadian ladies golf championship, at the Toronto links this afternoon at the 15th hole, by 2 up.

From start to finish it was a battle royal with the issue in doubt almost to the last hole. Admitted that Miss Campbell deserved the match on her day's play, yet every congratulation must be extended to Miss Henry Anderson on the splendid uphill game she played. Not once during the progress of the keen contest did she lead her redoubtable opponent and even though she was favored with the worst luck there was no disposition on her part to do other than play all she knew.

As a matter of fact the story of the game resolves itself into a series of nearly contested holes, brilliant drives, the big gallery of spectators who followed the players with breathless interest, an exposition of golf as it is rarely seen in Toronto. In a word the match was one which will not be soon forgotten by those who witnessed it.

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BOSS BRAYTON LOSES BATTLE WITH DEATH FOE

Famous Blind General Autocrat Of Rhode Island Dead After Forty Years Of Undisputed Power Over State.

LEAVES PARTY WITHOUT LEADER

Providence, R. I., Sept. 23.—The Republican party of Rhode Island was without an acknowledged leader tonight for the first time in 40 years, death having claimed today Gen. Charles Ray Brayton, the "blind boss" Rhode Island representative on the Republican national committee and the controlling force in the party's destinies since 1870.

Senator Nelson W. Aldrich for many years a national figure has announced his withdrawal from active political life, and Hunter C. White, sheriff of Providence and General Brayton's intimate friend, trusted political ally and possible successor, died less than a month ago.

Gen. Brayton died at a private hospital at 8:45 a. m. Death, according to the attending physician, was due to diabetes from which the general had suffered for 10 years, hastened by a fractured hip, sustained by a fall on Aug. 29 last. The death of the general came as a surprise to all except his family, his intimate friends and his family physician.

In the opinion of shrewd political observers there is no one in the state who will occupy the position held by Gen. Brayton for 40 years. While there are many prominent Republican workers there is said to be no one who can command the power and influence enjoyed by the blind boss as he was called by friend and foe alike. His power politically, was unquestioned, and although Braytonism was for years an issue in his own party, as well as a point of attack on the part of the Democrats, Braytonism was never downed until today, when the general lost his first fight, but death and not political opposition was his conqueror.

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Woodstock Fair a Great Success

Judges Speak Highly of Dairy and Fruit Exhibits—School Department a Feature.

Special to The Standard. Woodstock, Sept. 23.—The three days exhibition closed at 10 o'clock tonight and proved a grand success in every particular. This at least is the opinion of Andrew Elliott of Ontario and S. L. Peters, two of the principal judges.

Referring to the dairy and fruit exhibits, Mr. Peters said the whole exhibit is richly entitled to be in the

ARCHAEOLOGICAL INSTITUTE DOES IMPORTANT WORK

Prof. Carroll, General Secretary of Parent Organization, Delivered Interesting Address Before Local Branch Last Evening--Dr. W. W. White is Elected President--Interest Growing.

An interesting lecture was delivered last evening by Prof. Carroll, secretary of the American Archaeological Institute, before the St. John branch.

Prof. Carroll said in part:-- One of the interesting phases of scholarship in North America during the last thirty years is that through individual effort and liberality, we have accomplished results in scientific undertakings that compare favorably with the work of European nations, and that in the sciences and in all branches of culture we are rapidly taking our place by the side of the more highly developed countries of Europe.

The Archaeological Institute of America was founded in 1879 in Boston by Charles Elliot Norton, to promote and direct archaeological research. Yet its mission was for broader, as it was intended, from the start, that it should be a society standing for the highest intellectual culture.

The membership of the institute now numbering nearly 3000, is distributed in 32 affiliated societies in many of the leading centres of culture on the continent. Owing to the community of scholarship prevailing among scholars in Canada and in the states, in the fall of 1908, the department of Canada was organized.

It may be interesting to inquire how an institute which covers so large a field is governed and how it secures funds to carry on its work. The government of the institute is in the hands of a council composed of representatives of the affiliated societies.

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The membership consists partly of specialists and teachers interested in the humanities; of architects, artists, archaeologists and ethnologists, but mostly of cultivated men and women who have an interest in this work as a means of promoting general culture and who delight to hear lectures on artistic themes and to give of their substance to good works.

The events in the regular life of a society are: 1--the annual meeting when there is a special gathering of the entire membership, usually at the house of a member, for the election of officers and for the general consideration of the work of the institute; 2--house meetings at the residences of prominent members at which a lecture or address is given on some archaeological theme, and 3--public lectures given at the local university or in some large hall where outsiders may be reached as well as members of the society.

The lecturer gave a review of the work of the schools at Athens, Rome, and in Palestine. Students visit and explore, under competent guidance, the most renowned sites of antiquity; they become acquainted with the greatest masterpieces of art that survive; they acquire from the monuments themselves the principles of architecture and sculpture; they have the privilege of reading from the stones inscriptions bearing on ancient history; and in these sacred localities they receive an inspiration that enables them to impart in turn to their pupils, living and abiding interest in the immortal works of art and literature that lie at the source of modern civilization.

The School of American Archaeology was founded in 1908. Its headquarters are in Santa Fe, New Mexico, where the historic Governor's Palace has been devoted to the purposes of the school and the growth of a museum of American Archaeology.

The affiliation committee of the institute devotes itself to the promotion of the study of the architecture, painting and sculpture of mediaeval and renaissance times. Fellows are appointed in these studies who spend their time in Italy chiefly, at the American school in Rome.

To make known to its constituency the results of archaeological research, the institute sends out each year to all the societies three or four lectures which are specialists in their respective fields, or have just returned from some important site. Owing to the vast extent of country to be covered four lectures circuits are maintained, namely, Eastern, Central, Western and Canadian.

The institute distributes to all its members the American Journal of Archaeology, a quarterly periodical containing papers on the various fields of Archaeology. It also issues special publications, as for example, the papers of the American school in Rome, Excavations and Explorations.

At the conclusion of the lecture the annual business meeting of the society was held. Secretary J. J. McCaskill submitted a report describing the organization of the society and its work during the past year.

At present it has provided for the excavation of Cyrene, the most important centre of Greek and Roman culture in Northern Africa. There is every prospect of fresh finds being made, and of valuable contributions to knowledge.

Officers for the year were then elected as follows: President, W. W. White; vice-presidents, Judge J. G. Forbes, T. H. Bullock, R. J. Quiley and Joseph Allison; secretary, J. J. McCaskill; treasurer, C. F. Sanford; councillors, the president and secretary; executive committee, H. A. Powell, Dr. H. S. Bridges, Archdeacon Raymond, Prof. Fraser of Montreal, formerly pastor of St. Stephen's church, of this city, was present, and made a brief speech explaining the means taken by the Montreal society to keep up interest and develop a social consciousness. He referred appreciatively to the lectures on ornithology delivered by Gordon Leavitt in times past, and expressed the opinion that the lecturer had been instrumental in inducing the young ladies of St. John to abandon the barbaric custom of wearing birds on their hats.

On motion of R. J. Quiley and J. J. McCaskill a vote of thanks was tendered the lecturer of the evening.

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Picture Case on Tuesday.

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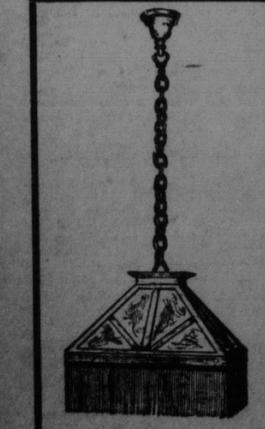
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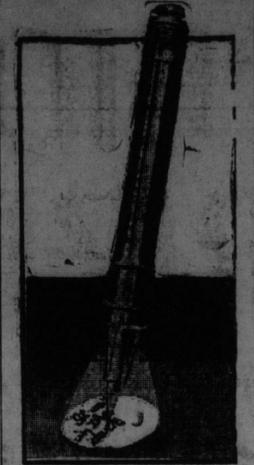
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AND THIS COURT DOETH FURTHER APPOINT Monday the tenth day of October, A. D. 1910, at the hour of three o'clock in the afternoon at the Admiralty Court Chambers in the City of Saint John, in the Province of New Brunswick, as the time and place for the appointment of a liquidator of the said D'Israeli Asbestos Company under the said Winding-up Act.

PROBATE COURT To the Sheriff of the City and County of Saint John, or any Constable of the said City and County:—Greeting.

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THE URGENCY OF IMPERIAL PREFERENCE.

Recent cables from England indicate that the sentiment in favor of an Imperial preference is likely to become a very live issue in the near future. The action of the Canadian government in negotiating treaties with foreign countries is having a marked effect and both in the press and on the platform the warning uttered by Sir James Whitney that the policy of drift on the part of the home government in not grasping with the situation may jeopardize the cause of Imperial unionism, is being heartily endorsed. The possibility of reciprocity between Canada and the United States is also viewed with alarm, as tending to loosen the ties which bind the Dominion to the Mother Country.

The premier of Ontario has let no opportunity pass since his arrival in England to express his views on what he evidently regards as a vital question. In an interview this week with the Standard of Empire, Sir James again reiterates his opinion that Imperial unionism was seriously prejudiced by the conclusion of commercial treaties by Canada with foreign countries before an understanding on trade questions had been arrived at with the Mother Country. Austin Chamberlain, a former chancellor of the exchequer, in a recent speech at Birmingham, took the same ground. What he had prophesied, he declared, had happened. "The Canadian government had negotiated and were still negotiating those commercial treaties with foreign countries which they would have made with Britain, if she had been ready to grasp the outstretched hand. It would be deplorable if the next Imperial conference passed with nothing done."

The Bristol delegates during their visit to Canada found the same feeling prevailing. Mr. T. B. Johnson, one of their number, in an interview emphasizes the tariff reform question as the first thing Canadians spoke of. Canadians, he added, were continually asking how long it would be before England made up her mind. Sir George Doughty ex-M. P. for Grimsby, takes a more hopeful view, and in a recent address before the Toronto Canadian Club, predicted that in the near future a preference would be given Colonial products over the products of every other nation in the British markets.

Discussing the urgency of Imperial preference the London Times thus sums up the situation:—"What remains to be done can only be done by this country, and can be done by no other means than a change of the trade policy. The last election has shown how very nearly persuaded the British electorate now is that a change of policy is essential to its own prosperity. There is a majority for such a change in the present parliament. The next appeal to the electorate must necessarily, of course, turn largely on the constitutional question, on which necessity, even more than policy, is leading ministers to concentrate. But although the power and prestige of the second chamber must stand in the forefront of Unionist speeches in the country, it is equally essential that the party should leave no stone unturned in setting out the urgency, on Imperial as well as domestic grounds, of tariff reform. The broad facts of the situation are easy to bring home. Reinforced by the overwhelming power of sentiment which surrounds the Imperial idea as well in this country as in the Dominions beyond the sea, the argument is one to which the political instinct of the country will unfailingly respond."

On the subject of reciprocity, Sir James Whitney is equally emphatic, and in his interview with the Standard of Empire deprecates any such arrangement with the United States. The London Daily Mail is responsible for the statement that British free traders are doing their utmost to bring reciprocity about; "more from ignorance and fanaticism than malice," adds the Mail, "but it is high time they recognized the possible consequences of their folly."

In Canada, even with well founded rumors of a coming conference, the subject of reciprocity is raising no interest. President Taft is quoted as saying he "believes that on both sides of the boundary line there is much sentiment in favor of an agreement on tariff matters, except among the manufacturers of Canada." The sentiment is not apparent. However urgently Canadians may desire Imperial preference, as a whole they cannot see the supposed advantage that a tariff agreement with the United States would bring. As the Toronto News points out in discussing the question, the electors have again and again "expressed themselves in favor of guarding Canadian industries, and thus stimulating the home market for agricultural products. The free-traders, who form an unimportant remnant of our population, are not at all backward in self-expression, but votes, not words, influence the fiscal policy of the country."

Even if public opinion in Canada favored tariff reciprocity with the United States, the time is not ripe for negotiations. Recent events across the border show that there is wide-spread revolt against the high protection policy inaugurated with the McKinley and Dingley tariffs and continued by the new Payne-Aldrich tariff. A revision of the tariff downward is almost certain. If not made by the Republicans it will be made by the Democrats. Canada has everything to gain and nothing to lose by awaiting the trend of events.

IRELAND'S EMIGRATION.

Although conditions in Ireland are reported to be better than for many years, the tide of emigration shows no sign of falling. The sons and daughters of Erin continue to leave the old soil and build up homes for themselves abroad, principally in the United States.

