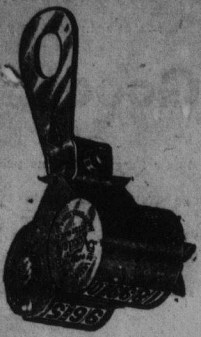


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It is computed that the average man speaks in the course of a year 11,000,000 words. In the bay of Apia, in Samoa, a surveying party has discovered 453 distinct species of fish. The population of Sweden is 4,150,000, or almost identical with that of London.

St. John, N. B., June 15, 1903.

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KING PETER

Karagorjevitch Has Been Elected to the Throne.

Queen Draga Made Herself Feared and Hated and is Blamed for Her Own Ruin.

(Paris cor. New York Herald.) PARIS, June 12.—Princess G. Karagorjevitch, who lives with her nephews, Prince Alexis and Prince Botjar at No. 3 Square du Bois de Boulogne, is of the opinion that one must seek in Roumania or Macedonia for the sources of the revolutionary movement in Serbia.

Prince Botjar, however, did not take this view. "I do not have to do with politics," he said, "but as you ask for my opinion do not hesitate to declare that I consider Queen Draga as the cause of what has happened.

"One does not with impunity raise to a rank a woman whose past is far from being without reproach or without stain. Mme. Maschin was well known, and what was known was not to her credit. She lived a scandalous and disorderly life in Vienna. I could tell you much on that subject and bring you irrefutable testimony of allegations. But what is the good of doing so? What would be the good of repeating what everybody knew, especially in Serbia?

QUEEN DRAGA'S FAULT.

"In that country Mme. Maschin, after she became queen, first made herself feared then hated. There were no vexations she did not inflict on her entourage, no reverence which she did not take for the smallest peccadillo. She dismissed any functionary who happened to displease her, whether his rank was high or low. She struck right and left without reason and without pity.

"One day she would humiliate a lady for not kissing her hand as she expected her to do. Another day she would bring ruin on the family of some small functionary because the mother had not shown enough respect in the greeting. The salary of the father was stopped and the children dismissed from school where they were being educated. One of the ones who displeased her was punished, dismissed and exiled.

"Mme. Maschin was handsome and a queen. She had enough fortune and power. She wanted something else—public consideration. This was asking too much and she became unpopular.

"As regards King Alexander, he was only an instrument in the hand of this bold autocratic woman. He was weak and incapable. A doctor who treated him at Biarritz declared that in France his state of intellect would not have allowed of his being passed for military service.

"I consider, therefore, that the young king has fallen a victim to the just unpopularity of his wife. He could not resist her will, and his culpable weakness was his ruin. Remember the words of the Bible: 'He who lives by the sword shall perish by the sword.'

THE KARAGORJEVITCHS PERSECUTED.

"My family suffered as cruelly as any family could. My grandfather was assassinated. Seventeen of the family have been executed without judgment and certain of them have been tortured. We were drowned in blood. Such offences must be expiated sooner or later.

"I see your brother, Prince Alexis, in Paris?" asked the correspondent.

"No, he ought to be at Vienna."

"And your cousin, Prince Peter?"

"Prince Peter was at Geneva a fortnight ago and may be there still, but may also have gone over to Serbia. In any case he is a brave man. He is fifty-eight years of age. You know that he left the Ecole de Saint-Cyr in 1867 and entered the foreign legion. He took an honorable part in the war of 1870, in the French ranks as a captain."

"At this instant Princess Karagorjevitch interrupted Prince Botjar to ask if the names of the persons killed in the inners were known. He is not a man who is to be trifled with."

"When it was stated that it was reported that the king and queen and the latter's sister were among the killed the princess burst into tears and said:

"The queen and her sister? Ah, one sees it was that woman who let loose these desires of vengeance. She had exasperated everybody. When her marriage was announced I felt it so much I fell ill."

"You are wrong to take it so much to heart," observed Prince Botjar. "She only merited our contempt. What astonishes me, however, is that she did not see the state of things she was bringing about in Serbia by her odious and arbitrary acts. Did she not try to have her brother proclaimed successor to the throne? And this brother when he entered a place of public entertainment, did he not insist that everybody should rise and that the orchestra should play the national anthem?"

"I seem to be recounting an opera when I speak of these things, but this opera is in Serbia because a drama, and now you know the denouement."

At this instant Princess Karagorjevitch and her cousin, M. Neva-devitch remained in close consultation until 4 o'clock this morning. Late last night Prince Peter telegraphed to a friend at Vienna asking him if it would be wiser to traverse Vienna secretly or to announce his arrival. Prince Peter is prepared to start for Belgrade immediately on receipt of the announce-

THE CIRCUS.

Big Crowds Visited the Grounds this Morning.

This is the day of the year. A circus is in town, and so is a big portion of the county population. Gallions of pink lemonade will flow, tons of peanuts will be devoured and you will get your right change back—if you count it. It is the same old game—the greatest show on earth, grander and greater than ever to be enjoyed by children and old folk alike.

The fountain of youth is the circus; at least, that's the way it's written in the story book. In the philosophy of children, this is no myth. To be convinced, let the eyes go out to the Marsh Bridge, where rises the city of tents. Here are sights that will send your sluggish blood tingling, will make you wish to be young again, just for today. If it doesn't, you're a dead one, for fair.

Sunday at the circus! The picturesque canvasman is not popularly supposed to bear even a very remote relation to the Sabbath, but here is one vocation, in which the rest of the seventh day comes as one of the best blessings incident to the summer's hard work. The men and the boys look their ease, the curious throng gathered around and drank in the unusual sights. The kaleidoscope presented by the men circling in bewilderment around the performance under the tent, where thousands watch with amazement the feats of agility and daring, will not surpass in point of genuine interest those which are enacted on Sunday around the big show.

The wild abandon of the youngsters was one of the chief terrors supplied. The red lemonade fairy, the white-faced clown, and the fairy in short skirts were not there, but the Sunday show was not dull for a minute.

The spectacle of a big show at rest is a very definite idea of the way the machinery is played; where you see the machinery that moves the sights you will witness inside the big tent.

It is a small army of men that contribute to this moving city, and they must be trained in every domestic art, as well as industrial pursuit. The trick party must have his duplicate in the myriad of work-horses that the spectators are supposed to know nothing about, and the tumbler cannot amuse until the trained corps of canvasmen have made secure every rope and every timber.

So with the dainty mimes of untold summer, not a single winter, whose tinsel and bells, and acrobatic turns on the splendid ring horse provoke so much applause—his, too, must be but a part of a practical, well arranged force of energetic people.

Early this morning thousands were on the move all anxious to see the circus parade and all were happy when the pageant passed by. There were two elephants, three lions and innumerable other attractions. One spruce-looking horse and a finer looking trot never walked the streets of this city.

ROBERT OF LINCOLN.

By William O'Brien Bryant.

Merrily swinging on briar and weed,
Near the mountain side and the dale,
Over the mountain side and the dale,
Robert of Lincoln is telling his name;

Spink, spunk, spink,
Sung and safe is the nest of ours,
Hidden away in the hollow of a tree,
Chee, chee, chee.

