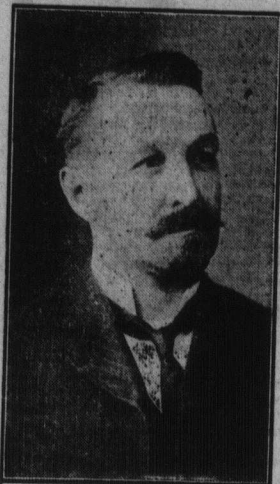


REORGANIZATION OF THE AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT

Office of Deputy Commissioner of Agriculture abolished and a Secretary of the Department appointed—Mr. W. W. Hubbard chosen for this important Position—His Appointment Highly Popular Among the Farmers of the Province—Government's Activity in Agricultural Affairs, it is Believed Will Cause Stagnation of the Past to Disappear—Work of Reorganization in Line With Recommendations of Agricultural Commission.

It is understood that for the more efficient management of the Agricultural Department of this province it has been decided to abolish the office of Deputy Commissioner of Agriculture and to appoint a Secretary of the Agricultural Department, and that an Order-in-Council has been passed carrying out this change and appointing Mr. W. W. Hubbard to the new position. The change, it is understood will take place on July 1st next. This reorganization of the Department is being made on the recommendation of Dr. Landry, Commissioner of Agriculture, after a careful study of all the conditions surrounding the work of the Department.



W. W. HUBBARD. Secretary of the Department of Agriculture.

It is believed that the stagnation which prevailed under the old condition of affairs will disappear, that new life will be infused into the Agricultural Department, and that the Department will be made productive of much greater good to the agriculturists of the province and be much more prolific in results than has been the case in the past.

Mr. Peters' services will terminate on July 1st, but on his retirement from office he will be paid two months' salary in lieu of notice.

Reorganization.

While there has been an urgent call for some years and more especially during the past twelve months for a broadening and extension of the departments, the Commissioner of Agriculture and the Government have perhaps acted wisely in making haste somewhat slowly.

Instead of making changes upon the spur of the moment on taking office the Government appointed a Commission to inquire into the subject and secured two practical farmers who were also deep students of agriculture, to act upon the commission with the Commissioner of Agriculture.

Report of the Commission.

After some eight or nine months spent in investigation this Commission presented a report, which was favorably commented upon by the Legislature and by the country and made suggestions which were endorsed after discussion by the Agricultural Committee.

Now that this report and the suggestions are almost ready for general presentation to the public in book form, it is felt that with the information in the possession of the Department the time has come for reorganization and an effort to carry out as many as possible of the suggestions made by the Commission and endorsed by the Committee on Agriculture.

The Secretary of Agriculture.

With this end in view the man who did such painstaking work as Secretary of the Commission will be made Secretary of the Department of Agriculture, to assist the Commissioner in carrying out the plans proposed and such assistance as may be from time to time required in the various lines of educational and organization work will be called in.

Agricultural Societies.

The encouragement of new and already existing agricultural societies in taking up more active educational and co-operation work will be continued and extended. An investigation into the whole question of commercial fertilizers will be started and every possible effort made to complete arrangements whereby before next season our farmers may be able to buy their fertilizers to their advantage.

Fruit Growing.

The encouragement of apple and other fruit growing will be engaged in and it is proposed that during mid-summer a number of orchard meetings will be held where experts will be in attendance to give practical illustration of how to best care for fruit trees and protect them from insects and disease.

Live-Stock and Dairying.

The dissemination of pure bred stock both provincial bred and imported, in those districts where it is most needed will engage the attention of the Department. The work of the dairy superintendents will be directed to the encouragement of milk production by assisting in the introduction of economical and sanitary methods where such work meets with the desires of the people and every effort will be made to assist in placing the co-operative dairy business in a position to best meet the needs and give most economical service to both producer and consumer.

Every possible effort will be made to improve the live stock situation and encourage the best breeding of more horses, cattle, sheep and swine. Already a number of stallions are being placed and it is hoped later in the season to bring a large importation of heavy draught mares. Sheep raising will be encouraged in every possible way as will the production of pork. Everything will be done that is possible to assist the agricultural societies to improve the stock in their districts, and assistance will be given at their local shows to make them educational.

Illustration Farms.

Hon. Dr. Landry, since the session has been actively working to make it possible to have the idea of illustration farms for different sections of the province successfully carried out and it is hoped that before long the announcement can be made that these farms will be selected and managed by a committee of experts from Macdonald College thus removing them entirely from the question of party politics.

The question of the extension of markets will be considered and such assistance as can be given to Dominion officials or otherwise for the placing of choice New Brunswick products on available foreign markets will be extended as opportunity offers.

The Immigration Branch. This branch of the Department will continue its work of gathering all available information in regard to the labor needs of the farmers and also as to farms for sale. This information will be placed among intending immigrants and it is hoped by next season that New Brunswick will get at least its share of desirable immigrants coming to Canada.

More to Come. The detailed plans of the Department have not yet been announced, but will be taken to move wisely in this direction and to try to make this Department of the greatest possible service to the farmers of the province. Every effort will be made to work in harmony with the Dominion Department and other forces now operating for the upbuilding of agriculture, and if the farmers generally will lend their co-operation there can be no doubt of the beneficial results to be obtained.

A POPULAR APPOINTMENT. Mr. Hubbard's Qualifications Well Fit Him For the Important Position to Which He has Been Appointed.

The appointment of Mr. W. W. Hubbard to the important office of Secretary of Agriculture will meet with general approval. To no class will the news be more welcome than the farmers of this Province who have for many years recognized in him a forceful and capable adviser.

His Training. The earlier years of Mr. Hubbard's life were spent on the farm at Burton Hill, Sunbury County, where, by steady industry and intelligent effort, he laid the foundation for a successful course at the Guelph Agricultural College.

Two years later Mr. Hubbard returned from Guelph having graduated with a special live stock certificate and section in that branch of the course, more convinced than ever that farming in New Brunswick could and should be placed on a paying basis, he at once began putting in practice the knowledge and experience gained at the Agricultural College.

