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LITHGOW SAYS BALL TEAMS CANNOT PLAY AMATEURS AND PROFESSIONALS TOGETHER

M. P. A. A. President Here Today, Makes a Statement of Particular Interest to Local Baseball Men—Any Attempt at Playing Professionals Will Mean Trouble for Amateurs.

The Halifax ball league asked for special permission. President Lithgow said that should the N. B. league throw in their lot with the Federation they would, as a natural consequence, put themselves in a hot water as to all other branches of sport, intimating that the Federation had no standing or hold at all down this way.

SAYS JEWS DO NOT GET HALF A CHANCE

To Judge Ritchie's morning Jacob Meyer, a trustee of the Jewish synagogue on Carleton street, complained of the spathy which he asserts the police display in extending protection to the synagogue.

A HOUSE BURNED AT SPRUCE LAKE

Word was received about noon today that Rev. W. C. Gaylor's property at Spruce Lake was totally destroyed by fire. The origin of the fire is unknown.

THE TRURO ROBBERY

Truro, N. S., May 21.—(Special)—The hold-up is in about the same position it was last night. The officers are either all at sea or they are laying low, waiting as it were the trend of events.

ASPIRING ROAD RACERS

The road racing fever shows no sign of abatement, and the Times today has received two challenges, Robert Pendleton being the mark for aspirants.

BIG ALLAN LAINERS FREED FROM DEATH GRASP OF ICE AND IS NOW IN SAFE PLACE

The Steamer Mongolian Released Herself From the Ice Pack This Morning—Ice Floe Miraculously Parted and the Imprisoned Liner Freed to Safety—She is Now at Bay of Bulls

MONGOLIAN IS FREE St. John's, Nfld., May 21.—The Allan line steamer Mongolian early today freed herself from the ice pack off the entrance to St. John's Harbor in which she had been imprisoned for two days.

SIXTY TWO YEARS OF MARRIED LIFE

Mr. and Mrs. Williams Peter will Celebrate Their 62nd Wedding Anniversary on Thursday Next On Thursday May 27th Mr. and Mrs. Williams Peter, Waterloo street, will have been wedded 62 years and though both are well advanced in age, Mr. Peter being in his 79th year and Mrs. Peter in her 77th they are enjoying excellent health.

H. H. ROGERS BURIED TODAY

New York, May 21.—The funeral of Henry H. Rogers, president of the Amalgamated Copper Company and active member of the Standard Oil Company, brought together many men prominent in the business and financial districts of this city to honor the memory of the man who had won their admiration not only for his unusual energy, courage and business ability, but because of likable qualities as an associate and friend.

FOUND THE THIEVES IN FREIGHT CARS

The preliminary examination of William Morris and Walter Livingston, accused of breaking and entering a freight car on Wednesday night, was commenced this morning.

Mrs. C. F. Fraser

Halifax, N. S., May 21.—(Special)—Mrs. C. F. Fraser, wife of Dr. Fraser, superintendent of the school for the blind, died this morning after a somewhat lengthy illness of consumption. She was a daughter of James Hunter, of Fredericton.

THE TIMES NEW REPORTER

GENERAL MANAGER McNICOLL Having learned that Mr. David McNicoll, general manager of the C. P. R., was in the city yesterday, the Times reporter followed his card up to the room of the general railway man and was received with great cordiality.

LAKE MOHOK CONFERENCE IN FAVOR OF DISARMAMENT BY THE CIVILIZED NATIONS

Important Conclusions Reached by the Conference on International Arbitration—United States Government Called Upon to Assist in Carrying Out the Provisions of the Hague Conference.

Lake Mohok, May 21.—The following platform of the Lake Mohok conference on international arbitration has today been adopted unanimously and without discussion or criticism.

MONCTON THINKS IT WOULD NOT PAY

Moncton, May 21.—(Special)—There seems but little prospect of Moncton having a team in the provincial baseball league. The matter came up last evening at a meeting of the M. P. A. A. executive when the report of George Trisler, delegate from the association to the recent league meeting at St. John was received.

N. S. STEEL & COAL CO. WILL ISSUE NEW BONDS

Halifax, N. S., May 21.—(Special)—At the meeting of the shareholders of the Nova Scotia Steel and Coal company yesterday Senator MacGregor, in seconding the motion for the adoption of the report of the directors of the Nova Scotia Steel Co., which included the issuance of \$6,000,000 bonds and \$1,000,000 debenture stock, which was adopted, said that Mr. Harris, the president, and Mr. Cantley, the general manager, were entitled to great credit for the bold policy pursued in regard to the Wabana submarine ore property, and but for the faith they inspired in the board with regard to this property the work would not have been undertaken.

SPECTACULAR TRAIN WRECK

Train on Michigan Central Road Jumps Track—Twenty Cars Piled at Foot of Embankment. Woodstock, Ont., May 21.—(Special)—A spectacular freight wreck occurred on the M. C. R., three miles east of Tilsonburg, Ontario, this morning.

ST. JOHN BOY RECEIVES A DEGREE AT NEWTON

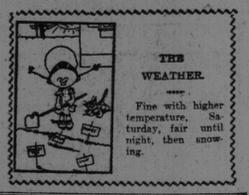
A St. John boy, in the person of Wilder Williams, of Adelaide street, north end, arrived home last night from Newton, Mass., where he won honor at the Gordon School of Theology. Mr. Williams graduated on the 18th, having taken a two years' course, and has received his diploma and class honors.

STRIKE IS OVER

The Star Line have come to an agreement. The Star Line have come to a satisfactory arrangement with the boat tenders of the steamer Majestic, and an strike of about 12 of the boatmen is off and the small boats meet the steamer now punctually.

HE DID NOT WORK

Sacramento, Cal., May 21.—Judge Shinn today granted a decree of divorce to Mrs. Miller H. Upon, on the ground of failure to provide the specification to which the wife testified being that most of her husband's time was devoted to baseball when he ought to have been earning a living for his two children and herself. Mr. and Mrs. Upon were prominent in society circles.



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THE BLIND LEADERS Leader Borden's criticism of the Liberal government and party, in the course of which he charges that they have not done all they should have done, naturally prompts his readers to ask what Mr. Borden has done. Then the real search begins. The truth is that Mr. Borden, amiable gentleman though he is, does not see the muck-raking wing of his party, reluctant though he is to pursue that course, has weakened him in the country, and there has been no aggressive leadership to counteract this effect. Hence the country has but a languid interest in any thing Leader Borden may say. His party is even weaker than it was at the close of the federal election campaign. Before it can hope to make any sort of headway in popular favor the Conservative party must abandon its suicidal policy of merely trying to blacken the reputation of public men. It must also get a more popular acting leader in Mr. Borden's absence than the Hon. George E. Foster. The people refuse to be impressed by Mr. Foster. They recognize and cheerfully acknowledge his ability as a speaker, but the lectures and homilies and scoldings of the learned professor are no longer taken with seriousness by his class. The Standard lauds him this morning, but it has done as much for Mr. Borden, and would do as much for any man who would throw mud at the minister of public works. It may be hoped that Leader Borden and Acting Leader Foster will enjoy their holidays, and return to Ottawa in November with a better conception of their duty to the house and the country.

