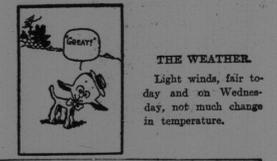




The Times



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MAIL IS FIGHTING PLAGUE OF CHOLERA

At Present the Record Shows Fifty Cases a Day. Every Effort is Being Made to Stop the Spread of the Disease...

Mail, Sept. 22.—The vigorous campaign for the eradication of cholera is rapidly spreading...

BURGLARY AT MARYSVILLE

F. S. Williams and Co's Store Entered Last Night Goods Stolen—The Burglars Arrested.

Fredericton, N. B., Sept. 22 (Special).—The store of F. S. Williams & Co., at Marysville, was burglarized last night...

FAMOUS VIOLINIST SAID TO BE INSANE

Is of Sound Mind. Cripple Creek, Colo., Sept. 22.—Hans Albert, a violinist, of international fame...

PATRICK TALKED HIMSELF OUT OF BREATH—\$8 OR TWO MONTHS

Patrick Birmingham's Eloquence Evidently Failed to Move the Magistrate as He was Fined for Drunkenness Just the Same as if He Had Not Said a Word.

The police court is the scene of innumerable amusing incidents and characters...

SMALL SLOOP DESTROYED

New York, Sept. 22.—Through the explosion of her gasoline engine, the sloop Robert Palmer, belonging to Capt. Marcus Griffin...

KILLED DURING A QUARREL

El Paso, Texas, Sept. 22.—As the result of injuries received in an encounter in the real estate office of Loomis Bros., yesterday, Ross C. Loomis, prominent real estate dealer...

CROOKED NICK'S CASE

Montreal, Sept. 22.—(Special).—A feature of the closing session of the crooked Nick Smith case was the address of the crown prosecutor to the jury...

THE TIMES NEW REPORTER

CAUSE AND EFFECT. Mr. George Robertson informed the Times reporter this morning that he was on board a street car last evening...

ROOSEVELT IS BACK TO WORK

The President of the United States Left Oyster Bay for Washington This Morning.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., Sept. 22.—Theodore Roosevelt's final summer vacation during his present term of office as President of the United States, came to an end this morning...

WALTHAM COLLEGE MAN CONFESSES TO A SERIES OF CRIMES

San Francisco, Sept. 22.—Charles Boyle, a former student of Stanford University, son of Harry Boyle, a millionaire property holder of Seattle and Oakland...

THIS MORNING SAW DECIDED SLUMP IN MONTREAL STOCKS

Montreal, Sept. 22.—(Special).—The local market slumped today, the decline being very general throughout the list...

STANDARD OIL CO. WAS NOT TO BLAME

New York, N. Y., Sept. 22.—Testimony in justification of the business methods of the Standard Oil Company of Ohio, was given by Vice-President Squires...

GREAT WEATHER FOR THIS TIME OF YEAR

To quote the director of meteorological work, "this is an exceptionally fine day."

THE THROWING OF THE DART

The ancient ceremony under the charter of the City of St. John, known as "The Throwing of the Dart," has been duly performed...

MEETINGS THAT MADE HISTORY

It was at Gaston, between two glasses of Spruce that Bismarck and Andrius hid the foundation of the Triple Alliance...

CHOICE RECIPES

Scalloped Oysters.—Put a layer of oysters in a baking pan, cover them with breadcrumbs and scatter a few small pieces of butter on the top...

JAPANESE LABOR A MURDERER ALLOWED OUT ON BAL OF \$500

This was the Principal Feature of the Trades and Labor Congress at Halifax This Morning.

Halifax, N. S., Sept. 22.—(Special).—This morning's session of the Trades and Labor Congress was devoted to the appointment of committees and the presentation of the reports of Secretary-Treasurer P. M. Draper...

LORD MILNER IS IN CANADA

Distinguished South African Statesman is Visiting Relatives at Lennoxville and Will Go to Pacific Coast.

Sherbrooke, Que., Sept. 22 (Special).—Lord Milner, the distinguished South African statesman who is travelling through Canada...

MR. KING'S SUCCESSOR

F. A. Acland May Take W. L. Mackenzie King's Place as Deputy Minister of Labor.

Ottawa, Ont., Sept. 22 (Special).—The acceptance of W. L. Mackenzie King of the Liberal nomination in Waterloo...

PREDICTS A VICTORY FOR CONSERVATIVES

Geo. W. Fowler in Toronto Says R. L. Borden Will Have a Good Working Majority.

Toronto, Ont., Sept. 22 (Special).—Geo. W. Fowler, M.P., and Col. Sam Hughes, M.P., were in the city yesterday...

POLITICAL PICNIC IN MUSQUASH TODAY LARGELY ATTENDED

The political picnic being held at Musquash today by the Liberal election committee was very largely attended...

A ROW IN A POOL ROOM

Sperdaks pool room on Market street is continuing to add to its reputation as a trouble centre...

MURDER IN AN ASYLUM

Washington, Sept. 22.—Andrew Lightfoot, a mulatto, an inmate in the government hospital for the insane near this city...

ADGIE'S LIONS HELD IN BOND AT EXHIBITION BUILDINGS

They Were to be an Attraction at a Moving Picture Theatre but Unless the Duty on Them is Paid Back they Go to the United States.

Adgie and her lions are still domiciled in the exhibition buildings, and it is understood that they will return to the United States instead of giving further exhibitions here...

Now the New York Police are Hunting Samuel Manns.

Magistrate Thought Man's Merely an Attempted Suicide and Allowed Him His Liberty on His Own Recognizance.

New York, Sept. 22.—Following the death in a Brooklyn hospital yesterday of Mrs. Francis R. MacCabe, 29 years old, wife of a manufacturer of building material...

MONTREAL OBSCURED BY CLOUD OF FOG AND SMOKE

So Dark was it This Morning That Travel of all kinds was Dangerous.

Montreal, Sept. 22 (Special).—A dense pall of fog and smoke was hovering over the city this morning which made all kind of travel dangerous...

THE GREAT WESTERN GOES TO THE C. P. R.

British Owned Railroad to Become Subsidiary Line of Canadian Pacific.

Chicago, Sept. 22.—A special to the Inter Ocean from Minneapolis says that the Chicago Great Western Co., together with its terminal facilities, rolling stock and motive power will soon become the property of the Canadian Pacific R. R. Co.

FORTY ONE HURT IN HEAD ON COLLISION ON MISSOURI TRACK

Weeping Water, Neb., Sept. 22.—In a head-on collision last night in the yards of the Chicago & North Western R. R. Co., 41 passengers and three trainmen were injured...

EARL GREY IN THE WEST

Winipeg, Man., Sept. 22.—(Special).—Earl Grey went to Brandon yesterday, and during the day was entertained by the city to an auto drive and a visit to the experimental farm...

SENT UP FOR TRIAL

Moncton, N. B., Sept. 22.—(Special).—Oscar Lawson, charged with stealing a set of harness from Mrs. John Alexander, was sent up for trial by Magistrate Kay in the police court this morning.

COMPANY WILL RECOGNIZE

Winipeg, Man., Sept. 22.—(Special).—The Booth Fish Company will be recognized as the opinion of local officers of the company, who have just returned from Chicago...

ONE LAD SHOTS ANOTHER

Middleport, N. Y., Sept. 22.—Roy Philcox, 18 years of age, was shot through the heart and instantly killed with a revolver in the hands of Emmett Hickey, a 12 year old boy...

THE HIGHER LIFE

"Why don't you go to work instead of begging and loafing?" "I will, boss, as soon as there's an opening in my trade. An' I ain't got long to wait now, neither."

"What is your trade?" "I'm a truck waffer for aeroplane lines."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

There's Danger There!

The old adage "A stitch in time saves nine" applies to the human system. Nature gives her timely warning, and if heeded much suffering may be prevented, but if neglected she demands a very heavy penalty.

STOP THAT BACKACHE!

It means more than weariness. It indicates that the kidneys are being attacked, and as a very large percentage of our ills and sufferings have their origin in the kidney and liver, a course of Dr. Roots Kidney and Liver Pills should be taken. They will stop the trouble at once. Once these organs get deranged or out of order, every part of the human system becomes disorganized, often terminating in a long and tedious illness which often proves fatal.

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Dr. Roots Kidney and Liver Pills CURE ALL KIDNEY AND LIVER TROUBLES.

Fashion Hint for Times Readers



A SMART SMALL SHAPE.

A particularly effective use of the revived Ottoman silks is seen in the fall millinery. Small models are made of this rep silk, the shape being covered smoothly with the material. For general runabout wear this type of hat is especially good. It is generally small of size with high crown and narrow brim, the brim rolling at the front or side and dipping over the hair at the back. The pictured hat is in gray Ottoman silk with bow trimming of gray satin and crown band of gray felt embroidered in gold and green and piped with black velvet.

The KING OF DIAMONDS

By LOUIS TRACY

Author of "The Wings of the Morning," "The Pillar of Light," Etc.

