

CABINET HAS DECIDED TO RENEW PACT

Fishing Difficulties Over With Newfoundland's Expressed Readiness Of Entering Into Modus Vivendi—Will Become Operative October 1.

ENTIRE QUESTION TO COME BEFORE HAGUE.

St. John's Nfld., August 13.—The Colonial Cabinet has agreed to a renewal of the modus vivendi between Great Britain and the United States regarding the herring fishery.

BERESFORD EXONERATED BY BOARD

Famous British Admiral In Role Of Critic Excused By Sub Committee Of Naval Council.

IS HELD TO BLAME FOR LACK OF CO-OPERATION.

London, Aug. 13.—The Imperial Defence Committee's subcommittee which was appointed to investigate the recent criticisms made by Admiral Lord Beresford of the state of the navy has issued its report, which is signed by Premier Asquith, the Earl of Crowe, Secretary of Colonies; Viscount Morley, Secretary for India; Sir Edward Grey, Secretary for Foreign Affairs, and Richard Burden Haldane, Secretary for War.

PROF. GOLDWIN SMITH ATTAINS 86TH YEAR

Distinguished Journalist, Philanthropist And Man Of Letters Celebrates Birthday—Is In Remarkably Good Health.

LEWISTON HAS \$45,000 FIRE

Lewiston, Me., Aug. 13.—The stock and fixtures of the Novelty Cloak Store, John T. McCarthy, proprietor, located in the Sands building on Lisbon street, were totally destroyed by a fire which broke out shortly after six o'clock this evening.

Daring Aviator In Another Accident

Baddeck 1 Partly Wrecked as Result of Trial Spin at Petewawa Yesterday-- Engine Placed Too Far Back Brings Ship to Ground-- Happily Aeronaut is Uninjured -- Broken Parts to be Duplicated and Trials Resumed.

Special To The Standard. Petewawa Camp, Aug. 13.—Another setback has been given the plans of Messrs. McCurdy and Baldwin, the young aviators who have been making ready Baddeck 1 aerodrome for test flights here during the past few weeks.

The reason given by the aviators for the accident is that the engine was placed too far to the rear of the machine, making her too heavy behind.

Although naturally a little downhearted at the accident to Baddeck 1, Baldwin and McCurdy are by no means undaunted.

SIR JOHN JACKSON VISITING CANADA

Noted English Engineer To Tour Country—Has Just Completed Construction Of Trans-Andes Railway.

Special To The Standard. Montreal, Que., August 13.—Sir John Jackson, one of the greatest of England's railway and public works engineers, arrived yesterday in Montreal today on his way to England from South America.

Sir John Jackson has just completed the construction of the railway across the continent of South America, which is the highest in the world, reaching an elevation of 13,000 feet.

AUSTRALIA MAKES PLANS FOR DEFENCE

£1,575,000 Provided For In Estimates To Be Used For Construction Of Dreadnoughts—The Defence Congress.

Special To The Standard. London, August 13.—There is very little to add to the previous cables respecting the Imperial defence conference, the final meeting of which will probably be held on Tuesday.

BROWN-FRASER NUPTIALS CELEBRATED YESTERDAY

Special To The Standard. Annapolis Royal, Aug. 13.—A quiet home wedding took place here today at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Alex A. Fleming Dean, when their cousin, Miss Annie Fraser was united in marriage to John Brown.

The bride looked charming in a dress of white silk lawn with trimmings of lace and insertion and wearing the conventional veil and orange blossoms.

MANY MEN RETURNING TO MINES

Dominion Coal Company Having Little Difficulty In Renewing Complement—Only 600 Short Now.

PRESENCE OF MILITIA PROVING EFFECTIVE.

Daily Output Well Up To Normal and General Belief Now Is That Strike Is Broken.

Special To The Standard. Glace Bay, Aug. 13.—In answer to a question this morning the Dominion Coal Company stated that they were now only some 500 or 600 men short of their full complement of miners.

The number at work is being daily added to, not only by men coming in from outside points, but from the ranks of the strikers. All the way from Cobalt and the western coal districts workmen are finding their way back to Glace Bay and many of them are old hands, so that the proportion of unskilled labor in the pits is not so large as is generally understood.

Despite some minor instances the presence of the militia is proving effective in maintaining peace.

YESTERDAY'S OUTPUT.

The estimated output of the Dominion Coal Company for today, exclusive of the banking stations at No. 2 colliery, the figures for which were not available up to midnight, was: From the pits, 8,533 tons; from banks at No. 8 and No. 12 colliery, 1,925 tons; the total output approximately was 10,378 tons; the reduced output as compared with the day previous is due to the fact that today is pay-day, and most of the men got away from work on Grand Narrows today and went to work in the mines.

MOUNTAINOUS WAVE BOARDS SMALL VESSEL

Fishing Schooner Cleared Of Gear When Huge Wave Sweeps Deck During Gale—Sailor Has Leg Broken.

Special To The Standard. Canso, N. S., Aug. 13.—The Lunenburg schooner Boatrice Mack, Capt. Coram, arrived here early today, seeking medical aid, for one of her crew, George Meisner, who on Wednesday last, had one of his legs broken.

The accident is a result of the gale which struck the vessel on Wednesday morning. The Boatrice Mack has a full fare of fifteen or sixteen hundred quintals and was ready for home, when the gale struck. Everything was snatched up, and on Wednesday morning, the schooner was running under single reefed foresail, and although the seas were mounting high, and the vessel was being buffeted with terrific force, she broke the lashings of the dories, and overturned the nest, and striking Meisner, threw him into the deck, breaking his leg near the hip.

CUSTOMS OFFICIALS TO TEST TARIFF ACT

Job Printers Who Have Avoided Duty By Entering Imported Presses As Newspaper Presses May Be Brought To Book.

Special To The Standard. Windsor, Ont., Aug. 13.—The customs officials here will make a test case of seizing a press at the office of the Citizen Printing Company, in an attempt to collect duty from the firm which made the sale.

The Myrtle has on board a cargo of 92 tons of coal, which will also be sold. The fate of her crew still remains a mystery, and the hope is still held that Capt. Hiscock, and his crew of four men, have been rescued by a passing vessel.

Mannalie In Jail Plans Own Defence

Alleged Murderer of Laguy Scheming to Combat Evidence That Will be Adduced Against Him -- Rumors of a Confession Unfounded-- Letters of Laguy Point to His Having Been a Man of Refinement.

Special To The Standard. Woodstock, Aug. 13.—The absence of witnesses in the hearing of Sandy Mannalie under arrest for the murder of Nichol Laguy, at Beechwood, on Sunday last, before stipendiary Magistrate Holyoke, caused the hearing to go over until Wednesday next.

From appearances at least the deceased was accustomed to refinement. These letters are considered as bearing out the impression that it was Laguy's popularity among English girls that led to the quarrel.

At noon Sheriff Tompkins left for Beechwood to summon his witnesses and to collect additional evidence against the prisoner.

A rumor that originated this morning that Mannalie had confessed to the shooting could not be confirmed. At different times when brooding over the tragedy he was heard to mutter, "it's too bad," accompanied by a deep sigh. A young man of refined appearance for a foreigner, he seems to feel his position keenly.

PRESENCE OF TROOPS HAS GOOD EFFECT

No More Trouble Anticipated At Fort William—Authorities To Vigorously Prosecute Perpetrators Of Outrage.