Legislation has failed to prevent a steady drain on the population, which, if maintained at the same rate, will this year amount to 22,000 people. This number if reached, will be 1,500 more than the high water mark of 1908. In 1909 the figures fell to 25,000 owing, it is said, to brighter prospects as the result of acts passed by the British parliament.

Census tabulations tell the story:—In 1831 there were 7,767,400 persons in Ireland. In 1841 the number was 8,196,500, resulting from political improvements, creation of leaseholds and prosperity due to the productivity of the potato and high prices of produce during the war with France. But in 1851 about 1,622,300 fewer people inhabited Ireland, while in 1901 the population was 4,453,700, a loss of nearly one half in ten years.

Various causes are assigned for this result in a country endowed with many natural advantages. There seems reason in the belief that a chief cause is Ireland's contiguity to England, which dominates the situation. Hardly less in importance, doubtless, rank the unsatisfactory relations so long existing between the landlord and the tenant. A damper on ambition is the discouragement of general agricultural and industrial advancement. Possessing stores of iron ore ample to guarantee her intrinsic wealth, Ireland yet lacks coal and wood to help her utilize the iron. Peat may suffice for ordinary fuel purposes, but it hardly aids development such as will keep the Irishman at home and attract workers of other lands.

The system of landholding is shown by statistics to have been a handicap. Tillage lessened when extensive farms replaced more numerous smaller holdings. The area under crops decreased between 1847 and 1880 to 157,351 acres. Unsettled political and social relations and legislation that blighted agriculture indirectly affected manufacturing, which was discouraged further by restrictive acts similar to those preventing development of trade.

Emigration naturally appealed strongly to a people in such straits. The proportions of the population outflow are a fairly reliable index to what a country has to offer. Ireland's greatest increase in population culminated in 1841, and was due to causes from which lessons may be drawn today. Since then emigration has had full sway, more than two-thirds of it being directed toward the United States. Some change of system, it appears, will have to be inaugurated if Ireland is to keep the remainder of the strong race that now helps to build up other lands. There are strong arguments in facts and figures that make long delay unpleasant to contemplate.

THE RESCUE BY WIRELESS.

The wonder-working powers of wireless on the great deep are by no means exhausted, as the experiences of the crew of a freight steamer burned to the water's edge a week ago in midocean amply testify. On the contrary, these powers seem to be widening, both in scope and variety.

A plain, simple, direct rescue, one of the kind through which wireless gave a first sensational demonstration of its capabilities and added a new type to the role of heroes, might not have arrested the attention of a jaded public. Fate, therefore, arranged a duplex rescue—treated the world to a double-header. Half of the endangered crew was picked up by one liner, and the other half, as the result of a wireless search which was carried on over a good part of the North Atlantic, and which involved communication with more than a dozen steamers, by a second liner. And each party has been made aware, long before landing, of the safety of the other; and we, thousands of miles away on shore, have already entered into the situation as completely as anybody who was engaged in the work of rescue.

With every advancing season the ocean becomes safer—not only for the conspicuous express liners following settled routes, but for the humbler craft engaged in freighting over less definitely recognized courses. Assurances of equal safety on land would be gladly welcomed by the traveler within the limits of his own country.

GOVERNMENT IN AUSTRALIA.

The Australian Commonwealth is only twelve years old, yet already there is much dissatisfaction with the Constitution of 1898. Like the Constitution of the United States, it represented a compromise between the national principle and home rule under State governments; and it has not in all respects worked well. The result is that, behind the political parties and blended with them all, there is forming a division into a States' right party and what may be called a unification party. That is to say, there is a tendency, in which the Labor party strongly shares, to subordinate the States to the Commonwealth in an increasing number of legislative matters.

On the other hand, the representatives of the State governments and those who sympathize with them in the Federal Parliament, are contending that the metes and bounds marked out in the Constitution must be sacredly observed. It is not denied that, if the Federal power is to be heightened, as many desire, amendments of the Constitution will be necessary. The subject most in debate just now is financial. Federal revenue is to be distributed among the States, and the dispute is upon what basis it is to be done. Political historians will certainly find interesting the parallel between Australia and the United States, after the former had adopted a Constitution confessedly modelled on that of the latter.

CURRENT COMMENT

(Woodstock Sentinel.)

A Toronto man whose dog destroyed some flowers in a neighbor's garden was recently assessed a sum of money and costs for the damage done. The judge in giving his decision used these words:—"If you have a dog that has been doing damage to a neighbor's flower beds, and you have knowledge of the fact, you are liable to the extent of the damage done after the time of your gaining this knowledge." We presume that what is good law in Toronto is good elsewhere.

(Kingston Standard.)

Commander Roper seems to have thought that he could do in Canada what he would not dream of even attempting to do in England—that is, lecture the people and advise them as to how they should go in naval matters. The commander never made a bigger mistake in his life. And certainly if the Canadian people are to be lectured they prefer to take their medicine from some one who has been in the country longer than four months.

(New York World.)

Every life lost by typhoid is a wasted life. It is absolutely preventable. People who live in marble halls without caring whether poison runs in the pipes behind them; the very rich who spend millions on display but neglect sanitation; college professors caught unawares by epidemics like that in Ithaca—these have themselves to blame if the disease occurs. Typhoid originating in any community disgraces it.

(Hamilton Herald.)

It would be too bad if the Ross rifle were to be classed as a toy gun, the use of which is prohibited.

PROFESSIONALS TEST STOCK MARKET

New York, Sept. 23.—The stock market resolved itself again today into a series of posting operations by the professional element. As the news of events comes to hand, the traders put out commitments in accordance with their appraisal of its significance, hoping for success in anticipating the action which will be prompted by the more substantial interests in the properties, when they have digested the news. If no such action follows the professional trader retraces his steps and cancels his venture. That is what is happening from day to day and almost from hour to hour in the present market. Profound indifference is maintained by the general public and the capital interests more immediately concerned with the affairs of corporations. Such a movement as that which developed later today in Reading seems to represent an ebullition of impatience on the part of the traders in the spar of any movement of real significance, and driven to resort to a concerted movement in a matching of fractions, amongst themselves. Only fractional price changes again proved to be the outcome, at the end of the day.

The first movement of the market towards a lower level, was quite precipitate and was the response to the remarks by Commissioner Lane yesterday, at the commerce commission hearing, into railroad rates at Chicago. His assertion that "we must not let this problem, on other lines than the copper situation, be raised by the tariff," was seized upon as definitely outlining the decision of the commission, on the petitions now before it, for specific advances in bonds. The quick check to the downward movement showed that there was no widespread agreement with this view. The commissioner's assertion was regarded rather as an academic protest against the argument of the railroad companies that the growth of traffic on the railroads involves a constant increase in the cost per unit of service; an argument, said Mr. Lane, which would mean that the maximum has not yet been reached. The particular weakness in amalgamated copper, was due to the reports that the Calumet and Hecla had lowered its asking price for lake copper, over the copper situation permeates the whole speculative fabric and any signs of a break in the copper market are feared for the widespread consequences which might ensue.

There was reselling of stocks, bought yesterday on account of the report of the foreign bankers' action on cotton bills of lading that were not borne by authoritative advice. The banks report a heavy outgo of currency for the week southern ports making particularly heavy demands, evidently to prepare for any possible outcome of the cotton bill dispute.

CLOSING STOCK LETTER.

By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co.

New York, Sept. 23.—Moderate activity and pronounced irregularity of movement characterized today's stock market. There was no increase of outside interest and changes were still attributable to the room professional element. After some early weakness due to scattered profit taking, the entire active list hardened in sympathy with a sharp upward movement in Reading. The buying of this stock was inspired by the highly favorable annual report of the Jersey Central, which, including profits from the recent sale of Lehigh Valley stock indicated earnings of nearly 34 per cent. on its outstanding capital. As the Reading Co. owns 53 per cent. of the Central's capital stock, it was computed that its equity in these earnings was equivalent to nearly five per cent. on Reading Common stock.

This exhibit following the highly favorable annual report just published by the Reading Co., naturally caused some very bullish predictions with regard to the two issues concerned. Another demonstration which caused considerable interest was an advance of about 7 points in Detroit United stock in the Montreal market. This was accompanied by rumors that dividends on the stock will be resumed owing to improved financial status of the company. The general market remained irregular throughout, final prices showing variations of from 1-2 to 5-8 points from last night's closing with declines predominant in the active stocks. The general action of the market foreshadowed no pronounced changes from conditions which have prevailed for some weeks past. The technical position appears still to be strong, but bullish activity is repressed by the impenability of the fall elections. LAIDLAW & CO.

WINNIPEG WHEAT MARKET.

St. John, N. B., Sept. 23.—The Ogilvie Flour Mills Co., Ltd., supply the following quotations of the Winnipeg wheat market:—
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DEATHS

Brennan—In this city on Sept. 22nd, Henry Brennan, aged 60 years, leaving a wife, one son and three daughters to mourn his loss.
Funeral from his late residence, 41 Water street, on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends invited to attend.
Skinner—At St. John, N. B., on Thursday evening, September 22nd, Charles N. Skinner, K.C., D.C.L., aged 77 years.
Funeral on Saturday at 3 o'clock, from his late residence, Crown street.

FUNERAL NOTICE

Members of Havelock L.O.L., 27, are requested to assemble at Crown St., at 2.30 p.m., today (Sept. 24th) to attend the funeral of their late brother, Past W. M., C. N. Skinner, without regalia.
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Evenings of the Week

The falling leaves, the chilly winds and the raw cold days, are all heralding the approach of the coming season. Country cottages and seaside resorts are no longer populated with pleasure seekers; but the town houses are claiming the summer residents, and now that the hostesses for the coming season are installed in their city homes, it will only be a matter of a few weeks before society will have fallen in after and become the devotees of endless gaiety. It is at this time of year that the fairer sex are seeking to discover the latest vogue for the winter months, and every available model is deluged with orders to follow up and create the various styles that the fashionable set demands.

Mrs. W. E. Raymond, Germain street, entertained at an informal but delightful tea on Wednesday afternoon in honor of her guest, Mrs. Macaulichin-Smith. Mrs. Raymond in a dainty lingerie gown received her guests assisted by her mother, Mrs. Walter Clarke in a heliotrope gown and large black hat, and her guest, Mrs. Smith in a black silk foulard with net gumples. Mrs. P. D. Chisholm presided at the tea hour, a large cut glass punch bowl with white and yellow dahlias, and small cut glass vases of sweet peas, forming the table decorations. Assisting at the tea hour were: Mrs. McAlpine, Mrs. F. V. Ellis, and Mrs. Alfred Porter. Among the guests were: Mrs. James F. Robertson, Mrs. R. T. Leavitt, Mrs. David McElean, Mrs. W. Stewart, Mrs. R. Allen, Mrs. W. O. Raymond, Mrs. C. B. Allen, Mrs. R. W. Frink, Mrs. R. B. Emerson, Mrs. McDonald (Bydney), Mrs. James L. Dunn, Mrs. Mrs. Morrison, Mrs. L. Curry, Mrs. Frank Peters, Mrs. Hallamore, Miss Berryman.

Mrs. A. L. Trueman, Hazen street, was hostess at a delightful afternoon tea yesterday afternoon in honor of her niece, Miss Marion Belyea. Mrs. Trueman in a black silk gown, received her guests assisted by Miss Mary Trueman in pale blue crepe de chene. Mrs. Alex. Fowler in old rose foulard, ushered the guests to the tea room. Yellow dahlias and small cut glass vases of white dahlias formed the table decorations. Mrs. Wm. Vassie in peacock blue and green silk, and Mrs. W. H. Harrison in cream serge presiding at the tea hour, assisted by Miss Elise McElean in blue muslin, large black hat, Miss Frances Stetson, Alice blue Rajah silk black hat, Miss Jean Trueman, pink organdie, Miss Katie Hazen, white lingerie, Jack, large black hat, Miss Jenetta-Bridges, electric blue pongee, black hat, Miss Kathleen Trueman, white pompadour muslin, Miss Gladys Hegon in white muslin and black hat, and Miss W. Baker in lavender cottons. Among the guests were: Mrs. Royden Thomson, Mrs. W. Lockhart, Miss May Harrison, Mrs. Harry Robinson, Miss Bertie Hegon, Mrs. Fred Scholten, Miss Armstrong, Mrs. H. B. Robinson, Mrs. Geo. Mahon, Mrs. H. C. Schofield, Miss Vera Macaulichin, Miss Sophy Robertson, Miss Nellie McInerney, Miss Brock, Miss Mary Gilchrist, Miss Alice Schofield, Miss Gertrude Foster, Miss Ena MacLaren, Mrs. Roy Campbell, Miss Leslie Smith, Miss Winifred Raymond, Mrs. H. McInerney, Miss Minnie Girvan, Miss Lydie Kimball, Miss Mabel Barbour, Mrs. A. Barker, Mrs. J. McAvity, Mrs. Gordon Dick, Miss Elleen Gillis, Mrs. deMille, Miss Alice Hegon, Miss Alice Christie, Miss Lawra Hazen, Miss Muriel Fairweather.