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(Continued.)

He gave hasty directions as to his patient's food, and left him.

Another telegram arrived, with it the policeman, in the dogcart of the Fox and Hounds Inn.

"Abingdon went to Devonshire yesterday. His wife says she suspected that something had gone wrong. Unhappily we do not know his address, but he wires that he is not to be expected home today. Do ask Dr. Scarth to send further news if unable to connect."

EVELYN.

Philip hesitated to be explicit as to the real nature of the outrage inflicted on him by Jocky Mason and his unknown accomplice. He hastily determined that the best assurance he could give to the distracted girl was one of his immediate departure from the village.

The policeman helped him as to the local information, and he wrote the following:

"Leaving Scarsdale at 2.30 P. M. Passing through Malton at four o'clock, and reach York 5.10. Dr. Scarth permits journey, and accompanies me. Send any further messages card of respective station masters prior to house named. Accept statement implicitly that I will reach London to-night. Will wire you from York certain, earlier if necessary. As for Jocky, you will recall May 15th, Hyde Park, near Stanhope Gate, four o'clock. Evelyn and he alone knew that at that spot on the day and hour named, they became engaged.

The policeman valiantly lent the few shillings necessary, and the sturdy horse from the Fox and Hounds took back to Scarsdale.

But the constable was of additional value. His researches in Scarsdale provided a fairly accurate history and description of the two denizens of the Grange House.

Philip himself had, of course, seen "Dr. Williams" in broad daylight and undisguised—not yet could he remember where he heard that smooth-tongued voice. Jocky Mason he only pictured hazily after the lapse of years, but the policeman's details of his personal appearance coincided exactly with Philip's recollection, allowing for age and the hardships of convict life.

"At last came the doctor, with a valise."

"I am sorry," he laughed, "but all the money I can muster at such short notice is twelve pounds."

"I began life once before with three halfpence," was the cheery reply.

The few inhabitants of the hamlet gathered to see them off, and the fisherman's wife was moved to screw her apron into her eyes when Philip shook hands with her saying that she would see him again in a few days.

"Eh, but he's a bonny lad," was her verdict. "Twas a fair sham' to treat him so."

At Scarsdale and at Malton again came loving words from Evelyn. Now she knew who it was who telegraphed to her. And the mysterious Philip Anson at York remained dumb.

"The wretch!" she said to her mother. "To dare to open my letter and send me impudent replies."

More than once she thought of going to York to meet her lover, but she wisely decided against this course. Mr. Abingdon was out of town, and Philip might need some one he could trust to obey his instructions in London.

At ten minutes past five Anson and Dr. Scarth arrived in York.

A long discourse in the train gave them a plan. They would not appeal at once to the police. Better clear the mist that hid events before the aid of the law was invoked. There were two of them, and the assistance of the hotel people could be obtained if necessary.

They hurried first to the station master's office. Anything for Anson? Yes. Only a few words of courtesy from Evelyn to avoid further risk.

Dr. Scarth, quick to appreciate the difficulties of the situation intervened quickly.

"Is there a man staying here who represents that his name is Philip Anson?"

The question was unusual in its form, disturbing in its intendment. The man who asked it was pale, with unnaturally brilliant brown eyes, a gentleman in manner, but attired in ill-fitting garments, and beneath his tweed cap he wore a surgical bandage.

And Philip Anson, the millionaire, of whom he spoke thus contemptuously, was staying in the hotel, and paying for his best rooms.

But the manager was perfectly civil. The presence of Dr. Scarth, a reputable-looking stranger, gave evidence that something important was afoot. Mr. Anson was in his rooms at the moment. Their names would be sent up.

Dr. Scarth, quick to appreciate the difficulties of the situation intervened quickly.

"Is he alone?"

"Then it will be better if you accompany us in person. An unpleasant matter can be arranged without undue publicity."

This was alarming. The manager went with them instantly. They passed at the door indicated.

"Come with me," said Philip, turning the handle without knocking.

Greener, intent on the perusal of a letter he had just written, looked up quickly.

He was face to face with Philip Anson.

CHAPTER XXII.

A Settlement of Old Scores.

The one man stood, the other sat, gazing at each other in a silence that was thrilling.

Dr. Scarth and the hotel manager entered noiselessly, and closed the door behind them. Greener, almost accoutred that he was, was bereft of speech, of the power to move. He harbored no delusions. This

was no ghost coming to trouble his soul in broad daylight. It was Philip Anson himself, alive, and in full possession of his senses, a more terrible apparition than any visitor from beyond the grave. His presence in that room meant penal servitude for life for Victor Greener, a prison cell instead of palatial chambers, bread and skilly in place of Carlton luncheons.

No wonder the scoundrel was dumb, that his tongue was dry. He went cold all over, and his knees averted.

Philip advanced toward him. Greener could not move. He was glued to his chair.

"Who are you?" said Anson, sternly.

No answer. As yet the acute brain refused to waken. Lost—ruined—no escape—were the vague ideas that jostled each other in chaos.

"Can you not speak? Who are you that dares to usurp my name, after striving to murder me?"

No answer. The shifty eyes—the eyes of detected pickpocket—wandered stupidly from Philip's set face to that of the perplexed hotel manager, and the gravely amused doctor.

Philip never used strong language, but he was greatly tempted at that moment. "Confound you!" he shouted. "Why don't you answer me?"

"I—my name is Philip Anson. The manager—"

As a spent fox will vainly try the last despairing device of climbing a tree in full sight of the hunter, so Victor Greener evoked the desperate scheme that perhaps—perhaps—he might carry out a feeble protest.

"You Philip Anson! You vile impostor! I am sorely inclined to wring your neck!"

(To be continued.)

A TOKEN OF RESPECT TO THE LATE BISHOP

Montreal City Council Passed a Resolution of Condolence on Death of Bishop Carmichael and Then Adjourned.

Montreal, Sept. 21.—A compliment was paid the English-speaking people of the city this afternoon when the city council adjourned as a token of respect for the memory of Bishop Carmichael, who died early this morning. The motion was presented by Alderman L. A. Lapointe, leader of the French section, and seconded by Alderman N. Gieroux, and read:

"That this council has learned with deep regret of the demise of His Grace, Bishop Carmichael, and desire to offer to the adherents of the Anglican church of this diocese and to the bereaved family, their most heartfelt sympathy in their sad bereavement; That the members of this council do hereby place on record their keen appreciation of the sterling qualities of the deceased prelate, and that as a mark of respect for his memory this council do now adjourn."

This was unanimously adopted.

GREAT CROWDS AT NICKEL

It was like the good old middimweek nights at the Nickel last evening, despite the chilly air and the threatening skies, and good-natured crowd, and the excitement from 7 until 10.30 o'clock.

There is no abatement in the public interest in this house's form of entertainment and hearty applause greeted singers and picture acts. The chief feature was Thos. A. Edison's newest hit, "Tales The Searchlight," or Conroy Island after dark. All the attractions at this resort, the whole place illuminated after night-fall, the pictures and the buildings were shown in detail and it was worth a great deal to sit back and drink in the fun. Two pretty comedies of late vintage kept the laugh going and the songs, "Polly Primrose," by Miss Felix, and "The Road to Yesterday," by Mr. Weston, were artistic successes, and the orchestra rose to the occasion a la Conroy.

AT THE PRINCESS

The exceptionally large programme offered at the Princess yesterday brought well pleased gatherings. The New York musical team, Goldie and Good, were well received, and their last few years' work applauded. They perform on numerous instruments and their monologue is up-to-date and very funny.

The new burlesque, "The Courtain," was well received in a beautiful illustrated song, "There Never Was a Girl Like You." The slides are handsome. Harry Newcombe has a good song in "The Broncho Buster."

The pictures are brand new. "A Poor Family Holiday," is a comedy; "The Organ Grinder's Dream," is a pathetic drama; and the latest picture, "The Ill-Famed Mill," a melodrama picture is "The Insane Mother."

PRESENTATION TO JOHN T. HAWKE

Moncton, N. B., Sept. 21 (Special).—At the Liberal rally tonight, a presentation to Mr. Hawke was made in the form of a handsome oak chair. The presentation was made by John Doherty, who made a short speech.

Mr. Hawke replied in a few fitting words, thanking the donors for the gift. He then reviewed his trip to the old country, comparing Canada to England, and other foreign countries he visited.

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Grand Opera Season Opened Last Evening

The grand opera season the first St. John has had in years—opened auspiciously at the Opera House last evening when George S. Stirling's Boston Opera Singers gave a superb production of Verdi's celebrated "Il Trovatore" to a fashionable and very appreciative audience.

That Mr. Stirling has brought to St. John the most remarkable musical aggregation that has visited this city for many years there is little room for doubt and his performance was, to quote a very well known local critic, "the greatest since the days of the old academy."

From the social view point the event is one that will live long in the memories of the local "smart set." Society was well represented and the auditorium presented a brilliant picture with the artistic creations of dame fashion's latest designs.