Special To The Standard. Montreal, Aug. 13.—News from Fort William, Ont., the scene of yesterday's turbulent labor troubles, is scarce today. At C. P. R. headquarters it was said that all news coming through was of an encouraging nature and there had been no renewal of the rioting.

The presence of troops in the town has had a quieting effect upon the strikers. No further bloodshed is looked for, and the authorities will proceed vigorously to prosecute the perpetrators of yesterday's outrage as soon as apprehended.

NO TRACE AS YET FOUND OF MYRTLE'S CREW

Hope Still Held Out That Men Have Been Picked Up By Passing Ship—Consort Returns To Port—Wrecked Schooner To Be Sold At Auction.

Special To The Standard. Sydney, August 13.—A Survey was held today on the schooner Myrtle, ashore at Langan, by Joseph Salter, representing the owners and underwriters, and Capt. Norseworthy, of the schooner Francis Robert and Capt. Bennett of the schooner Orleans.

The surveyors found the vessel badly damaged. There is a hole in her bottom due to her pounding on the boulders on which she lies, and she is badly strained and twisted. Her sails were completely torn away in the gale, and nothing remains but the spars and rigging.

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EVIDENCE IN KAY INQUIRY IS NOW ALL IN

Adjournment Reached Yesterday—Court Convenes Again On Friday Next When Address Of Counsel Will Be Delivered.

CHIEF OF POLICE ON STAND YESTERDAY.

Special To The Standard. Moncton, Aug. 13.—The Kay Inquiry was concluded this afternoon and adjournment made until next Friday, when counsel will sum up. Chief of Police Rideout was the only new witness this afternoon. His evidence was unimportant.

Renewal fees was the principal topic at the morning session. Magistrate Kay had another long session on the stand under cross-examination by Mr. Fowler, entering on his third day's sittings of the inquiry, which has been in progress since Monday. Mr. Fowler went exhaustively into the mode of making up the monthly statement by the magistrate, who reported his assertion of yesterday that he thought he was paying these returns into the city treasury and laid the blame upon the loose system prevailing if they had not been paid over.

Mr. Fowler concluding his cross-examination, Mr. Chandler proceeded with the re-examination.

DEATH OF N. D. HOOPER AT PORTLAND

Well Known New Brunswick Man Passes Away After Short Illness—Was One Time Connected With Local Firm.

Special To The Standard. Fredericton, Aug. 13.—Alderman W. S. Hooper, who returned this evening from St. John, where he was elected grand master of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, received word tonight of the sudden death at his home at Portland, Me., of his brother, Mr. N. D. Hooper. Particulars of the sad event have not been in the best of health for some time work of his death came as a great shock to his brother and other relatives and friends.

The late Mr. Hooper, who was 81-ty-seven years old, was a son of the late N. S. Hooper and was a native of this city. Some years ago he was a member of the wholesale grocery firm of Whittier and Hooper, who did business here. Later he removed to St. John, where he was connected with the firm of George S. DeForest and Sons, afterwards becoming a commercial traveller and residing at Hampton. Six years ago he removed to Portland, representing a firm in that city on the road up to the time of his death.

MYSTERY SURROUNDS ITINERARY OF KINRADES

Movements Of Notorious Family Bothers Hamiltonians—Lawyers Know Nothing Sensational Rumors Afloat Cannot Be Verified.

Special To The Standard. Hamilton, Aug. 13.—The question that is exciting people just now is where are the Kinrades? Mr. Kinrade has definitely severed his connection with his school, by not applying for reinstatement in regular way. Attempts at securing information as to his, Mrs. Kinrade, Mr. Kinrade's eldest son, refuses to say where they are, while Mr. Hobson, the family lawyer, stated this morning that he had not the faintest idea as to their whereabouts. All kinds of sensational rumors are extant as to where they have gone, but none of these can be verified.

HOLINESS ASSOCIATION IS IN SESSION NOW.

Old Orchard, Me., Aug. 13.—The sixth annual meeting of the National Holiness Association began here tonight at the camp grounds and will continue until August 22. In the absence of the president of the association, Rev. C. J. Fowler, who is not expected to arrive until next Tuesday, the meeting tonight was in charge of Rev. C. W. Ruth, of Indianapolis, Ind.

BODY OF ZENEAS LIBBEY FOUND IN MAINE STREAM

Barnor, Aug. 13.—The body of Zeneas Libbey, of this city was found in the Kennebec stream this afternoon. It is supposed that Libbey accidentally fell over board Thursday night. He was 50 years old and is survived by his wife and three children.

GIRL SAVED FROM DEATH BY SISTER

Norma Pelton, Aged 11, Hero Of Mishap—Fatality Narrowly Averted By Little Girl's Presence Of Mind.

Special To The Standard. Morrisburg, Aug. 13.—While some little girls were bathing in the St. Lawrence river near Point Iroquois, one of the number Beryl Pelton, daughter of the editor of the St. Lawrence News, of this place, stepped into a deep hole with a treacherous undercurrent. She was swept off her feet in a moment and was being carried out into the main current when her young sister Norma, only 11 years of age, standing on the bank, saw her danger. Without hesitation she rushed into the river with her clothes and shoes on, succeeded in reaching her older sister and with difficulty pulled her into shallow water, thus saving her life.

SUTTON INQUIRY ATTRACTS MANY

Largest Attendance Of Trial Present Yesterday When Counsel For Mrs. Sutton Summed Up.

Annapolis, Md., Aug. 13.—The largest audience that has attended a session thus far was present this morning at the beginning of the last day of the open sessions of the court of inquiry investigating the death on Oct. 31, 1907, of Lieut. James N. Sutton, Jr., U. S. M. C. The attention the summing up by Henry M. Davie, counsel for Mrs. Sutton, and by A. E. Birney, counsel for Lieut. Adams and possibly something from Major Henry Leonard, judge advocate, Mr. Davie's argument did lead the judge advocate to speak, though briefly, and what he said was not in the nature of argument touching the case.

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MRS. ANNIE BESANT NOTED THEOSOPHIST RETURNED FROM INDIA, TELLS OF TRIP

The Plaint of a Rumpled Spook -- He Dotes on Omnibuses But Keep Getting Sat Upon.

Popped Into Mrs. Besant's Vision and Asked Her to Help Him -- Priestess Sees New Light of the World.

Mrs. Annie Besant, president of the Theosophical Society, in a gown of pearl gray, the spook color recognized by those who talk with ghosts, has arrived in America.



MRS. ANNA BESANT, IN HER ROBE AS HIGH PRIESTESS OF THEOSOPHISTS.

Met One In London. "I expect you may," the priestess said with a confident smile. "I met one in a casual sort of way in London before I left. He was rather abrupt, which indicated that he had not been long on the other side."

Ghost a Deadbeat. "Although the ghost had not paid his fare, being a mere deadhead, so to speak, he has been a great comfort when you have had yourself comforted."

CANADIAN ALPINE CLUB BATTLE WITH ROCKIES

Enthusiastic Climbers to the Number of 250 Under Canvas in Mountains -- Distinguished English Climbers Present, Among Them Being A. L. Mumm, Famous for His Conquest of the Himalayas.