As Organizer. He took an active interest in the work of the Farmers' and Dairymen's Association and held the position of corresponding secretary some fourteen years. At no time in the history of this Association were the annual meetings better attended.

In 1891 when interest was first being manifested in co-operative dairying, Mr. Hubbard went over to Maine to study the creamery business then being successfully inaugurated there and in that year associated with the joint supervision of Prof. Robertson, then Dominion Dairy Commissioner, and W. G. Dykeman, of Queensbury, and others inaugurated the Kingsclear Creamery, which when built was taken over by Prof. J. W. Robertson, then Dominion Dairy Commissioner, and run for two years as the Experimental Dairy Station for New Brunswick. During the summer of that year Mr. Hubbard was sent out under the joint supervision of Prof. Robertson and the then Local Government to organize local dairy associations in

the St. John River and North Shore sections of the Province. For several years until the work was taken over by the Provincial Government, Mr. Hubbard was engaged with Prof. Robertson as Superintendent of Experimental Dairy Stations in Canada. He was the Sussex Dairy School and associated with Mr. S. L. Peters, of Queensbury, conducted the Dominion Traveling Dairy Instruction in the Province.

Administration as Editor. In 1895 he was employed by a company at Windsor, N. S., to construct, equip and manage a creamery at that town, and in the Fall of that year at the earnest solicitation of prominent members of the Farmers' and Dairymen's Association returned to New Brunswick to start in partnership with R. D. Robinson, of Sussex, that now well known farm journal, the Maritime Farmer. He continued as editor of this paper until 1901 and during that period leased and conducted a dairy farm at Sussex, and assisted in establishing the present Sussex Cheese and Butter Company, since developed into one of the largest individual butter plants in Canada. He was also the first secretary of the Sussex Board of Trade and as editor of the Farmer, became a member of the Farmers' and Dairymen's and Fruit Growers' Associations of Nova Scotia and P. E. Island, and attended their various meetings.

Mr. Hubbard's services as a farmer's advocate speaker have been employed in all three Maritime Provinces and the state of Maine, and for some years as judge of sheep and swine at the Maine State Fair.

With The C. P. R. In 1903, Mr. Hubbard was selected by the Canadian Pacific Railway as their agricultural agent and during the two years of this appointment helped in bringing into the Province upwards of two hundred head of pure bred Shorthorn cattle and Clyde horses. He also was engaged in investigating the possibility of growing the timber in the prairie provinces and some of his suggestions in that regard have lately been adopted by that great corporation.

Mr. Hubbard assisted in the forming of the Maritime Stock Breeders' Association and the Institution of the Maritime Winter Fair at Amherst, acting as Secretary of the Association for the first six years of its existence.

St. John Exhibition. Those who were associated with him as assistant manager and later as managing director of the St. John Exhibition, will bear testimony to his executive ability and tireless energy in making the big shows a success. New Brunswick's large and important agricultural agent of the Canadian Pacific.

Secretary of the Commission. The importance of his work as secretary of the Agricultural Commission cannot at present be estimated, but the popular approval of the findings of the commission speak well of the work thus far done in this connection.

The new secretary for agriculture is a man who will "do things" and the province is to be congratulated that the Government has named a man whose appointment is a guarantee of efficiency and results.

Special to The Standard. Montreal, June 21.—It was learned today that D. Lorne McGibbon, a leading business man of this city, had decided to give \$125,000 for the erection and equipment of a sanitarium for tuberculosis treatment, to be erected at St. Agatha, in the Laurentide Mountains. Mr. McGibbon was a couple of years ago, a sufferer from the disease, and by advice of physicians spent much time in the Adirondacks, with the result that he was cured, and interested in doing something for those less fortunately placed than himself.

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WESTMORLAND FOREST FIRES UNDER CONTROL

Special to The Standard. Moncton, N. B., June 21.—Fire Warden Vincent, of the Parish of Moncton, reports the situation greatly improved in this vicinity. In the fires at Scotch Settlements and Cherryfield, farm fences were burned, also a large quantity of logs and timber land was burned over. Chief Fire Warden O'Leary, of Richibucto, will go out along the line of the G. T. F. tomorrow to swear in additional fire wardens.

Mr. O'Leary says the fires in Northumberland County are practically out. Three boys named Fred Bell, Roscoe French and Harry Rhodes, have been arrested and confessed to stealing the collection from the West End Baptist Church on Sunday night. Their case will be heard before Magistrate Kay in the morning.

Rev. Father Gauthier, of P. E. Island, and Hon. D. V. Landry, Minister of Agriculture, of Bouchette, left this evening to attend the convention of L'Assomption Society, which meets in Montreal.

The death occurred this evening of J. Rebecca Church, formerly of Point De Bute. She has resided in Moncton for the past few years with her sister, the late Mrs. W. E. Weldon, Mrs. B. C. Genser, of this city, is a niece of the deceased.

Two fishermen of Richibucto, named David Long and Daniel O'Leary, went out fishing last Friday and have not returned and as no word of any kind has been received it is feared they have been drowned.

JURY COULD NOT AGREE IN A CO. ASSAULT CASE

Special to The Standard. Hopewell Cape, June 21.—The cause in which E. E. Peek is charged resisting an officer was tried this afternoon. Five witnesses were examined, and the charge was brief. The jury were out two hours and could not agree, and they were discharged by the judge.

His Honor accepted the defendant's personal recognizance, and the case was stood over until next term. The two appeal causes on the docket were also stood over until next term.

His Honor, Judge Wedderburn, will attend to some matters in Chambers tomorrow, and will return to Hampton on Wednesday.

Judge McKeown arrived here tonight to preside at the session of the Circuit Court, which opens here tomorrow.

LL.D. FOR SIX OF VISITING PRESSMEN

London, June 21.—The honorary degree of LL.D. was conferred today by the University of Glasgow on six of the Empire press delegates as follows: Mr. J. D. Donohue, of Toronto; Sir Hugh Graham, of Montreal; E. S. Cunningham, Melbourne; F. W. Ward, Sydney; Stanley Reid, Bombay, and Maitland Park, of Cape Town.