THE GYPSY MOTH In an address before the Every Day Club last winter Mr. A. Gordon Leavitt made the assertion that unless the greatest care was exercised to prevent the gypsy moth from getting itself established in this province, the cost of its extermination would be enormous. The experience of Massachusetts in this respect is worthy of note. We quote from the Springfield Republican: "It has been manifest from the start that our only hope of getting rid of the gypsy moth must lie in the discovery and introduction of a parasite that will do the business. Pending that outcome, however, the enormous expenditure of money in fighting the pest continues. The most successful bill of \$150,000 has passed the house without a word of debate. This carries \$150,000 for this year, in addition to the same amount provided by previous legislation, so that the total sum to be expended by the state this year will be \$300,000. It is further expected that \$200,000 of the federal appropriation of \$800,000 will be laid out in this state, and we are told that this sum, with the appropriations by cities and towns, by the metropolitan park commission of Boston, and sums expended by private persons will aggregate about \$1,000,000. The foolishness of the scientific person, now dead, who permitted the gypsy moth to escape near Boston, has involved the outlay of many millions of dollars in Massachusetts."

REFORMATORY WORK A recent address by Ex-Gov. Bates on the subject of the care of the state of Massachusetts takes of its unfortunate of all kinds is very suggestive and worthy of the attention of other communities. Mr. Bates pointed out that between 28,000 and 36,000 persons are sentenced to jail in Massachusetts every year, and that the state has \$4,000,000 invested in prisons and reform institutions. Of the prisons with special reference to the state prison at Charlestown, he said: "You will not find luxuries at these institutions at the present, but you will find every necessity of life. Books, pictures and magazines are allowed, and the effects of such liberties are most beneficial. You will find a school room where the inmates are taught how to read and write. You will find a debating club. I was informed by one of the attaches of that particular place that not one of the inmates who had come to that institution and had been taught to read and write had shown a willingness to

learn, had ever returned after their discharge. "As Concord the reformatory is one of the best in the country. They try to give the boy just what he seems adapted to. The warden showed me a statue of 'The Whistling Boy,' which had been molded out by one of the inmates there, a young man who had since gone to Europe and made a name for himself as a result of the learning he had received while in this institution. The work done there is to be marveled at. The hospital there is the result of the work of the inmates. They planned it and then built it. And this is not the only monument showing the work accomplished by the people who are confined there. The institution at Westboro is a great one. The boys there are placed on their honor. There is no high wall by which they are confined. The new and better method is to place a boy on his honor, and the result is most gratifying. Reference was also made to the work of women prisoners at Sherborn and of girls at Lancaster, and of the self-sacrificing work done by the unpaid trustees of these various institutions, whose effort is not merely to restrain and punish but to uplift and reform. What is done with so large a measure of success in Massachusetts may also be done in New Brunswick. With less foreign population there should be a smaller proportion of incontinent inmates among the inmates of our reformatory institutions. The problem is to secure the right kind of discipline and control, to appeal to the latent good qualities of those subject to detention and restraint. Referring to Dr. Oler's recent statement relative to the campaign against tuberculosis an American exchange says: "Dr. Oler's encouraging words concerning the campaign against tuberculosis were very timely, in view of the rather depressing health statistics reported from New York city by Mr. Straus. While the celebrated physician admitted that, in order to reduce the mortality from tuberculosis to the rate at which typhoid fever is now held in well-regulated communities, two or three generations would probably be required, his confidence that such a result could be achieved through persistently following the present methods of fighting the disease was absolute. The results already obtained in many places are a convincing demonstration that the antituberculous crusade is on the right track. Any lessening of public interest or of co-operation in the movement would be a tremendous calamity."

Col. Denison, of Toronto is reported to have said that he believed the reduction of licenses in that city had caused an epidemic of drinking. Epidemics do not last, and this, if it exists, will pass. To say that license reduction increased the amount of drinking would imply, first, that the citizens were not a law-abiding people; and, second, that the authorities made no attempt to enforce the law. Perhaps the best evidence of results obtained by license reduction is the fact that local option is steadily gaining favor throughout Ontario. Col. Denison is a gentleman who likes the sound of his own voice, and there is sometimes more sound than sense. There should be no difficulty in interpreting the screen law. There is to be an unobstructed view of the interior of every liquor saloon. Any dealer who seeks to evade the law should be summarily dealt with. The only way to test the efficacy of a law is to enforce it. That is what the inspector is appointed to do. It is fitting that Empire Day is observed in the schools of this city. The observance is becoming more general throughout the empire. It is a bond of unity between the widely separated portions of Great and Greater Britain, and its significance is more widely recognized as the years pass. Mr. Law, M. P., of Yarmouth, agrees with other Nova Scotia Liberal members in declaring the speech of Hon. Dr. Pugsley on the Central Commission's report to have been a masterly address, gaining for him stronger support and a higher place in the estimation of his party. The passengers on the Mongolian, caught in an ice floe off St. John's will narrate read with deeper interest the narratives of Arctic explorers. The New Brunswick Telephone Co., has had a successful year. It should be encouraged thereby to further improve its service. The number of unlicensed dogs in this city forebodes a flow of gas in the lethal chamber. GOTCH FLOORS FOUR Salt Lake City, May 21—Four local wrestlers were thrown in 19 minutes and three seconds by Frank Gotch, champion of the world, at the Salt Palace last night. Ed Ferguson, of Ogden, managed to keep off the mat for seven minutes. Mike Yokell, a professional, succumbed to the toe hold in six minutes.

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WHO IS THE INFIDEL? (From Walter Pate in the Arena.) Who is the infidel? 'Tis he Who deems man's thought should not be free, Who fears the truth's faintest ray should From breaking on the human sight; 'Tis he who purposes to bind The slightest fetter on the mind, Who hoist with crooked and wrong be wrought To leave man loose with his own thought; Who, in the clash of brain and brain, Is fearful lest the truth be slain; That wrong may win and right may flee— This is the infidel. 'Tis he. Who is the infidel? 'Tis he Who puts on a bond on what may be; Who fears that man's upward slope shall end On some far summit—and descend; Who trembles lest the long-borne light, Far-seen shall lose itself in night; That all God's gifts may be great And that a single soul be lost— Who doubts all this, who'er he be, This is the infidel. 'Tis he. Who is the infidel? 'Tis he Who from his own soul's light would see, Who fears with crowds of souls and die The still small voice that speaks within; Who fears that God's angel soul be led To that sad lesson of the fane; And that some soul, who'er he be, Nowhere through the guile of chance; And that some soul, who'er he be, Proceed on the star-own way, From midnight of the night-to-be— Who is the infidel? 'Tis he. Who sees no beauty in a tree; Who fears with crowds of souls and die The wide anthem of the tide; Who fears that God's angel soul be led From off the million-throated hills; And that some soul, who'er he be, Proceed on the star-own way, By the glad prattle of a child; Who doubts all this, who'er he be, This is the infidel. 'Tis he. IN LIGHTER VEIN OUR WAY. The world will forgive a man's error in trade, And straightway forget it forever; The same of an error in morals is true, But an error in contrived—never. FORBEARANCE. Dyer—"Did his widow succeed in breaking his heart?" "Yes, long before he died."—Pick-Me-Up. PRICED. "You seem to have a lot of confidence in me, don't you?" "Not necessarily," rejoined the knight of the "whisper bluffs." "I merely take men at their face value." THE ART OF PERSUASION. Possible Employer—"But we are slack ourselves. If I found you anything to do, it would be a great help to me." Applicant—"The little I should do wouldn't arm nobody, governor."—The Hylander. UNENTERPRISING. A woman who visited the British museum at London, recently inquired at a attendant: "Have you any skull of Cromwell?" "No, madam," replied the attendant, "we've no 'adam," "How very odd!" she exclaimed. "They have a very fine one in the museum at Oxford."