Calgary, Aug. 11.—Mr. John Kay, Mr. John Watt, and Mrs. F. M. Nicholson of Toronto are climbing in the Rockies with the Alpine Club. The meet opened on August 2nd, and has continued for a week.

Titusville, Aug. 10.—During the two weeks of exceptionally fine weather the haying was pushed rapidly forward and the owners of well-farmed land are spending their vacation here.

The annual meeting was held on August 4th. There are some 500 members. Amusing progress has been made on a sound basis. The chief feature of the year's activities has been the erection of the handsome Sulphur comfortable club house on Sulphur Mountain.

CROPS BEING GARNERED BY GIRLS IN WEST

Many of Them Earning Good Wages in Wheat Fields of North West -- Anxious to Learn.

DEMAND THE WAGES OF FARM LABORERS.

A Want Ad. That Kept An Agency Employment Working Over Time -- They Want a Trial.

Omaha, Neb., Aug. 12.—The small-grain harvest that is now being finished throughout southern and central Nebraska supplies convincing proof that the women of the West are rapidly crowding the men out of the fields of labor and are candidates for positions in all of the respectable vocations.

Her own observation convinced her that the forces were more electrical than anything else. She did not want in communication with her former teacher, who approved her pupil's methods. There would be a new leader, a great teacher born into the world.

Beatty & Johnson, West End, St. John accompanied by Miss Mabel Wiggins, visited Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Beatty this week.

STOCKHOLM STRIKERS RESORT TO VIOLENCE. Stockholm, Aug. 13.—For the first time since the commencement of the general strike in Stockholm, the strikers are attempting to damage property.

Word was passed down to Omaha that young women could have employment in the harvest fields of Gas County. An employment agency published this ad: Wanted—One hundred young women to work in the harvest fields. Wages \$3 per day. Board and washing.

THE NEXT DAY that employment agent did business. He was swamped with applicants, all young women, school teachers, stenographers, college girls who had been working in the harvest fields at \$4 to \$7 per week.

EDUCATIONAL Rothesay Collegiate School, Rothesay, N. B. Michaelmas Term begins TUESDAY, September 14th.

MOUNT ALLISON LADIES' COLLEGE, SACKVILLE, N. B. 56th year commencing September 9. Massey-Treble School of Household Science, Normal Course Certificate from Mount Allison accepted as qualification for teaching Household Science in New Brunswick Schools.

University of New Brunswick, Fredericton, N. B. Next Academic Year Begins September 30th. Fourteen College Scholarships of \$50 each, with an Asia Dow Scholarship of \$60 for first Class Male Teachers.

GHATHAM TO ADOPT AN INTERDICT LIST. As the Result of Recent Temperance Agitation Hotel Keepers are to Observe Instructions.

Acadia Ladies' Seminary, WOLFVILLE, N. S. What impressed the writer was the admirable system that prevailed in the management and in every department of work.

Acadia University, WOLFVILLE, N. S. The Next College Year will Begin October 8th, 1909. The Institution offers a course of four years, leading to the degree of Bachelor of Arts.

Horton Collegiate Academy, WOLFVILLE, N. S. Affiliated with Acadia University—A Residential School Re-opens Sept. 8, 1909.

HALIFAX LADIES' COLLEGE AND Conservatory of Music. Complete Academic Course leading to matriculation in Dalhousie and McGill without further examination.

REOPENS 15 SEPTEMBER. For information and Calendars apply to REV. ROBERT LAING, Halifax, N. S.

HOTEL DIEU DEEDS STREET TO TOWN. The Hotel Dieu Hospital and the Catholic Congregation have made all arrangements for presenting to the town a deed of 66 feet of land in width from Prince William street to the Chapel crossing for the extension of the new street which it is proposed to open up at the back of the town.

AUCTION SALES F. L. POTTS, Auctioneer, Broker and Appraiser. All kinds of sales attended to.

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FOR SALE. For Sale—A New Motor Boat, excellent sea boat, 24 ft. keel, 27 ft. over all, 7 ft. beam.

WANTED. Wanted—At the Provincial Hospital two male attendants. Apply to the Medical Superintendent.

LOST. Lost—A roll of money between King Street near Hermain and South West. Liberal reward if returned to The Standard Office.

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COOKED Pigs Feet Tongues Hams Sausages Mince Meat. JOHN HOPKINS, 188 Union St. Phone 133.

SIXTH ANNUAL BLUEBERRY PICNIC & FORESTERS' PICNIC AT WELSFORD. On SATURDAY August 21st. The picnic of the season. Come to the Barn Floor dance.

POOR JAKE comic strip. WHEN YOU GET YOUR WORK DONE COME HERE, I HAVE A JOB FOR YOU! MAYBE JAKE WOULD LIKE TO GO BER-RYING WITH US. YES, HE IS GOING, I HAVE ASKED HIM! OH! JAKE! COME ON! WE'RE READY!

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INSURANCE COMPANIES AS LIFE PRESERVERS.

Life insurance companies in the United States are moving in the matter of causing their policy holders to live longer. This is a patriotic proceeding, and it is also prudent and practical business. The larger part of the insurance taken is payable at death, under various plans and conditions. The interest of the company is to postpone as long as possible this day of settlement. Thus they save the interest on the amount to be paid to the beneficiaries, and in the case of insurance that has not been paid up, the company gains an additional annual premium for every year that is added to the average term of its policy holders' lives.

So far the movement has extended to the careful collection of statistics, and to the establishment by one company of a policy holder's health bureau. The inquiries show, among other things, a remarkable increase in the number of deaths of persons in the later prime of life from "diseases of the heart, arteries, kidneys, brain and nervous system, such as arterio sclerosis, Bright's disease, apoplexy, paralysis, paresis and diabetes." At the same time consumption and contagious diseases, as typhoid and diphtheria, grow less common, and less fatal. It is deemed possible to further reduce the number of deaths from tuberculosis and diseases easily communicated. Also it is hoped that by general instruction and general precautions, by special treatment under the best professional advice, the other class of diseases to which middle aged people are liable, may be made much less destructive. The question is raised how far insurance companies may offer professional advice free of charge, and may undertake professional treatment. There is no doubt that they may properly give council in the matter of hygiene and sanitation and that they may assist in the establishment of sanitariums. It is a question of policy whether and how far this should be undertaken.

A little consideration will show how important a thing it would be if an insurance company could by any system of health work, increase by one year only the average life of the persons holding its life policies. The insurance companies in Canada alone are paying something like \$10,000,000 a year in death claims, as distinguished from matured endowments and other settlements, and if one year in twenty could be added to the period for which these policies run, it would be worth on the face of it, \$500,000 a year to the companies. This is really within the mark, for if a \$1,000 life policy payment can be postponed for a year the company not only earns the interest (say 5%) on this amount, but in the case of most policies, gets another premium. Moreover the company gains by prolonging the life of the holder of the endowment term. The amount of payments mentioned does not give an adequate idea of the position because the number of persons insured has more than doubled in ten years, and more than quadrupled in twenty, so that during the next twenty or thirty years the death claims will also increase in geometrical progression. Thus we get some notion of the advantage to the companies of even a relatively small extension of human life.

If insurance workers had as much to gain personally by this increase of profits as they have by increase of business, we should see inspectors, agents and canvassers engaged in the effort of keeping the policy holders in the way of health. As it is they are paid to get new men into the company more than to keep the old ones in. That is a defect and a weakness in the insurance methods for which it is hard to find a remedy. But the policy of the companies as corporations must be to keep their patrons alive and paying as long as possible.