The theatre never looked more attractive than it did last evening and the management cannot be accorded too much credit for the successful manner in which the arrangements were carried out.

The main stairway was nicely carpeted and ornamented with tall graceful palms and potted plants which also adorned the lobby and were effectively displayed about the box office.

"Il Trovatore" an opera in four acts, words by Cammarano, was first produced in Rome, on January, 1835, with the cast, Goggi, MM. Baucardo, Guicciardi, and Balderi in the cast. In 1837 it was brought out in New York by the opera company of the Count, Mme. Prezzolini as Leonora, and Mme. Borghini as Azucena, and in London in 1838 by the company of the Gypsy's Vengeance. It was first produced in New York with Signora Steffernone, Signorina Vestrali, Signor Bergamasco, and Amadio in the cast on May 2, 1855. It was produced in Rome in the same year with "La Traviata," but unlike the latter, it was greeted with an enthusiastic welcome. It has held the stage ever since and shares with "Marta" and "Aida" a high place in popular admiration.

The opera opens with a midnight scene at the palace of Alfero, where the old servant, Ferrando, relates to his master the story of the fate of Garcia, the son of the Count of Luna, in whose service they are employed. While in their cradles, Garcia was bewitched by an old gypsy, and day by day pined away. The gypsy was burned at the stake for sorcery; and in revenge, Azucena, her daughter, stole the sickly child. As the story of the opera his fate has not been discovered. As the servant closes his narrative and he and his companions leave the Count of Luna enters and lingers by the apartment of the Duchess Leonora, with whom he is in love. Hearing her weeping, Leonora comes into the garden, supposing it is Manrico, the troubadour, whom she had crowned victor at the tournament, and of whom she had become violently enamored. As she greets the Count, Manrico appears upon the scene and with indistinct speech recognizing her error, she flies to Manrico for protection. The Count challenges him to combat, and as they prepare to fight she falls to the ground insensible. The second act introduces a gypsy camp, where Azucena relates to Manrico, who has been wandering in the forest, the story of her life. Manrico, who has been wandering in the forest, the story of her life. Manrico, who has been wandering in the forest, the story of her life.

The chorus—and there are seldom a great many chances for them in grand opera—were strong, the enunciation clear and distinct, and the action throughout beyond criticism.

Ferrando is a part which gives but little chance, comparatively speaking, for vocal display, but Mr. Boyle, who is a basso of exceptional ability, did magnificently well, which was especially noticeable in his narrative of the first act. The orchestra, under the direction of Robert E. Francis, played with a very great deal of expression. Verdi's magnificent music and the performance as a whole was a brilliant success.

Among those noticed in his audience were Dr. and Mrs. Innes, Miss Harrison, the Misses Furlong, J. G. Harrison, Arthur T. Thome, Mr. Robertson (Montreal), Miss Creighton, Dr. Spangler, Mrs. Spangler, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cowan, Schindler, Mr. and Mrs. William Lockhart, Sydney Beckley, S. Adams, Mrs. R. Kellie Jones, Mrs. A. Wilson and others.

Between the years of fifty-seven and sixty-two. Nature's power slows down, vitality becomes less, and the process of decay sets in. A means of extending old age and renewing decreasing vigor is to take Ferrone's after meals. Ferrone's keeps up the appetite, and in the formation of red, vitalizing blood, imparts clearness to the tiring brain, force, energy and spirits just when they are needed most. To take Ferrone's regularly means adding from ten to twenty years of life. Large boxes, 50c, or 6 boxes for \$2.50, at druggists, or Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont.

A beautiful pass in the mountain it was. A pass that is not soon forgot; For the fellow next me Said he'd nothing to see, And therefore I raked in the pot.

The members of the Thistle Curling Club are requested to attend a meeting in their rooms this evening at 7.30 o'clock.

There is just one way to prove the excellence of "Salada" Tea and that is to try it. Ask your grocer for a package today.

The Times Daily Puzzle Picture



A poor widow sent her son Jack to market with her cow, and he sold it to a man for a hat full of beans. Find the cow.

ANSWER TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE. Lower left corner down, face in right arm.

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Remember the Sale is at our Union Street Store. Cash only. No Goods on Approval.

WATERBURY & RISING

WILBUR WRIGHT SCORES A GREAT TRIUMPH IN THE AIR

He Travels 61 Miles in His Aeroplane in Presence of French Officials and Thus Eclipses His Brother Orville's Record at Washington.

Le Mans, Sept. 21.—In the presence of the officials of the Aero Club of Sarthe, General Basaine-Hayer, commander of the Fourth Army Corps, the American ambassador, Henry White, large number of French and foreign officers and aeroplane experts and a widely cheering crowd, numbering 10,000, Wilbur Wright, the American aviator, this afternoon accomplished a signal triumph, capturing the world's record from his brother, Orville Wright, with a marvellously impressive flight in his powerful machine of one hour, thirty-nine minutes and fifty-one seconds, covering in that time an actual distance of 68 kilometres, or nearly sixty-one miles.

On the recent accident at Fort Myer, today's trial for the Michelin Cup for the greatest distance covered by an aeroplane in 1908, and the Aero Club prize of \$1,000 for the longest flight over an enclosed ground, attracted intense interest, although the spectators displayed the utmost deference and sympathy.

Mr. Wright at first appeared nervous, and ill-nick seemed to be punning him. The wind was too high in the morning to permit of a flight, and when it fell, at four o'clock this afternoon, Mr. Wright made three false starts.

Finally, at 5:15, after the direction of the starting rail had been changed to a point in the track on the beach, and the wind blowing gently about four miles an hour, the aviator got away nicely, sailing majestically up the field amid thund-

PRESENCE OF BOTH GREAT PARTY HEADS IN ONTARIO GREAT INTEREST

Sir Wilfred Laurier and Hon. G. P. Graham at Tilbury and R. L. Borden, Premier Roblin and Hon. Mr. Harbord at Pembroke Keep the Political Pot Boiling at a Lively Rate--Rallies in Moncton and Liberal Ward Meetings in St. John.

Tilbury, Ont., Sept. 21.—Sir Wilfred Laurier and G. P. Graham received another splendid welcome here today. There were 3,000 persons in town and the streets were gaily decorated.

Sir Wilfred in his speech thanked the people for their unparalleled demonstration and claimed that the government had done nothing to forfeit the confidence of the people.

An address was presented from the daughters of farmers of the neighborhood and the premier gallantly kissed the young lady, Miss Corbett, who read it.

Appealing to old reformers, he reminded them of representative government, and the guarantee of the rights of the people. He said the Conservatives had brought forward no great principles and could point to no great victories.

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MACKENZIE KING IS READY FOR THE POLITICAL FIGHT

He Resigns His Office as Deputy Minister of Labor and Other Positions Which Accompany it and Accepts a Liberal Nomination in North Waterloo.

Ottawa, Sept. 21.—W. L. Mackenzie King has resigned the position of deputy minister of labor to contest North Waterloo, in the Liberal interest.

"Very sincerely yours, W. L. Mackenzie King." A Toronto dispatch says that Mr. King was at his father's residence when he received the news of his selection and having accepted the nomination handed out the following statement to the press:

"Dear Mr. Lemieux—Having been honored by the Liberals of the North Riding of my native county with the nomination to contest the riding in their interests at the present elections and having decided to accept the nomination, I respectfully beg to tender my resignation of deputy minister of the department of labor, and the positions of editor of the Labor Gazette, registrar of boards of conciliation and investigation, which have been held jointly with the office of deputy minister.

"I need scarcely assure you that the present decision has not been reached without most careful consideration, and that it is prompted solely by a sense of public duty and a belief that the larger sphere of politics affords ampler opportunities of public service. There is hardly a phase of our national life which does not affect industrial conditions and which is not affected by the industrial conditions of the people of this dominion, leads me to desire an opportunity of sharing in the solution of some of the larger problems which are arising and will continue to arise in this connection.

"The interests and future of the department of labor are so near and real to me that I would hesitate even now to take the step I do, were I not entirely confident that the welfare of the department would be fully protected and promoted by Mr. A. Adams, the present secretary and the officers associated with him.

"Next to the immediate work of the department, I regret most my separation from the civil service of Canada. An association of over eight years, in every respect so profitable and pleasant, is not easily broken, but I shall carry with me into my new sphere of duties, a knowledge of the needs of the department and the service, and shall through the future lose no opportunity of furthering both.

"I wish to express my deep appreciation of the helpful and pleasant relations which my association with you in the duties of the department has involved, and an abiding sense of gratitude to the members of the staff for the faithfulness and efficiency with which they have assisted me in the carrying on of its work. I am, dear Mr. Lemieux,

"Very sincerely yours, W. L. Mackenzie King."

"What our country demands today is that young men, whatever their party, should recognize the greatness of the inheritance given them by God in this Dominion, and should train and discipline their lives with a view to bringing to the councils of the nation a guidance that is worthy of its destiny.