CONVEYED HIS MEANING. He was a fine type of the old Southern colonel, the very acme of a race. He had just received a letter from a man, a man of pulchre, ash, and a very fine, which displeased him immensely, and he was desirous of making a satisfactory reply. But his stenographer was a lady. The colonel, however, cannot imagine how to convey his vulgar correspondent an adequate expression of his feelings. He was a gentleman, and you, being a man, will readily understand I mean. THE INFANT QUESTION (as treated by an American writer)—"What a fine little fellow that is! How old is he?" "He's four years old, but she looks just like you, doesn't she?" "Everyone says so."

PROVINCIAL NEWS New Brunswick John Bond, P. Lewis, John E. Sayre and Harry E. Rigby, St. John, were at Walton Lake this week. Yesterday's Sussex Record says: Mrs. D. H. McAllister's many friends will be glad to learn that she has fully recovered from a recent attack of pneumonia. She will arrive today in company with her husband, Dr. McAllister M. P. Mrs. Archibald's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Reid, Mont., will spend the summer in Sussex. The tenders for supplies for camp Sussex, were recently opened and the contracts have been awarded to local firms. The Sussex Mercantile Company will supply the groceries and flour; J. A. McArthur & Co., feed and hay; C. B. Fenwick, meats; William Smith, bread, and T. H. Brown, wood. The annual meeting of the Chisholm Lake Fishing Club was held on Saturday afternoon. The reports indicated that the affairs of the organization are in good shape. The following officers were elected: President, George Logan; vice-president, J. R. McLean; secretary, L. R. Ross; executive, G. H. Fairweather; Dr. Burnett, Dr. H. E. Sprad, and Dr. J. H. McLean. The resolutions were passed expressing sympathy with the relatives of the deceased members of the club during the year. Henry Tomkins, president, and Mr. Tufts vice president at the time of the meeting. The University of Mount Allison has just been presented with some thirty acres of land, and they are now being planted along the front of the Mount Allison property on Park street. When all are in place there will be a row of the trees all the way along the lower side of Park street between Lansdowne and Salem streets. In a few years the trees will doubtless add much to the appearance of the property on which they stand as well as to the appearance of the adjoining ground. In Lamont's wood-working factory, Newcastle, on Friday, James Lamont, son of the proprietor, met with a very bad accident. While splitting tanbark knees for use in barge building, a wedge flew out, cutting him badly on the chin and upper lip, knocking out several front teeth and rendering him unconscious for about an hour. Dr. Nicholson was called, sewed up the wounds and had the man removed to his home in Douglastown, where he is doing as well as can be expected. Nova Scotia Captain Paschal Poirier, master of the schooner Gladys E. Whidden, arrived by steamer Bruce from St. John's Nfld at Desouze, Richmond Co., Capt. Walters of Lunenburg assumed charge of the Whidden. Capt. Poirier upon receipt of a telegram from Ottawa offering him the position of collector of customs at Desouze decided to leave the craft. Principal Macintosh, of the Baddeck academy, who has been doing such good work at the Victoria Academy during the past few months was reelected, appointed to a professorship in Dalhousie university and

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will fill the recently established chair of mineralogy and geology. A drowning accident occurred last Wednesday in the waters of Fiddler's Head in the Bras d'Or Lake. Two men named Charles J. Redquest, belonging to Ottawa Brook, and a man named Gillis, went in a boat to fish. Some time later a strong wind sprang up, and in their efforts to reach shore the little craft was turned over by a heavy sea. Both men made a desperate struggle for life, but Gillis was successful, his comrade giving up the struggle after being twenty minutes in the water. Donaldson stated that the C. P. R. steamer Lake Champlain had undergone repairs at the dry dock at St. John's and had left the dock and probably would proceed to the St. Lawrence. Divers who had been at work on the disabled Titanic were unable to make a satisfactory examination or ascertain the extent of the damage and the steamer was placed in the dry dock for necessary repairs. Murdoch McLean, who now at the age of eighty-four, resides near Louisburg, is growing a new set of teeth. The triple murder and suicide in Butte, Mont., recently, is of particular interest when it is known that Mrs. Cuzon, who her insane husband, was a native of the Points, West Bay, C. B. She was a daughter of the late Philip Ross of that place and was married to Cuzon in the Eastern United States. They moved west some years ago, but had not been long there when the mind of the husband became unbalanced and he was placed in an insane asylum. He escaped twice from it, and the third time he came to his home and after shooting down his wife and the cause of engineer, and it is said that the children's derangement was the stealing of a patent which he had invented by a man whom he had thought to be a friend. The coroner's jury empowered to enquire into the cause of the death of John C. Crane, who was killed at Dom. No. 3 by a fall of stone, found a verdict of accidental death. They also reported that no blame was to be attached to anyone for the accident. The Cape Breton Electric Company have a man posted at Argyle and South Bay, noting the number of persons who regularly pass by that point, with a view to ascertaining the probability for an extension of the tram service to that point. Another serious, and probably fatal, accident occurred on the railway track in the vicinity of Rose Avenue, North Sydney, Saturday afternoon. A number of cars of iron ore were being shunted near the switches and while one of the boxes was in motion, a little boy named Joseph Dolmont, the seven year old son of Mr. Dolmont, attempted to imitate some of the train hands by jumping on the moving cars. The result was he was thrown under the car. The marriage of Miss Daisy Augusta Jones, of Philadelphia, to W. F. Ross, of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway staff, takes place on June 1. The groom was formerly a resident of St. Peter's, C. B. G. P. Henry, agent of the S. P. C., has returned to Halifax from Cape Breton, where he has been going through the coal mines at Sydney Mines and Glace Bay, and at these places the officials will show him through the stables, where he found that great improvements had been made in the treatment of horses in Glace Bay, through the enterprise of the coal company in employing Dr. Jake Matheson, who is in charge of the hospital for horses, as well as of all horses of the company. Joseph Gordon, the Halifax man, who was reported missing by his wife, turned up at his home on Wednesday night. He returned to tell where he was since May 6th. It was learned that he was driven out the Bedford road the day he left home. What almost resulted in a drowning accident occurred at Grand River this week, when a sail boat of which John K. Matheson was the sole occupant, was struck and upset by a sudden squall. A young man's plight was noticed by John P. Matheson, who at once went to his assistance and rescued him. Official information was received at Sydney on Wednesday to the effect that a telegram would be received from Interna-