Robert of Lincoln is easily dressed,
Wearing a bright, black wadding coat;
White as the snow on the mountain crest,
Hear him call in his merry note:

Spink, spunk, spink,
Look what a nice new coat is mine!
Sure there's a bird so fine,
Chee, chee, chee.

Robert of Lincoln's Quaker wife,
Pretty and quiet, with plain brown
Passing at home a patient life,
Broods in the grass while her husband
sings:

Spink, spunk, spink,
Hood, hood, hood, hood, not fear
Thieves and robbers while I am here,
Chee, chee, chee.

Modest and shy as a sun is she;
One wide chirp is her only note;
Braggart, and prince of braggers is he,
Pouring boasts from his little throat:

Spink, spunk, spink,
Never was afraid of man,
Catch me when you see me if you can,
Chee, chee, chee.

Six white eggs on a bed of hay,
Flicked with purple, a pretty sight;
Robert is singing with all his might:
Spink, spunk, spink,

Spink, spunk, spink,
Nice good wife that never sees out,
Keeping her little frolic about,
Chee, chee, chee.

Soon as the little ones chirp the shell
Six wide mouths are open for food;
Robert of Lincoln best him well,
Gathering seeds for the hungry brood.

Spink, spunk, spink,
This new life is likely to be
Hard for a gay young fellow like me,
Chee, chee, chee.

Robert of Lincoln at length is made
Sober with work and silent with care;
Off in his holiday garment laid,
He'll be seen, and we sing as he goes:

Spink, spunk, spink,
When you see me old man, old strain,
Robert of Lincoln, come back again,
Chee, chee, chee.

Summer was; the children are grown;
Fun and frolic no more he knows;
Robert of Lincoln's hum-drum croon:
Of his life, and we sing as he goes:

Spink, spunk, spink,
When you see me old man, old strain,
Robert of Lincoln, come back again,
Chee, chee, chee.

Spink, spunk, spink,
Nobility knows but my mate and I,
Where our nest and our nestlings lie,
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RAINING AGAIN.

Only One Test Race Was Finished Last Week.

And Again the Yachts Are Prevented from Competing by Bad Weather.

NEW YORK, June 15.—After the somewhat unsatisfactory attempts at racing off the Sandy Hook last week, with only one finished race in four trials, the crews of the three cup yachts did not view the resumption of the contests in the Sound today in a driving northeast rain storm with any great degree of complacency. It was hoped last night that the thunder storm which swept the Sound would clear the air, and give the big yachts, as well as several schooners and small sloops which had entered for today's event, the annual Glen Cove regatta of the N. Y. Yacht club, a chance to try conclusions in good weather. But early in the morning the wind shifted over into the north east and by the time the crews had finished breakfast the rain was coming down in sheets.

BARR TO FOUND ANOTHER COLONY.

Says He Will Return to England for More People for Canada.

(Bathford Herald, June 8.) Where a few weeks ago there stood a couple of hundred bell-shaped tents, containing part of the British colony, there are today less than a dozen, and within the next few days nearly all the remaining Britishers, who have for various reasons not located, are now on lands which they have homesteaded. Many have small crops of potatoes and cabbages, while others who delayed locating are now moving out their heavily-laden wagons to their new homes.

Probably the most striking feature of the whole movement is the degree of perseverance shown by the new settlers. Despite troubles and trials brought on by being badly advised by the promoters of the colony, and weather as disagreeable as could be imagined, the people have, with the exception of two or three, all remained and braved the worst to reap the best.

Almost every difficulty in the way of the Britishers has now been removed and the department of the interior is to be congratulated in the able manner they rescued the sinking ship from destruction and put it afloat to glide on through years of prosperity as the picture of living in western Canada was first painted.

In order to look into the matter relative to establishing new post offices in the country as well as enlarging the capacity of the present ones, Post Office Inspector McLeod, of Winnipeg, arrived in the town last week. In company with C. W. Spears, he left on Saturday for the original Barr colony reserve, where a portion of the new settlers are yet located. It is the intention of Mr. Spears to have all those of ordinary means to return to Bathford in order that they can take up land nearer this place and be in a position to buy necessities at a lower rate than where they are now situated.

Mr. Barr is now camped two miles from the town. He has informed a number of people that he will leave for England in a month to bring out a colony for Vermillion River. His undertakings will be "quicker" by many of those who he has recently brought over.

Jno. Barr has taken over the transport service.

A sprinting contest, which promises to be a lively event, takes place on the Shamrock grounds at seven o'clock this evening. Elbridge Eatman, the colored sprinter, will give Dan Kiley a three yard handicap in a hundred yards dash. Both runners are confident of winning. The race is for \$50 a side.

Mrs. R. A. Christie will receive her friends at 115 Victoria street on Wednesday and Thursday, 17th and 18th.

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TO LET—Furnished rooms, without board. Apply to MISS NOWLIN, 57 Wellington street.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET—At 117 Elliott Row. Cheap rent. Apply on premises.

TO LET—From 1st May seat that very comfortable, self contained dwelling house, now occupied by George H. Horton, Esq., No. 185 Gormley street, corner Horoback, containing 8 rooms, bath room, heat and cold water, etc. Can be seen on Wednesday and Saturday afternoons. Apply to W. TREMAYNE GARD, 4 King street.

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WANTED—A young man. Apply to the D. F. BROWN CO. Ltd.

WANTED—Two agents for the largest wholesale importing house in this line in Canada. Every family customer. Anyone can make sales. Best inducement. Three good solicitors. Situation given to beginners. Steady employment. Yearly contract. New proposition. COOPER, 33-4 Clarkson street, London.

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WANTED—A First Class Barber. Apply at once to C. M. GIBBS, Victoria Hotel Barber Shop.

GENERAL AGENTS WANTED in each town for special agencies. Insurance, life, fire, accident and reliable insurance business. Liberal terms to general man. Write Box 27, Montreal.

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WANTED—A girl for general housework. W. H. STIRLING.

WANTED—Capable girl at once. Good wages. Apply 150 Brunswick street.

WANTED—Girl wanted for general housework. No washing. Apply at No. 39 Leinster street.

WANTED—Cost makers wanted. Apply to JAMES McLENNAN, West End.

WANTED—Paint Makers. Steady work at A. R. CAMPBELL & SON, 64 Gormley street.

To the Dr. Martin Coy—Gentlemen, Having had occasion to use

BIDDY MARTIN'S EXTRACT. I find it does all you claim for it.

Yours respectfully, JOSEPH BELL, Horsefield St., St. John, N. B.

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MISCELLANEOUS.

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BOARDERS WANTED—3 or 4 men can be accommodated with board and pleasant rooms at 201 Union street. MRS. C. GIBBS.

WANTED—Work by the month by a woman willing to work. Apply to No. 1 White street (off Waterloo).

The subscriber wishes to inform Sunday school officials of societies, tourists and the public generally that his grounds at Crystal Beach, better known as "Day's Landing," are ready for engagement for picnic and private parties. A new wharf has been built, at which steamboats call, and is provided with all modern conveniences, and is one of the best equipped landing places on the St. John river. Terms reasonable. Address J. A. H. DAY, Land's End, Kings Co., N. B.