Miss Armstrong, is the guest of Rev. Mr. Armstrong and Mrs. Armstrong, Charlotte street.

Lieut. Col. J. A. Fogel, of Halifax, arrived in the city yesterday.

Miss Leslie Smith spent a few days in Montreal last week.

One hundred dollars which was made by the tea room of the women's local council in connection with the Exhibition, is to be spent in providing

bedding for the Campbellton sufferers.

Mrs. James F. Robertson was hostess at a luncheon yesterday.

Mrs. Richardson of London, Ont., is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. L. P. D. Tilley.

Mrs. A. O. Skinner, Coburg street, was hostess at a smart little tea last Ottawa who left for Montreal in the evening after spending the summer at Duck Cove. Mrs. Pope Barnes was in charge of the tea room assisted by Mrs. Roy Skinner and Miss Edith Skinner. Among the guests were Miss Edith Young, Miss Ethel Pennock, Miss Jenetta Bridges, Miss Jean White, Miss Phyllis Young, Miss Jean Trueman, Miss Mary MacLaren, Miss Kathleen Trueman, Miss Patricia Young, Miss Lillie Raymond, and every available model.

Messrs. Hugh McLean, R. Schofield, Arthur Rankine, Jim Peters, Percy McAvity, Jack Pugsley, Guy Merritt, Arnold Shives, Robert Shives and Don Skinner.

Col. Carleton Jones who has been the guest of Dr. Murray MacLaren has left for Halifax.

Miss Mary Warner, who has been visiting in Halifax, returned home.

Miss Mary Blizzard is visiting friends in Montreal.

On Friday last the Misses Young and Miss Penock were the guests of honor at a luncheon at the Green Lantern. Mrs. Geo. West Jones chaperoned the party which included the Misses Young, Miss Penock, Miss Edith Schofield, Messrs. R. Macaulichin, Don Skinner, Hugh McLean, R. Schofield, Arnold Shives and Robert Shives.

Miss Kathleen Holden, of Fredericton, is the guest of Mrs. Philip Robinson.

Miss Muriel Robertson, of Rothesay, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Geo. Nichols at Coburg Cottage, Halifax.

Miss Nora and Miss Marjorie Knight who have been travelling in Europe arrived home yesterday from New York.

Mr. Royden Thomson called for Montreal last week for England.

Mr. A. Little, who has been the guest of Mrs. F. Tippet, has returned to Chatham.

The tennis tea, which this week was in charge of Miss L. Barker, Miss Louise Best and Miss Dorothy Blizzard was not as largely attended as usual owing to the inclement weather. Among the guests were Mrs. H. C. Schofield, Mrs. J. D. Hazen, Miss Vivian Barnes, Miss Frances Hazen, Miss Lillie Raymond, Miss Dorothy Jack, Miss Jean Leavitt, Mrs. H. Harrison, Miss Jenetta Bridges, Miss Kathleen Holden, Mrs. J. D. Hazen, Mrs. Del McArveney, Miss Edith Schofield, Messrs. Hugh McLean, Hazen, Barnaby, Don Skinner, Jim Adams, Malcolm McAvity.

Mrs. Alex. Thomson, of Fredericton, and Mrs. Fraser Winslow were in the city for a few days this week.

Miss Beatrice deVeber and Miss Marjorie Lee leave for Boston this evening.

Miss Daisy Learns who spent a few days last week the guest of Mrs. D. J. Brown, Leinster street, returned to Montreal on Monday.

Prof. D. J. Fraser spent the week end in Woodstock, the guest of Rev. G. D. Ireland.

A large number of ladies attended the golf tea this week which was in charge of Mrs. Geo. McAvity, Mrs. Stetson and Mrs. White. A large silver cup filled with yellow dahlias formed the decoration on the tea table. Assisting in the tea room were Miss Frances Stetson, Miss Ena MacLaren and Miss Winifred Barker. Among those present were Mrs. E. A. Smith, Mrs. Andrew Jack, Miss McGivren, Mrs. Geo. Wetmore, Mrs. Clinch, Mrs. H. B. Robinson, Mrs. W. H. Harrison, Miss Elise McElean, Mrs. W. H. Harrison, Miss Elsie McElean, Mrs. H. C. Schofield, Mrs. Roy Campbell, Mrs. Scott, Miss Kathleen Holden, Mrs. P. D. Chisholm, Miss Mary Robertson, Miss May Harrison, Mrs. Fitzgerald, Mrs. Roy Campbell, Mrs. McCready, Mrs. J. U. Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Schofield, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Harrison and Miss Katie Hazen spent the week end in Westfield.

Miss Louise McCready who has been visiting in St. John for several weeks has returned to her home in Charlottetown, P.E.I.

Mrs. Wm. Howland and the Misses Howland are the guests of Lady Tilley.

Miss Mabel Thomson and Miss Sara Hare are in Toronto attending the Canadian golf tournament there. In the driving competition on Wednesday Mrs. Thomson won with a score of 524 yards, and on Thursday won in the putting and approaching contest Mrs. L. R. Crosby, Miss Daphne Crosby and Mr. Fred Crosby left on Monday for Yarmouth. From Digby they will travel in their touring car.

A fashionable wedding will take place next Thursday in St. John's church when Miss Marion Belyea, daughter of Mr. James A. Belyea will be married to Mr. Walter Seely Johnson of Montreal.

Mrs. Herbert Clinch, who has been the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Thomson, leaves next Wednesday for India where she will join Major Clinch.

Two other weddings of interest will also take place. Miss Christine Robinson, daughter of Mrs. Lualow Robinson, of Rothesay, whose marriage to Mr. Percy Fairweather will take place next Wednesday, and Miss Nellie McDonald, daughter of Mrs. M. McDonald, and Mr. Ernest Bowman, which will occur on October 5.

The following clipping from a Halifax paper gives an excellent account of a wedding which will be of interest to many in St. John:

Rev. Dr. J. W. MacMillan, pastor of St. Matthew's church, officiated at a marriage at half past seven o'clock last evening at the residence of Mrs. J. J. Stewart, 49 English street, of Miss Jean Duff, daughter of the late Mr. James Yeoman, and Mr. Albert Hickman Beckwith, now of Spokane, Wash., but a Nova Scotian by birth. Great interest has been felt in this wedding, for Miss Yeoman has been a great favorite socially and more-over belongs to a family known throughout the province, as does Mr. Beckwith. The drawing room was

embowered in green growth, mingled with many pink chrysanthemums and asters and roses, the bridal party standing during the progress of the ceremony, at the south end of the long cottage party room, the deep window being framed in tall palms and ferns of several species. As the bridal party entered the room, Miss Helen MacKay, of Bridgewater, cousin of the bride, played upon the piano the march from Lohengrin and Mendelssohn's march at the conclusion of the ceremony. Miss Yeoman, who entered with her brother, Mr. Richie Yeoman, by whom she was given away looked charming in her wedding gown of white satin tulle, her wedding veil, filmy and soft, falling to her feet, and caught with sprays of orange blossoms. Her bouquet was of white sweet peas. She was attended by Miss Dorothy Duncan, who wore a gown of pale pink crepe de chene and carried a big bouquet of pink sweet peas. Mr. Hunter Wurtle, of Quebec, attended as best man. The ceremony was followed by a reception, after which the bride and groom left on a wedding tour. The bride's going-away gown was of blue cloth, tailor made, worn with blue hat. Among the out-of-town guests at the reception, for which one hundred and twenty-five invitations were issued was Miss Edith Fairweather, of St. John.

Mrs. Fitzgerald, of Fredericton, was the guest of Mrs. Geo. Wetmore this week.

Miss Dorothy Brown has returned from a visit to Montreal.

Mr. John K. Schofield and family have returned to town from their summer cottage at Duck Cove.

Mrs. Geo. McAvity leaves next Wednesday for Montreal.

Mrs. Street, of London, England, is the guest of Mrs. George Coster, Union street.

Mr. Hazen Barnaby leaves next week for Montreal to resume his studies at McGill University.

Mr. Cecil Porter who has been visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Porter returned to Sydney this week.

Miss Colleen Bruce, who has been the guest of Miss Mary Trueman has returned to Toronto.

Mrs. P. D. Chisholm has returned from a trip to New York and Boston.

Mr. Donald Skinner returns next week to Windsor to resume his studies at King's College.

Miss Ethel Emerson leaves next week for Ottawa where she will be the guest of Miss Eileen Taylor.

Mr. Hugh McLean, Jr., will leave next Tuesday for New Haven to resume his studies at Yale.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry McAvity and little daughter leave for Toronto in October, where they will reside for the winter.

Mrs. Ronald Grant who has been the guest of Miss Bessie Adams has returned to Montreal.

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Mrs. E. Daniel and Miss M. Kinnear, who have been the guests of the Mrs. C. DeForest, Miss Lou McMillan, Misses Kinnear, Princess street, have returned to Port Hope.

Miss M. Vroom who leaves next week for Montreal and whose marriage will take place at Waretta on Oct. 12th, entertained delightfully at the tea hour on Thursday at the summer cottage of her sister, Mrs. F. E. Simonds, Millidgeville. Among the guests were Mrs. George Hogan, Mrs. Horace King, Miss Annie Scammell, Mrs. Keltie Jones, Misses Blair, Miss Annie Puddington, Misses Travers, Mrs. C. DeForest, Miss Lou McMillan, Col. Rolt White and Mrs. White are in Halifax the guests of their son, Miss May Harrison of Fredericton is the guest of Mrs. John Burpee, Mt. Pleasant.

Prof. Mitchell Carroll of Washington arrived yesterday and in the evening addressed the members of the Natural History Society.

Mrs. Wm. Pugsley, Jr., who was in

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PORT OF ST. JOHN. Arrived Sept. 23. Stmr. Dominion, 2581, Norcott, Sydney, R. P. and W. F. Starr, coal.

Cleared Sept. 23. Stmr. Troncate, 1597, Hunter for Havana, Cuba, Wm. Thomson & Co. general cargo.

Sailed, Sept. 23. Stmr. Governor Cobb, 1556, Allan for Boston via Eastport.

CANADIAN PORTS. Charlottetown, P. E. I. Sept. 22. Arrived Schr. Arthur M. Gibson, Howland from Port Reading with hard coal.

BRITISH PORTS. Inishrahall, Sept. 21—Passed Stmr. Thorald (Nor.), Frantzen, Chatham, N. B., for Clyde.

FOREIGN PORTS. Havana, Sept. 18—Arrived Schr. Delta, Sherman, Pascagoula, Miss.

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SHIPPING NOTES. The Maunser Cuba Line steamer Troncate, Capt. Hunter, was scheduled to sail this morning for Havana.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PRODUCE MARKETS. Range of Prices.

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WHEN GREEK MEETS GREEK THIS P. M.

Wiggs and Harrington Take Part in Pitchers' Battle for St. Johns and St. Peters in Today's Game.

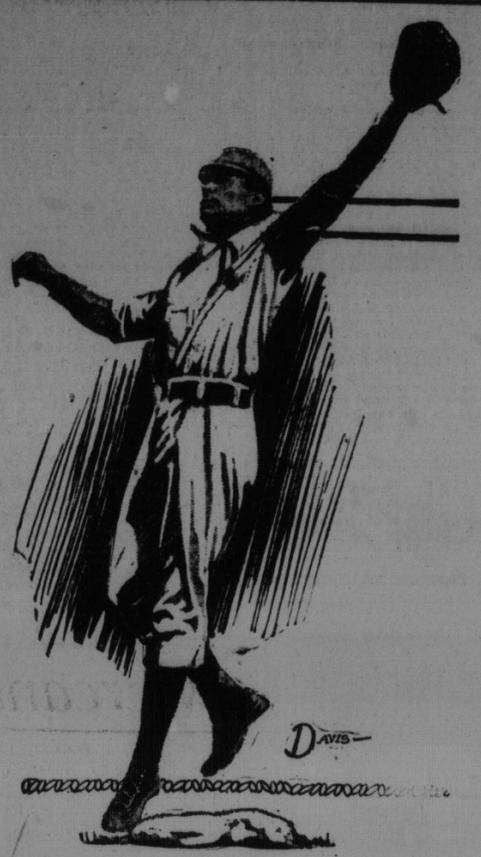
There is a great deal of interest being taken in the game of ball that is to be played on the Shamrock grounds this afternoon between the St. Johns and the St. Peters, and a close contest may be expected, as the teams will not only line up with their best men, but each team will have a top notch pitcher. Frank Harrington, who had pitched twenty-four winning games out of twenty-five this season will be in the box again for the North Enders, and will no doubt prove as big a puzzle for the St. Johns as he has been before.