P. E. Island This morning The Charlottetown Morning News will make its first appearance in Charlottetown. It will be issued in conjunction with and from the same offices as the afternoon Daily Examiner, but by a distinct publishing company. It is announced that the new paper is designed especially to fill the needs of the farmers of P. E. Island. The paper will be four pages of seven columns and will be principally devoted to local happenings with brief telegrams of the important world news. On May 21, 1877, the first issue of The Daily Examiner appeared. UNLICENSED DOGS So Far 760 Have Been Reported in the South and West Ends. The police of the southern division and Charlton have completed their census of unlicensed dogs and have rounded up a grand total of 760 canines in those parts of the city, for which no money has been handed in to the mayor's office. It is yet to be heard from and will likely swell the number to well above 1,000. Chief Clark said last night that the number was greater than last year, but this might be accounted for in part by the fact that the house to house visitation was concluded earlier than usual this year and before many intending to secure licenses had done so.

NEW SWIMMING RECORDS Chicago, May 21—The relay swimming team of the Illinois Athletic Club broke two American records here last night. The time for the 400 yard swim was lowered from 4:32.5 to 4:03.4. The time of 500 yard swim was changed from 5:27.5 to 5:09.4. The 400 yard record formerly was held by the N. Y. A. C. DeORO WON AT BILLIARDS Chicago, May 21—Alfred Deoro, ex New York, defeated Thomas Huston of St. Louis in the first block of their three nights play in the three cushion billiards championship of America here last night. The victor will receive the Lambert Diamond trophy and a purse of \$1,000.

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BANTAMS PUT UP GOOD GO Johnston, Pa., May 20—Johnny Coulon, of Chicago, world's champion bantamweight fighter, retained his title today when he met Jack Phenice, of Johnston, Pa., in a challenge for the world's championship. It was a fast six round bout, in which under Pennsylvania laws no decision was permissible, but it was apparent that Coulon's title had not been wrested from him. Phenice, however, seemed to grow stronger as the bout progressed, and to gain in confidence and it is believed that had he continued longer the result might have been in doubt. A large crowd witnessed the bout.

DRUMMOND PLANT MAY BE SHUT DOWN Owing to Strike at Westville Colliery May be Obligated to Close. Truro, May 20—The boys, miners and trappers of the Aedon pit of the Drummond colliery at Westville are out on strike and the mine is closed down. They are demanding an increase of wages of 25 cents a day. It is reported that unless the boys return to work the mine will close down indefinitely. Several hundred men are employed in this mine.

OBITUARY Mrs. Margaret Walsh The death of Mrs. Margaret Walsh, widow of Thomas Walsh, occurred Thursday. She leaves three sons and four daughters. The sons are William and David, of Millford; and John, who is in the United States. The daughters are Mrs. John Brown, of Lewiston (Me.); Mrs. Samuel Lockhart, of Millford; Mrs. H. L. Tripp, of Cambridge (Mass.); and Mrs. Wm. Duffy, of St. John. The funeral will be held on Sunday afternoon from David Walsh's home in Millford.

Mrs. Edward Monahan Fredericton, N. B., May 20—(Special)—Mrs. Monahan, widow of Edward Monahan, died at her home here this evening after a lingering illness from dropsy. She moved to this city from Burton, Sunbury county, last fall. She was seventy-four years old. She leaves a family of five sons and three daughters, one son is T. V. Monahan, proprietor of the Barker House, this city.

Capt. John Robinson Capt. John Robinson, formerly of Hopewell Hill, died recently in California. He commanded a large passenger steamer plying between San Francisco and Yokohama. He was about sixty years old and leaves his wife, formerly Miss Foley, of Buctouche, and six children.

Miss Beddome Miss Geraldine Helen Beddome, youngest daughter of A. H. and Mrs. Helen Beddome, of the Bank of Montreal, died last Saturday. Mrs. Beddome was Miss Ring, of St. John.

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THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE NEW BRUNSWICK TELEPHONE CO.

Dividend of 2 1-2 Per Cent. for Five Months Declared Yesterday—Alfred Seely Resigns as Secretary Treasurer and is Succeeded By A. W. McMackin

Fredericton, May 20—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the New Brunswick Telephone Company, Limited, was held here this evening and was well attended. President S. H. White, of Sussex, presided and most of the stock was represented either in person or by proxy. The financial statement covering a period of eleven months was submitted by the directors and showed the company to be prosperous. The resignation of Alfred Seely, who has been secretary-treasurer for three years, was accepted and A. W. McMackin, general superintendent, was appointed his successor. Mr. Seely has accepted a position with the New Brunswick Railway Company. Two members of the board of directors, Charles W. Fawcett, of Sackville, and W. T. Whiteshead, of Fredericton, retired and J. M. Robinson, of St. John, and A. R. Shipp, of Fredericton, were chosen in their stead. All the other directors were re-elected. The directors submitted the following financial statement of earnings and expenses for eleven months ended March 31, 1909, to the meeting of the stockholders: Earnings—Rentals and tolls \$20,560.03. Expenses—Operating maintenance and general expenses, \$138,514.18. Net earnings \$22,080.85. By net earnings, March 31, 1909, \$22,080.85. To interest on debentures \$4,583.33. To Int. on loans, etc., \$5,844.42. To commissions on stock sold 11,000.00. To dividend Dec. 1, 1908 34,184.10. \$43,511.65

been accomplished, it is true, by the issue of stock; at the same time the effect has been to place the company in a satisfactory position in respect to its financial liabilities. In this connection the directors consider that the shareholders of the company may congratulate themselves upon the favorable disposal of the stock that your directors were able to make. Practically \$300,000 of stock was disposed of at a cost to the company of only about \$11,000. The gross earnings of the company have grown from the sum of \$20,560.03 for the year 1908 to the sum of \$22,080.85 for the eleven months covered by this report and the number of telephones installed has been increased from 7,558 to 8,410, an increase of 874 phones for the eleven months. The net earnings of the company, however, considered to be entirely satisfactory. The statement shows, it is true, that the directors have appropriated out of revenue the sum of \$11,000 for commissions on the sale of the company's stock and to this amount must also be added a considerable amount for anticipated interest by reason of anticipated stock. At the same time stockholders were paid a dividend on their stock and the interest paid was so much additional paid by the company over and above dividends. The directors have also charged up to revenue the sum of \$20,901.07, which was expended in restoring the original value to the property of the company and its balance carried to reserve being less than your directors deem advisable, the necessity of an increase in the rental charge is clearly demonstrated. The directors during the year have placed the company on a semi-annual dividend basis at the rate of 6 per cent per annum. Your directors felt that the shareholders were entitled to receive a dividend of at least six per cent on their investment and that the company could practically as well pay such a dividend half-yearly as annually. It only requires that the company make its collections more promptly than it probably would otherwise make and this in itself is not an unduly increased but your directors are pleased to report that during the year they have made improvements in this province the toll rate of the company. At first it was reduced in not so much adding to the revenue of the company as it was to the service to its patrons and in the better facility afforded in attending to the business of the company. At first it was being unduly increased but your directors are now pleased to observe that the toll rates of the company are actually one in their own interests. The following directors were elected for the ensuing year: S. H. White, Hon. F. P. Thompson, F. B. Black, F. R. Carvell, M. P. A. D. Bennett, R. O'Leary, J. D. Irving, B. E. Emerson, J. M. Robinson, W. B. Snow, A. R. Shipp, M. P. P. L. B. McFarlane, F. W. Sumner, H. P. Robinson, G. W. Ganong. At a subsequent meeting of the directors the following officers were elected: President, S. H. White; first vice-president, Hon. F. P. Thompson; second vice-president, F. B. Black; secretary-treasurer, A. W. McMackin; general manager, L. B. McFarlane is the representative of the Bell Telephone Company on the board of directors. It was after midnight when the meeting adjourned.