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FOR SALE—P. E. I. Black Mare, 5 years old, a splendid roader. Also Harness and Rubber tired Gladstone Carriage, as good as new. Apply at MORGAN'S LIVERY STABLE, King Square.

FOR SALE—One 1/4 in. Pine Door, 6ft. 6in. by 2 ft. 4 in., with 2 glass panels. Apply Sun Printing Co., St. John.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—A quantity of revolver or rifle ammunition. No. 45 Colls. Apply to CRACK SHOT, Star office.

FOR SALE—An lamp, complete, nearly new. Apply to Sun Printing Co.

FOR SALE—A quantity of steam pipes and iron, fifty-six pound weights. Apply at Sun Office, St. John.

FOR SALE—A Metal Furnace, capacity about 500 pounds. It has brick lining, with smoke and ventilating pipes complete. Apply Sun Printing Company, St. John.

MARRIAGES.

CHESLEY-HOLDER.—At the home of the bride's father, George Holder, Main street, by Rev. David Long, on June 15th, Orlando W. Chesley to Edith May Holder.

DEATHS.

FLYNN.—In this city, June 12th, Joseph, fifth son of Patrick and Catherine Flynn. Funeral notice hereafter.

EASTERBROOKS.—At Brunswick House, Sackville, N. B., June 7th, Jane Lacroix, widow of the late George Butler Easterbrooks, aged 84.

WACKENZIE.—Suddenly, at Washington, D. C., on June 12, Julia Agnes Mackenzie, aged 23 years, eldest daughter of Jessie and the late William M. Mackenzie of St. John, N. B.

Funeral on Monday, 15th, at Washington, D. C.

THE WISH BONE.

She was a long time thinking
What her wish should be;
He almost grew impatient,
So long considered she.
For she had many wishes,
And he had but only one,
It took him but a moment
To get his wishing done.
But by and by, she pulled it,
And Fortune was his friend;
He was a happy mortal,
For he had the longest end.
But she was not unlucky,
For when the reckoning came
It somehow dawned upon them
That they had wished the same.
—The Cooking Club.

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CARE OF THE INSANE.

As the position of superintendent of the institution for the insane has not been accepted by Dr. Emery, the names of various other local doctors have been mentioned in this connection. It is pretty safe to say that not one of those men is qualified by training or experience. Physicians do not acquire by instinct the knowledge needed for the treatment of insanity. Yet an ordinary physician, who would not think of taking charge of a dentist's practice, and would not be thought of for the management of an eye and ear hospital is apparently considered competent for the superintendence of a hospital for the insane, though he has no more experience as an alienist than he has as a dentist or oculist.

In taking charge of a home for lunatics an incompetent man is to some extent protected by the fact that his errors cannot be easily discovered, and that the adverse opinion of his patients may not prevail against him. But these conditions are themselves reasons for the exercise of great care in making the appointment. The superintendent of the hospital is entrusted with the lives and health of four or five hundred patients, who are in a special degree helpless. They have no voice in the selection of their physician. Their testimony against his capacity would not be accepted even by their nearest friends. They cannot get away from the place. These men and women, suffering from a malady far worse than any purely physical infirmity, exposed to the danger of permanent loss of reason, have a right to expect the ministrations of at least one expert physician, specially trained for this particular vocation. There is no excuse for a failure to require this qualification. Institutions for the care and cure of insane persons are found in all civilized countries. A man who intends to become an alienist has no difficulty in securing the instruction and experience required for such special practice. It ought to be possible for the government to find a man who has had this training. He may come high, but it is not right to appoint an unskilled man because he is cheaper. No ship owner would send a vessel to sea in charge of a tailor or shoemaker for the sake of saving something in running expenses. If the retirement of Dr. Hetherington had been contemplated some two or three years ago, it would have been well to select his successor then, nominating some capable young doctor and sending him abroad for a long course of study and experience. Perhaps that would be the best thing to do now. No doubt the offer of a liberal salary would secure the services for a few years of a trained alienist, who could fill the position until the permanent officer had completed his preparation. It may well be that a clever young man, who would be willing to devote say three years to special preparation for this special work might expect larger pay than that of the last superintendent. But given equal natural gifts he would be a much more effective officer and the institution under his care would be much more useful.

THE POSITION OF SERVIA.

The assassins of the King and Queen of Serbia have offered the throne to KaraGeorgevich, and he has signified his acceptance. This Kara George is likely to have a lonely court for some time to come. He can hardly expect other nations to recognize him even as a de facto sovereign. While other nations might not have interfered with the domestic affairs of Serbia in case there had been a revolution accompanied by civil war, they must take notice of this brutal midnight murder of a lawful king and of his defenceless wife.

AN ACT OF GRACE.

Mr. Fielding speaking for the government, has stated that the country is under no moral or legal obligation to give compensation for their losses to the Chignecto Marine Railway investors. If such allowance were made he held that it would be an act of grace and nothing else. It is reported that this act of grace will be performed to the extent of \$500,000.

AN ACT OF GRACE.

The Telegraph speaks of this claim as "a legacy of tory rule." This is a contradiction of Mr. Fielding's contention that there is no legacy in the case.

A PORTLAND CONTROVERSY.

A Portland contemporary says that the overwhelming defeat of Mr. Chaplin's motion against the repeal of the grain duties must have been a cruel disappointment to Mr. Chamberlain. Seeing that Mr. Chamberlain is one of the ministers who proposed the repeal, and that he was one of the members who voted with the majority, he will, perhaps, bear the defeat with cheerfulness. There was no imperial preference in Mr. Chaplin's motion.

PEOPLE ARE NOW REMARKING THAT IT HAS BEEN A REMARKABLY WET SEASON.

Human beings have a short memory for weather.

SPORTING NEWS.

THE RING.

The Halifax Record of Saturday says: Great interest is being taken in Tuesday's bout at the Armouries between Englishman, George, and Donovan of H. M. S. Arlaine. The records of the men, as given by each of the contestants, are as follows:

JAMES DORAN.

Knocked out Jim Clarke, Dublin, middleweight champion of Ireland, two rounds.
Knocked out Tim Sullivan, third round.
Knocked out B. Knowles, one round.
Knocked out Con Frampton, four rounds.
Knocked out J. Keogh, eight rounds.
Knocked out T. Goss, five rounds.
Knocked out D. Harrington, R. N., eight rounds.
Knocked out T. Lidstone, R. N., six rounds.

HARRY SNELLING.

Beat Lachapelle, Quebec, three rounds, 1893.
Knocked out LeClair for welterweight championship, Quebec, in one round, 1890.
Knocked out LeClair, five rounds, 1891.
Lost to Cockburn, H. M. S. Crescent, six rounds.
Draw with Allen, of Ottawa.
Won from Harrington, R. N., ten rounds, 1902.
Knocked out Power, seven rounds.
Knocked out Jack Kennedy, five rounds.
Knocked out Boutlier, five rounds, 1903.
Beat Jack Dwyer, Boston.
Knocked out Tim Harrington, Boston.
Lost to Cub White, Philadelphia, eight rounds, Boston.
Beat Manuel, Berlin, N. H.
Beat Fred Vanuch, Chicago, six rounds.
Beat Dan Littlejohn, ten rounds.
Draw with Powers, Berlin, N. H., ten rounds.
Jack Powers will act as referee and it is understood that Dan Littlejohn will challenge the winner at the ring side.