"In accepting the nomination so heartily tendered by the Liberals of my native county and in seeking the support of the electors I trust that the sacrifice I am making in resigning my position will be of itself sufficient to show that I have no end in view but the well-being of the people at large, no ambition to serve but that of contributing to the happiness and prosperity of our common country."

MANY PEOPLE AT THE CHATHAM FAIR

Chatham, N. B., Sept. 21.—The exhibition closed on Saturday night, after a very successful run of five days. The total attendance was 12,393, exclusive of the admissions to the farmers' sports and horse races, which numbered about 2,500. There were over three hundred entries in the various departments and the quality of the exhibits was highly commensurate with the number.

The dining hall and refreshment stands were in charge of the Y. M. C. A., who served excellent meals in the new dining room, and warm waffles from the other patrons for the variety and the excellence of their menu.

The exhibit of H. E. Gould, florist, occupies a prominent place on the floor of the main building.

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An accident to the electric lighting plant left the buildings in darkness half an hour tonight. The attendance, considering the drawbacks, was good.

Cattle judging begins tomorrow. Gurneys will be judged in the morning, Holsteins in the afternoon, Ayrshires, Wednesday morning, grade cattle in the afternoon and horses Thursday.

The judges are: W. F. Huntington, P. Q. dairy cattle; Thos. Brydall, Allan Corners, F. Q. beef cattle, swine, sheep; Dr. J. Standish, Walkerton, Ontario, horses; A. C. Smith, Waltham (Mass.), poultry; C. F. Alward, Havelock, agricultural produce; John C. Miles, St. John, paintings; Mrs. McLellan and Miss Chisholm, St. John, ladies work.

The exhibit of cattle is the largest ever in Sussex, the cattle pens are filled and horse stalls are used for cattle. Other stock is up to the average in numbers.

The quarterly meeting of the King's Daughters, held last evening, was taken up with review of the work of the past three months and discussion of winter plans. The educational classes will be resumed on Nov. 1 and much success is hoped for. It has been decided, beginning on Oct. 1, to give up the service which has been held at 4 o'clock on Sunday afternoons and instead have service at 7:15 o'clock on Thursday evenings. This, it is hoped, will result in larger attendance.

A clever popular Candy Cold Cure Tablet-called Preventics-is being dispensed by druggists everywhere. In a few hours, Preventics are applied to break any cold-completely. And Preventics, being so safe and toothsome, are very fine for children. No Quinine, no laxative, nothing harsh, no sickening. Box of 48-25c. Sold by all druggists.

SUSSEX EXHIBITION OPENED LAST NIGHT

Sussex, N. B., Sept. 21.—Wet disagreeable weather attended the first day of the Sussex exhibition. The probabilities are, however, the formal opening tomorrow evening will be favored by fine weather.

This evening the public was admitted to the grounds and buildings, although many exhibits were not in position. The agricultural section of the exhibition is particularly good and already many exhibits of live stock are on the grounds.

In the main building industrial exhibits are the greater.

The Sussex Mercantile Company has two booths, one devoted to pianos and organs and the other to plumbing, ranges, etc.

James Bros., of Apohaquo, have a fine exhibit of fur garments.

King Abell & Co., of Sussex, have been busy honey a feature of the exhibition.

In the carriage building the Sussex Mfg. Co. have on exhibition woodworking machinery and samples of refrigerators.

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Rallies at Moncton

Moncton, N. B., Sept. 21.—(Special.)—Both political parties held organization rallies here this evening. The Liberals in their headquarters were addressed by C. O. Dumas, M.P., of Albert H. Paisley, editor of the Tribune, Sackville, and others. There was a large attendance.

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Liberal Ward Meetings in St. John

The Liberal ward organization meetings last evening were well attended and the officers, and in some cases, committees were chosen. Short addresses were made by the new officers and by members of the Liberal executive.

Nearly 100 workers gathered in the Odd-fellows' Hall, Carleton, the meeting place of Guy ward and the campaign was discussed. It was decided to divide the ward into four districts for the purpose of canvass and a chairman was appointed for each district. The Brooks ward meeting was also well attended.

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He is survived by his wife, four sons and two daughters—Thomas, William, Frederick and James D., Mrs. John Leach and Mrs. J. W. Morrison. James D., Driscoll is proprietor of the King Edward hotel.

Funeral services will be held at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning at the residence of the deceased, 93 Carmarthen street, and will be conducted by the Rev. Mr. Smith, Anglican, at present in charge.

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Walker-Sweatman

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Walker-Ketchum

A very pretty ceremony took place on Thursday when Miss Mabel F. Ketchum, daughter of Isaac W. Ketchum, was married in St. George's church, Carleton, to Cecil W. Walker, of Kennington (P.E.I.). Rev. W. H. Sampson, rector of the church, was the officiating clergyman. Only a few friends of the contracting parties were present. Mr. and Mrs. Walker will leave in a few days for New York, where they will reside.

Sahey-Lugrin

Miss Winifred Lugrin, daughter of Charles H. Lugrin, of Victoria (B. C.), formerly of St. John, was married in Victoria yesterday to John McDonald Sahey, of Toronto. Miss Lugrin and her sister visited St. John last year, the guests of their aunts, the Misses Lugrin, Duke street, and made many friends who will be interested to hear of her wedding. Mr. and Mrs. Sahey will reside in Toronto.

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Hampton, N. B., Sept. 21 (Special).—The westbound C. P. R. train this afternoon brought to Hampton the body of the late Alexander McCurdy, former proprietor of the hotel at Hampton Station, for many years a resident of St. Martins, P. B., who died on Saturday, September 18, in his eighty-fifth year, after an illness of a few weeks. The deceased was one of the oldest Orangemen in Canada, having joined the order when eighteen years of age and he was in the possession on the twelfth of July, 1849, in St. John, when the York Point riot occurred, and also in the Westmorland County parade at a later date when difficulties of a serious nature occurred and never tired of telling his experiences on these and other occasions. He came from a family of soldiers, was a native of Ireland, a strong adherent of the Church of England and a Conservative in politics. There was a large gathering of the electors in this ward. They will meet again on Wednesday.

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A SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION TODAY

The annual convention of the St. John City and County Sunday School Association will open this afternoon at 5 o'clock in St. Stephen's church. It is hoped to get through all the business before 6 o'clock. A platform meeting will begin at 8 o'clock and will be addressed by Rev. Dr. C. R. Flinders and Rev. A. B. Cohen. The topic of the last speaker will be "Bible Study for Men." The Brussels street ladies' quartette will sing and there will be other special music. A. H. Chapman, president of the association, will be the chairman. From 5 to 6 o'clock the routine business of the convention reports of the officers and departments and election of officers for the ensuing year will be transacted. Those present will lunch together at 6:15. From 7 o'clock till 8 o'clock a conference will be held on the following topics: The Exodus and the Exodus; The Country and the City School; The Duty of Each to the Other and the Best Things We Have Seen in Each; Interest in Conventions; How and Why Increase It; The Work of the Sunday School; How We May Do It; and Teachers' and Superintendents' Suggestions to Each.

It is hoped that there will be a large attendance of Sunday School workers, that the discussion on these topics may prove as interesting and helpful as possible.

It's a pity when such one drug the stomach or stimulate the Heart and Kidneys. That is all wrong! A Weak Stomach, means Stomach nerves, always. And that is also true of the Heart and Kidneys. The weak nerves are instead crying out for help. This explains why Dr. Shoop's Restorative is promptly helpful. Stomach, Heart and Kidney ailments. The Restorative reaches out for the actual cause of these ailments—the falling "inside nerves." Anybody that the Restorative 48 hours. It won't cure so soon as that, but you will surely know what help is coming. Sold by all druggists.

C. W. White, of the marine and fisheries department, Ottawa, who is at the Dufferin, is concerned in the collection of the wharfage dues of the department. He has just finished a tour of the island getting acquainted with the wharfage there. He visited Digby yesterday and will be in this city a couple of days before returning to Ottawa.

The Evening Times

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CANADA'S PROGRESS Of Canada's exceptional position among the nations the Montreal Witness says:— "The remarkable harvest now being garnered in the west will do more than immediately stimulate business. It will reiterate to the world that Canada is now the land of opportunities and therefore the place for settlers of the better class who are anxious to improve their position. We are told that thousands of immigrants from across the border are hurrying northward, while many are coming to us from the British Isles and the Continent.

PLAINGROUNDS It may be hoped that the work of surveying and laying out a great public recreation ground at the entrance to Rockwood Park, on land presented to the Park Association by Mr. Joseph Allison for that special purpose, will as Mayor Bullock intimated yesterday, be carried out. The Times has advocated such a course for several years. The editor of this paper went over the ground with an engineer, who declared that there was no serious difficulty in draining the property and converting it into a playground. Miss Mabel Peters, at the time the agitation was started to have supervised playgrounds established, paid visits to city officials and sought to interest them in the larger scheme. They were sympathetic—but busy; and nothing has been done. In her report to the Woman's Council on Sept. 8th Miss Peters referred to this scheme and the fact that Mr. G. S. Fisher had lately expressed his sympathy, and the city engineer had promised to survey the land and report upon it.