Gross surplus \$43,511.65 From this surplus a dividend of 2 1-2 per cent for five months ended March 31, 1909, will be paid, amounting to \$3,599.00, leaving a net surplus of \$4,289.90. The following is a statement of assets and liabilities: Plant \$1,225,028.38 Real estate and buildings 54,577.28 Miscellaneous equipment 5,977.23 Supplies 22,484.63 Cash in banks and hand 6,683.06 Accounts receivable 11,966.92 Rentals and tolls outstanding 20,263.67 Total \$1,338,028.89 Capital stock (paid up) \$1,175,000.00 Reserve for depreciation 12,981.52 Debentures 100,000.00 Bank of British North America 24,025.05 Accounts payable 10,977.42 Interest accrued 1,250.00 Total liabilities \$1,334,333.90 The report of President White was as follows: The directors of the company beg to submit herewith their report and the financial statement of the company to the meeting of the stockholders for the year ended March 31, 1909, a period which is recalled that at the last annual meeting it was decided for the purpose of greater convenience to the company to change the fiscal year from April 30 to March 31 of each year and this accordingly has been done, hence the statement for a period of eleven months. The statement submitted shows that the plant account of the company has increased during the eleven months from \$1,154,937.97 to \$1,225,028.38, an addition thereto of \$70,224.81. This increase has been occasioned by new construction and development work necessarily undertaken by the company in the usual course of its business. The work of this nature is important and promptly indicates the progress made by the company. Indebtedness to the bank, it will be observed, has largely disappeared. This has

Springtime—Miss Haggarty; C. H. Millett—A. Watson; C. H. Peters. In the Doone Country—Laws; G. E. Barbour. Koedale Ravine—White; E. B. LeRoy. Deux Vaux—E. B. LeRoy. Syrian Girl—Watson; Mrs. M. MacLaren. Smith's Square, London—Winter McDonald; Mrs. M. MacLaren. Old Paintings—Unknown; Mrs. Holman. On the St. John River—Wilbur; M. V. Paddock. Meadows Near Leclaire—Parks; M. V. Paddock. City of St. John—Miss Jack; Dr. T. D. Walker. Some on Thames—F. Miles; Dr. T. D. Walker. Grace Before Meat—Shaw; H. W. Machum. Gloucester Fishermen—Platt; H. W. Machum. Street in Rye—Miss M. E. Jack; Dr. R. Jack. While all were much admired, special mention might be made of Mr. Sturdee's picture "Draw Well." The Bonaventure, owned by W. H. Thorne; G. A. Kimball's "On the Surrey Hills," Harold the Earl, owned by W. P. Dole; "On the St. John River," the property of M. V. Paddock; and H. W. Machum's Gloucester Fishermen.

THE U. N. B. ENCOENIA Rev. E. B. Hooper Will Deliver the Alumni Oration—Graduating Class Numbers Seventeen This year's graduating class at the University of New Brunswick will be composed of Verena Brown, Allston T. Cuthbert, Clifford T. Clark, Arthur L. Dwyer, Lillian M. Elliott, William G. Firth, Claire T. Flanagan, Norman S. Fraser, Grace H. Fleming, Charles M. Hoar, Lockley McKnight, Frank L. Orchard, Lillian L. Smith, Maude K. Smith, Olive H. Stewart, L. Leon Theriault, Beatrice W. Rothart. The programme of exercises for encenia day, Thursday next, May 27, is as follows: 10 a. m.—Meeting of the senate. 11 a. m.—Inspection of the equipment of the department in the new engineering and physics building. 2 p. m.—Academical procession formed in Dr. Cox's lecture room. 2:30 p. m.—Chair taken by his honor the lieutenant-governor. Address in praise of the founders by Chancellor Jones. 3 p. m.—Distribution of medals, prizes and honor certificates and conferring of degrees. 4 p. m.—Valedictory address by Frank L. Orchard. 4:30 p. m.—Alumni oration by Rev. E. B. Hooper, B. A., St. John (N. B.).

MANY FINE PAINTINGS OWNED IN THIS CITY Loan Exhibition of High Class Paintings Brings out Some Very Fine Ones. It is seldom that such a fine loan exhibit of high class paintings is brought together in this city as was on view to the members of the St. John Art Club in their studio last evening and will be open to the general public today on the payment of a nominal admission fee. The concluding meeting of the Art Club for the season was held last evening and proved of more than ordinary interest. There was a large attendance of the members. Alexander Watson, the president, in the absence of W. S. Fisher, presided. Several members were elected. The chairman read an excellent paper on the Brabazon school of painting, discussing its origin and history and noting the names of some of its more prominent artists such as Constable, Rousseau, Corot and Millais. The paper was followed by a discussion of the subject and a vote of thanks was tendered to Mr. Watson. Refreshments were served by the ladies' committee. The meetings of the Art Club will be resumed in October. The following is a list of the pictures in the loan exhibit with the names of the artists and the owners: Hills of Albert—Miles; J. C. Miles, A. R. C. A. Crawford's Camp—Miles; J. C. Miles, A. R. C. A. Venice—Hammond; Mrs. Alward. The Brook—A. Watson; Mrs. Alward. Village Draw Well—D. Bates; E. T. Sturdee. (Art-Union prize). Orchardland Moor—Finhorn Wood; E. T. Sturdee. The Bonaventure—Edé; W. H. Thorne. The Bonaventure—Edé; W. H. Thorne. Snowy Evening—Knight; F. Sandall. (Art-Union prize). The Round Tower—E. V. Duffy, R. H. A. F. Sandall. (Art-Union prize). Taking Goods to Pasture—Todd; H. D. Troop. Fisherman's Cottage—Miss E. Dell; H. D. Troop. On the Surrey Hills—Clayton Adams; G. A. Kimball. (Art-Union prize). Scene in Venice—Ginetti; W. S. Fisher. Lane in Surrey—Hulme; W. P. Dole. At Bonchurch—Williams; W. P. Dole. Scene near Springfield—Williams; W. P. Dole. Autumnal Evening—W. P. Dole. Harold the Earl—Egley; W. P. Dole. The End of the Day—E. W. Waite, R. A.; F. A. Jones. (Art-Union prize).