BASE BALL.

ALERTS, 12 ROSES, 5.

There was a good crowd at the Shamrock grounds Saturday afternoon to witness the Alerts defeat the Roses, 12 to 5. The playing of the Alerts was good, while the Roses did not show up in their usual form. The heavy hitting of the Alerts and costly errors made by the Roses, caused the victory for the Reds. Donovan, the new importation for the Roses, was in the box, and although he was hit for 13 he did not do too badly as his support was not as good as it might have been. He had two errors, but made up for them by cracking a nice home run over the left field fence.

For the Alerts Phalen pitched his first Saturday game of the season and was quite steady. In the first inning each side scored.

In the second the Roses were blanked, while the Alerts scored three.

In the fourth the Roses got another run, and a third in the fifth.

The Roses were blanked in the sixth, but the Alerts had every man to bat, making four runs. The Alerts were blanked in the seventh, while the Roses obtained one more run—Donovan's homer.

The Alerts blanked the Roses in the eighth and piled up four rounds for their own use. Errors and hard hitting were the cause.

The Roses failed to score in the ninth and the Alerts won the game with an inning to spare.

Donovan is the official umpire for the St. John Amateur League, officiated, and was very satisfactory.

ALERTS.

Taylor, R. H. P. O. A. E.
Goode, 2nd, 5 1 1 1 3 0 0
Britt, 1st, 1 1 0 5 2 0 0
Hayes, c, 1 2 2 2 2 1 0
McDermott, 3rd, 1 1 0 5 2 0 0
Johnson, 2nd, 5 0 4 1 5 2 0
Pinker, rf, 1 0 2 0 0 0 0
White, cf, 1 0 2 0 0 0 0
Phelan, p, 3 1 1 2 1 2 1
40 12 13 27 16 2

ROSES.

Thibbitts, 2nd, 5 1 1 0 2 2 2
Dunn, p, 1 1 0 5 2 0 0
Friars, 1st, 3 1 1 0 0 1 0
Finmore, ss, 4 1 2 0 0 1 1
Howe, 2nd, 1 1 0 5 2 0 0
Wald, c, 1 1 0 0 0 0 0
McFarlane, cf, 1 0 2 0 0 0 0
Willis, rf, 1 0 2 0 0 0 0
Flavel, rf, 4 0 1 1 0 0 0
34 5 8 24 10 6

SCORE BY INNINGS.

Roses 0 1 2 1 0 0 0—5
Alerts 1 3 0 0 4 0 4—12

SUMMARY—Shamrock grounds, Saturday afternoon, June 13, 1908—Alerts 12, Roses 5.

Two base hits, Thibbitts, Gritt, McDermott, Phelan. Three base hits, Goode, McFarlane, Willis. Taylor, McDermott, Phelan. Double plays, Friars to Howe, unassisted. Bases on balls, by Donovan, 4; by Phelan, 4. Struck out by Donovan 5; by Goode, McDermott, White, ss. 3; by Pinker; by Phelan 2; by Finmore and Howe. Time of game one hour 45 minutes. Umpire, Geo. McDermott.

SHIRETOWN OF ALBERT.

The fire at Hopewell Cape which destroyed the county court house has probably cost that village its position as the shiretown of Albert. When the court house was built there were no railways in the county and the Cape was not only one of the most important centres, but the most easily accessible. It is now somewhat isolated, having no railway connection, while larger towns have grown up and assumed the commercial supremacy. Hillsboro is putting forward a claim for the new county building.

LAST NIGHT'S FIGHT.

In connection with the trouble on Hanover and Erin street last night the police have secured the names of Frank Ritchie, Jas. Taylor, Oberne McBride and Frank Arsenault and it is expected that information will be made against them by Thomas French and Silas George, two of the Assyrians who were assaulted.

Attorney-General Fugley arrived here from Ottawa by the C. P. R. on Saturday.

BRIDGE VS. FERRY.

To the Editor of the Star:

Mr.—I see by a recent issue of your paper that in discussing the relative merits of an improved ferry service and a bridge across the harbor, one gentleman gave it as his opinion that the proposed bridge would do away altogether with any necessity for a ferry steamer at all, and that there was little use in considering any improvement in that direction.

Now, I think there are many Carleton people who will disagree very heartily with this statement, and, who although they would very glad to see a bridge built, would be even more pleased to have an up-to-date ferry service, such as a city of the size and importance of St. John should have. For many reasons this should be remembered:

(1) Because the bridge, if built across Navy Island, while proving very convenient for the residents of that end of Carleton would be exceedingly out of the way for those living on the Point, Blue Rock (so called) and on the heights in the direction of the Bay Shore. Their walk will thus be greatly lengthened while it is already, in most cases, considerable distance from some of these localities to the ferry boats.

(2) Because in winter as it is now and as it would be should the ferry be continued, there is a chance to get a little shelter from the cold and from the heavy storms in the ferry waiting rooms and on the trip across the harbor, whereas, if one were compelled to go by the bridge there would not only be no such shelter, but one would also be the cold walk across the bridge, unprotected from the weather.

(3) Because the city end of the bridge would be somewhere in the North End, some distance from the business places of many Carleton people who cross every day, which would prove something of an inconvenience to say the least.

There is plenty to say in favor of a better ferry service, and Carleton people are saying it. While everyone is anxious to have a bridge as well, there is no reason why the ferry should be altogether abolished. Other cities larger than St. John have both. On a western city, that I call to mind, about the same size as St. John has seven bridges across the river, on both sides of which the city is built, and which has in addition free ferry service. Now I think that St. John should, at least be able to afford one bridge across the harbor and one ferry, and this is the opinion of the West End citizens generally.

Yours truly,
DAILY PASSENGER,
West St. John, N. B., June 15.

YANKEE SWINDLERS.

Obtained \$40 from St. John Man by Means of Bogus Check.

Albert G. Robbins and Nathan R. Allen, lately of Boston, are wanted by the police on the charge of swindling. The men have left town. It appears that about two weeks ago these men with their wives came to St. John. Allen got work with Wilson Bros. on Dock Street and Robbins in the Union Club as bartender. They only put in a few days work each.

On Saturday the two went to Clinton Brown's drug store and by false pretences induced Mr. Brown to accept a check for \$40, which was signed by Allen. Mr. Brown gave over \$30 in change and afterwards learned that the check was worthless. The two men also tried to pass a check at Oak Hall, but Mr. Scovill refused to accept it and they went away, leaving the check behind them.

A further attempt was made to have a third check for \$200 cashed at the Royal Hotel, but this was not successful.

Information was given to the police and search has been made for the swindlers who, however, have not yet been located.

CHURCH PARADE.

Of Foresters to German Street Baptist Church in Honor of Their 29th Anniversary.

Yesterday being the 29th anniversary of the founding of the Independent Order of Foresters, the event was celebrated by the united local courts of St. John attending divine service at German street Baptist church.