"The land," Miss Peters said, "will make a glorious model playground for hundreds of children, youths and adults. Here can be base ball diamonds, croquet lawns, tennis courts, etc.; while the overflow from Lily Lake can furnish wading pools, shower baths and canoeing creeks, and water power for gymnasium purposes.

"This in bare outline suggests what may be done, and what within the next few years should be done for the benefit of the youth of St. John.

PUBLIC OWNERSHIP The Toronto World never fails to present to its readers illustrations which come under its notice of the success of public ownership. Here is one from last Friday's issue:—"New towns occasionally make their appearance even in the old country, and it may be of interest to note what one of these has done with its public services. Nelson, a town in Lancashire, England, was incorporated in 1890 and has grown very rapidly, having now an estimated population of about 28,000. It owns its water and gas works and supplies both to outside districts with a large population. It also owns and operates its electric lighting works and street railways, and also light railways connecting the municipality with the towns of Burnley, Colne and Barrowford. Nelson alone has two large covered markets, a library, cemetery and a Midland refuse destructor. All this, no doubt, sounds very dreadful to the opponents of public ownership, but if they will just think of the town of Nelson as a company, of its citizens as shareholders, and of its council as directors with a president commonly called mayor, they may perhaps regard all these varied lines of

activity as a remarkable exhibition of private enterprise. "Now, to come to the practical question—What has the town done with its public services, extending as these do in a modern British practice far beyond the boundaries of the municipality. From the accounts for year 1907-8, referred to in a recent number of The Municipal Journal, it appears that the gas, water, electricity, street railway and light railway undertakings produced for the year under notice a trade profit of close on \$140,000. As the capital outlay on them is under \$2,500,000, the rate of profit on the investment comes out at 5.71 per cent. Nelson, however, only pays 1.2 per cent. on the amount which it has been found necessary to borrow. If the trade profits were capitalized on a 1.2 per cent. basis it would suffice to pay off not only the total loan debt, but the whole of the outstanding liabilities of the municipality. These profits, too, are reaped after making full provision for depreciation. The result is a sufficient justification of the policy pursued by the town of Nelson, which leaves it a free hand to improve and extend its public services unhampered by the attitude of antipathetic franchise holders."

TRIUMPH AND SACRIFICE Undaunted by the accident to his brother's aeroplane which resulted in serious injury to that brother and the death of his companion, Mr. Wilbur Wright yesterday ascended once more with his machine at Le Mans, France, and for over an hour add a half kept it moving in an elliptical course round and round the field, covering nearly 61 miles in one hour, thirty-nine minutes and fifty-one seconds. He at first kept close to the ground but rose later to a height of sixty feet and increased the speed. It is stated that he guided the aeroplane so easily that it went with the regularity of clock-work and the steadiness of a railroad train. It was necessary, however, to wait for a high wind to subside before he ventured to leave the ground. The machine that will defy the weather has yet to be constructed, but wonderful progress has been made during the present year in aerial navigation. It has been attended by accident, and even the loss of life, but the pioneers in the field of discovery and invention are not deterred. Of the sacrifice that is inevitably associated with the experiments, the New York American well says:—"All honor to the genius and the bravery striving to solve the problems of aerial navigation. Only by experiment and effort and sacrifice to danger can they be solved. Not only the welfare of civilization involved, but there is a race between the genius of the great nations. Unfortunately, a splendid young officer of our army lost his life, and one of the gallant Wright brothers was severely hurt in the accident to the aeroplane at Fort Myer. Sorrowful and unhappy as this accident was, nevertheless, the death and the terrible injuries were in the interest of civilization and in behalf of American prestige. No soldier falling on the field of battle was serving his country more sincerely than Lieutenant Selfridge, the young soldier of the famous fighting family, who was crushed under the wrecked machine. All honor to his memory! And in sympathizing with Orville Wright in his affliction and pain, his countrymen will thank him for his efforts to gain victory over one of the most interesting problems in the world. Opinions vary about the utility of flying machines. However, one point cannot be disputed. It is that all great achievements have come through trial and privation. The men who are risking their lives in the operation of air craft are performing a work for posterity. However defective the present machines may be, there can be no perfected air navigation in the future without their dangerous experiments. It has been the history of all great inventions of large influence on civilization that many strove, perhaps vainly—in a practical sense—until some one succeeded in seizing the right principle. Then development followed."

Making a plea for a better system for the reformation of youthful criminals the Toronto News says:—"A seventeen-year-old lad has been sentenced to two years more in prison for jail-breaking. The necessity of punishing the boy led the magistrate to regret the lack of some institution where youthful offenders could be taught a useful trade free from the contaminating association of hardened criminals. We are yet far from having arrived at a sane or humane method of handling young people guilty of first offences against the law. There is a field here for effective philanthropic effort on the part of public-spirited citizens. It is certain that were they properly taken in hand many lads could be rescued from their first excursions into a life of crime and transformed into useful members of society. The accomplishment of such a reform would be really worth while."

P. E. I. MAN DEAD IN BOSTON Boston, Sept. 22.—J. Frank Brown was found dead in his room Saturday forenoon by the landlady of a lodging house on Bedford street, South End. Medical Examiner McDonald held an autopsy and found that death was due to Bright's disease. The deceased came from Summerside, P. E. I., about twenty-five years ago and was employed as tinmith by a firm in Charlestown. He was 59 years of age. As he has no relatives in Boston, funeral arrangements are being made by the officers of American Lodge I. O. O. F.

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POLITICAL PICNIC ST. JOHN COUNTY. The Liberal Electors of the Parish of Simonds will hold a grand political reunion at the Agricultural Hall, Loch Lomond On Thursday, September 24 commencing at 10 a. m. Music and refreshments will be provided. In the afternoon HON. WM. PUGSLEY HON. H. A. McKEOWN and others will deliver addresses on the important issues now before the country. Should the weather prove unfavorable on Thursday the picnic will be held the following day.

THE FOREST FIRE. Last night there was a glimmer on the height. A mighty glow-worm in the mountain's hair. It cast a sheen—a ghostly, tree-barred light. Which quickened to a red and razzles flare. A sulter awe hung heavy on the night—Save for a wavelike rubbing from afar. A misty clouding of the evening star—And from his haunt of silence crept the bear. At dawn to-day a shower fell from heaven. The mighty glow-worm writhed and hissed and flared. The sun grew red with smoke, and Hell, the forest, breathed of disasters buried and exhumed. The cattle stood, unmused in fear, undriven. The birds sat silent 'mong the forest o'pines. All silent fell the mighty forest-lynx. And phantoms in the birches whispered "Doomed!" To-night the pall has lifted, and the dark Pades, wildly routed, to the western skies. And the east's ablaze, as ever dark Beheld in any day. The groans and cries Of forest giants, battling, shripped and stark. Against the writhing, red-eyed fiends of flame. Torture the night with horror, pain and shame. As on the yellow-hairy Demon flies To-night—the face of man is blanched with dread. To-night—the soul of man is black de-spair. He waits in hopes, then slowly turns his head. And mingles with the beasts that from Have leaped in terror and to safety sped. As in millennium, it had arisen on the night. Forgetting kind, they rush on through the night. While Hell's own banners wave upon the air. —Stephen Chalmers.

IN LIGHTER VEIN. THE EARLY PROPOSITION. The Heiress—"Oh, pap! The Earl has proposed. Papa Bigwadd—"H'm! What's his proposition?"—"Puck."

THE CERTAIN SIGN. "Do you think Putter will marry again?" "Inside of a year, I have never seen a man so incoachable over the loss of a wife."

TALKING. "It takes a baby mose' two years to learn to talk," said Uncle Eben. "An' it takes de res' of his lifetimes to learn to keep 'um talkin' 't'oo much."—Washington Star.

JOY FOR BOTH. "Dear," said Henry Peck, "I wish you would be happy. I wish you would be happy, dear, and while I am about it, I guess I'll order me some visiting cards with it on also."—Houston Post.

THEIR GAME. (Everybody's Magazine.) A lady the other day hastened to the nursery and said to her little daughter, "Minnie, when you see any shooting and screaming? Play quietly, like Tommy. See, he doesn't make a sound." "Of course he doesn't," said the little girl. "That is our game. He is papa coming home late, and I am you."

VALUABLE PIRTS. (Folkers' Statesman.) "You mean to say you ask 20 cents for one of 'em?" "Mince pie?" "I do." "Mince pie?" "Of course you can buy a mince pie anywhere for 10 cents." "I don't see why these should be worth any more than any others." "Well, I do. Why? I fellow found a gold collar button in one of these pies, yesterday."

BASBALL ITEM. The manager of a touring baseball team records this incident of a Southern trip: "hit Palm Beach one spring to play a couple of exhibitions games and the boys were so fond of the place that they doubled the management had to fix bunk in the church connected with the hotel and send a lot of men to sleep there. Along about 8 o'clock the next morning the hotel clerk came to ring furiously, and finally the clerk chased out the players over the case which the matter was. When the coach came back, the hotelman, in new if says he wants a cocktail, and."