Lord Rosebery is chancellor of the University, and Lord Curzon is rector.

Special to The Standard. Kingston, June 21.—The Kingston Consolidated School will be rebuilt on the old site, and orders were given today to clear out the basement of the former building. The school districts which will unite are, Summerside, Milton, Reed's Point, Kingston, Perry Point, and Clifton. A committee of three will have charge of the erection of a new building. No estimate of its size or cost has yet been made. A meeting of representatives of the united districts will be held at once and details decided on. It is expected that the new building will be rushed along so as to be ready for occupation on the resumption of school work after the Christmas and New Year holidays. Meantime all the separate districts will carry on their own schools independently.

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CREED AGITATION AGAINST QUEBEC CONSERVATIVES

Its Reappearance in that Province Greatly Regretted by Best Thinking People—La Presse, Whose Policy is Controlled by Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Making Strong Appeal in His Behalf Revives Race and Creed Cry—The Utter Inconsistency of it all—A Bad Beginning Made in Campaign of Mr. Mackenzie King, who is Seeking Election in North Waterloo—The Vote Largely Cut Down by Reducing the Registration.

Ottawa, June 18.—One recent political development is the reappearance of a race and creed agitation against the Conservative party in Quebec. The best way to discuss a method of political warfare which is much in use in that province is to quote it. The following are extracts from an article in La Presse of Montreal, in its issue of June 18th:

An Imperialist Conspiracy. "We have periodically the manifestations of a retrograde Tory spirit in Canada. Two weeks ago Dr. Sproule, Grand Master of the Orangemen, complained of the British Parliament because it was willing to suppress in the Coronation oath those expressions in favour of the Catholics. Sir James Whitney has begun a campaign to destroy, if possible, the Federal Cabinet, by preaching that we should spend millions for the purpose of building the Imperial forces. Col. Denison and his comrades, Col. Hughes, are always prepared to drive the country into an unreasoning imperialism. The Mail and Empire and the News are the standards of these Don Quixotic enemies of a good understanding of the Dominion.

Mr. Borden Accused. "Mr. Borden is in the hands of these sectaries whose influence is felt in the whole of the Dominion. They were seen at work in 1905 when they attempted to raise prejudice against Mr. Laurier because he had committed the heinous fault, in their eyes, of wishing to preserve the constitution of the Dominion. Sir John Macdonald, who was a statesman, held in check this bad element in his party. He was very far from according to the degree of influence which Mr. Borden had imprudently accorded. Sir John was an energetic

and clear seeing chieftain. Mr. Foster could not impose his will upon him. D'Alton McCarthy fell in disgrace, having compromised himself in declarations injurious to the province of Quebec."

To Divert Attention. "As the Toronto News remarks of the foregoing: 'It is determined that in one-third of the constituencies of Canada, public questions shall not be considered. Attention is turned from public waste, public jobbery, feeble administration and betrayal of principles to the phantoms of race and creed which the apologists of the Government create for their own purposes.'"

The reader may be left to form his own opinion as to the political benefits of such a campaign. All that is necessary is to note one or two matters of fact which it is well to bear in memory.

The Essential Facts. 1. Sir Wilfrid Laurier is in absolute control of the policy of La Presse, and the foregoing may be considered his own personal appeal to the electors of his own province.

2. Sir James Whitney was the first Premier of Ontario to call a French Canadian to his cabinet.

3. Col. Denison's party affiliations have been Liberal, and he recently was appointed by the present Government one of the Quebec Battalions Commission.

4. D'Alton McCarthy was in alliance with Sir Wilfrid Laurier prior to and after the election of 1896. At the time of his death, which was the result of an accident, he was on the point of entering Sir Wilfrid Laurier's cabinet.

5. In the election of 1896 the Orange Order in Ontario threw the whole weight of its influence on the side of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, and helped him to gain power. This assertion has been challenged, but a reference to the records shows that at the time

of the dissolution in 1896 the Conservatives had a majority of twenty in Ontario and the first division after this election gave the Laurier Government a majority of five from that province.

A Bad Beginning. The bye-election in North Waterloo, where Mr. Mackenzie King is seeking the sanction of the electorate for his acceptance of office, has been marked by some rather curious performances in the matter of registration. The Conservative stronghold in the riding of Berlin, which by a special provision of the Ontario election law is granted a privilege of holding registration prior to an election. The local Conservatives complain that they were kept in ignorance of the date of the bye-election until the last possible moment, and that the proceedings of the registration board were conducted with such studious modesty as greatly to reduce the vote in the Conservative stronghold. Mr. King's reply was in the nature of throwing the responsibility upon the board, and did not clearly dissociate his party machinery from what is described as a piece of rather sharp politics. The incident is not of national importance, and party organizations seldom fail to avail themselves of any advantages that may offer. Mr. King, however, must expect to be watched closely and to be judged by a somewhat strict standard than that applied to the ordinary common or garden working politician. His stock in trade in public life is his abundant supply of excellent ideas, and a public man whose in unusual need of a scrupulous observance of fair play in the uninteresting but necessary work of securing a constituency. An idealist anyway is in curious company in the Laurier cabinet with its plentiful stock of Puseys and Brodeurs, and the public will be curious to see how the idealist gets on in practical politics.

Special to The Standard. Kingston, Ont., June 21.—The class results at the Royal Military College were given out this afternoon and came as a relief to the body of cadets. In the graduating class 31 passed, the largest number to graduate in one year, in the history of the college. The leaders were: Company Sergeant Major Read, of Ottawa; Corporal H. W. Watts, Toronto, and Sergeant Anderson, Ottawa. The second class Cadet Wheeler, of Calgary, Alberta, won first place and in the third class, Cadet Wilnot, of Victoria, B. C., was the leader. There were 12 failures in the second and third classes. Tonight the annual June ball was given in the beautifully decorated gymnasium and over 300 attended, many coming from the leading cities of the Dominion. There were almost two scores of debutantes.