The St. Johns will not be behind in this respect, as Manager Tilley has contracted for Wiggs the twirler of the Montreal Eastern League team to do the slab work for his team, and it will no doubt be a pitchers battle. Wiggs is the only pitcher in that league this year that has to his credit the pitching of a no hit, no run game, and that was against Rochester. He is a large man with a barrel of speed and benders that makes the ordinary better look foolish.

The following is the line up of the teams.

Table listing baseball players and their positions for St. Johns and St. Peters. St. Johns: Catcher (McGovern), Pitcher (Harrington), First Base (Britt), Second Base (Downey), Third Base (F. Mahoney), Short Stop (A. Mahoney), Right Field (Dever), Centre Field (Harrington), Left Field (McCormack). St. Johns: Rootes, Wiggs, Lynch, Ramsey, Chapdelain, Riley, Crittbs, Small, Woods.

World Series Stars No. 6



Although not a Hal Chase at first, Capt. Harry Davis of the Athletics is a seasoned player upon whom dependence can be placed to play the game as devised by Connie Mack, steadily, and at times brilliantly. In addition to being a cool head, he is a splendid batter and a clever fielder, working perfectly with the infield machine of which he is the only man left of the pennant winners of 1905.

PRESQUE ISLE HORSE WINNER AT WOODSTOCK

J. H. O'Donnell's Horse J. A. D. Made it Three Straight in 2.16 Class—Dr. Hoag Scored in Farmers' Race.

Woodstock, N. B., Sept. 23.—The second and last day of racing in connection with the exhibition brought together the two extreme classes, the 2.16 class and the farmers' race. As the races were won in straight heats, the interest was not so keen as in yesterday's races.

The winner of the 2.16 class was H. A. D., owned by J. H. O'Donnell of Presque Isle, six years old and with a record of 2.16 1/4. He is by Alford and was raised in Waterville. As was expected Dr. Hoag won the farmers' race.

Table listing race results for the 2.16 Class and Farmers Race. 2.16 Class: H.A.D. (1.11), Helen Gould (2.22), Woodstock (2.22), Pauline (3.33), Presque Isle (3.33). Farmers Race: Dr. Hoag (1.11), Billy Green (2.22), Centreville (2.22), Nelson (3.33).

NEW ENGLAND TEAM OFF FOR MONTREAL

Boston, Mass., Sept. 23.—The New England delegation of 18 athletes, chosen to compete in the Canadian amateur championship at Montreal, tomorrow, left for that city tonight. The team is an evenly balanced one, and its members are expected to capture points in nearly every event.

BIG LEAGUE BASEBALL AT A GLANCE

Table showing league standings for American, National, and Eastern leagues. Columns include team names, wins, losses, and percentages.

Yesterday's Results

Table listing results from yesterday's baseball games, including American, National, and Eastern leagues.

FASTEST YET AT COLUMBUS

Independence Boy Won 2.07 Pace With New Mark of 2.04 1-4 -- 2.13 Class Not Decided.

Columbus, Ohio, Sept. 23.—Faster than any other race this week of grand circuit racing, was today's 2.07 pace, which Independence Boy, winner Monday and again Tuesday, took in straight heats. He made 2.04 1/4, the fastest time, and repeated it in the second heat, the third one being in 2.04 1/4. Ruth D., beat W. A., the original favorite out of the place. Neither made Independence Boy expect himself.

ENTRIES FOR TRASK RACE

Nine Fast Boats Will Get Away at Millidgeville This Afternoon—Records Likely to be Shattered.

The motor boat race at Millidgeville today for the Trask cup is creating a lively interest among the host of power boat owners here and the contest which has some of the fastest boats in the Maritime Provinces, entered, is likely to result in records going skyward. There are in all nine entries, as follows:—Ellie M., owned by the Canadian Fairbanks Company, Montreal; Essex, H. J. Fleming; Arrow, E. L. Jarvis; Phoenix, Walter Fleming; Grayling, George Kaye; Keenok, Dr. Barton; Curlew, E. C. Thompson; Bonsel, Gandy & Allison.

The Ellie M. is one of the fastest boats in Upper Canada and won a lot of races about Montreal and has a speed of 20 1/2 knots. The Viper III is of the Viper class and boats along her lines such as the Viper the first and second were the fastest boats in the startime Provinces. The Essex and Phoenix are also considered the equal to any in the speed line, being built for that purpose only, and the Bonsel as a cruising boat is also one of the fastest. The race will start at 3 o'clock over a ten mile course off the R.K.Y.C. club house and the boats will be in full view all the time. The Viper III has a speed of 16 1/2 knots. The Essex, the same, and some of the fastest time is looked for. It is considered certain by owners here that some Canadian records will likely go.

HARVARD AND YALE PLAY IN INDIVIDUAL

Manchester, Mass., Sept. 23.—Harvard and Yale will battle tomorrow for the individual intercollegiate golf championship, F. C. Davidson, of Harvard and R. E. Hunter, of Yale, being the survivors of today's play on the links of the Essex county club. Hunter came through in the final round by defeating the present intercollegiate champion, Albert Seckel, of Princeton, 3 up 2 to play. Davidson won his place by defeating G. C. Stanley of Yale, 1 up. Seckel's play this afternoon in his semi-final match with Hunter, was in striking contrast to the form displayed during the morning when he defeated C. G. Wolda, Jr. of Yale.

NATIONALS HOPE TO TAKE TODAY'S GAME

New Westminster, Sept. 23.—The Nationals it is reported, have by their stay at Harrison hot springs, already attained a physical fitness not previously enjoyed since their arrival at the coast. This gives a prospect of better work on the part of the Frenchmen, who claim to have been in poor shape owing to climatic change in last Saturday's game. Lavolette, it is stated, will probably figure on the lineup tomorrow. The Westminsters already recognize that they will be called upon to put up a strong fight in order to hold the cup. They concede that the visitors' home field is one of the strongest aggregations ever presented.

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FREE TRADE AND CANADA

Sir James Whitney Believes Imperial Unionism Prejudiced by Foreign Connections.

London, Sept. 23.—Interviewed by The Standard of Empire, Premier Whitney expressed the opinion that imperial unionism was seriously prejudiced by the prior conclusion of commercial treaties by Canada with foreign countries; prior, that is, to the conclusion of an understanding with the mother country on trade affairs. Sir James Whitney strongly depreciates any reciprocity arrangement with the United States.

In reference to Canadian and United States reciprocity the Mail says the British free traders are doing their utmost to bring it about, more from ignorance and fanaticism than malice, but it is high time they recognized the possible consequences of their folly.

The Bristol delegates have arrived and are unloading vast quantities of enthusiasm about Canada. T. B. Johnson emphasizes the tariff reform question as the first thing Canadians spoke of. Canadians were continually asking how long it would be before England made up her mind.

Austin Chamberlain, speaking at Birmingham declared that which he had prophesied had happened. The Canadian government, and none could blame or criticise them, had negotiated and were still negotiating those commercial treaties with foreign countries which they would have made with Britain, if she had been ready to grasp the outstretched hand. It would be deplorable if the next imperial conference passed with nothing done.

Gerard Flennes criticises the Canadian naval plans and says the British cruisers are ineffective for commerce protection. Canada was too anxious to stand alone and failed to realize that the safety of each part of an empire can only be secured by a combined force of the whole.

Mr. Mayes Sues City.
S. Herbert Mayes, through his solicitors, Messrs. Sinclair and McEneaney, has served notice on the city of an action to recover \$200 which he claims is due him in connection with the repairs to the Spar Cove road bridge. Mr. Mayes bases his claim on the ground that he was deceived by the specification.

THE PROVINCIAL HOSPITAL, New Brunswick Tenders for Supplies

Sealed tenders, addressed to the undersigned, for the supply of Soft and Hard Coal, butcher's Meat, Butter, Bread, Groceries, Dry Goods, Footwear, Drugs, etc., to the Provincial Hospital, Lancaster, St. John Co., N. B., for one year from the first day of November next, will be received up to noon of Tuesday, 4th October, 1910, at the Provincial Government Offices, 4 Church street, where specifications and full particulars may be obtained.

Tenders will be considered item by item. Contracts may be awarded for one or more items. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. All supplies to be subject to the approval or rejection of the Hospital Commissioners or their agent, and delivered at the Institution in such quantities and at such times as required. Payments to be made quarterly.

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GOOD SPORT AT CLOSING DAY VERMONT FAIR

White River, Junction, Vt., Sept. 23.—Distribution of prizes, a football game, and trotting races, were the chief features of the fourth and closing day of the Vermont state fair here today. Norwich military academy and St. Michael's college of Burlington, furnished the football attraction, Norwich overwhelming the Burlington boys 22 to 0, in a most played game in which the new football did not figure prominently.

One picturesque attraction of the day was the driving of a four-in-hand of Morgan horses by A. R. Vantassel, of Du Bois, Pa. All the trotting was decided in straight heats, Burt Nuthurst, Al Billard and Lady Laurel being the winners.

CAME TO ESTABLISH CABLE SERVICE

Toronto, Sept. 22.—Mr. A. J. Fraser, of Sydney, Australia, a representative of the Australian Press Association, which has had offices in London, England, for the last thirty years, is a guest at the King Edward Hotel. He came to Canada in order to establish a cable service which will provide Canadian and United States news for the papers of his own country. This will be sent from Vancouver B. C., where Australian news is now received by cable. The Australian Press Association now sends some of its news to England by way of Canada, and Mr. Fraser will endeavor to inaugurate a service for Canadian newspapers along the route.

Mr. Fraser said that as a result of the adoption of a system of compulsory military training Australia would in five years have a force of 125,000 men capable of defending the country. Referring to the naval policy of Australia, Mr. Fraser said that it would serve to train men who would be ready in a time of need to take to the sea and man a battleship. "We find in Australia," said Mr. Fraser, "many weeds who never train. They will now have to put in their period of service and they will benefit from the physical training."

FATHER OF CONEY ISLAND IS DEAD

New York, Sept. 22.—Word has been received of the death yesterday in Cassel, Germany, of Charles Feltman of New York, known as the "Father of Coney Island." When Coney was simply a bathing place, Feltman laid the foundation for the attractive pleasure resort. His aim always was to keep the amusements clean and wholesome. He loved his early belief in Coney Island's future with his savings and lived to see the 16x25 shanty in which he started business there in 1874 grow into the largest pavilion on the island and his savings grow into a fortune. His small bakery became an important restaurant.

Mr. Feltman hired Wannemacher's Seventy-First Regiment Band, the first ever heard on the island, to keep his patrons interested when they were waiting for dinner, and his first season was a success. The following year he had vocal as well as instrumental music and little by little Feltman's acquired a more than local reputation and people who visited New York did not consider their visit complete unless they had made a trip to the island to see the 400 gas jets all blazing at once and the biggest ballroom floor in the world.

Mr. Feltman was born in Verden, Hanover, Germany, on Nov. 8, 1841, and before he was fourteen had set his face toward America to seek his fortune.

FUNERALS.

Many friends and acquaintances attended to pay tribute to the memory of William C. Fleming, whose body was laid to rest yesterday afternoon in Fernhill cemetery. The funeral service was held at his late residence, St. James street. The artillery band was in attendance, and marched at the head of the funeral cortege. A guard of honor from the Knights of Pythias, of which he was a member, acted as pall-bearers, and members of New Brunswick, Union and St. John lodges walked in a body. Rev. David Lang conducted the burial services, and Colonel Moulton delivered the oration at the grave.

There were many handsome floral tributes, including a triangular set-piece from New Brunswick Lodge, Knights of Pythias.

The funeral of Bridget McNulty took place yesterday morning at 8:45 o'clock from her late residence, Sydney street. Requiem high mass was sung at St. John the Baptist church by the Rev. Father Holland. Interment was in the New Catholic cemetery.

Funeral of C. N. Skinner.
The funeral of the late Hon. C. N. Skinner, K. C., D. C. L., will take place this afternoon at three o'clock from his residence, Crown street. The members of the I. O. O. F. are called to meet at Odd Fellows hall this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock to attend the funeral. A special meeting of Haven and Lock Lodge No. 27, L. O. A. was held last evening in connection with the funeral of Mr. Skinner.