The Foresters met at 7 o'clock, and, escorted by the Artillery band, marched to the church, where Rev. G. O. Gates, who is one of the oldest members of the I. O. F., in St. John, addressed them, from the text, "I have given you an example," John xiii, 15.

Dr. Gates spoke of the good work the I. O. F. has done since its founding, of the large sums paid out in insurance, and expressed a large number to better their condition in life and affording protection for their families in the event of their death. But men should also see that their souls as well as their bodies are insured. The only perfect ideal, which men should take for an example, is the life of Christ, and that is the one, in its beauty and holiness which all should strive to follow.

After the service the Foresters marched back to Orange hall, where they disbanded.

Judge Wedderburn, P. C. R.; Dunson G. Lingley, H. V. C. R., and E. R. Chapman, P. H. C. R., were the three principal officers in attendance.

Deputy Chief of Police Jenkins acted as marshal, with Sergeant Baxter and Officer Marshall as assistants. Sergeant Baxter headed the procession, and with his magnificent physique made a splendid leader.

The two ladies' courts of the I. O. F., Wygody and Hetherington, also were in attendance at the church, and occupied the front seats. They wore the badge of the order.

The men turned out strong and presented a fine appearance.

STEAMER HALIFAX LABELLED.

(Halifax Recorder.)

The steamer Halifax, which ran ashore on the Point Pleasant shoals and floated again during the evening, was labelled yesterday afternoon for saving cargo, etc., for amounts aggregating \$18,500.

The claims for salvage are as follows: Halifax Tow Boat Company . . . \$3,900
Beasley Bros. 7,200
M. Neville 1,800
Gray Bros. 1,000
Draydale and McInnis are acting for the Tow Boat Co. and M. Neville; Thomas Notting for Gray Bros.; J. T. Ross for Beasley Bros. MacIntyre and Tremain are the solicitors for the steamship company. The necessary bonds were put up and the steamer was released.

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We will offer for sale in our Carpet Department, German street, on Monday and Tuesday, 1,200 YARDS OF TAPESTRY CARPETS AT 25 CENTS PER YARD. Also a lot of ends, (Traveller's Samples) in all makes of Carpet, much under price.

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MORNING'S NEWS LOCAL.

Sch. Delta, bound for Cheverie to load piling for New York, towed down to the beacon eddy Saturday.

Tug Lord Kitchener left yesterday for Annapolis by the schooners Margaret May Riley and Helen Shafter in tow.

Sch. Wm. L. Elkins, which recently underwent repairs at the head of the harbor, is loaded with laths and about ready to sail for Philadelphia.

Sch. Citizen is undergoing her annual overhauling and repair at Bear River, and will be laid off the St. John route for a couple of weeks.

Rev. L. G. Macneil will leave on Wednesday for Matiland, N. S., where he will preach next Sabbath in connection with the centennial celebration that is being observed in his first parish, where he ministered from 1872 to 1874.

Afterwards he purposes resting for a few weeks in P. E. Island. St. Andrew's church pulpit will be supplied during his absence by Prof. McComb, D. D., of Queen's University, who has been filling the late chair of Principal Gordon in the Presbyterian College, Halifax. He is an able and most eloquent preacher.

ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATED.

Portland Methodist Church Sunday School and Epworth League Work.

The fifth anniversary of the Junior Epworth League of Portland Methodist church was celebrated yesterday morning, the pastor, Rev. Mr. Howard, preaching.

In the evening the 75th anniversary of the Sunday school of the church was celebrated, by an interesting service consisting of special music, addresses, recitations and reports.

The secretary's report showed that the past year had been a very successful one. The total enrollment at the close of the year was 678, an increase of 119 over last year. There are 19 officers, 21 teachers, 189 senior scholars, 110 junior scholars, 88 intermediates, 84 primary, 101 home department, 58 cradle roll. It is proposed to erect a new building in connection with the church, which will provide more room for the school.

The band of the N. B. Temperance Army which was introduced into the school last year, has an enrollment of 154.

The report of the treasurer, J. A. Stephenson, showed the receipts for the year to be \$410.66; expenditures, \$408.45; balance on hand, \$2.21.

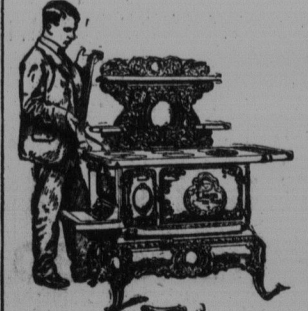
Other reports showed that the home department, cradle department and missionary department are also flourishing.

The officers elected for the ensuing year are as follows: Supt., R. T. Hayes; asst. supt., S. A. Kirk; sec., M. E. Grass; asst. sec., Percy Steel; asst. sec., Cecil Brown; missionary sec., Miss Carrie McConnell; librarian, R. C. Thomas; asst. librarians, Mrs. A. Myles, Mrs. Dunham, John Earle; treas., John Stephenson; home dept. sec., Miss Mabel Craig; home dept. sec., Miss Elsie Dale; organist, Miss Hilda Hawker; asst. organist, Miss Myrtle Sinclair; cradle roll dept. supt., Mrs. R. A. Sinclair; I. B. R. A. sec., Miss Bertha Maxwell.

PLANT LINE.

BOSTON, June 14.—The new owners of the Plant line, which maintains the steamship service between this city and provincial ports, yesterday elected Alfred S. Hayes, president, and Alonzo W. Perry, of Boston, treasurer, and H. L. Chipman of Halifax, N. S., secretary and director and made general manager of the line with full authority.

The provisional directors are Alfred S. Hayes, Frederick J. Daggett and George E. Gale, of Boston; and H. L. Chipman and R. T. McIlreith, of Halifax.



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Window Shades 15c. each. Curtain Poles, 25c.

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THE SHAMROCK.

NEW YORK, June 15.—Official announcement has been made at the weekly meeting of the Central Federated Union of the abandoning of the strike in the subway by the excavators.

This means that 20,000 men will apply for work conditionally. The letter stated that the union would be built up and intimated that at some time its demands which it failed to enforce this time, would be submitted again.

The strike has been in force several weeks and greatly delayed work in the uncompleted portions of the rapid transit tunnel.

COLOGNE, June 15.—The Kurds are taking up arms in Kurdistan, according to a despatch to the Cologne Gazette from Constantinople. The despatch adds that the United States minister, British ambassador and German charge d'affaires have made representations to the porte regarding recent occurrences at Harput, where the arrest of Armenian teachers and domiciliary visits to the houses of Armenians have caused a panic.

KURDS STIRRED UP.

NEW YORK, June 15.—The rain ceased about 10 o'clock and at that time the wind was blowing 15 or 20 knots an hour. When the regatta committee arrived at the starting point the wind was blowing from the northeast.

The wind blew so hard and the weather seemed so threatening that the reliance over in New Rochelle housed her topmast. At 11 o'clock, an hour before the time set for the start, she again began discussion of making sail.

THE WEATHER.

June 15, 1908. Highest temperature, 60; lowest temperature, 44; barometer at noon, 29.98 inches; wind, N. E.; velocity, 15 miles per hour. Rain.

Forecast: Strong east and north east winds, rain. Tuesday, fresh north easterly winds, cloudy and cool, with showers.