LIGHTNING STRUCK HOUSE AT PAMDENAC; LADY NOW VERY ILL; STREET CARS BADLY INJURED

Yesterday's electrical storm, though its severer portion was not of long duration, did considerable damage about the city and its vicinity.

Two Street Cars Struck. In town, the street railway came in for a large share of the damage done, two of the company's cars being struck. One of the cars, Sir Mill street, near the railway depot, when the bolt fell, and its disabling was demoralizing to the service, suspending it for half an hour.

The lightning struck the car, which bore the ill-owned number 23, almost in the centre of the floor, and passed through to the motors beneath, turning both of them completely upside down. A great gap was cut in the floor of the car.

There were a half dozen passengers on board the car at the time. One man felt the results of the shock in the landing of the foot, and a woman who sat near to him also received a slight shock.

Another car was struck while at the foot of Indiantown, and was towed to the shed with its fuse blown out.

Passed Down Hotel Chimney. A peculiar freak of the storm was played at the Grand Union hotel, where the fluid passed down the chimney, carrying away part of the brick work at both top and bottom.

The blow landed in the hotel barber shop, playing on a pair of scissors held by Mr. Edgar Maguire, one of the barbers, and about the head of a customer, whose hair he was cutting. Mr. Maguire's hand remained numb for some minutes. A cloud of soot and ashes was blown into the shop as the lightning entered.

Severely Felt in Quarry. A gang of men who were at work in the Stetson, Cutler Co.'s quarry, Indiantown, were all affected by the flash. Hands and arms were numbed in the case of each, and several were badly dazed.

Dynamo Struck. The dynamo in the T. H. Estabrook building also proved an attraction for the lightning, and portions of it were extensively damaged.

so that the extent of the damage is not known.

The New Brunswick Telephone Company's lines were affected in several directions by the storm, and communication with several outside exchanges could not be had last night.

IS NOW OUT ON A TICKET-OF-LEAVE

Special to The Standard. Montreal, June 21.—News was received this morning from the Department of Justice to Mr. Tancredi Pagnuelo, advocate, to the effect that Lear Mann, who received sentence in 1888, which was afterwards changed into imprisonment for life in the Vincent De Paul Penitentiary. Had been ordered out on a ticket-of-leave.

Mann was sentenced to death for the murder of his mother-in-law. On the day of the murder, which occurred in Hochelaga, eleven years ago, he had been drinking to excess. He got quarrelsome at his home, on Poupart street, and it was in an attempt to shoot his wife that he missed his aim and the bullet intended for his wife killed her mother, who had come in to her daughter's rescue.

Mann escaped the rope by only a few hours. The scaffold had been erected and all arrangements made for his execution, when on the day previous to the hanging a reprieve came from Ottawa changing the sentence from hanging to life imprisonment.

MEXICO HAS WITHDRAWN SUBSIDIES

Special to The Standard. Ottawa, Ont., June 21.—The Trade and Commerce Department has issued a statement respecting the report that the Canada-New Zealand service has been discontinued. As to the Canada-Mexican Pacific service, the department announces that heretofore

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ZION WANTED REV. MR. CRISP TO REMAIN

Special to The Standard. Woodstock, June 21.—The president of the Methodist conference, Rev. A. D. McCully, has received a protest from Zion church, St. John, against the removal of Rev. James Crisp. The final draft of the station sheet had been ratified by the conference before the receipt of the protest. Rev. Mr. Crisp is willing to go to Springfield, and Rev. T. J. Deistad is satisfied to go to Zion church. The protest did not come before the conference and the appointments must stand as at present.

CANADA AND MEXICO CONTRIBUTED \$50,000 NEW WITHDRAWN HER SUBSIDY

Canada and Mexico contributed \$50,000 new withdrawn her subsidy and the Canadian government will hereafter pay an extra \$25,000 in order to maintain the service. This means that for this service of joint benefit to the two countries Canada pays \$75,000 per annum and Mexico pays nothing.

Mexico Cuts Another Subsidy. It is further stated that Mexico will hereafter pay only \$25,000 per annum instead of \$50,000 to the Elder Dempster line for the Canadian-Mexican Atlantic service. Heretofore Canada and Mexico has each paid one-half of the annual subsidy of \$100,000.

ENGLISHMEN LOOKED FOR CHAPS AND SOMBREROS AND WERE MUCH SURPRISED AT COLONIAL EDITORS

(By John Foster Fraser.) In England we have what is known as "King's Weather." British people believe that however much it may rain on other occasions the sun shines brightly at functions attended by His Majesty and the Queen Consort. It is a coincidence, but one fondly accepted as a reality in England.

So gloriously shone the sun on the afternoon of Monday, June 7, when the Prince and Princess of Wales gave a garden party at Marlborough House. The aristocracy of the Old Country, men distinguished in letters, in arms, on the sea, famous actors and beautiful actresses, were all invited to the town residence of the heir to the throne. And there they spent a pleasant afternoon in the most charming of grounds.

The distinction about this garden party was the special invitations which were extended to the overseas Britons attending the Imperial Press Conference and their ladies. They came, first by the Prince and Princess, and afterwards by separate introduction to His Majesty and the Queen by Lord Burnham, the general proprietor of the London Daily Telegraph.

There was a time when the colonial visitor had a distinctness of attire which picked him out in the London throng. Indeed, he took a certain pride in letting the world and his wife know he came from a new and energetic land. Things have changed, perhaps the men had gone to London tailors and maybe the ladies had patronized fashionable West-End costumers—but the fact was that the ladies were just as exquisitely gowned as the fashionable women who make the London season radiant, and except for a sprightliness of shoulder, and a touch of bronze upon the cheek, there was nothing to mark out our visitors from the English folk assembled.

There had been rain all the previous day. But this only freshened the green, and drew the perfume from the banks of flowers. There was a tortoise apart for the Royal party. A long marquee, three-sided, was devoted to refreshments for the guests of their Royal Highnesses. Officers in crimson coats marched about the grounds. Dames and damsels were in the softest and yet most brilliant of clinging raiments. Their hats were wonders of millinery.