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A special meeting of the St. John Law Society will be held at the law library at ten o'clock this morning to make arrangements for attendance at the funeral.

The City Council will meet in special session at the Court House at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon to attend the funeral.

The funeral service for Miss Lena Brooks was held at her father's home 92 Harrison street last evening. Rev. H. D. Marr officiating. The remains will be taken to Gagetown this morning by boat for interment.

The funeral service of the late Arthur Estabrook, son of Capt. Leander Estabrook, of the West End, was held last evening. The service was conducted by Rev. F. S. Porter, pastor of German St. Baptist church. Appropriate music was furnished by a quartette from the Ludlow St. Baptist church. There were a large number of floral offerings, noticeable among which were the wreaths from the Y.P.C.E., and the officers and teacher and class mates of the Sunday school of the Ludlow St. church in which deceased was an active

worker. The body will be taken to Gagetown by steamer today and interment will be made this afternoon.

One of the Hudson Bay shooting coats is just the thing for the woods. Keeps you dry and warm and has lots of big pockets. Yours while they last at cost price. C. B. Pidgeon.

James Donnelly III.
James Donnelly, janitor of St. David's church was seized with an epileptic fit near the corner of Charlotte and Princess streets about two o'clock yesterday afternoon. He was walking along the street and persons seeing him fall at first thought he was struck with something. Dr. D. E. Beryman was summoned and at his request the man was taken to his home, 20 Leinster street, in the ambulance.

Fender Saved Him.
A young lad, whose name could not be ascertained, miraculously escaped serious injury about noon yesterday. He was riding a bicycle at quite a speed, and when turning Germain street into King, went directly in front of a street car going down King street

The lad and his bicycle were caught up in the fender of the car and carried about 20 feet before the car was stopped. The boy escaped serious injury but was badly shaken up.

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Happenings of the Week

Continued from page 5.
The city last week has returned to Montreal.

Miss Muriel Arthur and Miss J. Sparling, who have spent the summer with Miss Peters at her cottage in Westfield, left last week for their home in Detroit.

MONCTON

Moncton, Sept. 23.—St. John's Presbyterian church was the scene of a very pretty wedding at one o'clock Wednesday, when Miss Winifred Girvan, of this city, was united to Mr. Ira Davis, of Sumner & Co. The church was beautifully decorated with cut flowers, potted plants and ferns for the happy event, and the ceremony which was performed by Rev. Donald MacDermid, pastor of St. John's church, was witnessed by a large number of friends. The bride was becomingly attired in a suit of pale lavender broadcloth with Persian trimmings of velvet, wearing a picture hat with gold crown. She was unattended and was given away by her uncle, Mr. John I. McLaren. Mrs. Irvine Malcolm presided at the organ during the ceremony and played Lohengrin's wedding march. The ushers were Mr. H. S. Thomson and Mr. Harold Cole.

Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Davis, Sussex, father and mother of the groom; Mr. C. T. White, Sussex; Mrs. Tapley, Mr. L. Tapley, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Price, Mr. E. Girvan, Misses Mary and Ada Tapley, St. John; Mrs. Ralph Robertson, Sussex; Dr. and Mrs. White, Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Smith, Mr. W. Rippey, Miss Rippey, Miss Emmerson, Misses Emma and Jennie Price, the Misses Marks, Miss Girvan, Miss Hal Jones, Miss Grace Harris, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Jones. The bride was the recipient of a very handsome array of presents, among the number being a mahogany hall rack from the staff of the Sumner Co. The groom's present to the bride was a mink stole.

Alter a wedding dinner the happy couple left by the Ocean Limited for a three weeks' honeymoon trip to New York, Boston, Montreal, Toronto, Buffalo and other Canadian and American cities. On their return Mr. and Mrs. Davis will reside in Moncton.

The Central Methodist church was the scene of one of the prettiest weddings of the season, when Miss Margaret May, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. Atkinson, was united on Wednesday evening to Mr. Burton L. Gerow, barrister, of St. John. The church was beautifully decorated for the happy event by girl friends of the bride, the most noticeable feature being an arch of evergreens dotted with white asters and hydrangea. The choir screen was banked with potted ferns and palms, and cut flowers and potted plants were tastefully arranged in the rostrum.

The ceremony took place at 7 o'clock and was performed by Rev. J. L. Batty in the presence of a large number of guests, the church being filled to overflowing with friends who had assembled to witness the nuptials. As the bride was taken to the altar by her father, by whom she was given away, the choir of the church sang Wagner's bridal chorus from Lohengrin and "The Voice that Breathed O'er Eden." Mr. Knight, the organist played several selections while the guests were assembling, and improvised softly, throughout the ceremony, concluding with Mendelssohn's Wedding March.

The bride wore a rich ivory gown with carmine and white band trimming of pearl crystal and Irish lace. The bride carried a shower bouquet of lilies of the valley and bride roses. Miss Minnie Gerow, sister of the groom, who was bridesmaid, wore a gown of yellow chiffon cloth over yellow satin and trimmings of gold and crystal, wearing a black picture hat and carried yellow chrysanthemums. Little Miss Hazel Atkinson, sister of the bride, who was maid of honor, looked dainty in pink muslin and she carried sweet peas. Mr. W. D. Atkinson, brother of the bride, supported the groom. The ushers were A. S.



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Mrs. Atkinson, the bride's mother, wore a pretty black satin gown and a rose hat, while Mrs. Gerow, the groom's mother, one black and one heavily bordered. Miss Gerow, sister of the groom, wore a corn-colored gown of silk trimmed with point de penne lace, and a picture hat.

After the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, 50 Gordon street, and a recherche luncheon was served. The house was prettily decorated with yellow and white flowers for the occasion, while in the dining room the color scheme was green and white. The bridal table was adorned with beautiful silver candelabra with shades of pink with silver deposit, the candelabra being a gift of the Central Methodist church, of which the bride was a valued member.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerow left on the Maritime express last night for the upper provinces, on a wedding trip and will return to Moncton on Friday, where they will reside. The bride's going-away gown was French blue cheviot with blouse of paisley net and she wore a Gage hat of blue.

The groom's best wishes of a very large number of friends for a happy wedded life.

The Guests.

Mr. Geo. Staples, Newcastle; Mrs. Gerow, Miss Clara Gerow, Miss Minnie Gerow, St. John; Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Clarke, Boston; Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Peters, Dr. and Mrs. R. F. Reads, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Peters, Mr. and Mrs. Oswald Peters, Rev. J. L. and Mrs. Batty, Mrs. J. S. Boyd, Mr. and Mrs. G. S. MacKenzie, Mr. and Mrs. G. S. MacKenzie, Mr. and Mrs. J. Pedol, Newcastle; Miss Minnie Hunter, Mr. H. L. Main, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Ferguson, Dr. and Mrs. F. A. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Butler, Newcastle; Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Allan, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Seely, Mrs. Florence Mitchell, Mrs. E. T. Trites, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Lindsay, Miss Mabel Lutes, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Griffin, Miss Mackenzie, Col. and Mrs. G. H. Pick, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Peters, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Dodge, Mr. Joshua Peters, Sr., Miss Beattie Davison, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Brownell, Mr. and Miss Alanouch, Dr. and Mrs. Burgess, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Perry, Quebec; Mr. M. C. Lodge, Miss Edith Kinrad, Miss Ethel Moore, Miss Minnie Rand, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Gorbell, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Gorbell, Miss Millie Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Goggin, Petticoat; Miss Nellie Forbes, Miss Wortman, Mr. W. McKee, Mr. and Miss O'Brien, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd, Mr. Alexander Donald, Mr. Josh. Peters, Jr., Mr. S. J. Mann, Mr. Silas Casson, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Shaw, Newcastle; Mr. and Mrs. Wood Ingram, Mr. G. J. Dobson, Miss Minnie M. Rand, Mr. and Mrs. Milledge Thompson.

The tea given by Mrs. Geo. McSweeney on Tuesday afternoon, was most successful affair. The hostess who was assisted in receiving by her sister, Mrs. Brennan of Summerside, and Miss Dorothy McSweeney, wore a lovely black sequin gown. Mrs. Brennan wore a black Spanish lace gown. The debutante looked especially charming, wearing a New York gown of white hand embroidered net. Mrs. McSweeney was assisted in the reception room by Miss Josephine McSweeney and Mrs. O'Dwyer.

The tea room was presided over by Mrs. Pottinger, wearing a pale blue broadcloth gown with Persian embroidery and black beaver picture hat with roses. Mrs. Peter McSweeney in ivory satin with tonitex lace trimmings. Mrs. R. A. Borden in black silk crepe de chene, Mrs. S. L. Shannon, lingerie gown, Mrs. C. D. Thompson in pale grey and Mrs. Charles Meyers in white lingerie gown. The young ladies in attendance were Miss Dorothy Brennan of Summerside wearing a dainty white net gown over silk, Miss Madeline Walker white net over pale blue satin, Miss Brady wearing a beautiful gown of hand embroidery, Miss Kathleen Hewson eyelet embroidery gown over pale blue, and Miss Beatrice Shannon in white lingerie gown.

The table was decorated with pale pink satin ribbons entwined with smilax and shaded candles. The floral decorations were very tasteful. The scheme of color for the reception room being crimson, and the drawing room yellow. The guests numbered about 150.

One day about three year ago a bundle containing \$175,000 disappeared from the United States sub-treasury of Chicago. The teller, Geo. W. Fitzgerald, was accused, but he has been spending a lot of money recently and have arrested him again for the theft.

visit to her home at Shediac last week.

Rev. J. M. McLeod, M.A., of New Mills, was the guest one day last week of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ingram. Miss Annie Edmunds of Boston has arrived on a visit to her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Edmunds.

Mrs. Major Robinson who has been here on a visit to her husband's relatives, left for her home in Brooklyn on Friday.

Mrs. C. Eastman and Mrs. W. Mitchell, of Lowell, Mass., who have been visiting friends in town, spent last week in Loggieville.

Miss Jessie and Margaret Calder, left on Saturday for Charlottetown on a visit to their parents.

Miss Ida Whitney, who has been spending a vacation at her former home in Whitteville, left for Boston on Friday.

Mrs. McFadden, of Alberton, P. E. I. and Mrs. Charles Robinson, of St. John, were guests of Mrs. Henry Ingram on Tuesday.

Mrs. Wm. Atkin returned last week from a visit to her sister, Miss Noble in Chicago, and friends in Toronto.

Mrs. P. G. Clark, of Bedeque, P. E. I., has arrived on a visit to her sister, Mrs. S. J. MacArthur.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Anderson and family have removed to Calgary. Jack McKendry, of the Royal Bank, left for Bathurst on Thursday to supply for a time.

Miss Nellie McEachern has gone to Moncton to spend her vacation.

Miss Eliza Woods, of Douglstown has gone to Montreal to teach in a convent.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Ferguson are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a baby boy.

Mrs. Ernest Maltby and children left on Thursday for Medicine Hat, to join her husband who went west a few months ago.

Mrs. Amelia E. McNutt, widow of the late James McNutt, of Chatham, died at the home of her niece, Mrs. John Follensbee on Monday night.

Deceased was daughter of the late John Atchison and was born in the year 1818 near Richibucto. She leaves no family, but is survived by one brother, Peter S. Atchison, of Philadelphia and a large number of nieces and nephews.

Rev. H. D. Worden, of Whitteville left for Baywater on Saturday to attend the funeral of his mother, Mrs. Geo. A. Worden, who died on the 16th.

Mayor McMurdo returned on Saturday from an extended trip to Boston and other American cities.

W. N. Duchemin, of the Union Advocate, left today on a trip to P. E. I. and Sydney.

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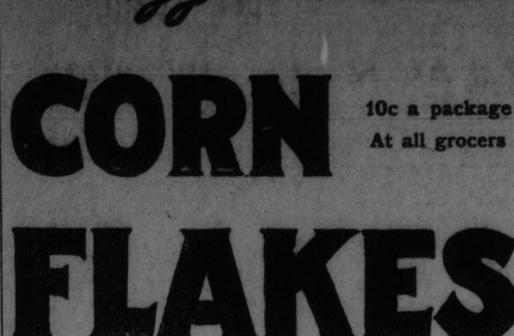
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CHATHAM DISTRICT METHODISTS MEET

Newcastle, Sept. 22.—The annual meeting of the Chatham Methodist Financial District was held here on the 20th and 21st. Rev. Geo. Dawson of Chatham in the chair, Rev. H. Harrison of Millerton, secretary.