Synopsis: A disturbance which shows indications of increasing energy is passing to the southward of Nova Scotia and rain is falling throughout the maritime provinces. To Banks today and Tuesday strong east winds. To American ports, strong north east tonight, northerly on Tuesday.

LOCAL NEWS.

The Battle Line S. Trebea sailed from Fremantle yesterday for Adelaide.

Mrs. George H. Haman will receive her friends Wednesday and Thursday, June 17th and 18th, afternoon and evening at 52 Mecklenburg street.

The mission band of Victoria Street Free Baptist church will hold a concert in the school room of the church tomorrow evening at eight o'clock.

The Elms would like to play a series of ball games with the Trinity on the Shamrock grounds.

No. 5 Salvation Army barracks on Mill street have recently been thoroughly cleaned and decorated. The barracks were re-opened last night.

The S. S. Pandosa arrived at the Miramichi yesterday from Newfoundland. She will load lumber for the West Coast of England.

A picnic to Crystal Beach will be held on July 1st by the promoters of the soldiers' monument fund. The proceeds will go to increase the fund.

Teams from Kerr & Robertson's and the McClary Mfg. Co. played an interesting game Saturday afternoon on the B. and A. grounds, resulting in a victory for McClary's.

Invitations are out for the marriage of Miss Beale Cromwell, daughter of George B. Cromwell, 29 Metcalf street, to Charles Rigby, formerly of this city, but now of Fredericton. The marriage will take place on the evening of June 24th.

Joseph Flinn, son of Patrick Flinn of Rockland Road, died at his father's home yesterday morning. Mr. Flinn, who died of organic heart disease, had been complaining for the last four or five months. Diseased was only 28 years old.

Mrs. Robert Treacart will receive her callers at her home, 20 Simonds street, on Wednesday and Thursday afternoons of this week.

Hon. H. E. Cobb and Wm. Brewster Ely returned Saturday afternoon to Newton, Mass.

Quite a lot of excitement was caused at the corner of Cranwell, daughter of Erin Streets last night by a fight between two of the Assyrians living there. Police officers who went to investigate were unable to ascertain particulars but one of the residents had been struck on the face with a brick.

THE LAY DELEGATES.

The lay representatives elected to attend the ensuing Methodist conference are thus reported from the several synods.

St. John. Mason Sheffield, M. D., J. Willard Smith, James R. Woodburn, John E. Irvine, James E. White, J. Hunter White, Arthur Deal, George Jenkins, Joseph A. Likely, Hon. H. A. McKeown, J. N. Harvey, Frank Purdy, O. D. Hanson, W. D. Baskin, Enoch Thompson, J. Wesley Smith, H. E. Cochran, F. B. Cassidy, Samuel Creighton, Alexander Teakle, Sherman Johnson, Samuel Williams, J. W. Cassidy, F. S. Thomas. Fredericton.

J. R. Inch, L. L. D., Dr. A. M. Scott, John J. Weddell, C. A. Sampson, Joshua McNab, Wm. Munro, Wallace Burpee, Asa Curry, Dr. Chapman, M. E. A. Burpee, C. W. White, James Eshay, Thos. F. Taylor, Thomas Meek.

Woodstock. Andrew Myles, Henry Carr, W. O. Cluff, John Brancome, John Y. Fleming, George McClintock, George Squires, Benjamin Kilburn.

Chatham. S. Irvine, Thomas A. Clarke, James Robertson, William McLean, George M. Clarke, Ezra Gesner, Robert Branch, John Devereaux.

Sackville. David Allison, L. L. D., Prof. Hunton, C. W. Cahill, C. D. Stewart, J. L. Black, J. M. Palmer, W. W. Fawcett, Martin Trueman, J. A. Trueman, R. C. Goodwin, W. W. Rayworth, J. R. Jackson, James Ray, G. R. Sangster, J. S. Marrie, J. A. McQueen, W. A. Trueman, W. L. Blake, Chas. Smith, F. B. McNair, John McPherson.

St. Stephen. John D. Chipman, John Nesbitt, W. S. Robinson, Alonzo R. Christie, G. S. Wall, W. H. Stevens.

Charlottetown. Henry Smith, L. L. D., Beer, John T. Mellich, J. H. Ayres, M. D., Theophilus Moore, Amos West, Wm. Johnson, Robert Boyle, G. H. Marven, M. D., Francis Mutch, David Collins, S. F. Drake.

Summerside. Charles W. Strong, D. Albert Pickering, Major Lowther, Hon. S. E. Reid, Ernest Weeks, Jacob Fyfe, M. R. Leard, Albert Murray.

POLICE COURT.

William Kennedy who was arrested a few days ago for using abusive language to Mrs. Walter Jones in Union Alley, and who got off on an eight dollar deposit was again arrested on Saturday for assaulting Walter Jones. The two affairs were mixed up and arose out of ill feeling. Jones said that Kennedy struck him in the eye, hit him near the ear and scratched across the face. A number of witnesses were examined who repeated quite a lot of filthy language used by the parties. Kennedy was fined twenty dollars or two months in jail.

Andy Irvine has gone to join the ranks of the park laborers. He was given two months for being drunk on Mill street.

A Norwegian sailor, named Olaf Ormington got a dollar from his captain and came ashore on Saturday. He rests quietly in jail now and will remain for thirty days. Drunk on Water street.

HE LIKED FRUIT.

A young colored boy by the name of Kenneth Hamilton was arrested by Sergeant Ross this morning on the charge of stealing five pineapples and two bunches of bananas from a street cart in Carleton street. The cart was owned by Peter Pepper and the latter had made a complaint of the stealing. This morning Hamilton denied the charge and was remanded until the witnesses could be notified. The boy has been in the police court before.

HEAVY TRAFFIC.

Suburban travel on the Intercolonial is growing by leaps and bounds. Both morning trains are well patronized, but in the one which arrived this morning at nine the four cars were filled and the platforms were all crowded.

FELL IN THE WATER.

What might have resulted in a drowning accident occurred at Bank-in's wharf on Saturday afternoon. Two little girls were playing in a boat when one of them fell over into the water, which, at the time, was quite deep. She was caught and supported by her companion, who managed to hold her head up until help in the form of James McKay arrived. The child is none the worse for her ducking.

ANOTHER BOAT MISSING.

Last week R. Morton Smith, who has built a country house at the Chalet, took out a family boat, which was expected to furnish wholesome enjoyment and exercise for the household. On Saturday the first and last cruise was taken in the new craft. That night she was moored snugly by the buoy prepared for it. On Sunday morning she was gone, painter and all. A preliminary search of the island, whether it was supposed she might have been driven, has proved in vain. The boat is about 15 feet keel, painted bright green with a red line above and white silk trimmings, and had to some extent a motor. There is some reason to fear that she may have been stolen. Tempted by the promise of reward some lads have been carrying on explorations this morning, but without result.

CHESLEY-HOLDER.

A very pretty though quiet wedding took place this morning at the residence of George Holder, Main Street, when his daughter, Miss Edith May Holder was united in marriage to Orlando W. Chesley of Waterbury & Orlando's.

The ceremony was performed at six o'clock by the Rev. David Long of Victoria Street Free Baptist church, in the presence of only the immediate relatives of the parties.