NORTHERN CANADA. An interesting contribution to the history of travel in Northern Canada is made in an illuminated booklet issued from the press of the Cambridge Corporation of Montreal. It is titled "Glimpses of Northern Canada, the Land of Hidden Treasure," and is the work of W. Tees Curran and Dr. H. P. Adams. It is in the form of a recital of the doings of a party of Canadians last summer, their journey by canoe by way of the old Missiniqui route, north of Lake Superior to Moose factory, a distance of 329 miles, a yacht voyage up the east coast of Hudson Bay some 500 miles and finally by way of Hudson Straits to St. John's, Newfoundland. Such an expedition must naturally have offered unusual opportunities for observation in a country which even yet is comparatively little known, and that these opportunities were appreciated is apparent. The booklet gives graphic descriptions of the places through which the "Treasure Seekers" passed. It sets out in detail the possibilities of the development of the mineral, timber, agriculture and other resources of the North country and of the employment of the Hudson Bay route for transportation purposes. The Treasure Seekers speak with a warm confidence of the great natural possibilities of those portions of Northern Ontario and Northern Quebec which they traversed in their six thousand miles' jaunt. They testify to an immense wealth of soil, minerals, timber and fisheries in those regions and express the conviction that the Hudson Bay route is to be a Canadian highway to Europe. There is a great deal of interesting and valuable matter in the booklet, which is handsomely illustrated and well printed. One of the most valuable features is the map, which is presented with the book, showing all the various mineral deposits throughout the Dominion of Canada.

TALE OF AN ENGLISHMAN (Victoria Colonist.) We have spoken of the Englishman who cannot get along. Now for the other side of the picture. Here is the case of a man who called upon The Colonist and said he had arrived in the city the day before and had a wife, four children and \$4.50. Naturally he wanted work. When asked what kind of work he had been accustomed to do, he named an office employment, but added that he was strong enough to do anything, and willing to do it. He was told to go out and stop the first man he met on the street, tell him the same thing and ask for employment, and if he did not succeed in getting it to come back and report his failure, in which events he was promised two days' work. He did not come back for two months, and then to say that he was getting along very well, having done just what he was advised to do. Men who come to Canada with that kind of spirit have rarely any cause for complaint, but the man who runs away with the notion that because he comes from England he has some sort of title to have his ways and prejudices considered, and refuse to adapt himself to conditions as he finds them, is very likely to have a hard time.

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SUMMARY.

American stocks in London rallying 1-4 to 2-4 above parity.
Copper stocks in London showing improvement.
Great Northern Pfd. reg. quarterly div. of 1-34 per cent. declared.
Renewed forest fires, especially in Wis. Mich.
President issues statement attacking Foraker and Standard Oil.
Lancashire cotton mills state, involving idleness for 100,000 workmen.
Large amount of steel business held up pending result of presidential election.
Copper dealers report buying light. Canadian wheat crop moving earlier than last year.
Nat. Lead business 1-2 to 20 per cent. better than a year ago.
Illa. Cen. will elect Chicago terminals, but other railroads there will wait to see results. Average price of the active railroads has decreased 6.53 per cent. in the trading days.
President Eliot, of Harvard, strongly attacks tariff.
B. R. T. gross earnings since July 1st from \$ to 7 per cent. less than in corresponding period last year.
Topska Kas. reports trade revival in the wheat belt.
22 roads second week Sept. show average gross dec. 5.77 per cent.
12 industrial declined 36. -20 active rails declined 1.90 per cent.

N. Y. FINANCIAL BUREAU.

A sharp rally is due in the stock market. Information supports technique on this point. There was a volume trading yesterday, and it should mark a temporary culmination. We stated yesterday that renewed liquidation would be allowed to run. We also said we would not buy on weakness. The time seems to us opportune for conservative and discriminating purchases. Daily operators may safeguard with stop orders. Ten points margin now should be ample. The Roosevelt noise forecasted by us yesterday morning and which was referred to as responsible for the closing yesterday, is not, as expected, a sensational attack on Standard Oil, but a analysis shows it to be favorable, because it not only repudiates Foraker, but exposes Democratic chicanery. The Sun editorial suggests that judgment on Foraker be reserved for his explanation. Foraker is quoted in a Times article on referring to Hearst as Roosevelt's side partner, though Roosevelt denied the charge. As stated yesterday, we find conservative interests content with the present. Getting control of the fundaments the Herald says the Ann. federation of labor reports trade improvement from its various unions.
An expert in pig iron product says it has increased from 40 to 60 per cent. in three months. The same expert says the Repp. Iron Co. has started its Youngstown plant and the Carnegie works at Homestead have just started to run. The Manchester cotton market may be settled any minute owing to the strong position of the capitalists. To sum up sentiment is pessimistic, stocks have advanced 20 to 40 points and declined 10 to 25, a common-sense readjustment. Standard dividend payers are attractive even with dividend cuts. We are not infallible but we believe have bargains are now presenting themselves.

NEW YORK FINANCIAL BUREAU.

Liverpool cotton due 1-2 to 2 points higher on near and 1-2 to 1-1/2 higher on late. Opened quiet but steady 1 to 2 lower. 12:15 p.m.—Quiet net 3 1/2 to 4 lower. spot quiet 3 points decline, middlings up 5.8d. Sales 4,000 speculation and export, 300 American, 10,000 imports 14,000, including 3,000 American.
Weather—Showers occurred yesterday in the Gulf states. The Sun says the Gulf, Ga. and Fla. Showers are probable today and tomorrow in the Gulf states, Fla., Ga. and S. C.
Commercial—"It remains to be seen what Liverpool will do to the strike situation today. If Liverpool does not get more excited than it was yesterday, there may be a change of sentiment in the local market."
London 2 p.m.—Consols 86 1/8, inc. 47. 12. C. 71 3/8, Atch. 85 5/8, B. 85 1/2, C. O. 30 7/8, G. V. 5 7/8, C. P. R. 109 3/4, Erie 28 5/8, E. F. 42 1/4, Ill. 126 3/4, K. T. 92 3/4, L. N. 104 3/4, N. Y. 133 1/4, Cen. 103 3/4, O. V. 38 7/8, Pa. 120, R. G. 120 1/2, R. I. 112, S. R. 20 1/2, S. T. 99 3/4, St. 120, T. P. 151 1/2, U. S. 43 1/2, U. T. 107 3/4, W. Z. 23 7/8.

DETAILED STOCK GOSSIP.

Support is reported for N. P. toward 133 S. P. 99, U. P. 152, Lead 75, AR. 80, Loco. 41, Erie 28. They may lead in any rally. ACP, B. R. T., P. & G. M. Pac. Reading, Steel continue reactionary, but are on the edge of a sharp recovery. S. P. U. P. R. Lead N. P. and Gas are the best purchases in their class on this set-back. R. I. Pfd., M. K. T. Wis., Cen. are the best in low priced rails.
TOWN TOPICS.
We look for a weak market during early trading today, due to margin calling and further realising by those who fear the effect of the Foraker Standard Oil disclosures and a probable outlying by President Roosevelt against the Oil Trust. There has been a hurried throwing overboard of long stock in many speculative quarters and from inside sources as well and it just depends on when the market will become over-sold whether there will be any concerted effort on the part of the important interests to rally the market. We are firmly of the opinion, however, that the market is a bear market and the best profits will be found in selling stocks on rallies, rather than buying on declines. We think that N. Y. C., Atch. and Steel Common are bound for very much lower prices while the Harman stocks and Reading, which support is accorded at once, will likely suffer severe slumps in view of the

WHOLESALE MEN SEE BETTER TIMES COMING

Steady Improvement is Anticipated--Failures Not as Many as Expected--Stocks Low and People Have More Power to Buy.

(Toronto World).
Wholesale men generally regard the business situation with a feeling of hopeful optimism.
According to a gentleman who is in close touch with the wholesale centre, while there had been a falling off in business compared with last year, the outlook is for a steady improvement of 40 per cent. The fact remains, however, that the volume of business has been considerably less than a year ago. When the slump came the manufacturers curtailed production and for some months house-cleaning has been under way. The retailer has been under a great deal of stress and strain, with the result that at present the country store shelves cannot be filled.
Last year the orders were heavy. Because of the difficulty of securing early shipments, buyers were compelled to order a long time ahead and in larger quantities than they needed for their immediate output. Then there was a sudden dropping off, due to the money tightness. Extreme caution characterized business transactions. The wholesalers with heavy stocks on hand and the manufacturers stopped producing.
Now the stocks are low, but with a year of good crops the debt-paying and purchasing power of the people has been considerably increased. Commerce after all, as one business man put it, our business is done largely on credit.
One great advantage at the present time, it was remarked by another, is that the tide of immigration is still coming our way. The people are coming into the country and if the climate is not too severe, they will keep themselves going. Another factor is the enormous public works that are under way. These mean work for the

REDUCING STOCKS.