Other ministers present were: W. J. Dean, Newcastle; George Morris, Campbellton; J. M. Rice, Harbour; W. B. Thomas, Gaspe; Charles Stebbings, Tabusintac; E. H. Croed, Harbour; Thos. Pierce, Richibucto; J. B. Young, Buctouche; Mr. McDonald, Bonaventure, and Rev. Thos. Marshall, supt. home missions. The lay delegates were: H. H. Stuart of Newcastle and Samuel Irvine of Chatham.

At the first session, Tuesday afternoon, salary estimates were passed, and the meeting was addressed in the interests of temperance and moral reform by H. H. Stuart secretary of that department of church work for the district.

A public meeting was held in the evening. It dealt with Sunday school work and was addressed by Revs. H. Harrison, W. B. Thomas and T. Marshall, Rev. Mr. Dawson being chairman.

At Wednesday morning's session the business was completed. The following estimates—the first two being assessments—were passed for the district for years 1910-1911:—

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\$20.00	\$11.10	\$7.50	\$30.00	20.00	7.10	3.00	23.00	5.50	2.90	1.50	10.00	16.00	8.80	5.00	15.00	13.00	4.50	4.50	10.00	12.00	4.50	4.50	10.00	10.00	2.50	2.50	10.00	28.00	9.30	6.00	25.00	5.00	3.30	4.50	22.00	4.50	1.20	1.50	5.00	10.50	2.80	3.00	3.00	5.50	2.50	2.50

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The following resolution passed: "This financial district meeting expresses its sincere sympathy to Mrs. Stewart and other members of the family in the loss sustained by them in the passing away of our beloved brother, the late Dr. Charles Stewart. Many of the members of the district remember with deep feelings of gratitude the many wise and loving counsels received under his kindly teaching. Whilst we mourn over our earthly loss, we praise God for the large life, gracious and blessed service for the Master."

Rev. W. J. Dean and lay preacher H. H. Stuart were appointed a missionary delegation to visit weak circuits and missions.

By resolution the meeting endorsed and pledged assistance to the work of Mrs. Matthews, travelling secretary of Primary Sunday school work.

Newcastle pastor and people were heartily thanked for their hospitality to delegates. Adjourned.

THE HOTELS

Dufferin. Mr. and Mrs. Lerman and daughter, Lawrence; Dr. J. Lewis Mahoney, W. G. Ambrose, E. Kavanagh, L. E. Hubbard, Boston; J. J. Warren, Montreal; Geo. J. Green McAdam; H. B. Hicks and wife, Bridgetown; W. R. Finson, Bangor; D. M. Thomas, E. McCormack, Annapolis Royal; D. H. Van Riper, Newark; C. F. Frandall, Halifax; R. A. Cross, St. George; W. M. Maxwell, Boston; D. Rutherford, Halifax; J. D. Buckley, wife and daughter, Rogersville; W. Owens, D. P. Maxwell, P. E. I.; E. Brown, W. Neill, Halifax; J. McKillop, Moncton; Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Bugbee, Fitchburg; E. K. Connell, Woodstock; C. H. Clark, Lubec; E. E. Turner, Columbia; J. W. Edgerly, Princeton; W. N. Harrison, Montreal; E. R. Wood, III, Halifax; E. W. Merchant, Sydney; A. S. Gunn, Grand Falls.

Royal. I. E. Hubbard, Brookline; J. Grafton, Shediac; R. D. Wertz, N. Y.; H. Bray, P. M. McLean, Boston; T. A. McMaster, Bradford; D. O. Roblin, Toronto; H. W. Jones, Ottawa; M. Carson, Washington; Dr. Thos. Costello, Toronto; H. Boutillier, N. Y.; B. H. Hald, Colorado; F. J. Murphy and wife, Sydney; H. Grant, R. B. Grant, F. P. Shaw, E. A. Pennel, N. Y.; C. H. Sherwood and wife, Alberta; E. M. Dunham, Boston; Talbot, Montreal; J. N. Maxwell, H. E. J. McLellan, St. Catherine; J. E. Talbot, H. D. Lumsden, Montreal; Lt. Col. J. A. Tagel, Halifax; Jas. K. Pender, W. B. Cummings, Millville; W. J. Wilson, Ottawa; A. P. Reid, Toronto; Elmer E. Davis, F. W. Cowan, Montreal; Sir Augustine Baker, Dublin; Geo. Ackman, P. R. Cossar, Toronto; M. M. Ferguson, London; R. A. Morrison, Fredericton; G. Bartlett, Quebec; Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Biddle, Mt. Vernon; A. J. Scovill, F. E. Flander, N. Y.; W. White, Kentucky; Miss Somerville, Philadelphia; Miss Fanny Cochrane, Philadelphia.

CLOSING COTTON LETTER. By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co.

New York, Sept. 23.—Starting with fair activity in the market, the closing prices today's cotton market moved irregularly within comparatively narrow limits throughout the day. During the morning the old ball crowd became active again forcing an advance of about five points on the average and uncovering a fair volume of step loss orders on the way up. Around the high point, however, there was a perceptible increase of offerings under which the early gains were lost and 2 or 3 points be-

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These could not be confirmed but an increase in the certificated stock for the first time in months to 39,000 bales had a distinct sentimental influence. The movement of the crop also appeared to have begun under a more liberal scale, even although the usual weekly figures made a rather bullish comparison. There were brought into sight for the week 321,392 bales against 365,213 last year and 931,000 in 1907. In the season the figures are 719,681 bales, 937,708 and 931,365 respectively. Weather conditions as reflected by the official map remained satisfactory.

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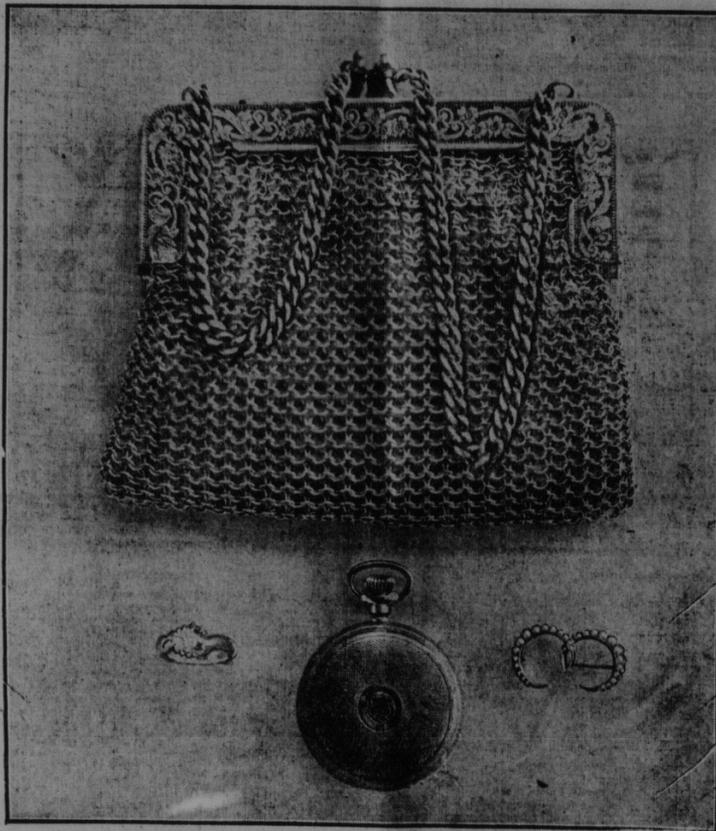
To the contestant getting the third greatest vote, under the terms outlined above, will be given the \$20.00 Solid Gold Brooch.

To the contestant getting the fourth greatest vote, under the terms outlined above, will be given the \$10.00 Silver Mesh Bag.

Notes received for contestants prior to 5 p. m., Sept. 14th will not count on the special prizes, but all votes received during the Special Prize period will count for the trip prizes at the end of the contest.

Any woman eligible may enter the contest and compete for one of the Special Prizes, even though she does not care to try for the trips to New York City and Bermuda.

Everyone starts even at five p. m. Wednesday, Sept. 14th.



To the Public

WHO WILL BE THE FORTUNATE FOUR? This is a question to be decided entirely by the public. Votes are absolutely free and will be given on all pre-payments on subscriptions to the Standard or New Star during the life of the contest and for no shorter period than that listed below, this is in addition to the coupons taken from the papers.

For the benefit of those who, after looking over the list of contestants on another page in this issue, (or if the name does not appear nominate the person), we have printed below a subscription blank, which when properly filled out and sent to this office together with the money, will carry votes according to the amount of money paid as shown by the vote schedule printed on this page.

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OUR FOUR PAGE

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The Children's Poet, Eugene Field

In many schools throughout the United States Eugene Field Day is celebrated and he is known as the child's poet. Field's fame rests on perhaps half a dozen poems, the best known of which is "Little Boy Blue." Almost every child knows this tender little poem and there is nothing sweeter in its class in all literature.

Eugene Field had a sad childhood from the fact that his mother died when he was very young, and his father while he was yet a boy. He lived in his early boyhood with his cousin, Mary French, at Amherst, Mass. He studied in Williams College and at Knox. After Field was nearly grown he attended the Missouri State University at Columbia, for a short time, and here he had his first newspaper experience, being one of the editors of the University Missourian, which has just been revived as a daily organ of the school of journalism in the university, one of the first schools of the kind in the country. Field is remembered as being full of pranks and practical jokes. Even in his boyhood he wrote verse, largely in Pigeon

English, celebrating current local events. He was good company, and was a favorite at social gatherings. His first serious newspaper work was done at St. Joseph, Mo., while he was still under his majority. Here he gained something of a reputation as a humorist, and was called to Denver, from Denver he went to Chicago, to the News, where his "Sharps and Flats" were features of the paper until his death. He wrote much humor of a transient nature, more bubbling fun than fine literature. But occasionally a real literary gem would appear among his stuff and at times a poem of such deep pathos that it revealed a serious turn of mind along with his love of fun. He printed five small volumes, mostly children's verse. It is not so much the quantity of material he left as the quality of a few poems that evidently came from the heart, which gives him title to fame.

Field was a lover of children all his life, and they understood and loved him, so it is appropriate that he should be pranked and practical jokes. Even in his boyhood he wrote verse, largely in Pigeon

School in the Short Grass Country

BY GLEN HARWOOD.

Jessie, you don't know what a hard time is. Here you have a nice, warm schoolhouse, near at hand, the best of books and appliances and every opportunity to get an education. If you only knew of the first school in the short grass country Grandpa looked at the little girl somewhat sternly. She had been complaining about the hard times she had. Perhaps she was spoiled. She even was ashamed of Grandpa, because he was old-fashioned and was minus an eye. The fact is, he didn't look very well, and Jessie could not help but contrast him with other old people whom she knew. They who understood looked on Grandpa's scar as a mark of honor, but Jessie did not understand.

"Tell me about the first school in the short grass country," pleaded the child. She liked to hear stories, even if she was tired of school. Grandpa cleared his throat and began.

"The first school in the short grass country of Kansas," he said, "was taught by a 15-year-old girl."

"My, but she must have been smart," exclaimed Jessie.

"She had been educated in Boston up to her twelfth year, when her father moved with his family to the short grass country of Kansas. That was only a little over 30 years ago, but conditions were much different then from at present. Indeed, the development of the West has been a romance that will not be appreciated until men get a little further from it. At that time the Indians were more plentiful than white people, and one might travel

for half a day and not see a dwelling-house. Well, Dr. Robinson took up a claim 15 miles from the nearest town, then a village of about 200 inhabitants, now the beautiful city where you live, Jessie."

Jessie's eyes opened widely. It seemed marvelous that these changes should come to her own home.

"Dr. Robinson's practice consisted largely about the dressing of wounds that had been inflicted by the Indians on the settlers, and he had considerable to do, too. There was no school in all the country, and in making his professional calls Dr. Robinson discovered that there was a great desire for one, even though some of the people would have to send their children three or four miles to the school. So he arranged matters, and the people got together and built a sod house in which to hold school, and 15-year-old Jessie Robinson rode to the county seat 12 miles away, passed her examination and was granted a teacher's certificate. The children gathered and this child taught the first school in all the country."

"That was a wonderful thing to do," said Jessie. "She ought to have a monument for that."

Grandfather smiled. "Instead of being remembered in this way," he said, "some people are inclined to look down on her because she taught in a sod house."

Jessie colored, as Grandfather continued: "One day in going to school Jessie Robinson passed a neighbor's house and found one of her pupils, a little girl, sick. The child wanted to go to school but was not able to walk. What did Jessie, that



She didn't wait for rescue, but managed to wade ashore.