The bride, who was unattended, was given away by her father. She wore a blue broadcloth travelling suit with white silk trimmings, and had to match. After the ceremony breakfast was served, and Mr. and Mrs. Chesley left on the morning train on a visit to Boston.

Mrs. Holder was the recipient of many beautiful presents.

AT IT AGAIN.

The huggerman is on his rounds again and this time has selected King street for his performances. On Saturday evening he stood in a prominent position and accosted every lady who happened to pass by. Complaint was made to the officer on the beat, but when he went on the war path the offender was gone. His identity is, however, known, and a close watch will be kept for him. His annoyances this time have been confined to speaking to ladies. As yet he has not, on King street, at any rate, gone so far as to take hold of or stop them.

THIS EVENING.

Baseball—Y. M. C. A. v. Fortlands, Victoria grounds.

Sunday school convention—St. John's, Foster parish.

PERSONALS.

Louis Miller, who is one of the owners of the wrecked steamer Lake Superior, went to Boston Saturday evening.

Andrew W. Robb, of this city, secretary of the Y. M. C. A. of Charlottetown, P. E. I., is in the city, on his way to the general secretary's convention at Lakewood, N. Y.

Miss Mabel Egan, of the Normal School, left for her home in St. John this morning. She was accompanied by the Misses Clark and Molly Creaghan, who will be her guests for a few days—Fredericton, Saturday.

Miss Fannie Raymond, who has been visiting in the city, will return today to her nursing duties at Arlington, Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. James Driscoll, of St. John, N. B., were the guests on Monday last of ex-almirant John J. Ahern and family, of Cambridge, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Dunfield arrived in the city today from Boston.

Mrs. E. Grant, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. James Davis, returned home to Woodstock today.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. E. Mitchell will receive their friends on Wednesday afternoon and evening at 17 Exmouth street.

METHODIST MINISTERS MEET.

The Methodist ministers met at the usual time and place, Rev. T. J. Deinstadt presiding. After singing and scriptural reading, Rev. S. Howard led in prayer. There were present, Rev. G. M. Campbell, T. J. Deinstadt, S. Howard, E. Penna, C. W. Hamilton, Dr. Wilson, W. J. Kirby, H. D. Marr and J. A. Clarke.

Rev. G. M. Campbell and Rev. H. D. Marr excused for the night, and Rev. H. Penna and Rev. Mr. Ferguson, E. B., exchanged pulpits on the west side.

Rev. Dr. Wilson received three persons by the right hand of fellowship and one by letter last night.

The quiet school anniversary in Portland Street was a great success yesterday. Several churches in the city and in Fairville made application for pulpits supply by the conference and the money and the money were put into the hands of the pulpits supply committee.

Matters of a general character regarding the conference to be held this week occupied the rest of the session. Adjourned to meet after conference.

HAMPTON BASEBALL SURPRISE.

The power of the Mighty Casey, of fabled baseball fame, was put very much in the shade by the evolution of the game as played by these exponents of the popular pastime, Barnes' types and Schofield's paperweights in Hampton on Saturday afternoon. The score tells the tale, 24 to 3 and the types won.

The quiet but intense when the baseballists arrived on the noon train. They were driven from the station in state, and when they stopped for the fray on the Kings country they and their uniform would make the circus riders turn green with envy.

Barnes' aggregation presented Tennant and Hunter as the electric battery and the electric battery was broken by Schofield and Crowley in the points.

All kinds of runs and all kinds of hits were made by the Barnesites, but the best run of the lot was to the refreshment tables, supplied by the Messrs. Schofield & Barnes. The feature of the game was the brilliant play of Grover Watts, of Barnes' staff. What Grover doesn't know about turning would cover a postage stamp.

If the senior players or the amateur leaguers ever need an umpire who will draw a crowd, it is certainly up to them to call on Grover. The boys had a good time after their strenuous efforts and voted their employers, Messrs. Barnes and Schofield as being in the 1,000 p. o. class.

GREAT RUSH TO THE WEST.

G. C. Linn, immigration commissioner of Winnipeg, says never before has there been so great a rush of immigrants into the Northwest. It has been the hardest kind of work to handle the masses of settlers who pass through Winnipeg, which is the base of operations for an army of immigrants for the Northwest of Canada. Tents had to be erected to accommodate a great number. The demand for farm hands was never brisker, and many unmarried men are finding places ready for them when they arrive.

English settlers now coming are for most part young and unmarried, and most of them have served through the South African war. Very many of them could not find situation in England. The greatest rush is towards the Saskatchewan country and around Prince Albert is being filled by the Northwest. We expect 200,000 people to settle in Manitoba and the Northwest this year.—Free Press.

AFTER A MURDERER.

PITTSFIELD, Mass., June 15.—As the result of a double killing committed here yesterday, Fred Mink, 21 years old, is banished to a deserted house bent on lynching and a sheriff's posse are seeking to effect his capture. Mink shot and killed Newton W. Harris, a farmer, and then killed his stepmother.

After the refusal of Harris to allow him to pay attention to his daughter it is thought to have inspired one killing, but the death of Mrs. Mink is not explained.

DEATH ROLL.

SEATTLE, Wash., June 15.—John F. Dore, one of the best known criminal lawyers in the northwest, died suddenly of heart disease yesterday. Years ago Dore led his Massachusetts home where he had some trouble and came to the edge of the town, while a mob bent on lynching and a sheriff's posse are seeking to effect his capture. Mink shot and killed Newton W. Harris, a farmer, and then killed his stepmother.

VERY PECULIAR.

CHICAGO, June 15.—The laundry workers' union, by a referendum vote just taken, has decided against another strike. Less than one third of the members voted, and the majority against another walk out was small.

SHIPPING NEWS.

PORT OF ST. JOHN. Arrived. June 15.—Bts Anasag, 285, Clausen, from Liverpool, Falmouth, Downing Co. (at 10:30). Bts St. Maurice, 218, Copp, from Fenoscia, Florida, F. B. Sayer & Co., Union.

Bts Fran, 28, Laras, from Youghal, Ireland, bid.

Consul—Sch Ethel May, 16, Hudson, from Sabing cruises; str Westcott, 8, Lewis, from Apple River, N.S.

Clear. Str State of Maine, for Portland. Bts D. W. B. 120, Holder, for Providence, R. I.

Countdown—Str Westcott, for Apple River, N.S.; str Brunswick, 21, Smith, for Ansonia, N.S.; str Wm. S. Gray, 51, Smith, for Glasgow, N.S.; str Jarrold, for Digby, N.S.; str Broad, for Digby, N.S.; str B. L. Young, for Digby, N.S.; str B. L. Young, for Digby, N.S.; str B. L. Young, for Digby, N.S.

ONE LIFE LOST.

In the Wreck of a Five Masted Schooner off the Coast of Maine.

Captain Lermond and crew of the five-masted schooner Washington B. Thomas, bound from Norfolk, Va., to Portland, Me., with soft coal and wrecked on Stratton Island on Friday night were all rescued yesterday. The captain's wife to whom he was married a year ago, was killed on Friday night in her stateroom by the immense waves breaking in the cabin. Her body was washed away in the darkness and not recovered. Captain Lermond and the crew of thirteen men were rescued by a volunteer life-saving crew. One seaman had a leg broken and the captain, engineer and four seamen were badly bruised. The Thomas was broken up and practically lost. Tons of wreckage were washed ashore at Old Orchard.