The Prince and the Princess stood by the path, and by their side was the Princess Mary—dressed in white, children are, in the simplest of white frocks—while little Prince John, in sailor costume of duck material, was close at hand. Men bowed their heads and ladies made their curtsies.

But the great event was the coming of the King and Queen. The Prince and Princess entered Marlborough House to receive them. The throng of visitors made a great semicircle before the main doorway. Then, when the Prince came out, the King and his mother on his arm, and his gracious father with the Princess of Wales, all male heads were bared, and all the women folk came out and deep—one of the prettiest sights imaginable. The band played the National Anthem, and the

King and Queen, accompanied by many of their relatives, made a little tour of the gardens, and mingled with their friends.

Everyone who comes in contact with the Queen becomes her slave. She has the secret of continuous youth. Her smile might be described as fragrant. She has a quick eye for her friends, and a little inclination of the head brings them to her.

I took an Australian dame in hand—a bright-eyed young lady who was making her first visit to England—and showed her around and introduced her to some of the celebrities. Her frank, girlish appreciation of the whole thing was refreshing. Sauntering on the path, and chatting to Lord Howe, was Mr. Asquith, the Prime Minister. A handsome man, with something artistic and literary in his features, was Sir Edward Grey, the Foreign Minister. Close by, philosophical, stout, the War minister. A cultured intellectual man, not well-clad, with brilliant blue tie, but that needed brushing was the great writer Mr. John Morley, but now called Lord Morley of Blackburn. Tall and handsome was the Earl of Crewe, Secretary of State for the Colonies. Everywhere were distinguished politicians.

Royalties moved among the mass. An amiable smiling lady was Princess Beatrice of Saxe-Coburg, mother of the Queen of Spain. That well-set soldier in high boots and glistening helmet was Prince Alexander of Teck, the man of dignity and royal mien was a Duke of Connaught, brother of the King. A tall, fair, beautiful girl, followed by many admiring eyes, was the lovely Princess Patricia of Connaught. Two modest ladies—shy, as though they were making their first visit to a garden party—were the Duchess of Devonshire and the Duchess of Cambridge. The Princess Victoria, daughters of the King. That fine old man, white-haired and short sighted, was Prince Christian, cousin of the King. In and out and round about ran Princess Mary and Prince John, getting great fun from watching the moving crowd.

Bluff and hearty was heard the laughter of Lord Charles Bessford. Short and sharp was the principal of the sun-baked warrior familiarly known as "Bobs." The Archbishop of Canterbury was there in ecclesiastical robes, and Sir Squire Bancroft and Lady Bancroft, Mr. George Alexander and Mrs. Alexander, Mr. Cyril Maude and his wife, and other favorites of the stage. Artists were there. Writers were there. Famous journalists were to be seen. Duchesses, Countesses, and ladies were innumerable.

So the band played. People talked and walked, and the scene was as beautiful as anything you will find in the world.

The King and Queen—after the Royal party had tea—went to the tent. The waiting representatives of the British overseas press, together with their ladies, came forward and were introduced to the King and Queen. There was a handshake from His Majesty and a gentle handshake from the Queen. They said pleasant words to the visitors. The King was delighted to meet those met from distant parts of his dominions who had done so much to stimulate the spirit of Imperialism, wherever the Union Jack floats. Again the royalties moved among their friends.

The sun was beginning to set on the exquisite June afternoon—and no where is summer so delicious as in London on a young June day—when the garden party came to an end.

MR. BUTLER TALKS OF THE INTERCOLONIAL

Fredericton, June 21.—Mr. M. J. Butler, C. E., deputy minister of railways and canals and chairman of the intercolonial railway commission, has returned to the city after a three-ernment railway system.

Mr. Butler, interviewed, said that the main object of the trip was that Mr. Brady, a member of the commission, who is a stranger to the intercolonial, might become thoroughly familiar with the road and its general conditions. During the trip the board met the different boards of trade throughout the maritime provinces, all of whom were clamoring for changes and improvements of different kinds.

As to the policy of the new board, Mr. Butler said nothing definite had been decided, but several minor changes, effecting considerable saving and car shops, at Moncton, erected at a cost of nearly two million dollars, will be ready for occupation by the first of July. Those shops are thoroughly equipped with electric cranes, and different mechanical devices, which will do away with the necessity of a large staff of laborers employed at the present time. The general office staff will be reduced in some departments. The abolition of the pay car means a saving of about \$20,000 per year.

Another saving will be made in advertising. In future the time cards will appear only in the two leading papers of Toronto, instead of nearly all Ontario papers, and in future when advertising through the Maritime Provinces, the board will choose the best advertising medium, regardless of politics.

When questioned regarding changes in the train service, Mr. Butler stated that in future there would be a morning and evening train from Montreal to Halifax, as well as from Halifax to Moncton. In the past what is known as the C. P. R. followed the Ocean Limited from Moncton to Halifax. There will be several other changes in the provinces, the principal one being a night train to Sydney which will take the place of the Sydney flyer.

NEW BAPTIST PASTOR AT AMHERST, MASS. Rev. James M. Lent, of South Windsor, Conn., who will begin the pastorate of the Amherst Baptist Church July 1, was born in Freeport, Digby County, N. S., at the age of twenty-five, while engaged as book-keeper for a Boston business house, strong conviction Mr. Lent entered Worcester Academy in the fall of 1896, and during his last two years preached at Jamesville, a branch of the old Main Street Baptist Church of Worcester. During a course at Brown University Mr. Lent held a student pastorate at Thornton, R. I. His theological training was received at the Hartford Theological Seminary, Hartford, Conn., and at Yale Divinity School. For five and a half years Mr. Lent has very successfully served his present charge at South Windsor, Conn., at which place he was ordained the 16th of last June.

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AN ELEPHANT FLEET KEPT IN INDIA

Its elephant fleet is one of the strangest and most deadly departments maintained by the British government in India. It is a large fleet of coasting steamers specially built for the transport of elephants. India's population is one-fifth that of the entire globe. All these people use elephants. They use them for draught work and for tiger hunting, and in the pit them against one another and against wild beasts. The elephant transfers the animals from Dacca, the trapping and training headquarters, to the various districts whence comes the demand.