A Crying Shame

Wunet, when I was little, I
Cut to worry ma an' cry
When she waded me, un' ist bawl
Ef my hair was combed at all.



I ist wished that I could go
Where they wouldn't treat me so;
I ist wanted, nen, to play,
'N' not to be bothered ever day.

Fi couldn't wailer in the dirt
Pears nen like my feelings hurt,

Un' they's somegan, by and by,
En my throat-un' I ist cry.

When they told me, What you do
That for? I ist say, Boo-fool!
Couldn't hold it—no, siree!!
Somegan must be wrong with ma.

But when ma is done un' kissed
Me, un' give me cake, I ist,
Feel ashamed so much that I
Ist can't do a thing but cry.



followed the Indians along the Republican River, and finally went into camp on Beccher's Island. Here we were attacked by a thousand warriors and for nine days we fought and fasted, drinking the muddy water of the river, eating half putrid meat of mules and sweltering through the hot September days. On the third day my eye was shot out. We had no surgeon, and I had to lay four days with the wound unattended. Jessie, do you think we were then as well fixed as you are now?"

The little girl was crying and did not answer. It seemed to her that Grandfather's scar was not so ugly after all for it is said that there is really beauty in scars made in the service of mankind. Grandfather continued:

"At last, after seven days, when we were nearly exhausted and a majority of the 50 were either dead or wounded, we heard the sound of a bugle and knew that help was coming. The Indians fled, and a few minutes afterward a thousand colored troops came into view. Jessie, it seems to me I never heard sweeter music than that bugle and never, through my half-blindness, saw a dearer sight than Old Glory on that occasion, and even the negro soldiers were positively handsome in our eyes. Well, they took me to the home of Dr. Robinson, and while I was there the girl, hardly 16, helped to nurse me back to health. This is how I became acquainted with Jessie Robinson."

"Well, what became of her, Grandpa?" Jessie asked.

"Grandpa smiled. "She married me," he

replied. "Jessie Robinson that was in your Grandmother. It was through her heroism as a girl that the public school was established in the short grass country, and it seems to me that her granddaughter, now that the schools have become so pleasant and profitable, should have enough pride in her ancestors to make the most of things as they are."

And Jessie kissed Grandpa on the forehead. She thought so, too.

HIS GREAT AMBITION

"I wish I could write letter," sighed the boy.

"Is that all?" asked his mother.

"Well, I wish I could spell better, too," he admitted.

"How about arithmetic?" she inquired; but in this line he betrayed little interest.

"Well," said she, "I am glad you are ambitious in two things, at any rate. But why do you select writing and spelling particularly?"

"Because," he replied, "if I was real good in those things I could write my own excuses for tardiness without being caught the way Earlie Duncely does."

BEHEADINGS

(1) Doubly beheaded to apprehend one according to the law and leave a repositful condition. (2) Behead that which comes upon the cheek of health and leave a famous Scotch novel to be spelled. (3) Behead to boast and leave a worn-out piece of cloth.

How Tommy Became a Real Hero

BY MAUD WALKER.

Tommy had been reading all the morning a story of the heroes of olden days, and as he finished the last page he sighed and put the book aside. His mother, sitting by the window sewing, heard the sigh from Tommy, and turning to him, asked what occasioned his sadness.

"Mamma, I'd like to be a hero," declared Tommy, emotion in his voice. "But one cannot be a hero in this day and age—there is nothing to call out heroism. In the old days there were strenuous times—times to try men and—boys, too."

Tommy's mother sat silent for a full minute, then said: "Son, I think we are all prone to look upon the past too much and to regret the passing of those days, but if the truth were known there was less occasion for heroism in the past ages than there is today. Overyhand we than there is today. On every hand we have the call for heroism—girls and women. And we have the heroes and heroines, too, in greater numbers than you have any idea of."

"But, mamma, how is one to be a hero nowadays?" asked Tommy eagerly. "We have no invasions, no raids on towns and cities, no banditti to be captured, no pirates and free-booters to be reckoned with—in fact, nothing but good old times of peace and plenty," declared Tommy with some disgust in his voice.

Tommy. Heroes have gone with the past.

Mamma shook her head. "I tell you, dear boy, heroes are needed as much today as they were needed in the old times, and they are with us in vast numbers. Didn't you read to me just yesterday of that brave fireman who risked his own life to save that of a helpless old woman who had been left in the attic of a tenement to perish in the fire that was sweeping with such fury over the entire building?"

"Well, was there ever greater heroism than that?"

Tommy was obliged to admit that the fireman of whom his mother spoke was indeed a great hero, and then he began to understand his mother's meaning when she said there were as many heroes today as there was in the past.

Tommy got his overcoat and hat and set out to find a call for heroism. He turned into a side street, not selecting any quarter of the city, but following involuntarily wherever his feet might turn. He was too busy thinking to notice his surroundings, and had passed by a tumble-down old clothes shop when a child's sob caught his ear. Turning quickly Tommy entered the shop, for the child's voice came from there.

Crouching close to the counter and sobbing bitterly was a little girl about eight years of age. Upon Tommy's entering she

them, an' my papa and I are too poor to lose anything. Again the little girl sobbed bitterly.

"Where is your mother?" asked Tommy, thoughts of his own dear mother coming to his mind. A mother could always look after everything, he knew, and wondered why this little girl should have to mind the shop if she had a mother.

"My mamma died a year ago, an' I've been alone with my papa," she explained. "It's very lonely, but my papa is very good to me and sends me to school when he is well."

"Let me see your father," said Tommy, his pity for the child growing since he learned that she had no mother.

The little girl led Tommy to a dark, unkept room in the rear of the shop, and there he saw a poor man tossing about on a wretched bed. In the same room were a cooking stove, a cupboard containing a few coarse dishes, a plain deal table, a few chairs and another little bed in a corner where the child probably slept. All spoke poverty. Tommy went to the man and, bending over him, asked a question, but the sick one only stared at him, not replying. Then he began to toss and to moan.

"That's just the way he does when I speak to him," sobbed the child. "An' he got that way last night. But before he got so he wouldn't talk; he said he had great pains in his chest and head."

"He must have a doctor," said Tommy, his voice decisive. He felt that he must look after this poor sufferer, the little girl and the poor shop. "I'll run home and have my mother send for our doctor," he explained. "And you lock the shop door, so that other thieves cannot come in to steal the coats and other things while I am gone."

The little girl did his bidding seeming to trust him completely and know that he was her friend in time of trouble.

Within an hour Tommy returned to the shop, accompanied by his own dear, good-hearted mother. Tommy tapped on the shop door and the little girl opened it for him. In another minute he and his mother were at the sick man's bedside and the mother said she knew from the sufferer's symptoms that he had pneumonia. "And it is a good thing you found him at this stage of the fever," she declared,

The Runaway Brook



A little brook
So liked to play
That it ran away.
One summer day,
With many a croak
Into many a nook,
Singing a song
As it sped along.

And the flowers sprung
Out of the ground
All around,
And about it clung,
While he ran and
Through sky and sward
Came down to play
With the brook that day,
The wayward brook
That ran away.

attention and medical care, Tommy and his mother decided to take the little girl to their own home, where she should remain till the poor father was well enough to resume his business. And the rent of the shop was paid for out of Tommy's own bank account, for otherwise the goods would have been seized for the debt. Then the key was turned in the lock to await the owner's return to open it for business again.

On their way home Tommy's mother pressed his hand, saying: "And how does my little hero feel now? Isn't there a demand for heroism at the present day, dear?"

Tommy's face flushed with pride. "Mamma," he said, softly, "I had forgotten that I was out hunting for a chance to become a hero. I was so sorry for that poor old man, and this little girl, that I forgot my object in wandering about in this part in wandering about in this part of the city."

"And that's just why you are a real hero, dear son," declared the mother. "And throughout life you will find many acts of heroism, such as this one, to be performed, and I know you'll never shrink your duty."

"If this is being a hero," said Tommy, earnestly, "everybody ought to be a hero or a heroine, for to help one another in trouble or sickness is only just and right."

"Well, you are as great a hero today, dearest, as any general who has led his army to victory. You have ministered to the sick and needy—in fact, my son, you have saved a life."

Then the three walked on in silence, for Tommy felt a lump in his throat, a lump caused by emotion, and could not speak, but he did not think of his heroism; only thought of that which might be done for the poor, second-class man and his little girl, who had no mother.

And it is safe to predict that Tommy's life will be full of just such acts of heroism, and that his mother, a true heroine, will help him in all that he does for charity's and pity's sweet sake. And it is to be hoped that other boys and girls, too, will become just such real heroes and heroines as Tommy became so unexpectedly on the day of the story just related.

When are hunters and stars alike?
When shooting stars like reservoirs?
When is yest like Christmas women's feet?



"What's the matter, little girl?" asked Tommy.

Mamma sewed on a little while, then said: "Son, I'm going to send you out on an errand—an errand of heroism. You may go in any direction you wish in the city, for on every hand you will find the need of a real hero. While conditions have changed since the days you have been reading of the need of heroes has not diminished one whit. But—I am going to let you find out for yourself just where a hero is needed, and ask you to apply yourself to the cause earnestly."

"But, mamma, I tell you there is no need of heroes any more," reiterated

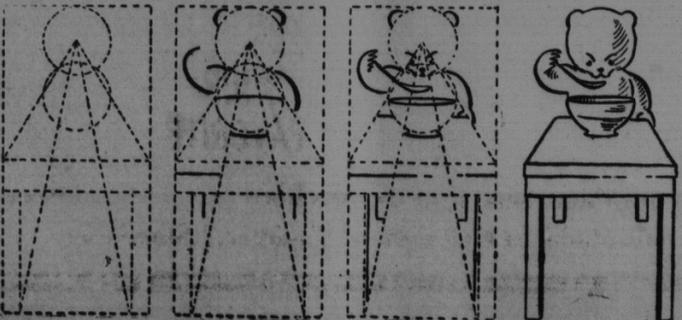
quickly rose to her feet and rubbed the tears from her way over. Her green gaiter eyes looked up into Tommy's face inquiringly.

"What's the matter, little girl?" asked Tommy, his heart filled with pity at the child's apparent distress.

"My papa is sick, an' won't speak to me any more," explained the child. "He got sick yesterday an' couldn't attend to the shop. He went to bed an' told me to watch the shop, an' I didn't know how to sell things. Two men came in an' took coats and ran off without paying for

HELPFUL HINTS FOR OUR YOUNG ARTISTS

LESSON NO. 40—THE TEDDY BEAR AT DINNER.



Our Puzzle Corner

RIDDLE AND ANSWER.
Either forward or backward
If you take me fast I am loud;
I am one way a number,
The other a square.
(Ten—act)

LETTER ENIGMA.
My first is in group, but not in crowd;
My second is in call, but not in loud;
My third is in bread, but not in cake;
My fourth is in drug, but not in take;
My fifth is in east, but not in food;
My sixth is in chicken, but not in brood;
My whole spells something
That each spring does grow;
And all the children love
To plant it, I know.

CONUNDRUMS.
When compressed,
When are fleas like the winter wind?
When sitting,
Why is a lady's evening gown like a vine?
It has to be trained.
What sea would a man on a leaking
ship prefer?
Admiral (a dry attic).
Why are railroad trains like reservoirs?
They both have conductors.

HIDDEN NOVELIST PUZZLE.

By taking the initial letter of a one-syllable word from each of the following sentences, and writing them in the order of their appearance, the name of a famous Scotch novelist will be spelled.

The Sun is always shining on the British Empire.

Take a care that you never over-do a thing.

Always pour oil over troubled waters.

Turn not a deaf ear to good advice.

(The last and fourth letters are the same)

ANSWERS TO LAST WEEK'S PUZZLE.
Letter Enigma—Spring.
Hidden Poet Puzzle—Rabbit.
Beholdings—(1) Space—pace. (2) Rattan—tan. (3) Boats—rats.
Curtailings—(1) Antler—ant. (2) Bellow—bell. (3) Bugle—bug.

CURTAILINGS

(1) Curtail the division in a city hospital and leave bitter conflict. (2) Doubly curtail a place where people live and leave the title of a nobleman. (3) Triply curtail a foreign country and leave that which is a menace to health.



"What's the news, my boy?"
"Aw, I ain't got no time fer literary pursuits! I'm a business man, I am."

THE WEATHER.

Maritime—Moderate to fresh winds fair not much change in temperatures. Toronto, Ont., Sept. 23.—An area of high pressure is centred tonight over Lake Superior, while depressions cover the southwest states and Saskat. Sydney, N. S. western Ontario and in the Georgian bay district and also in Alberta while elsewhere in Canada the weather has been fair.