The injured are Wm. J. Lermond, captain, Thomaston, Me., internal and external injuries; Frank Eklund, seaman, German, Finlander, leg broken; Charles Brown, engineer, Norwegian, bruised; Hermon Melow, seaman, German, bruised; Fred Weston, seaman, Australian, bruised; Karl Warner, seaman, German, bruised.

The Thomas was anchored Friday night off Stratton Island and at midnight drifted from her anchorage onto the island. Without a second's warning, there came a crash as the schooner tore her way over one rock to strike another a few moments later and then to drive hard and fast on the reef on the southeasterly end of the outer side of Stratton Island.

After the crew had been taken off by the Cape Elizabeth life savers they were then taken to the office of the United States shipping commissioner and the injured taken to the marine hospital.

Capt. Lermond arrived in Portland with his son and was placed under the care of a physician. He was suffering with severe bruises and excruciating pains developed. He had no sleep for four nights.

Capt. Lermond said that when he found himself on the lee shore he put out his port anchor and with about 75 fathoms of chain. This did not hold. It was supposed that the shackling by which the anchor was attached to the chain gave way. The captain detected the vessel was swinging instead of holding as she should, and put out the other anchor, which seemed to have fouled and did not hold. Capt. Lermond found his only hope lay in putting out his port anchor and trying to claw off the shore. He got sail on all the masts, but the mizenmast. He thinks that if he had had time to get sail on that mast also, he might have succeeded in clearing the island.

ARRIVING WEDNESDAY: Three Carloads Green Bananas!

These will be sold from the car to the dealer at very low prices.

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BRIEFS BY WIRE.

MARSELLER, June 15.—A balloon with four aerostats was carried out to sea yesterday afternoon. The fate of the four men is not known.

YOKOHAMA, June 15.—The Russian war minister, Gen. Kuropatkin, is being extensively feted at Tokio, where he arrived Friday last. A noticeable fact, however, is that simultaneously with the festivals at the capital, Baron Yamamoto, the Japanese minister of marine is inspecting all the naval ports and testing their efficiency in case of war.

LONDON, June 15.—J. Pierpont Morgan will be a passenger on the White Star steamer Oceanic, which is to sail from Liverpool on June 17th for New York. His departure for the United States has no connection with the ship-building trust or with financial affairs, as had been stated here.

LONDON, June 15.—When asked by the house of commons today to name the countries which denied to British imports the complete most favored nation treatment the parliamentary secretary for the board of trade, Mr. Law, said the United States and Portugal were the only ones, besides the Central and South American republics.

CHRISTIANSAND, Norway, June 15.—The Belgian steamer Rubens, bound from Sunderland, England, for Pillau, East Prussia, capsized and sank June 10. The captain, mate and six men were drowned. Seven other members of the crew drifted in a small boat for twenty-two hours, during which time three of them died from exposure. The others were picked up.

CINCINNATI, O., June 15.—There was a full attendance of the 300 delegates here today at the opening of the fifteenth annual convention of the international printing press men and assistants' union, which continues all week. The first session was devoted to addresses of welcome and responses and the receiving of credentials.

SHOT IN COURT.

NEW YORK, June 15.—Chas. F. McFarland, of the Anti-Police Society was shot and killed today on the general sessions floor of the criminal court building, by Wm. Spencer, a negro, who was to have been placed on trial today on the charge of violating the anti-police law. MacFarland was shot just as he left the elevator, the bullet striking him in the head. He died a few moments later.

A detective witnessed the shooting, and, knocking the revolver from Spencer's hand, placed him under arrest.

THE WEATHER.

June 15, 1908. Highest temperature, 60; lowest temperature, 44; barometer at noon, 29.98 inches; wind, N. E.; velocity, 15 miles per hour. Rain.

Forecast: Strong east and north east winds, rain. Tuesday, fresh north easterly winds, cloudy and cool, with showers.

LOCAL NEWS.

The Battle Line S. Trebea sailed from Fremantle yesterday for Adelaide.

Mrs. George H. Haman will receive her friends Wednesday and Thursday, June 17th and 18th, afternoon and evening at 52 Mecklenburg street.

The mission band of Victoria Street Free Baptist church will hold a concert in the school room of the church tomorrow evening at eight o'clock.

The Elms would like to play a series of ball games with the Trinity on the Shamrock grounds.

No. 5 Salvation Army barracks on Mill street have recently been thoroughly cleaned and decorated. The barracks were re-opened last night.

The S. S. Pandosa arrived at the Miramichi yesterday from Newfoundland. She will load lumber for the West Coast of England.

A picnic to Crystal Beach will be held on July 1st by the promoters of the soldiers' monument fund. The proceeds will go to increase the fund.

Teams from Kerr & Robertson's and the McClary Mfg. Co. played an interesting game Saturday afternoon on the B. and A. grounds, resulting in a victory for McClary's.

Invitations are out for the marriage of Miss Beale Cromwell, daughter of George B. Cromwell, 29 Metcalf street, to Charles Rigby, formerly of this city, but now of Fredericton. The marriage will take place on the evening of June 24th.

Joseph Flinn, son of Patrick Flinn of Rockland Road, died at his father's home yesterday morning. Mr. Flinn, who died of organic heart disease, had been complaining for the last four or five months. Diseased was only 28 years old.

Mrs. Robert Treacart will receive her callers at her home, 20 Simonds street, on Wednesday and Thursday afternoons of this week.

Hon. H. E. Cobb and Wm. Brewster Ely returned Saturday afternoon to Newton, Mass.

Quite a lot of excitement was caused at the corner of Cranwell, daughter of Erin Streets last night by a fight between two of the Assyrians living there. Police officers who went to investigate were unable to ascertain particulars but one of the residents had been struck on the face with a brick.

The F. E. Williams Co., Ltd., have three carloads green bananas arriving Wednesday. The fruit dealers in the city will be supplied direct from the cars, and those wanting bananas will please place their orders at once. The Canada-Jamaica S. Co. now have two steamers making fortnightly trips between Jamaica and Halifax. This enables the F. E. Williams Co. to keep dealers regularly supplied.

TWENTY ITALIANS

Had a Narrow Escape From Death this Morning.

NEW YORK, June 15.—Twenty Italians narrowly escaped being entombed in the subway forty feet underground today. At 10:4th street, between Broadway and Amsterdam, a tunnel, some shoring timbers were reported to be sagging when a foreman shouted to the workmen to run. They started for a shaft and as they reached the north of the excavation, fifty feet of the roof caved in and tons of rock crashed into the tunnel. Ambulances were summoned but all the workmen had escaped without injuries. It will take several days to clear away the debris and one of the residents had been struck on the face with a brick.

HAPPY HOOLIGAN'S HAT.

In the window of the Dominion Express office on King street, there is an exhibition today a hat, which unaccompanied by any head either bald or woolly, has travelled over the greater part of the earth and is still on the move.