Henry Brock, of the firm of W. R. Brock & Co., said that the World's wholesale trade had been reducing their stocks and there had been no buying for the future. The fact, indicating that the wholesale men had not become panic-stricken over the falling off of business in the past year. The retailers, he said, had been cutting down their stocks, and the public were still holding back trying to get even with the retailers. The fact that the limit, spending more than was coming in, and now they are trying to get even again.
Mr. Brock, however, sees signs of a steady improvement. He thinks by the time money begins to come in from the confidence of the public will be restored, but this may not be till the spring.
It was stated that collections were better than they were a few months ago, while the exhibition crowd of buyers was large and sale satisfactory.
T. C. Irving, manager for Bradstreet's, who has recently returned from the West, informed the World that very favorable crop reports had been received from many parts of the country. One hundred million bushels of wheat in the Northwest was, he thought, a conservative estimate.

NEVER IN BAD SHAPE.

In the West, said Mr. Irving, farmers were never in bad shape. But they used up their surplus funds to add to their debts, and when a sharp crop came last year a great many of them found themselves in a hole. They had to seek the traders for help, and the traders had to stand off the wholesaler, so that a bountiful harvest ought to give the Northwest farmers a chance to square up. The crop for land, however, has been checked.
While they are optimistic now, and with some reason, this is no time for them to lose their heads and go into doubtful speculations. All over the prices, indicating that the wholesaler men are like the man who over-loaded his stomach and had to stop eating. But he soon got over it. Somebody is going hungry pretty soon and the wheels of industry will have to start grinding again.
T. C. Irving, manager for Bradstreet's, said that the West was at its down and wall over," said Mr. Irving.

FAILURES IN SIX MONTHS.

For the first half of the year—the failures throughout Canada were: the failures of 381 manufacturing concerns, 610; 610; others, 23. These figures are much in excess of the same period a year ago. The number of failures in the same period, as 1907, when there were 700 commercial failures, 100 manufacturing, 531 trading and 19 others, or 831, when the total was 1,332. The number of failures in Ontario during the first half of the year were 363 commercial failures, and 103 of 466,000, and liabilities of \$2,000,000.

MARINE NOTES

The government cruiser Constance is cruised in the Atlantic, and is expected to be at Liscomb and at Shelburne.
Pickford and Black have chartered the Norwegian steamer For, Capt. Hansen, for a couple of trips to the West Indies.
It is understood that both the Plant line steamers, the Perry and the West, will be chartered to take the mail to the coast of the Atlantic. The Perry is to go to the coast of the Atlantic, and the West is to go to the coast of the Atlantic.
The S. S. Lovastick is now loading coal at Cape Horn for the U. S. S. Albatross. The Lovastick will then proceed to Pigeon Point, where she will be taken in tow by the U. S. S. Albatross. The Lovastick is to be used for the European market. The bark "Albatross" is now at Newport to load coal for the U. S. S. Albatross.
Grand Turk, Turks Island, Sept. 20.—The Clyde line steamer Seminoe, from New York, arrived at Grand Turk, Turks Island, on Saturday evening. The Seminoe is to be used for the European market. The bark "Albatross" is now at Newport to load coal for the U. S. S. Albatross.
Early yesterday morning the Seminoe passed a bark on fire in latitude 23° N., longitude 74° W. The vessel appeared to be Norwegian, although the name could not be made out. There was no sign of life aboard.

ITEMS OF INTEREST

Millinery opening at Miss F. Pynes, 67 Broad street, Wednesday and Thursday, Sept. 23 and 24.
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MONTREAL AND BOSTON EXCURSIONS.
The Canadian Pacific Ry. are naming a rate of \$11.00 on John to Montreal and return. Tickets on sale Sept. 28th, 29th and 30th. With return limit of October 15th. Return return \$5.50. Boston and return \$10.50. Tickets on sale daily until October 16th and good for return thirty days from date of issue.
COMING AND GOING.
While three new pupils were arranging to begin their training at the Currie Business University, yesterday the secretary was arranging for the selection of six competent pupils to fill positions.
Dr. J. M. Marquis, ex-principal of Columbia school died at Bogota on Saturday.
NEW YORK COTTON.
New York, Sept. 22.—Cotton futures opened steady, September, 4.71 bid; October, 4.80 bid; December, 4.81; January, 4.82; March, 4.83; May, 4.84.

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FAMOUS MEN WERE GREAT ATHLETES IN YOUNG DAYS

Alverstone, Gladstone and Bismarck Shone Not Only in Political Limelight—Sir Chas. Dilke Can Handle an Oar—Hon. Mr. Asquith Fond of Golf.

San Francisco, Sept. 21.—Men who are authorities on things pugilistic here are declaring that the defeat of Stanley Ketchel by Bill Papke in their battle at Los Angeles on Labor Day was due indirectly to the almost constant use of the opium pipe and the fact that he lived since his arrival in this city. Ketchel's rise in fight circles was probably more spectacular than that of any other man who gained fame in the ring, and when the serious Michigan middleweight was battered down and out in twelve rounds by Papke the greatest pugilistic surprise since the defeat of John L. Sullivan by Jim Corbett was sprung.

HEAD OF M.P.A.A.A. HERE LAST NIGHT

J. C. Lithgow Talks of Sporting Matters—What He Says About the Suspension of Marathon Runners.

J. C. Lithgow, of the M. P. A. A. A., Halifax, passed through the city last evening on his return home after a pleasure trip to Woodstock. Mr. Lithgow was expected to stay a day in St. John, but he said he had to return last night on business. He told a Telegraph reporter that a number of applications for reinstatement had been received from members of the Marathon base ball team, and he had left the matter with a special committee of three and he had no doubt if the affidavits were sent that the trouble would be smoothed over all right. Their suspension was merely nominal, he said, and there was no need for making such a time about it.

SHOULD PAINT THE POLES

The New Brunswick Telephone Company are painting their poles in Main street, north end, and in drawing attention to this, a prominent citizen asks, "will some live alderman ask the St. John Railway Company to do the same with their poles? The city would be 100 per cent. better in appearance if they would do so. The street railway people, as in the past asked the common council to do certain things, the street railway people will in the future ask the common council to do certain things. Will the common council ask the street railway to make their poles presentable? They are now an eyesore.

Brain Weariness and Fatigue

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A BASEBALL GAME IN "MERRIE" ENGLAND THAT WOULD GIVE AN AMERICAN FAN A BRAIN SPERM

(Canadian Courier.) How can one ever appreciate a "one to nothing" game of baseball, after seeing 141 runs made in a single inning, in a single inning, remember—one hundred and forty-one runs! "Baseball, Liverpool Champion; Marsh Lane versus Booth St. James." This was the glowing headline that caught the eye of a disconsolate fan who a week before had left New York with a shadow on his face because he was to see no more baseball during 1908.

DISCLOSURES IN STANDARD OIL CO. SEND PRICES OFF

New York, N. Y., Sept. 20.—Decline of three to five points in prices of most of the active stocks were the result of disclosures in the Standard Oil Company, which ended in demoralization of the market. A plunge of prices down to a point which had not been reached since the sharp break on Saturday, which brought in scattered outside liquidation, was the result of the disclosures. A number of powerful capitalists supposed to be interested in the speculative position brought prices down to a point which had not been reached since the sharp break on Saturday, which brought in scattered outside liquidation, was the result of the disclosures.

ENGINEER NICE IMPROVING

Asa Nice, of Carleton, returned yesterday from Port Arthur, where he went to see his brother, Judson Nice, C.P.R. engineer, who had been injured in a railway accident. He reports his brother improving and now out of danger.

ONTARIO MERCHANT HELD UP AND ROBBED

Toronto, Sept. 21.—Twenty-four hundred dollars were taken from N. Scheinman, merchant at Vermilion Bay, last night by two armed desperadoes. One held Scheinman with a revolver, and the other man rifled the cash register. The men then made their escape after firing two shots at a group of townspeople who had responded to the alarm given by Scheinman and started in pursuit.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Yesterday was the tenth anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. J. Cecil Mitchell and the occasion was marked by the invitation of their home in Douglas lane last evening by a party of twenty friends. Though unexpected, they were warmly welcomed and a very pleasant evening was spent.

KETCHEL'S DEFEAT IS ASCRIBED TO OPIUM

Alleged That the Michigan Whirlwind Was Wont to "Hit Pipe"—Autos and High Life Made Him Easy Money for Papke, it is Alleged. At a time when there is a tendency to decrier athletics on account of the assertion that the craze for physical exercise is retarding the mental development of the rising generation, it may be interesting to mention a few distinguished men who have owed their fame as much to the fitness of their bodies as to the greatness of their intellect.

INTERESTING MATCH RACES AT MOOSEPATH

A number of local horsemen who went out to Moosepath yesterday saw Alton Aggar's mare Beattie P. take two good match races in straight heats.