AROUND THE CITY

St. John Business College. A much larger number than usual of eleventh grade students has entered for the fall term. This is good news for prospective employers. Evening classes begin Oct. 3rd. Mr. Butler at Canadian Club. M. J. Butler, general manager of the Dominion Iron and Steel Company, of Sydney, N. S. will address the Canadian Club next week. Due notice of the day will be given. Band Concert Enjoyed. Last night the Artillery band rendered a choice programme of music on King Square band stand and the concert was listened to by a very large crowd of people. Harvest Excursion. The last farm laborers' excursion of the season will leave the depot this afternoon. It is expected that there will be about 500 men in the party and they will go west by a special train. Saint John Law Society. A special meeting of the above Society will be held at the Law Library, St. John, on Saturday the 24th inst. at ten o'clock a. m. in consequence of the death of C. N. Skinner, Esq., K. C., D.C.L. Waterloo Street Y. P. S. There was a social meeting of the Young Peoples' Society of the Waterloo street United Baptist church last night. The meeting was held in the church vestry and well attended. Rev. F. H. Wentworth outlined the work for the coming season. Returned Missionary Speaks. Tomorrow morning and evening Rev. R. A. Blair, a returned missionary from China, will occupy the pulpit of the Reformed Presbyterian church on the corner of Peel and Carleton streets. On Monday evening in the church he will give a lecture illustrated by lantern views. Socialist to Speak of Pests of Society. The Socialist party will hold its regular propaganda meeting on Sunday, Sept. 25th, at 8.15 p. m. in their hall at 141 Mill street, when T. Hyatt, late of Alberta, will discourse on the pests of present day society. Members of both sexes are invited. Questions and criticism encouraged. Hurt the Pavement. John Livingstone has been reported by Policeman Thomas Sullivan for damaging the concrete pavement on Smythe street, by driving his team of horses over the work before it had time to properly settle and with refusing to stop when ordered. The street has not yet been opened for traffic. Dr. Carroll Will Speak. Tomorrow afternoon at four o'clock in the St. Andrew's church Prof. Mitchell Carroll of Washington will speak to the public under the auspices of the St. John's Society of the Archaeological Institute of America. Dr. Carroll will take for his subject "Paul at Athens," and the address should prove a rare treat as the lecturer is a most fluent speaker. Church Services at Exmouth Street. Exmouth St. Methodist Church. Class meeting Sunday morning at 9.45. Preaching at 11 a. m. by Rev. Bert Thompson. Sunday School at 2.30 p. m. Preaching Sunday evening at 7 p. m. by Pastor Rev. W. W. Brewster. Members of congregations kindly bring Alexander song books to evening service. Church Parade. Tomorrow evening the St. Stephen's Scots Brigade will hold their annual church parade. The brigade in charge of Col. Buchanan will march to the St. Stephen's church where Rev. G. Dickie will preach the sermon. The subject that the reverend gentleman has chosen is "Military Training and Modern Life." The church parade was to have been held last Sunday but had to be postponed. Tailors Association Meet. A special meeting of the Merchant Tailors and Custom Cutters' Association was held last evening in the Royal Hotel sample rooms with the president, A. R. Campbell in the chair. The committee in charge of the association's exhibit at the Dominion Exhibition submitted their report, and an order was passed to pay the bills incurred in connection with the exhibit. Dominion Atlantic Excursions to Halifax Exhibition. From Tuesday, Sept. 27th, to Wednesday, Oct. 5th, excursion tickets will be on sale to Halifax, good to return Friday, Oct. 7th, at one way first class fare. Special excursion—On Saturday, Oct. 1st and Monday, Oct. 3rd, special excursion tickets to Halifax will be sold good to return till Friday, Oct. 7th at the special low rate of \$4.10. R. M. S. Prince Rupert sails from Reed's Point wharf daily (except Sunday) at 7.45 a. m. connecting at Digby with Flying Bluebonnet train due at Halifax 4.45 p. m. F. Giffins, general manager. A Handsome Millinery Window. An unusually charming window display of fall millinery at M. R. A.'s is attracting great attention from the ladies who are all interested in the latest in Autumn styles. The models shown are perfectly lovely creations representing the highest skill in the designing of fashionable headgear. M. R. A.'s millinery department is prepared to furnish the most up-to-the-minute styles in ready-to-wear hats, and while the models are all beautiful the prices are by no means excessive. 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SAILING STS PROMISE BUSY WINTER PORT SEASON HERE

Allan Line and C. P. R. Announce Dates Showing Little Change from Last Year's Programme--Empresses for St. John and Royal Line to Halifax--Furness Line May Carry Passengers.

The winter sailing lists of the C. P. R. and Allan lines have been issued. From all accounts there will be little or no change at this port this winter in regard to the trips of the Allan and C. P. R. lines. Both the Allan line and the C. P. R. will make St. John their freight terminus this year as in the past. The Empress boats will make this port their terminus and only call at Halifax to land and receive mails. The Allan line steamers will call at Halifax on the way out, but with the exception of the mail steamers the direct Liverpool boats will, as a rule, sail from St. John. The Royal line will make Halifax its terminus during the winter, and the benefit arising from the presence of two such magnificent ships as the Royal George and Royal Edward will be great. Other lines will also pay more or less attention to the passenger traffic from this port. The Furness line will operate its service as usual but there is a possibility that it may in the near future engage in the passenger business in competition with other passenger carrying lines. The C. P. R. winter timetable reached St. John yesterday. This year the two Empress steamers will make regular fortnightly trips with one exception, when a chartered steamer will give the Empress of Ireland a breathing spell of two weeks. C. P. R. Sailing. The C. P. R. sailings to and from this port will be as follows: From Liverpool, Dec. 13—Empress of Ireland; from St. John Dec. 2.

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RAILWAY MEN HOME FROM CONVENTION W. N. Collins Elected Grand Warden of Canadian B. of R. E. at Charlottetown - Important Matters Discussed.

W. N. Collins, Peter Sharkey and David Fisher, who have been attending the convention of the Canadian Brotherhood of Railway Employees, returned to the city last evening. Speaking of the convention Mr. Collins said it had been largely attended and successful in every way. Most of the sessions were taken up by discussions on amendments to the constitution and means of extending the organization throughout the West. The question of joining the Canadian Federation of Labor at Montreal was brought up but there were differences of opinion and the matter was laid over. The officers elected for the ensuing year are as follows: Grand President, A. B. Mosher, Halifax; Grand Secretary, M. M. McLean of Halifax; Grand Rec. Sec., F. J. O'Rourke, Moncton; Grand Auditors, F. McDonald, Pictou, and Clarence Macready, F. C. Ayward of Moncton; vice-president, F. C. E. Cole of Coleville; for N. S., N. McKinnon of Sydney; for P.E.I., M. McLeod, Charlottetown; Grand Chaplain, N. P. Hines, St. John; Grand Chaplain, N. P. McPherson, Point Tupper; Grand Board of Directors, C. H. Kinnear of Moncton; F. J. Hueston of Moncton; F. McPherson, Point Tupper; Geo. W. Worthy, Charlottetown; Geo. Desrosiers of Lewis.

Church Parade. Tomorrow evening the St. Stephen's Scots Brigade will hold their annual church parade. The brigade in charge of Col. Buchanan will march to the St. Stephen's church where Rev. G. Dickie will preach the sermon. The subject that the reverend gentleman has chosen is "Military Training and Modern Life." The church parade was to have been held last Sunday but had to be postponed. Tailors Association Meet. A special meeting of the Merchant Tailors and Custom Cutters' Association was held last evening in the Royal Hotel sample rooms with the president, A. R. Campbell in the chair. The committee in charge of the association's exhibit at the Dominion Exhibition submitted their report, and an order was passed to pay the bills incurred in connection with the exhibit. Dominion Atlantic Excursions to Halifax Exhibition. From Tuesday, Sept. 27th, to Wednesday, Oct. 5th, excursion tickets will be on sale to Halifax, good to return Friday, Oct. 7th, at one way first class fare. Special excursion—On Saturday, Oct. 1st and Monday, Oct. 3rd, special excursion tickets to Halifax will be sold good to return till Friday, Oct. 7th at the special low rate of \$4.10. R. M. S. Prince Rupert sails from Reed's Point wharf daily (except Sunday) at 7.45 a. m. connecting at Digby with Flying Bluebonnet train due at Halifax 4.45 p. m. F. Giffins, general manager. A Handsome Millinery Window. An unusually charming window display of fall millinery at M. R. A.'s is attracting great attention from the ladies who are all interested in the latest in Autumn styles. The models shown are perfectly lovely creations representing the highest skill in the designing of fashionable headgear. M. R. A.'s millinery department is prepared to furnish the most up-to-the-minute styles in ready-to-wear hats, and while the models are all beautiful the prices are by no means excessive. The firm's order department is busily engaged in supplying the demand of those who prefer to suggest how their hats are to be made. All orders will have careful attention and should be placed as early as convenient as there is a greater demand than ever for this work.

WOMAN WORRIED OVER HUSBAND'S ABSENCE Left With Five Small Children and No Money in the House -- Man Said to be in Boston.

There is at present in the city a poor woman who is greatly worried over the disappearance of her husband. The woman when seen yesterday was in tears and is to be pitied. She stated that her husband is a painter by trade, and that he has been missing since a week ago last night. She said that she heard that he went to Boston, and at all events he never left any word where he was going, and he took with him what little money that they had. The poor woman says that she has five small children at home. She is without money, and there is no food for them. She is very anxious to get some word of her runaway husband in the hopes that she might be enabled to induce him to return to his family, as his help is greatly needed.

Remnant Sale of Black and Colored Dress Goods and Suitings. A great chance to save money is offered at this sale of bright desirable ends of dress goods, skirts, dresses, lengths for costumes, shirts, dresses. Lengths for girls' dresses and coats. Lengths for small boys' suits and odd pants. Prices have been placed very low to dispose of these remnants quickly. Sale starts Monday morning, promptly at 8 o'clock in M. R. A.'s dress goods department. Traffic Blocked. Yesterday afternoon a wagon broken down on Main street, North End, and the traffic was blocked for some time.

PAY YOUR TAXES OR WORK ON THE STREET Ald. McGoldrick Proposes Plan to Do Away With Appeals Committee --- Equivalent in Labor for Unpaid Taxes.

Ald. McGoldrick is working on a scheme to relieve Ald. Sprout of the onerous duty of presiding over the meetings of the appeals committee. The other day he was standing in the doorway of his own home, and a lobby was crowded with men anxious to get their taxes remitted. As he surveyed his streets and thought of all the civic money Ald. Sprout was passing on to the streets, he became somewhat annoyed and complained to a reporter about it. "Well, why don't some of you civic Solomons make arrangement to have these chaps work out their taxes on the streets?" asked that individual. "Evidently these men must be able to do a good deal or they would be idle to pay up. And certainly it would not hurt the streets to have some more labor expended upon them." "That's just what I've been thinking," said the chairman of the board of works. "Well why don't you act?" "That's what I've been thinking of doing. We don't get much money now to spend on the streets. But if we could have the equivalent in labor of all the taxes our friend Sprout lets these men out of, every little while, we could make enough changes in the condition of the streets to make the neighbors sit up and take notice. Besides it ought to be a good thing for the chaps who are so unfortunate as not to be able to pay their taxes. They selves when they have to come down here and beg to be let out from paying up."

TALK WINTER PLANS AT S. S. LUNCHEON Novel Method of Launching Season's Work Adopted by Portland Methodist Church Sunday School.

The committee of management of the Portland street Methodist Sunday school met at luncheon in the school room at 6.30 o'clock last evening. Forty persons in all attended and after doing good work at the tables which were bountifully supplied by a very efficient committee with A. A. Sinclair as its head, Alderman R. T. Hayes, superintendent, called the meeting to order, and the working programme for the winter was taken up. Miss Carrie McConnell was elected superintendent of the Home Department. A. W. McInnis was elected treasurer of the school. Capt. J. W. Calhoun was elected temperance secretary. Miss Lizette Miller and Miss Ruth Kingston were elected delegates to the Sunday School Convention to be held in Woodstock, N. B., 11, 12, and 13th of October. Miss Hammond alternate. Mrs. J. W. Calhoun and Mrs. Nellie Leck were elected delegates to the County Sunday school convention to be held at Fairville. Programmes for all the special days were arranged for. Sunday afternoon will be the annual rally day of Portland street Methodist school, and special programme has been arranged. Rev. Dr. Flanders will address the school. Try Othello Maraschino Cherry Chocolates next time. White's, King street