Thus, as already remarked, the interest of the corporation is in accord with the highest patriotism, and bona motives should make all insurance men apostles of wholesome living, protectors of the public health, promoters, friends and visitors of the sick, and mourners for the dead.

One would not like to deal with the converse principle and suggest that corporations and public bodies which gain by the death of their patrons would be tempted to take means to aid the shortening of human life. But, as a matter of fact, the company which sells annuities at death loses where the life insurance company gains. It is to the disadvantage of the Government annuity funds that a man should live long after the beginning of the annuity period. But whatever might be the interest of Sir Richard Cartwright in his capacity as administrator for the old age annuity department, his larger interest would be that of a citizen desiring the prolonged well-being of his fellows, and of a minister deriving his just powers from the consent of the governed whom he would wish to see remain alive.

PROGRESS AND PROSPECTS IN MIDDLE AFRICA.

President Roosevelt took occasion the other day to praise British rule in East Africa. He spoke particularly of the Uganda Railway and of the progress made everywhere under British public and private management. Of course the former President would present things in their best light. He was the guest of British hospitality at every stage. He did not remain long enough in one place or have sufficient opportunity for independent inquiry to be able to hear adverse criticism or see much to condemn, or get any strictly private information.

But another American who has had larger opportunities gives interesting information to the missionary congress at Northfield. This was Rev. Thomas Moody, one of the pioneer missionaries of Equatorial Africa. He has been through all the Soudan. He knows Nigeria, and is able to compare the British sphere of influence with that of other nations. Mr. Moody is thus reported:—"The prophecy made 3000 years ago that Ethiopia should 'stretch out her hands in supplication' is now

being fulfilled. People often forget the size of Africa. It is three times as large as our country, has five different races—they are not all Negroes, and a population equal to that of North and South America. My field in equatorial Africa is as large as this country; it took Livingstone 999 days to cross it. There are three parts to the Soudan—the Egyptian, where Gordon died a martyr, with thirty-five missionaries for 3,000,000 souls; the French, without one missionary of any sect; and the English, near the Niger River, four times the size of New England, with 20,000,000 waiting literally with open arms for the gospel. Here is our opportunity. It has only been opened to us during the past ten years, since the British Government took it from the hands of the Nigeria Company. For five months I tramped through it, and I have never seen such a wonderful country in all Africa. The people are civilized, they are not your idea of heathen. There are cities there with street cars and railroads, and there in the heart of southern Nigeria, in the 'dark continent,' I rode for the first time in an automobile! Those races were civilized when we were savages; they are the 'greatest traders in the world; they make their own shoes, clothes, everything; if they look to us for is 'the gospel. For such a parish, for such need, there are 'forty or fifty missionaries, with eight of the fourteen 'States without any, with no missionary from a large department in America in that country. And the black 'part of the outlook is that Mohammedans are coming 'there in swarms, they are fast getting converts, and the 'next five years will decide whether the Soudan is to 'be won for Christ or for Mahomet."

OUR OWN PROVINCE.

New Brunswick owes much to Scotland. That kingdom in other days contributed some of its best stock to the building up of this province in commerce, agriculture and manufacture, as well as in intellectual advancement. It is just to say that the province has paid the debt in her own way, by giving to these North Britons about the best she had in wealth and influence. The Scot made no mistake in coming here. He is not accustomed to make mistakes of that kind.

Therefore it is satisfactory to note even the small beginning of a new movement from Scotland in our direction. Mr. Wilmut, the provincial immigration officer, is making some headway in interesting farmers and farm laborers of Scotland in this country. A number of families and a larger number of single men have arrived to find employment waiting for them. The agent in communication with many others, including men who have been working rented farms and are anxious to have a property of their own. A few of this class have come already, and are working for New Brunswick farmers, until they become better acquainted with the local conditions. Every family arriving here and adding the prospects good, is an immigration agency, and therefore the arrival of even a few farmers may be a matter of considerable importance.

The Scottish American Journal of August 4, published in New York, but having a wide circulation in Scotland, contains an article entitled "The New Home Land." It deals especially with the province of New Brunswick and particularly with the St. John valley, pointing out the splendid opportunities which this region affords to the farmer from the Old Country. The Canadian Pacific Railway Company, mindful of the fact that it is an Eastern as well as a Western enterprise, has published some persuasive literature for the purpose of interesting the people of the British Islands in a part of Canada suitable to their needs and experience. More of this must be done. New Brunswick has been too modest in the past in presenting her claims and advantages. We, in the East, have acquiesced too meekly in our ennoblement by the more spectacular features of the Great West.

AN ASPIRING NOBLEMAN.

The Duke of Abruzzi is no effete actor of nobility. He is a vigorous representative in some respects at least of the typical aristocracy in the derivative sense of the word. He is a man of thirty-six, a near relative of the King of Italy, who has made some reputation as a hunter and sportsman, as a scientific explorer, and as a man of letters. His principal descent to the sphere of the European noble of the social column in the press was when he almost married a Pittsburg heiress. He remains free from that offence and has found his excitement in other less dangerous pastimes. Thirteen years ago he ascended Mount St. Elias, as a sequel to Alpine operations of a notable character. Four years later, when twenty-seven years old, he organized an Arctic expedition, and got nearer the North Pole than any explorer ever reached before him. After that he started to make new records in mountain climbing and three years ago he ascended several peaks that had never been scaled before. Now comes the announcement that he has reached the top of the second highest Himalayan peak, the highest known summit in the world but Mount Everest. It would be a pity if a duke, who can do such things, and who in all his enterprises keeps in view the scientific aspect of his works, should throw himself away on an heiress.

THE FINANCIAL CONSEQUENCES.

Mr. Asquith's Government will, in the next election, miss financial support from some of the largest Liberal contributors of times past. Among those mentioned are Lord Joicey, a great coal owner and landed proprietor. It is said that his annual subscription to the Liberal party funds is about \$100,000. He has withdrawn his support because of the new taxes. It is further reported that Sir Christopher Furness, the ship builder, Furness Line, has ceased to take a financial interest in the welfare of his party, which is also a great loss. It may be assumed that he will not assist the revolutionists. In short the suggestion is that the party is experiencing some such straightened circumstances as befell when the Liberal Unionists seceded in 1885 and 1886.

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Thaw is compelled to be consistently and perpetually insane. He cannot be allowed to have temporary brainstorms. They are unsafe. He escaped conviction for murder by satisfying the court that he was crazy, and fair to ask whether the matter was of so much interest to the public as many newspapers thought. Do people care very much whether this man was insane all the time or only long enough to remove an enemy? What is there about Thaw or Evelyn Thaw to make either of them a great public character? They are not good enough to be admired, or bad enough to be celebrated villains, or sufficiently clever to startle the world. It will be found rather easy to forget them.

The Manitoba Government is accepting congratulations on floating the recent loan of \$1,020,000 of four per cents at par. This was not quite so good a sale as Mr. Flemming made for the province of New Brunswick, or the equally successful Ontario issue, but it is so close to these prices that the Manitoba people ought to be satisfied. It seems that they are well pleased. Eight brokers bid for the bonds, but the Bank of Commerce, acting evidently for clients, took the lot.