QUÉBEC BRIDGE WILL BE OF NICKEL STEEL Contract Will Probably be Awarded This Summer for the New Structure—Cost is Estimated Between \$6,000,000 and \$6,000,000. Ottawa, May 20—Messrs. Vautier, Modjeski and Fitzmaurice, the commissioners engaged by the government to prepare plans for the Quebec bridge, after several months, have so far advanced the work that the government will be in possession of the complete plans at no distant date. The present pier, which cost \$1,500,000, will be utilized for the new bridge, which will have a span almost as great as the 1,820 feet of the wrecked structure. Instead of the single tower, which was the weakness of the first bridge, the present pier will probably be duplicated on the river side, thereby reducing the central span to about 1,600 feet. The structure will be of the cantilever principle and built of nickel steel. This will greatly increase the strength and make the bridge capable of carrying the heaviest traffic that can possibly be put upon it. The bridge will stand 150 feet above water at high tide. It is probable that the contract will be let within a few days and the cost will be between \$5,000,000 and \$7,000,000.

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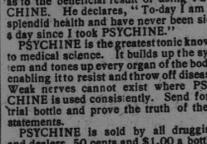
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There will be a whole programme of new pictures at the Nickel today and by special request a return engagement of the magnificent historical picture, The Origin of Beethoven's Moonlight Sonata.

AT THE STAR

One good programme follows upon the other over the Star Theatre, North End, and the showing of the new pictures is a most interesting one.

TRURO ROBBERY IS STILL A MYSTERY

Police are of the opinion that some person who was well posted was concerned in it. Truro, N. S., May 20—There is serious questioning about yesterday's highway robbery from the Canadian Express office at Truro.

Synopsis of Canadian Northwest Land Regulations

A family or any male over 18 years of age may homestead a quarter-section of arable land in the Northwest Territories.

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Kind Old Lady—But my good man, your milk is full of water. Milkman—It is the wet weather, ma'am.

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CONDUCTORS HAD A PLEASANT TIME

Conductor Johnson Tells of the Entertainment Afforded to Visitors at the Boston Convention. One of the St. John men who attended a part of the sessions of the convention of the Brotherhood of Railroad Conductors now being held in Boston was J. Cardy Johnston, of the C. P. R. division here.

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Three Nights, Commencing Victoria Day, Monday, May 24. Matinee Monday and Wednesday. Special Engagement of the Emment Canadian Actor MR. JOHN GRIFFITH

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REV. MR. DOCKRELL RESIGNS CHURCH

Rev. H. Gratton Dockrell Leaves the First Baptist Church of Moncton. Moncton, N. B., May 20—(Special)—Rev. H. Gratton Dockrell has resigned as pastor of the Moncton First Baptist church, the resignation to take effect the first of June.

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NOMINATIONS FOR THE HALIFAX RACES

There Will be Seventy-five Entrants in the Exhibition Races in Halifax This Fall—Every Maritime Stable of Note Represented.

There is a great list of nominations for the Halifax Exhibition races to be held in Halifax September 23 to October 2. There are seventy-five in all. Practically every stable of note in the Maritime Provinces will be represented and many from New England are entered. The list of nominations is as follows:

- 240 TROT. H. C. Jewett, Fredericton. C. E. Smith, Halifax. R. A. Backman, Lunenburg. Springhill Stables, Springhill. H. C. Hooper, Charlottetown. J. G. Wilson, Stellarton. H. O'Neil, Fredericton. F. Boutillier, Halifax. J. C. Larder, Sydney. J. T. Jenkins, Charlottetown. P. C. Brown, Charlottetown. Hotel Victoria Stables, Charlottetown. C. W. Dugan, Woodstock. G. A. Wallace, Pictou. 240 PACE. A. E. Trites, Salisbury. Springhill Stables, Springhill. P. Doherty, Sydney. George McKnight, Springhill. H. O'Neil, Fredericton. F. Boutillier, Halifax. Hotel Victoria Stables, Charlottetown. T. J. Boyer, Woodstock. FOUR-YEAR-OLD TROT. Allen Brown, Waterville. John E. Sullivan, Fredericton. John Chisholm, Macaan. F. T. Jenkins, Charlottetown. H. A. McCoy, Fredericton. S. A. Rockford, mgr Valley Stables, Sussex. Springhill Stables, Springhill. Geo. McNutt, Sherbrooke. J. D. McLarty, Montague, P. E. I. F. Boutillier, Halifax. M. A. O'Brien, Charlottetown. C. L. Strickland, Charlottotown. Hotel Victoria Stables, Charlottetown. C. W. Dugan, Woodstock. H. A. McKenzie, Springhill. TWO-YEAR-OLD TROT. Robert Settle, Dartmouth. S. A. Rockford, Sussex. S. A. Burchall, Joggins Mines. H. R. McLellan, St. John. Dr. J. T. Jenkins, Charlottetown. Baxter and Allen, Fredericton. Fred Pettis, New Glasgow. Dr. M. R. Roman, Antigonish. H. C. Lydiard, Centreville.

ST. PETER'S WON IN THEIR LAST INNING

Heavy Stick Work When it Was Most Needed, Clinched Last Night's Ball Game in the Society League.

The good crowd present were treated to a red hot game of baseball last evening when the St. Peter's defeated the St. John Baptist team by 3 to 1. There were between 800 and 900 people present, and at times excitement was pretty high. The game was full of ginger and snap, and was won purely on a streak of heavy hitting that the St. Peter's indulged in in the last inning.

Howe pitched a great game for the St. John's, having eight strike outs to his credit and allowing only three hits. In the first three innings not one St. Peter's man was allowed to cross the plate and in the second and third innings Howe struck out six men in succession. Hoff, for the St. Peter's, pitched a pretty steady game, having four strike outs to his credit. He was well supported by the rest of the team. Arthur McHugh umpired very satisfactorily, although at times his decisions were pretty close and did not always agree with those of the bleachers. The latter, however, may be regarded as more or less prejudiced. It was after 7 o'clock before the players got to work, and here a word might be said about starting the game on time. St. Peter's won the toss and took the field. No score was made in this inning. The St. John's, after getting two men on bases, were retired, while the St. Peter's were put out in one, two, three order, not a man gaining second base. The second inning was a repetition of the first. The St. John's got only two men on bases, while the first three men up for St. Peter's fell victims to Howe's descriptive curves. In the third inning H. Thomas walked on a dead ball. On a series of one base hits he was passed to third and came in on a hit by T. Howe. The St. Peter's again failed to connect with Howe's puzzles and their first three men up quickly retired. This gave Howe six strike outs in two innings, and no hits. In the fourth inning the St. John's got two men on bases, but could do nothing more. Howe up to this had pitched a star game, but St. Peter's here found him some heavy hitting. Their ability to hit the ball and hit it in the right direction, coupled with an error on the part of

SHRUBB TOO FAST FOR ST. YVES AGAIN

The Speedy English Runner Won the Twenty Mile Race at Montreal Last Night in Fast Time—St. Yves Beaten Half a Mile.