To get an elephant aboard ship is a difficult and dangerous task. The animal must be made to understand the stout raft, and this undertaking is so white and tumultuous, often terrifying and maddens him. In his fury he is greatly hampered. On the raft, his legs are tied to pegs, and the sail to the ship is uneventful. But now the elephant's body and a crane must hoist him up some twenty or thirty feet to the deck. Here again the elephant cannot be set down as intractable if losing his head in the air. The aerial journey, he murders some more mahouts. Very prosperous, albeit stained a little with mahouts' blood, the elephant fleet for many years has plied up and down the Indian coast embarking and disembarking its heavy unmanageable freight.

GRAND MANAN. Grand Manan, June 21.—Great turnout of K. P.s and Orange parade at Seal Cove. At Seal Cove, a pretty village 12 miles from steamer's landing, matters assumed a lively appearance on Sunday last. Orange lodge Arbor Light went in procession to services which were conducted by the Rev. J. Spencer. The sermon was a brief survey of the history of Orangeism in England, Ireland and Canada with its principles and obligations. At the close of the service the procession returned and proceeded to the cemetery to decorate the graves of the departed brothers.

The K. P.s of Grand Harbor went to Seal Cove to decorate the graves of departed brothers. The pretty village was thronged with visitors from different parts of the island. The Grand Harbor team played a baseball game with Seal Cove on the 19th, at Grand Harbor. The former won by three counts. A very pleasing concert was given at North Head on Saturday evening, by the young people under the direction of Miss Jacobus, of Whale Cove Cottage. Mr. Allen Guphill, of Grand Harbor, one of the old and respected residents is in Boston undergoing special treatment for internal trouble. Rev. J. Spencer was in the city Monday to meet his daughter who is on vacation from the Victoria Hospital, Fredericton. Premier Hazen and the Hon. member for Charlottetown, Mr. Clarke, with Mr. Carter, school inspector, paid a flying visit to Grand Manan last week. The object of the visit is not yet revealed. The Rev. H. Osgood, of the church of the Ascension, Boston, who is on a visit to Grand Manan, has been assisting the rector by preaching at the church of the Ascension, North Head and at the parish church. The annual school meeting was held on the 19th, throughout the island. Schools are in a prosperous and satisfactory condition. A few changes in teachers will occur.

CORN HILL. Corn Hill, June 18.—The promised rain has come and vegetation is looking better. The Hazen road law will soon be in operation. The commissioners, Byard McLeod, Melbourn Wilcox, Guilford Atkinson, Asa Keith are getting to work. They are all good men and when they get through the road will be much improved. W. J. Clark has sold his home and small farm to John W. Debone for a good price. The Independent Telephone Company will soon have the line in operation. They have about eight miles of line under construction. They have the poles erected and will be putting up wire in a few days. When completed it will be a great convenience. Mr. Everett Hilliard has returned to Boston after spending a few days at the home of John W. Brown. Summer visitors are beginning to arrive. It's a Toss-up. Boston Transcript. Hicks—My wife never says, "I told I say so?"

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ER GETS THE PLACE NO MONTH Standard. nt, June 21.—It is said that Mrs. Kinrade and Kinrade are in New York. It is said that that was point when they left that they went in a way so as to lose the residence at 105 Her- been rented to a la- \$10 a month.

KILLED ACCIDENT CHIPMAN E. June 21.—A serious occurred near Coal Creek morning, resulting in the workmen and the serious others. A score or so mine in the wreck. John a supply express at d left the rails and were at occurred on the Cor- contract. The men were jump for their lives. The s Scottie Simpson, labor- an Italian. Both were ed in the wreck. John nasty bruises about Dango, another laborer, seriously injured. These re conveyed to the Chip- and are under treatment and Sutherland.

about twenty-five work- express, in addition to the nt and foreman at the train left Coal Creek Bis- not proceeded far before ed that the brakes would the train continued at a hand in rounding a curve rade into the rails, and was to leave the rails, and was left for a coal creek to examination.

BOAT AND RUBB RACE SATURDAY The Standard |—Tom Long- Shrub have been match- miles next Satur- at the island. The event will s. This is the third and de- of the series between the ont, earned the decision at- on distance. Shrub won at, and this third race at 20 is e.

D TO SUNDAY TRAINS. of the Second District of the United Baptists of Carleton County. It is proposed, by the C. P. Co. to establish a Sunday over their line operating Carleton County, and, of this proposition threatens city of the Sabbath Day and against the Christian Belig- re resolved that we, the re- of the United Baptist of the Second District in assembled, do hereby express emphatic protest against on distance. Shrub won at, and this third race at 20 is e. to prevent such action. A copy of this is to be sent to the superintend- of C. P. R. on this division, to the C. P. R. and to the newspaper. A resolution was unani- mously passed at the recent United meeting at Hartland, Carleton

Hennessey and Edward Steel is fined \$8 yesterday morning drunkenness. John McTavish, with drunkenness and using language pleaded guilty and fined \$8. McTavish was before the court for being drunk and using language. A fine of \$8 was imposed. McGowan, arrested for drunk- ness, was remanded. Erick Roalston arrested on a sworn out, for assault, and a \$10, which was allowed to stand. Davidson, arrested for assault, was remanded. She is sup- posed to have come from New Glas- gow a month ago. McGowan denied that he was drunk, and Officer Belyea, who he arrested, gave evidence in con- sideration of McGowan's statement, he was adjudged, and a friend is with McGowan will be sum- moned to give evidence. A police court yesterday after- noon. John McTavish was before the court and was remanded. Sullivan was again before the court yesterday afternoon charged with disturbing Officer He was once again remanded.

Andrew's Cadets Inspected. St. Andrew's Cadets were in- spected in St. Andrew's school room by White, D. O. C. The "kitties" and themselves well.

remains of Eben Locke, whose tomb place at Shulce, N. E., heart failure, passed through the water last evening en route from St. John to Boston, where interment place.

J. A. Young, acting manager of New Brunswick, who spent a few days at Fredericton, returned to the city yesterday.

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THE PROVINCIAL DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE.