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PITHY PARAGRAPHS OF LOCAL INTEREST

Dissolved Partnership. Messrs. Clark and Adams, the West Side contractors, have mutually dissolved partnership, Mr. A. R. C. Clark will take over and continue the building of the Marsh Bridge abutment. Mr. J. A. Adams will resume business on his own account.

A Signalling School. It is rumored that a signalling school under the charge of Captain Lister will be organized in the city some time in October. The school will be conducted along lines similar to those followed in the infantry and artillery branches. The course of instruction will last about six weeks.

Undergoing Repairs. The James Holly, which sank last Saturday at Boat's Head, is on Hill-yard's blocks, where the hull is being repaired and the machinery overhauled. She will be in service in a few days.

New Building. A large wooden double-story building with a frontage of 68 feet is being erected near the corner of St. Patrick and Dalrymple streets, which when completed, will accommodate four families.

Miss Amour Returns Home. Miss Belle Amour, daughter of Rabbert Bernard Amour, returned yesterday from New York after a very successful course of study in singing, music and languages. She has been away from this city for about nine months and in that time her voice has greatly improved.

In the Police Court. In the police court yesterday James Richards reported for harboring a ferocious bulldog, was ordered to have the animal destroyed. Joseph David charged with stealing an overcoat from W. H. Bell, was remanded to jail. Mr. Bell identified several articles found on the prisoner. The case of Chas. F. Brown, charged by Policeman Nelson with refusing to move on a street after a conference at which Judge Ritchie was present.

On an Inspection Trip. Mr. C. O. Foss, resident engineer of the Transcontinental Railway in New Brunswick, who has been on a tour of inspection over the road, will be in Moncton tomorrow and will meet Commissioner McLaac. They will inspect the complete portion of the Corbett and Flossie contract, near Moncton.

On the River. Ninety passengers went up river on the Estabrook yesterday. River traffic has been heavy during the last few days. The majestic cargo was very large on Thursday and again yesterday. Blueberries formed a good proportion.

International Courtesies. After the morning session of the St. John River Waterways Commission yesterday, the Canadian Commissioners were the guests of the American Commissioners at the Royal Hotel.

Produce Prices. The following prices were quoted at the Indian town boats yesterday: Cabage, scarce, 50 to 60 cents per dozen by the barrel; potatoes, 70 to 75 cents per bushel; cucumbers, about 1.50 per barrel; very plentiful; raspberries, 12 to 13 cents per bushel; blueberries 70 to 80 cents per bushel; peas, about 80 cents per bushel; beans, 35 to 50 cents; beets, 50 to 60 cents per dozen by bunches.

DEBEC. Debec, Aug. 7.—The steam mill situated at Elmwood and owned by Billings & Flemming of that place, which has been running very steadily all spring and summer has suspended operations for a short time.

Miss Clara Turner, teacher of Domestic Science at Sussex, N. B., and Miss Winifred Turner, B. A., of California, Alberta spent a few days with their uncle, J. R. Kirkpatrick of this place.

There was a variety show held in the Forester's Hall Saturday evening, July 31. It was well attended. Mrs. Frederic R. Blair, wife of our Mr. P. R. agent has been seriously ill, but is progressing favorably under the medical skill of Dr. O'Donnell. Mrs. Emma Deakin, sister of Mrs. F. R. Blair is spending a few days at Debec. Robert Flemming, son of J. Y. Flemming of this place spent a few days with his parents. He finds that he will have to go to Boston to consult a specialist regarding one of his eyes, which is giving him considerable trouble at present.

Dr. Clarence Kirkpatrick of Grand Falls arrived at Debec in his new automobile August 1st, accompanied by his brother, Elder Kirkpatrick and Mr. Wheeler. While rounding a turn shortly after he left Grand Falls the automobile was overturned, rolling

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Vessels Bound to St. John.

Steamers. Pontiac, Manchester, July 29. Rappahannock, London, Aug. 11.

Dominion, Sydney, Aug. 12. Leuctra, at Manchester, July 24.

Barks. Robert Grafton, Galway, July 31.

Schooners. Georgia D Jenkins, Portsmouth, N. H., July 27.

Levuka, old Parraboro, Aug. 9. Priscilla, from Boston, Aug. 7.

Witch Hazel, old New York, Aug. 5. Sarah, 23, Saulnier. Calabria, old New York, Aug. 9.

Winnie Lawry, passed Vineyard Haven, Aug. 12.

Charters. Str. Marker, West Bay or St. John to W. C. E. 334 94; British str. 2094.

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The schr. Amelia, Wrayton, from

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The schr. C. W. Mills has been chartered to carry salt from Turku Island to north of Halifax.

The schr. Edna V. Pickles is about ready to sail from Liverpool for Havana with lumber.

The ship Kings County, which sailed recently from Hantsport for Buenos Ayres with lumber, commanded by Captain J. L. Walley, and the crew numbers 21, all of whom are foreigners.

The Italian bark Lambro recently loaded at Weymouth with lumber for Buenos Ayres, was known as the Strathisla, built at Matiland in 1890 by the late Alfred Putman.

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THE BOY WHO WEPT WHEN HE BECAME "KING OF KINGS"



Ahmed Mirza, Shahinshah, Eleven-Year-Old Boy Who Succeeded His Deposed Father as Shah of Persia.

Mohammed Ali Mirza, shah of Persia, who succeeded to the Peacock throne on the death of his father in January, 1907, was deposed on July 17. He was succeeded by Sultan Ahmed Mirza, who, although not the eldest son of the ex-shah, was the heir apparent, the mother of his elder brother not being a Kajar princess. The new shah who was proclaimed under the title of Sultan Ahmed, with Asad-Ul-Mulk, head of the Kajar tribe, as regent, is but seven years old. He wept bitterly when the moment came for him to leave his predecessor on the throne and his mother, and it reflected a stern message to the effect that crying was not allowed in the Russian legation before he dried his eyes. Then the little man came out bravely, entered a large carriage, and drove off alone. At Sulatanabad he was met by the regent and the deputations and ceremoniously notified of his high position and of the hopes entertained by the nation that he would prove to be a good ruler. "Inshallah, I will," replied the lad.

DESPONDENT INSPECTOR TEMPTS DEATH

L. C. Musgrave of North Sydney Unable to Stand Jibes of Temperance Party.

North Sydney, N. S., Aug. 13.—Despondent over continued and bitter criticism of his work as license inspector by a local paper, the temperance people and the liquor dealers, L. C. Musgrave last night attempted to end his life by shooting himself in the head. The rash deed was committed in his home after his family had retired, but the report of the shot started Mrs. Musgrave almost in the kitchen with the smoking revolver still in her hand. The bullet entered the forehead a little above the eye and forebrain of the victim. Mrs. Musgrave is still alive and conscious this morning, but it is thought he cannot recover.

Yarmouth, is at Lunenburg, loading.

The new schooner Hawana, Capt. Cook, arrived at Riverport yesterday from the Grand banks, with a full fare of fish.

The steamer St. Andrews is due at North Sydney from Philadelphia with seven thousand tons of coal for the Dominion Iron and Steel Company. This will be the third shipment of Pennsylvania coal since the beginning of the strike.

The three masted schooner Arthur W. White is loading coal at the Dominion Iron and Steel Company's wharf, North Sydney, for Labrador fish for Portual.