Montreal, May 26.—Alfred Shrub, the speedy little Englishman, defeated his sturdy French rival, St. Yves, in a twenty-mile race tonight by one and a half laps or almost half a mile.

Shrub took the lead at the very outset and kept the Union Jack in the lead despite the desperate efforts of St. Yves to carry the tri-color to the front. The race was run on a grass track, which was specially made for the purpose inside the M. A. A. cinder track. This favored Shrub's lame leg and enabled him to run one of the best races in his long career. There was a great deal of curiosity to see St. Yves and a large French audience turned out to cheer him. He is a sturdy, stocky little chap and runs with a mincing choppy gait which seems labored and forced. It is in striking contrast to the easy natural stride of Shrub. Owing to his short stride and ambling gait he is unfitted for speed but has all kinds of endurance. He finished as strong as when he started and during the entire twenty miles he never varied either his style of running nor his speed except once in the eighth mile when he spurted and cut down Shrub's lead of thirty yards. Shrub ran one of the best races of his life and finished with a spurt that brought the vast crowd to its feet. From the fifth mile on he smashed every record made in his previous races with St. Yves and Longboat, doing ten miles in 53 minutes 11 seconds, and fifteen in 1 hour 28 minutes and 25 seconds. At the crack of the pistol Shrub jumped into the lead and gained fifty yards at the end of the first lap. At the end of the first mile or three and a fifth lap Shrub was a quarter of a lap ahead of St. Yves. From this on he gradually lengthened the distance between himself and the Frenchman. From this on for a couple of laps they ran together and then Shrub again took the pole position and gradually widened the distance between them. When he had a lead of thirty yards St. Yves made a spurt and caught the

WITH THE BOWLERS

Accountants Win the Commercial League—The Standing

The final game in the Commercial Bowling League was played on Black's alleys last evening. The Insurance team defeated the Clerks by a score of 2117 to 1145, winning all four points. This finishes the league, with the exception of one game for the consolation prize between the two McAvity teams. This will probably take place on Friday evening, May 28, when the league prize will be formally presented. The standing of the league is as follows:

Team	W.	L.	P.C.
Dunlop Rubber Co.	26	17	62%
Brokers	21	21	50%
Clerks	20	22	48%
Insurance	20	22	48%
S. Hayward Co.	20	22	48%
O. H. Warwick	20	22	48%
J. M. Humphrey	20	22	48%
Ames Holden Co.	19	23	45%
Canadian Rubber Co.	18	24	43%
McAvity, zigzag street	12	40	23%
McAvity, Forestry	12	40	23%

The Accountants win the first prize and the Dunlop Rubber Co. win the cup offered for the best commercial team. The prize for the best general average and for the best single string fall to G. Lanney.

PAPKE AND KETCHEL

San Francisco, May 21.—Billy Papke has agreed to all of Jimmy Coffron's terms for a bout with Stanley Ketchel and thinks that the battle will be fought at the Colma Arena July 30th. Although Ketchel is still training for his contest with Hyland, the battler has shown no signs of changing his plans about delaying his match with Papke, laid out for July 31st. As a result, the Papke-Ketchel go may be substituted on the latter date.

NEWS AND VIEWS OF SPORT

Horsemen are pretty well agreed that the winner of the King's Plate, to be run on the opening day of the Ontario Jockey Club's Spring meeting, will be furnished by the Seagram, Valley Farm or Lynest Stables. Add there is good reason for the belief that the winner will be seen under the colors of one of these stables. To name the winner, however, is a most difficult task, and very few horsemen will venture to express a decided opinion. But, if the race was to be run tomorrow, there is scarcely any doubt the majority of horsemen would select Shimonose, the Valley Farm candidate to do the trick. Shimonose would certainly have a decided advantage over most of her field, as she was seasoned by her races in the King's Plate and Breeders' Stake. The race, however, is not to be run for some days yet, and the Seagram and Lynest Platers may, if the weather continues fine, be gotten thoroughly fit for the long journey of one and one-quarter miles. Should this be the case, the race looks to be an open one. Catcher Frank Bowman says catchers are slowed up by the constant crouching behind the bat. Then it must be that King, Bresnahan, Clarke, Street, Kleinow, Bergen, and a few other who might be mentioned do not crouch. Alfred Shrub, and William Sherring of Hamilton, Canada's first Marathon hero, has been matched to run fifteen miles at Buffalo on May 29th. Jack Taylor, the pitcher, formerly with the Chicago and St. Louis clubs, has been released by the Columbus club of the American Association. Pitcher Carl Lundgren arrived in Toronto on Wednesday and witnessed the latter part of the ball game. He says he is in good shape. He will work out with the team and will be in uniform. Everything has been satisfactorily arranged with him. He may be used any day now. "Nothing that Jack Johnson can do in or out of the ring makes the slightest difference to me," said James J. Jeffries, when he heard the result of the O'Brien-Johnson fight tonight. "I will be ready to talk fight to Johnson when I have finished my present engagement some time in July. The result of the fight is no surprise to me, although I expected Johnson would do better. Johnson, with his superior height and weight, should be able to make a better showing than he did." Joe Corbett, pitching for San Francisco against Los Angeles recently, held his opponents to six hits and one run, and struck out six of the opposing batsmen. Joe is still in the game, evidently. A London cable says—it is announced that at a meeting of the Jockey Club Ted Sloan's application for a renewal of his riding license was rejected. In addition to refusing a license to Sloan, the Jockey Club issued a letter to the clerks of the courses directing them to refuse Sloan admission to any reserved enclosure or stand within their jurisdiction. Phil Brock is at Mike Devanney's training camp at Norfolk putting on the final touches to his training for the match with Freddie Welsh at the Army of A. A. Boston, Tuesday night. Brock is the singularly consistent winner. The Army of A. A. seems to have a knack of toppling over favorites," writes Brock. "Welsh will probably be the favorite, and I hope he is, for that will give me even greater incentive to win." Welsh will reach here Saturday and will finish training at the clubhouse. There will be no hitch over the weight in the coming contest. Paul Accose, the Grenfell Indian, who has outclassed all the Western runners, and who beat Fred Appleby at the latter's world championship distance, fifteen miles, at Winnipeg Monday night, has been signed by the promoters of the St. Yves-March-Salon race to meet the winner next month. The winner of the Montreal professional Marathon will also be invited to start against Accose in this race. The big three-cornered event at Hanlan's Point, Toronto, Saturday night will be started at 8.45 and most of the one hundred electric arc lights have already been installed around the track. St. Yves is being honored by thousands of French admirers in Montreal. The tricolor's last representative will have to be in great condition to win from Sellen and Marsh in Toronto Saturday night. By winning the twenty mile race, Shrub will be superior to the little chap from France. St. Yves was undoubtedly fresher at the close but had not the necessary speed. He ran well but Shrub was too fast for him. Compared to the time of the St. Yves-Shrub fifteen mile race in New York, tonight's time surpassed it in every respect.

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Notice To Times Advertisers

On Saturday, May 22, we will issue at 12 o'clock noon. In order to ensure prompt service advertisers should have their copy at the Times office not later than 5 o'clock FRIDAY P. M.