A forward movement in agriculture was indicated by the Provincial Administration when the Royal Commission was appointed, and was more particularly outlined when the committee presented its comprehensive report. The report contained many recommendations and suggestions, involving a general reorganization in methods and administration. Dr. Landry had in fact found it necessary to practically create a department of agriculture if he wished to give the province the service that it had the right to demand from him as Chief Commissioner. While agriculture is the leading industry and interest in the province, it has received only the perfunctory attention of the gentleman who was placed at the head of the department, while the deputy minister, whatever might be his personal merits, never in his twelve years of office displaced much initiative. It is not necessary to determine whether this was due to his own limitations or to official atmosphere and influence. The fact is that the province needed, and the people demanded, more progressive and aggressive agricultural policy and action.

It was not sufficient to lay out some of the work to be done. The officer to carry out the programme under the direction of the responsible head had to be obtained. Dr. Landry has reached the conclusion that Mr. Hubbard is the man best qualified to take up these reforms and advances, and his colleagues agree with him. The secretary of the Department of Agriculture, who takes the place of the Deputy Commissioner and will perform the same duties, with many others, is well known throughout the province. He has both a theoretical and practical knowledge of agriculture, with expert qualifications in live stock and dairy farming. Mr. Hubbard has had the advantage of life on the farm, and training in an agricultural college. He has been superintendent of dairies, organizer of agricultural societies, manager of agricultural exhibitions, editor of an agricultural journal, secretary of an agricultural commission. He can address a farmers' meeting, write a good report, judge cattle, direct dairy operations. He understands fruit culture, and has made a study of fertilizers. He is energetic, enthusiastic, and will be determined to do all that he can to make the department effective.

A brief outline of the advance now to be undertaken is given elsewhere. Dr. Landry has marked out certain steps to be taken at the beginning, along the lines of the report made by the commission. The Commissioner was himself the leading spirit of the commission and thoroughly understands what is directly contained and ultimately involved in the recommendations. Dr. Landry is a young minister who has a chance in his department to do a great service to the province and win distinction for himself. He admits that he had some things to learn, and that was the reason the investigation was held. He and his colleagues also had some things to undo, and this they are accomplishing. Already they have done some constructive work, notably in the promotion of immigration and colonization. In the special importation of horses, the department has for the first time in the history of the province been able to introduce pure bred stock at no cost to the treasury. In this as in other things the Department of Agriculture has been progressive without extravagance.

PURPOSE OF THE RACE CRY.

Whenever the Laurier Government finds itself discredited, it always encourages some organ or orator in Quebec to invent a race question. There is today no such question. In all the public matters now, or recently before the country, there is not one in which a race issue is directly or indirectly involved. Never was there a time when the question was dragged in more gratuitously than now.

Yet here is La Presse fairly foaming and frothing over the Orange and Tory fanatics, declaring that pestilent sectarians are hurling insults at the French Canadians; asserting that Mr. Borden has yielded to the Imperialist programme, which is represented by La Presse as anti-French; complaining that the Imperial Press Conference is a machine to promote Canadian subservience to England's war policy, and generally representing the whole Opposition party as involved in some anti-Quebec conspiracy.

What is it all about? La Presse began when there was criticism of the late Mr. Prefontaine, because it is part of its creed that a French speaking minister must never be named—unless, of course, he is on the wrong side of politics. But Mr. Brodeur, a French speaking minister, does not hesitate to shield himself by throwing on Mr. Prefontaine the blame for demoralizing his department. When the maladministration of Mr. Brodeur was exposed by a civil service commission, of which one member was a French speaking Liberal from Quebec city, that was represented as a Tory plot to destroy a French public man. Mr. Brodeur himself got rid of his compatriot, the deputy of his department, but that was nothing.

It mattered nothing that the Opposition begged the Government to carry into the departments of Sir Fred Borden, Mr. Graham and Mr. Pugsley the same investigation that was conducted in the department of the French speaking Minister of Marine, and that the French speaking minister himself voted against it. The Conservatives are still accused of singling out a French minister for attack and exposure. It does not matter that Mr. Pugsley, who with all his pretences, has never claimed

to be French, complains that he has been assailed more bitterly than any other minister of any race. When La Presse speaks of Conservatives as Orange fanatics, it is not noticed by La Presse that the Minister of Public Works is an Orangeman. It does not suit the organ of the Premier to consider that this minister, and organ of the Government, have heaped their worst insults on the most distinguished French speaking citizen of this province, though that eminent man has for nearly twenty years been a judge and removed from politics.

There is absolutely no foundation for the slanders of La Presse and its associate organs. The Imperial Press Conference was called by the influence of the Liberal Government of Great Britain. A majority of the public men who have addressed the editors belong to the British political party with which Sir Wilfrid Laurier has professed himself in sympathy. More than two-thirds of the delegates from Canada are supporters of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, and have gone there determined to protect his interests.

There is not the ghost of a grievance as a basis of the campaign of La Presse. The Conservative party in the House of Commons is working in harmony with the Quebec Conservatives, who number 45 per cent. of the population of that province. Mr. Borden is at home among the Quebec people, whose language he has acquired, and whom he understands and admires, as they admire and respect him. The Whitney Government has given one of its most important portfolios to a French speaking representative. Mr. Hazen has done the same, and is supported by a majority of the French speaking members of the House.

The campaign of La Presse and Le Soleil is therefore not the result of any misunderstanding. It is not the effect of fanaticism or narrow-mindedness. It is not sincere. The writers, inspired by political leaders, encouraged by the approval of the Premier of Canada, have deliberately and in cold blood entered upon this business to divert attention from charges and proofs of graft and public plunder, and to intimidate the public press and public men from doing their duty in exposing these iniquities.

CROPS IN THE WESTERN PROVINCE.

It is rather surprising to learn that the area in Manitoba under wheat is 208,529 acres less than last year, a falling off of seven per cent. There is some gain in oats and barley, but the decrease in all grains is 163,129 acres, or over three per cent.