The schooner Valdaire, Capt. Johnson, sailed Tuesday from Bear River where after discharging and piling shipped by Clarke Bros.

Schr. Victoria, Conrad, is at Lunenburg loading for Trinidad.

MOUNTAIN DALE.

Mountain Dale, Aug. 12.—The farmers until the last few very wet days were getting along rapidly with their haying. Rain was very much needed here, but by the appearance of things today there was a sufficient amount fell for some time. The weather still seems unsettled and is very cold.

Much improvement is to be made on one of the roads in this place by the building of a new bridge. The present one has for a long time been unsafe for public use. The new one to be built of stone. There is also some grading to be done. Mr. A. L. Ganong of this place got the contract.

The public school house in this district has been very much improved in appearance by a good coat of paint.

Owing to the heavy rain last evening, Rev. J. MacLackie was unable to fill his appointment here.

Miss Daisy Ganong of St. John is spending her vacation with her mother, Mrs. Alice Ganong.

Miss Ethel Parlee and Idella Ganong are spending a week at the latter's sister, Mrs. George Hayes, Searsville.

Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Gregg, Sunday visited Mrs. Gregg's sister, Mrs. Northrup, Carsonville, whose daughter, Gladys is very ill.

DEATH OF W. RADFORD

His Demise Due to Heart Failure Says Coroner's Jury—Remains of Popular Traveller Sent to Montreal.

Fredericton, Aug. 13.—Coroner Weaver this morning held an inquest into the death of Mr. Walter Radford, the well-known traveller for Tooke Bros., Montreal. The inquest established the fact that Mr. Radford's death was due to heart trouble and came from natural causes.

For thirty-three years Mr. Radford had been a member of the Dominion Commercial Travellers' Association. He was a native of England and came to Canada when a young man, later entering business with his brothers at Montreal under the firm name of Radford Bros., and carried on a wholesale gent's furnishing business. The firm met with financial reverses and up till the late Mr. Radford travelled for two years ago Mr. Radford, having for the past two years represented Tooke Bros. in the Maritime Provinces. He was about fifty-six years of age and survived by a family, residing in Westmount.

Tooke Bros. Notified. Last night Proprietor Monahan, of the Barker House, notified Tooke Bros. by wire this morning A. E. Massie, for the Dominion Travellers' Association, notified the officers of the association of the sad event, and with R. S. Low, another member, and Proprietor Monahan, made arrangements for having the remains embalmed.

This afternoon at 4:45 o'clock the remains will be conveyed from the undertaking rooms of John G. Adams to the C. P. R. station and will be accompanied to Montreal by Mr. Monahan. Members of the Commercial Travellers' Association in the city have had a handsome floral tribute in the form of a travellers' handbag placed on the casket and a beautiful wreath has also been placed there from Mr. and Mrs. Monahan.

Friends all over the country will learn with deep regret of Mr. Radford's death. He was one of the best liked and most deservingly popular men on the road, being respected by all.

The remains of the late Walter Radford, traveller for Tooke Bros., Montreal, who died so suddenly last night at the Barker House, were taken to Montreal tonight for interment. At John G. Adams' undertaking rooms Bishop Richards conducted a short service before the body was conveyed to the station by a number of fellow commercial travellers and local friends who accompanied the Proprietor Monahan of the Barker House and Mrs. Monahan to Montreal.

DEATHS

Mr. Charles Henry Williams. The death of Mr. Charles Henry Williams occurred at night yesterday at his residence, 37 Golding street. He had been in failing health since last November. Mr. Williams was very prominent in musical circles, having acted for two long terms as musical director of the City Cornet Band. He accompanied the band as director on their trip to the World's Fair at Chicago.

Mr. Ernest R. of Norwood, city, and two daughters, Miss Edith, at home, and Mrs. Harris, of Swansea, England. One sister also lives in England. Friends all over the country will hear of his death with regret.

Mrs. Margaret Newcombe. The death occurred on Monday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. A. Tingley, Hopewell Cape, of Margaret, widow of Mr. Tingley, all come under the effects of an operation for appendicitis.

Mrs. Newcombe, who was about sixty-five years of age, was a daughter of the late Mr. Thomas Pye, and was well known and very highly esteemed. She leaves three sons and one daughter, Captain Humphrey Newcombe of New York, Henry and Frank Newcombe and Mrs. W. A. Tingley, all of Hopewell Cape; also two brothers and two sisters, Capt. Thomas Pye and Mr. James Pye, of Hopewell Cape, all of Hopewell Cape, besides a very large circle of relatives and friends, who will hear of her death with much regret.

Miss Alice Hall. The death of Miss Alice, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hall, occurred at Penobscot on Aug. 11, in her 21st year. She is survived by her parents, four sisters and two brothers. Miss Hall was a member of the I. O. G. T. Hall and of the Baptist Church. She was of a kindly disposition and much beloved. She had been ill for four weeks.

FUNERALS. Mr. James McLaughlin. The funeral of James McLaughlin took place from his late residence, 2 Water street, yesterday morning at 8 o'clock. The body was taken to the Cathedral where Requiem High Mass was celebrated, assisted by Rev. O'Keefe officiating, assisted by Rev. William Duke, deacon, Rev. M. O'Brien, sub-deacon and Rev. A. W. McLean as master of ceremonies. Interment was made in the New Catholic cemetery. The pall-bearers were Messrs. George Garnet, Charles McHugh, James Lee, Thomas Haley, Peter Dolan and Henry Lee.

Miss Annie Phippin. The funeral of Miss Annie Phippin was held from her late residence, 331 Charlotte street, west side at 2:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Rev. David Lang conducted the burial service. Interment was made in Cedar Hill cemetery.

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WEEKLY REVIEW OF LOCAL AND FOREIGN FINANCIAL MARKETS

International and industrial conditions continue unsettled. As soon as affairs settle down in the quarter they become disturbed elsewhere.

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UNION PAC. AGAIN IN LIME LIGHT

Among the stocks having some strength and activity is Amalgamated Copper, which advanced on the strength of a reported reduction in the reserve of copper and the improved outlook.

MONTREAL MARKET

The Montreal market has been a very dull and disappointing affair for some time past.

NEW YORK MARKET

The New York market during the past week has reached a stage where the general public have rather assumed the attitude of spectators.

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IMPROVEMENT IS GENERALLY NOTICABLE

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CLOSING STOCK LETTER

New York, Aug. 13.—Friday the thirtieth had no terror for the controlling bull interests in the stock market today, and while heavy evidence during the entire session, strong upward sweep after another.

NEWS SUMMARY

Americans in London steady about parity. Connecticut senate defers action on income tax amendment.

MILL STREAM

Millstream, Aug. 12.—Smith Bros. have added a complete roller plant to their steam grist mill here.

CHICAGO CATTLE

Chicago, Aug. 13.—Cattle—Receipts, 2000; market steady; steers—56 to 57.

COTTON RANGE

By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co. High. Low. Ask. Bid. Jan. 12.18 13 12 13.

THE BIG LEAGUES

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THE BIG LEAGUE GAMES

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A. N. VINCE TOOK GOVERNOR GENERAL'S MEDAL AT SHOOT

Woodstock Man Won Coveted Prize with Score of 46 -- Lieut. Smith Second with Score of 45-- Association Won by Langstroth Who also Took the Grand Aggregate--Prizes Presented by Col. McLean -- Much Interest Evincd in Meet.