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THIS EVENING

Boston Opera Singers present "Faust" at the Opera House. Trip to Coney Island at the Nickel. Brotherhood of Railway Employees meet in Foresters Hall, to hear address from Robert T. Neil of Boston. Thistle Curling Club meets at 7.30 in their rooms. Joint meeting of St. John Typographical Union and Pressmen's Union at 6.45 o'clock.

LATE LOCALS

The new T. M. C. A. building will be opened about Nov. 10.

S. S. Lake Erie arrived at Liverpool at 11 o'clock today.

A meeting of the Brooks ward Conservative club will be held in their rooms this evening.

The members of the Thistle Curling Club are requested to attend a meeting in their rooms this evening at 7.30 o'clock.

In the county court this morning, before Judge Forbes, the application of the Hampstead Steamship Co. was deferred until Thursday.

The Furness Line steamship Shenandoah, Captain Healey, sailed this morning for London via Halifax with a general cargo, including a large shipment of deals.

During the loud crash of thunder yesterday a number of persons using the telephone received severe shocks. A man in the North End was nearly knocked cold.

The steamer Calvin Austin, Captain Pike, arrived at 9 o'clock this morning from Boston direct, and landed 216 passengers. Among the last were a number of tourists and sportsmen.

The Dominion dredge, W. S. Fielding, is doing good work these days digging out the old channel at the mouth of the harbor so that the winter port steamers will be able to come in at any time of tide.

Miss Jeanne M. Fowles, who has charge of the Victoria playground in the manual training booth at exhibition, will be pleased to have the boys and girls who own work to do at 288 Brunsel street for their property.

Call Policeman Crawford acted as mediator in a woman's quarrel on Erin street yesterday afternoon in apartments occupied by Mrs. Dunham when she attempted to prevent Mrs. Samuel Nowlan a boarder from removing her clothes.

On Sept. 7 at Boston Frank Brogan of St. John, now residing in Boston, was wedded to Miss M. Foley, of West St. John. Miss May Toomey of Boston, was bridesmaid and J. Otty Titus, another former resident of this city, acted as best man. The happy couple will reside in the Hub.

The age limit for membership in the Young Liberals' Association has been fixed at eighteen to thirty-seven years. The committee appears for each establishment, have been reported by the police. They are Pendleton & Harding, who conduct the real estate offices on Mill street and Charles O'Neill and George Coyle, with stores on Main street.

Three North End pool room proprietors who have not complied with the new bye laws respecting licenses for such establishments, have been reported by the police. They are Pendleton & Harding, who conduct the real estate offices on Mill street and Charles O'Neill and George Coyle, with stores on Main street.

Eight of the cups and two of the medals to be awarded at the Every Day Club road races and sports on Oct. 10th are now displayed in the window of Oak Hall, King street. Three more cups will be there tomorrow and several more medals are to come. All the prizes are cups or medals, and the series is the finest ever offered at athletic sports in this city.

It is generally expected that there will be a large list of entries for the road race. The special cup for the fastest novice in the 10-mile race will tend to encourage new competitors in such events. There are three medals for the five mile race for youths 18 and under. The first prize for every event will be a cup. There should be 100 entries in the dashes (100, 200 and 400 yards), as well as in the broad and high jump and pole vault. Entries should be sent to the Secretary, Every Day Club, Box 24, St. John, before Thursday, Oct. 8th.

PROBATE COURT

In the estate of Mary H. Colburn, widow. The deceased died Feb. 2, 1872. Upon the application of Mrs. Cora A. Ferris, administration was granted on 21st of July last, to her son-in-law, Francis Kerr. Since the issue of the letters of administration, a daughter, Mrs. Warren, of Dorchester, Mass., has produced a will, dated 27th of January, 1872, witnessed by the late police magistrate Tapley and by one Newton Reynolds now residing in Everett, Mass., whereby she gave her household properties to her two daughters and appointed Herbert A. Reynolds and Thomas Bagnal, executors. The latter having since died the first named executor asks to prove the will, but a caveat being filed, citation is issued returnable Wednesday, 26th of October, to prove the will in solemn form, to show cause why a commission should not issue to take the evidence of Newton Reynolds and why the letters of administration granted should not be revoked. No realty, personal estate, \$200. W. Watson Allen, K.C., proctor.

In the estate of Mary Strain. Citation returnable to pay the accounts. On application of Cyrus F. Inches acting for Homer D. Forbes, proctor, the hearing in this matter is postponed until Monday, the 10th of October next, at 11 a.m.

THE FOOTBALL TEAMS.

The Carleton intermediate football team will practice in full uniform this evening on Market Square at 6 o'clock.

The Algonquins will practice this evening on the Shamrock grounds from 5 to 7 o'clock.

PERSONALS

Miss Marguerite Hanlon, of Fredericton, who has been visiting Miss Mary McGowan, returned home this morning.

Mrs. Margaret Stephens, of Waterloo street, was a passenger on the Calvin Austin Saturday evening. She will visit friends in Boston for a few days and will then go to New York.

J. B. Connolly and R. L. Lavoie of Moncton have returned home.

Mrs. E. Ganell, Mrs. Dawson, Mrs. Geary and Miss Beatrice Cuthbertson returned to Moncton on Monday.

J. Bell of the Amherst branch of the Royal Bank is visiting in the city.

Urbain Johnson, M.P.P. and George O'Leary left on Saturday for Richibucto.

Miss Edith James has arrived from Richibucto to resume her vocal studies.

R. F. Stupart, director of the Canadian Meteorological service, arrived in the city today.

S. D. Scott arrived at noon today from Ottawa.

Sir Frederick W. Borden, minister of militia, passed through the city at noon today enroute to Canning, N. S., his home. Sir Frederick will address meetings in his province. Hon. W. S. Fielding will accompany Hon. William Patterson in a tour of Ontario.

CELEBRATION OF JEWISH NEW YEAR

Rosh Hashemo Will be Celebrated by all Jews all Over the World Commencing at Sundown on Friday Next.

With the disappearance of the sun behind the horizon on Friday, September 25, is ushered in the observance of Rosh Hashemo, the Jewish New Year, which is celebrated with much devotion by Hebrews all over the world.

Rabbi Bernard L. Amdur, of the Hazen avenue synagogue, has supplied the Times with the following information about the approaching observance:

The observance of New Year (Rosh Hashemo) on the first day of (Tishri) as a most solemn day next to the day of atonement, is principally based upon the traditional law to which the term (Zikaron) is attached. I Lev. 23:24, it commands the Israelites in the following verse, "In the seventh month (Tishri) on the first day of the month shall you have a Sabbath, a memorial day, a holy convocation."

The celebration of the awe-inspiring feast day has no bearing upon historical events. It is devoid of occurrences of any national or political nature, and is a purely and inherent distinction of its own.

With the New Year a wide range is represented to us, close and beguiling, destruction and renewal. It teaches that nothing on earth is stationary or unchangeable, it extends before us that the wheels of time never cease revolving, they perform their allotted task day by day and year by year, and all transition of events tell that there is a supreme being who regulates our existence and sends us to each of its allotted portion and share. Our lives of years also assert that on this day the means of sustenance are apportioned for the ensuing year, as if destined our needs and losses. New Year then, is a call for meditation, to look backward and forward, as well as in secular affairs, between man and man, every close and opening of another year finds us busy and active, all our plans and transactions inspired into, profit and loss estimated, the balance computed. Thus, as we are more than mere flesh and blood, having within us an immortal soul formed in the image of the artificer, we are accountable to the Creator for the transaction of our life, and we are on this day to compute our mental accounts of the past and strike the balance. If any shortcomings to adjust in the future averting thereby moral bankruptcy. To undo the past, to infuse a pure and noble atmosphere into our surroundings, to extend a right hand of support to our dependents, and to elevate the state of our fellow-men and citizens.

With much devotion the Hebrews of the world over celebrate New Year (Rosh Hashemo) with sacred ceremony, conveying sentiments of solemnity and inspiration, special prayers and sacred hymns are adopted for the occasion. This year it occurs on Saturday, Sept. 26, commencing the services on the preceding eve, and continues two days.

Services will be conducted ceremoniously in the Hazen avenue synagogue on Friday night by their rabbi, Bernard L. Amdur. A lecture will be delivered by the rabbi on the subject, "The Mental Product of the Human Machine."

WILL GO TO WOLFVILLE

Quincy, Sept. 22.—Rev. E. D. Webber, for the past six years pastor of the First Baptist Church of the Wolfville district, on Sunday road to Wolfville, N. S., to take effect Oct. 18, in order that he may accept a call to the Baptist church at Wolfville, N. S.

Many students of Acadia College attend the Wolfville church, and this pastoral offer an opportunity for work among men which is especially attractive to Mr. Webber.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

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WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEWORK. Apply 15 Simons street, between 7 and 8 p. m. 2018-11

WANTED—YOUNG LADY COMPOSITOR. W. W. H. UNDERHILL, 13 39th Street. 2011-11

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