THIS EVENING

Moving pictures and illustrated songs at the Nickel. Illustrated songs and moving pictures at the Star, North End. Canadian Brotherhood of Railway Employees hold their monthly meeting in Forsters' Hall at 8 o'clock.

LATE LOCALS

On Monday, Victoria Day, the Evening Times will not be published. Tomorrow the Times will publish at noon. Steamship Manchester Commerce, Captain Couch, sailed today from this port for Manchester with a general cargo.

On June 2nd the St. Joseph's Dramatic Club will present their play, which was so successful on St. Patrick's Day last, entitled "The Shamrock and the Rose."

There will be a meeting of No. 8 Field Ambulance for the evening in their armory. A lecture will be delivered by Lieut. Bishop on "Nursing Fevers." The meeting begins at 8 o'clock.

Harry Stubbs, who for some time past has been teller in the North End branch of the Royal Bank, leaves this evening for Sydney, to which place he has been transferred. Hoy Hastings takes his place in the bank here.

Furness steamship Langdale, Captain Thomas Dunstan, arrived in port this morning from London via Halifax, with a large general cargo. This is the first trip here of the Langdale since she was purchased by the Furness Company. She is a fine looking vessel, with good accommodations for passengers, and large capacity for the general freight business.

PROBATE COURT

Estate of John Clark, late of the Parish of Lancaster, lumber merchant. Petition of James Alfred Clark and William Walker Clark, sons and surviving executors to pass the accounts of the estate for the past twenty-one years, and for order for distribution in accordance with the terms of the will. Citation issued returnable Monday, 21st June next at 11 a. m. J. B. M. Baxter, K. C., proctor.

MONTREAL STOCKS

Montreal, Que., May 24 (Special)—In some cases stocks show an easier tendency and in other cases the market exhibits marked strength. The most active features today were Rubber 89 pfd, 119 to 118 3/4; Dominion Steel, 35 1/2; Detroit, 38; Textile 88; Quebec Railway, 52 1/4; Dominion Coal, 67 3/4; Penman's 54 1/2; Pacific 179 7/8; Scotia 63 1/2; Power 122; Montreal Street Railway 211; Crown Reserve, 311; Ogilvie 124.

PERSONALS

B. B. Law, M. P., of Yarmouth, was in the city yesterday and went across the bay this morning. Mrs. W. A. McGinley left this morning to spend the holiday with her son, Harris A. McGinley, of the I. C. R., Moncton. Truman K. Gerbell left this morning via a train to Halifax.

EMPIRE DAY

It Was Observed in the St John Schools This Afternoon—Some Programmes

Today was observed in the city schools as Empire day. The regular work of the classes was put through in one session and in all the schools the afternoon was taken up with loyal and patriotic exercises relating to the history of the British Empire and its possessions. The exercises in the Aberdeen school commenced at 2 o'clock. After an address by the principal, Wm. McLean, the following programme was carried out: Song, My Own Canadian Home, by the children; recitation, King's Soldiers, seven boys and seven girls of grade I; recitation, The Flag, Claude Pinney; recitation, Our Flag, eight boys grade III; song Land of Hope and Joy, by the children; essay on the British Empire, McKenzie, grade VII; recitation, Long May It Wave, a boy of grade V; flag drill, by girls of grades VI, VII and VIII; song, Four-leaved Clover, by the children. The programme will conclude with an address by Dr. A. W. MacIsaac, as the emcee.

In the High School the following programme has been prepared: High School Orchestra. Recitation—Leslie Creighton, Grade X. Chorus—"Robert Clive," Hazel Holder, Grade XII. Recitation—Vega Gronlund, Grade X. Recitation—"Patriotism," Edna Everett, Grade XI. Song—Frank Smith, Grade XII. Essay—"Expansion of England," William Walsh, Grade XI. High School Orchestra.

In the Alexandra school there was a programme of a patriotic nature in honor of Empire Day, consisting of recitations, songs and drills. Rev. Mr. Purdie addressed the scholars on the British Empire.

In the Dufferin school there was a short programme by the scholars and Rev. Neil McLaughlin spoke on "Canada's Place in the Empire."

Empire day was fittingly observed in the Albert school. This morning the extent and resources of the empire were shown to the pupils by their teachers. In the afternoon the pupils retired to the large assembly hall, which was decorated with flags, inspiring the patriotism of both pupils and visitors. A fitting programme was rendered, consisting of the following numbers: Chorus—The Maple Leaf. Recitation—The Native Born, Francis Lavoie. Recitation—Children of the Empire, Bessie Heine. Recitation and Chorus—New Brunswick I Love Thee, Grade III, Girls. Recitation—The Flag of England, Willard Gardner. Address—Rev. J. Heaney. Chorus—There's No Land Like Ours. Recitation—Canada To England, Kathleen Fitzpatrick. Recitation—Lily of the Snows, Jessie Jamieson. Chorus—Rule Britannia. Rings—The Greatness of Our Heritage, Laura Carleton. Address—Rev. H. R. Reid. Solo—The Veteran's Song, W. T. Lanyon. Recitation—The St. John, Alice Silliphant. Chorus—Hail Canada, Beloved Land. Recitation—Made in Canada, Angie Roxborough. Recitation—England, Mother, England, Mamie Young. Recitation—Canadians, Awake, Donald Fraser. Chorus—Cheer, Boys, Cheer. Address—Rev. W. H. Sampson. Recitation—Recessional, Sadie Greig. Chorus—O Canada. Recitation—Men of the Northern Zone, Howard Jamieson.

In other city schools there were patriotic exercises in the various rooms and the teachers spoke to the pupils on subjects pertaining to the occasion.

PLANNING FOR RACE HERE St. John May See Some of the Big Long Distance Men This Summer. Joe Page of Montreal, is trying to make arrangements for a professional Marathon race here in August next. He said today it was not possible to set a most here before that time, as all the leading runners had bookings up to the latter part of July. He has been negotiating for the Every Day Club grounds for the event. St. John Marathon enthusiasts may have an opportunity of witnessing St. Yves, Shirubly, Longloot, Doran, Hays, Svanberg, Haloney and others in action.

If it cannot be arranged to have all these runners, Mr. Page is hopeful of having at least four of the best of them here. The distance has not yet been decided upon, but in all probability it would not be less than fifteen miles.

MONDAY'S SPORTS

Great Interest Taken in Victoria Day Games on the Every Day Club Grounds.

Great interest is manifested in the ball games and sports on the Every Day Club grounds next Monday. It will be the opening of the ball season in these fine grounds with their new grand stand, and also the opening of the outdoor season of amateur athletic sports, which the club has so successfully revived in St. John. The club's band will be in attendance in the afternoon. The work of getting the grounds in fine shape is being carried on by members of the club, who do the work voluntarily for the good of the club. The Marathons will have a very strong line up for Monday's game, and their opponents will also bring a strong team, so that two great games of baseball may be looked for. Samuel Harris of Harris-Harkins & Co., big cigar manufacturers of Montreal, is at the Victoria Hotel.

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