Special to The Standard. Sussex, Aug. 13.—The final matches of the Provincial Rifle Association were finished this afternoon under most favorable conditions.

Table with names and scores: King H. Perley, H. H. Hagerman, C. Coleman, A. N. Vince, F. H. Price, etc.

COUNTRY JAY MAKES NEW WORLD'S MARK

Mile Trotting Under Saddle Record Reduced to 2.13.3-4 -- Formerly Held by Charley Mack.

Cleveland, Ohio, Aug. 13.—Country Jay, reduced the world's record of 2.13.3-4 for trotting a mile under saddle to 2.10.1-2 at the last day of the meeting at North Randall today.

TARTARS WON OUT IN NINTH AFTER REMARKABLE RALLY

St. Josephs Lose to Rejuvenated Fredericton Nine in One of the Best Games of Season -- Visitors Led With Score of 4-0 Until Ninth When Dever was Batted Out of Box and the Necessary Five Runs Made.

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, N. B., Aug. 13.—By a grand ninth inning rally which was helped along by St. Joseph beating all records for visitors, the Tartars won today's game from Joe Donnelly's St. John team.

The Tartars' Chance. Then came the Tartars' chance and they accepted it, the coaches got the ball.

Up To Brogan. It was then up to George Brogan and he answered with a nice single that was good for two runs.

Continued to Pitch. He continued to pitch, however, and he responded with a nice single that was good for two runs.

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THE CUSTOMS LA TOUR CLUB LICK DUST IN THIS GAME AT LILY LAKE

In a game of words and some of the diamond article, the Customs House ball tossers were defeated yesterday afternoon on the Shamrock grounds.

CARDINALS' MANAGER IS SUSPENDED. New York, August 13.—Roger Bresnahan, manager of the St. Louis National team was today suspended for three days by President Heydler of the National Baseball League.

FAVORITES BEATEN AT WOONSOCKET. Woonsocket, R. I., Aug. 13.—The closing day of the five days' harness racing met at the Woonsocket half mile track was an unhappy one for the favorites.

Johnston L. O. L. No. 24. will hold an open meeting in Orange Hall, Germain street on Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

WORLD'S RECORD GOES TO GRAND RAPIDS, MICH. Grand Rapids, Mich., August 13.—Hedgcock Boy and Lady Maud C. broke the world's record to pole here today by pacing a mile in 2:02.3-4.

THE WEATHER.

Maritime—Moderate winds, becoming easterly, fair and warm.
 Toronto, Ont., August 13.—Thunderstorms have occurred in Manitoba today, but otherwise the weather has been fine and warm throughout Canada.

New England Forecast.
 Washington, D. C., August 13.—Partly cloudy Saturday and Sunday; light variable winds, mostly south and southeast.

English Mail.
 The English mails via New York are due here at noon to day.

Lansdowne to be Repaired.
 The Government cruiser Lansdowne is in port and will be put on the blocks on Monday to undergo repairs that will require a week or ten days.

Say the Umpire Took Sides.
 The members of the St. Josephs ball team, which played in Fredericton on Thursday and Friday, reached home last evening on the Boston train. They are loud in their condemnation of the Fredericton umpire, who, they claim, used them badly in both games.

Returning From Fishing Trip.
 Mr. T. S. Fillibrown, of Washington, is in the city en route home from a fishing trip to Nova Scotia. Mr. Fillibrown was accompanied to Nova Scotia by his father, Dr. J. P. Fillibrown, who remained over in Digby for a few days. The youthful angler reports good sport on the other side of the bay.

Tax Bills Out on Monday.
 Tax bills were handed to the city constables in the Chamberlain's office yesterday, and will be distributed to the tax payers, beginning Monday next. As was the case last year, after the time expires on October 1st for taking advantage of the 5 per cent. discount, prompt measures will be taken for the collection of arrears.

Orangemen as Hosts.
 On Monday evening next the Johnston Lodge of the Loyal Orange Order, will hold an open meeting, to which all sister lodges, and ladies in public are cordially invited. A programme has been prepared including addresses by prominent speakers, and other special features. The meeting will open at 8 o'clock, and will be held in the Orange Hall, Germain street.

The Call of the West.
 Left to their own devices while their respective mothers were spending the summer in the country and their fathers engaged in work, Gordon Colwell, 45 Exmouth street and Walter McKee, Waterloo street, suddenly decided to go west with the harvest-needy evening without leaving word for their relatives and have not since been heard from. Both boys are about sixteen years of age.

A Pulpit Bible Presented.
 In the course of the preparation service to communion last night in St. John's Presbyterian Church, Mrs. W. S. Clawson, a member of the congregation, presented to the session a beautiful and costly pulp Bible and a copy of the book of psalms, for the use of the congregation in public worship. Mr. W. J. Parks made the presentation on behalf of Mrs. Clawson. The pastor, Rev. J. H. A. Anderson, in a few appropriate words tendered the donor the thanks of the session and the congregation.

More Details Wanted.
 The Mayor has received a communication from Mr. J. K. Scammell, assistant engineer of the Dominion Public Works, in reply to a complaint that mud was being dumped near the breakwater and within the limits of the harbor. Mr. Scammell, in his reply, intimates that the men engaged in the work are exercising care and asks that the day, the hour, the name of the tug and the number of the barge may be specified.

Plans for S. S. Convention.
 At a meeting of the N. B. and P. E. Island Sunday School Association held on Thursday, plans were made for the annual convention which is to be held in Chatham on October 20-22. It is expected that this convention will be the largest in the history of the association. Rev. J. B. Ganong, field secretary of the association will leave this morning for St. Stephen and will go to Chatham next week to arrange details.

Oddfellows on the River.
 About seventeen members of the Massachusetts Canton Lodge of Oddfellows, held an excursion on river yesterday afternoon on the tug Lillie. The Oddfellows are on their annual tour and arrived in St. John Thursday evening. They sat on the river as far as Brown's Flats. On the return trip they stopped at Water Landing, where they witnessed the grand drill of the sections of the Temple of Honor. The party returned to the city about seven o'clock. They will leave for home on the Calvin Austin tonight.

PERSONAL

Mrs. Florence Wesley is visiting in Yarmouth, N. S.
 Mrs. Louise Sciles, of Brooklyn, N. Y., is on a visit to this city, the guest of Mrs. Joseph Irvine, 51 Harrison street.
 Mr. R. D. Hanson, school inspector for York and Sunbury counties, was in the city yesterday.
 Mr. Leo Moran, of Chatham, is at the Royal. Mr. Moran has accepted a position here.
 Mr. G. E. P. Shorwood, B. A., of the staff of Horton Collegiate Academy, was in the city yesterday.
 Mr. J. L. Stewart, editor of the Chatham World, who has been attending the meeting of the Grand Lodge of Oddfellows, returned home last evening. Herald, was in the city yesterday.
 Mr. T. E. G. Lynch, of Digby, is in the city.
 Mr. George E. E. Nichols, of Halifax, arrived in the city last evening.
 Mr. George T. Dodge, of the Department of Public Works this city, will leave today for Westmorland county on a three weeks' holiday.
 Mrs. Silas Alward, Mount Pleasant, entertained at an enjoyable tea yesterday afternoon.
 Mr. W. H. Thorne, accompanied by the Hon. Geo. E. Foster, and party, left on the Dream yesterday afternoon to spend the week end on the river.

THREE POLICEMEN DISMISSED FROM FORCE BY CHIEF CLARK

Patrolmen Bowes, McNamee and Steeves Discharged At Roll Call Last Evening—Were Reported By Sergeant Caples For Being Under Influence Of Liquor While On Duty—Two Were At St. Peters Picnic On Thursday—McNamee Interviewed.

One of the most sensational episodes ever recorded in the annals of the government of the St. John police was the summary discharge of three members of the force at roll call last evening on the charge of being under the influence of liquor while on duty. James F. McNamee and Harry Steeves fell at one stroke, and it appeared last evening that their discharge was beyond recall.

Bowes and McNamee have been members of the force for some years, and are among the best known of the patrolmen. Steeves has been a policeman a little over a year, and came to the city originally from Albert county.

Though the dismissed officers profess that the action came as a great surprise to them, it is known that all three have been reported before. McNamee was suspended on the charge of sleeping overtime in the lockups, but had not been previously charged with intoxication. Bowes and Steeves have figured in the Sergeant's report on the liquor charge on previous occasions.

Went to the Picnic.
 On Thursday McNamee and Bowes went out to Torryburn to St. Peter's picnic with their wives and families and did not return until about five o'clock. They went on duty at the usual hour, and remained during the night, but the report of Sergt. Caples went in against them. Steeves was on King square with Policeman Ross, Bowes on Brunswick street, and McNamee callman at the central station. The latter relieved on the King square beat during the evening and spent two and a half hours on patrol duty in Brunswick street during the night. The three policemen reported for duty as usual last evening, and were notified of their discharge by Chief

Clark. Detective Killen called later at the men's homes for their uniforms, and this fact showed plainly that there was little hope of re-instatement. The most serious aspect of the affair is contained in the Sergeant's report that the men were supplied with liquor while on duty on their beat. The police authorities are anxious to establish the identity of the people who, if the report is correct, were responsible for the downfall of the three policemen.

Bowes joined the force on July 14, 1902; McNamee on July 1, 1903; and Steeves on July 1908. All three men were well liked by their comrades and popular with the public.

Policeman McNamee interviewed.
 Policeman McNamee when interviewed last evening said the discharge had been a great shock to him. It had been entirely unexpected, and he far as he could see undeserved. While at the picnic he had taken some lager beer, but showed no effects of this during the night he was on duty. He felt in a very difficult position with his wife and five small children dependent on him, and the winter not far away. If he had been intoxicated, he said, he would have said nothing, but he would like to be given another chance. While much sympathy will be felt for the men discharged, it is believed Chief Clark will receive the general support of the citizens. It is understood that he takes the position that his action was necessary in order to maintain the discipline of the force, and a high standard of efficiency among the men employed. There are a number of applications always on file for places on the force, and an examination of some of the candidates will probably be made today.

HOME FROM NATIONAL CONVENTION K. OF C.

W. J. Mahoney Returned Yesterday From Mobile (Ala.), Interesting Details Of Trip—Next Meeting At Quebec.

Mr. W. J. Mahoney, state deputy of the Knights of Columbus, returned yesterday from the National Convention of the order held at Mobile, Ala. He speaks with much enthusiasm of his trip. Leaving St. John on July 26 for Boston, he joined the New England delegates and proceeded to New York where the party embarked on the steamer Commodore for New Orleans. The trip from New York to New Orleans, Mr. Mahoney says, is described as "one hundred golden hours at sea" and richly so. He speaks in the highest terms of the treatment afforded the delegates by the captain and officers of the steamer. They arrived at New Orleans on Aug. 2. An automobile drive to Past Christian, "the Newport of the south" was enjoyed by the delegates and they then went on to Mobile.

Here the convention opened with a pontifical High Mass which was celebrated by Bishop Edward P. Allen, of Alabama and an eloquent sermon was preached by His Grace Archbishop Glennon. After Mass addresses of welcome were delivered by the mayor of the city, the state deputy, The Supreme Knight, Mr. E. L. Hearn, responded.

In the afternoon the first business session of the convention was held and the new officers were appointed. The Supreme Knight, in his report, spoke of the growth of the order, which is now established in every state and territory of the United States, in every province in Canada, in Mexico and the Philippine Islands. In the Maritime Provinces there are seven councils, three in New Brunswick, three in Nova Scotia and one in Prince Edward Island.

FINISH REVISION OF DRAFT AGREEMENT

Harbor Board Will Report To Council On Conditions For Transfer Of West Side Properties.

At a meeting of the Harbor Board yesterday afternoon the work of revising the draft agreement between the City and the C. P. R. and the Dominion Government, for the transfer of the West Side properties was completed. All the changes previously made have been printed, and the agreement as revised will be reported to the council. A special meeting will probably be held for that purpose. The opinion was expressed that the Mayor should send the agreement in

CHANGES IN TENNIS TEAM NECESSARY

Players Who Will Represent New Brunswick In Inter-Provincial Championships Will Leave For Halifax Tonight.

The players chosen to represent New Brunswick in the inter-provincial tennis championships will leave this evening for Halifax where the matches will be played next Monday. It has been found necessary to make a number of changes in the team that will represent this province, owing to the inability of some of the champions in the recent provincial tournament to make the trip. In the mixed doubles Mrs. H. R. Babbitt, of Fredericton, will take the place of Miss Mabel Thomson, of the Rothesay club. Mr. Rupert Turnbull, of Rothesay, will play in the place of Mr. W. M. Angus in the men's doubles. The ladies' doubles will not be played, as Miss Helen Babbitt, of Fredericton, is out of the province. New Brunswick will be represented by the following players: Ladies' Singles—Mrs. H. R. Babbitt, Fredericton. Men's Singles—Mr. T. Malcolm McAvity, St. John. Mixed Doubles—Mrs. Babbitt and Mr. Rupert Turnbull. Men's Doubles—Messrs. McAvity, and Turnbull. All the matches will be played on Monday and the players will return home the following day.

FIRE DISCOVERED IN UNION FOUNDRY

Prompt Action Yesterday Afternoon Prevented Dangerous Conflagration—Blaze In Coal Shed Due To Spontaneous Combustion.

The sharp eyes of the watchman at the Street Railway barns in Union street, West Side, discovered a mouldering fire in the wall of the coal shed belonging to the Union Foundry Co., about 2:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon and prompt action prevented what might have been a serious conflagration. A still alarm was sent in to the fire station and the apparatus was soon on the ground and a stream turned on the blaze. In the incipient stage it only took a few minutes to extinguish the fire but had it gained headway in the coal shed which worked its way through to the wall of the shed. As it was the damage was very slight. Spontaneous combustion is said to have started the blaze which worked its way through to the wall of the shed. As it was the damage was very slight.

MORE LABORERS ARE NEEDED IN THE WEST

Special to The Standard.
 Winnipeg, Aug. 13.—Harvesting will be general in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta within a week. Farmers are in the market for help and employment agencies are finding it difficult to supply the demand. Harvesting will deplete the force on railway construction work, because the higher wages paid while crops are being gathered, will tempt thousands of men from the grades to the fields. In the principal grain growing districts the farmers say that if a frost should occur very little injury would be done as the grain is pretty well matured.

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