In Saskatchewan there is an increase in all grains. But Saskatchewan and Manitoba together have only 600 acres more in wheat than last year, though they have six per cent. increase in all grains. Saskatchewan has this year about fifty per cent. more wheat acreage than Manitoba. The newer province has also about fifty per cent. more land in oats than Manitoba, but not so much in barley.

Alberta is not a grain growing province in the same proportion as the more eastern prairie provinces. She has less than 1,000,000 acres of grain, compared with nearly 5,000,000 in Manitoba, and nearly 7,000,000 in Saskatchewan. Alberta has more acres in oats than in wheat, while the other provinces have twice as much wheat as oats.

NOT QUITE READY.

The Moncton board of trade is in favor of Maritime Union. So are most other boards of trade. Some nine men out of any unselected ten are in favor of the union of the three provinces.

But how many St. John or Fredericton people are in favor of union with the capital at Halifax or Charlottetown? How many Halifax folk would take union with the capital at St. John, or Moncton, or Charlottetown? How many Prince Edward Islanders are for union with Fredericton or Sackville or Amherst, as the seat of government?

The test of public opinion on this question is whether the people of any province are ready to make some local sacrifices for the sake of union. A story is told of a man in a New Brunswick village, who was asked whether he could play the violin. "Yes," he replied, "all but the practical part." With a similar limitation most of the people of the Maritime Provinces are in favor of union.

THE ALDRICH TARIFF.

Now that the United States tariff bill is pretty well settled, the Boston Herald presents a careful calculation based on Government statistics of imports and exports. The effect of this analysis is to show that 75 per cent. of the Dingley rates have been re-enacted, while of the other 25 per cent., 15 per cent. are increases, and 10 are decreases. On the whole it has been a revision upwards. Of the 14 schedules the Herald makes out that ten are increases over the Dingley bill, while four are decreases. It is represented that the average duty on cotton goods was less than 45 per cent., under the Aldrich bill, and will be over 47 per cent. It is increased from 55 to 58 per cent. A proportional increase is reported in the agricultural schedule, and in silk goods and on linen. The Herald insists that the revision upward was not what the people were led to expect.

A convention of delegates supporting the Government is called for this evening to select a candidate for St. John county. The meeting takes place in this city. Simonds is the only parish which has not yet chosen delegates, and the electors from Simonds will meet here to elect their delegates immediately before the convention.

No one else in Great Britain could have made so fine a speech of welcome to the press delegates as Lord Rosebery. It is an address that belongs to literature. It was singularly felicitous and full of charm. Lord Rosebery does not always give light. He did not on this occasion. But then, as always, he gave delight to the cultivated hearer.

The St. John Standard is engaged in the playful work of quoting what the St. John Telegraph had to say about Dr. Pugsley before that worthy, with McAvity, bought out the Telegraph. The Telegraph sop is amazing in the light of these quotations.—London, Ontario, Free Press.

A Fredericton correspondent intimates that the Standard was too local when it accused winter of chilling the lap of June. He says that in Fredericton there was no such display of familiarity. Winter kept a polite distance on Sunday and the weather was hot.

The Halifax Herald points out that the Liberal majority in the popular vote of Nova Scotia was 9,000 in 1901; 4,000 in 1906 and 2,000 in 1908. It seems to be a vanishing quantity.

It is again reported that the French Chamber is about to consider the treaty with Canada. The live cattle which were to be admitted into Canada under this treaty have long since become dead meat.

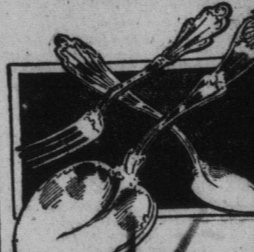
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PERSONAL

Mr. D. A. Fenton, of Toronto, is at the Victoria.
Mr. John R. Tompkins, of Woodstock, was at the Dufferin on Monday.
Mrs. M. E. McCarron, of Fredericton, was at the Victoria yesterday.

Senator A. H. Comeau, and daughter, of Meteghan River, are at the Dufferin. They are on their way home from Ottawa.
Mr. E. A. McLaren, of Moncton, was in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Maly, of Charlottetown, are at the Dufferin.
Mr. and Mrs. D. Carter, of Richibucto, is at the Victoria.
Hon. Chas. E. Oak, of Bangor, is at the Royal.

Messrs. W. M. F. O'Brien, and Mrs. W. F. O'Brien, of Chipman, are at the Dufferin.
Rev. Z. C. Beal, of Wuku, China, is in the city.
Mr. D. D. McKay, of Kentville is at the Dufferin.

Mr. A. F. Bentley, of St. Martins was at the Royal Saturday.
Mrs. J. C. Mackintosh and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Wood, Halifax, are at the Royal.

Mrs. Wilson, mother of Mrs. G. A. Kubring, is critically ill.
Moncton Transcript: Mrs. W. A. Lockhart, of St. John, is spending a few days in the city with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Cole.—Mr. George R. Sangster, who has been confined to his home through illness for the past six months, is improving, and is now able to sit out of doors.—Miss May G. Flanagan, artist, left this week for Fall River, N. S., where she will remain for some time sketching. Miss Flanagan hopes to secure a number of pretty views.

Telegram: Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Walter Holly and children, of St. John, arrived in Yarmouth on Tuesday.
Mr. Guy Dunn, formerly district engineer, St. John, has been appointed to a similar position on the G. T. F. F. Scovill, rector of St. George's, succeeded Mr. L. B. Merriman, resigning.

Sir John and Lady Hanbury Williams, Ottawa, and their daughters will spend part of the summer at St. Andrews, N. B.
Mr. Geo. W. Swett, manager of the Breslin Hotel, New York, has been appointed manager of the Hotel Netherside, Fifth avenue and 59th street, New York. Mr. Swett will be remembered as the manager of the Victoria Hotel, St. John, at the time of "the fire."

The bans of marriage between Rev. F. Scovill, rector of Victoria parish, and Miss Edith Coster, were published in St. Jude's Church on Sunday.
Mr. Benjamin Allen, Toronto, is at the Royal.

Mr. F. P. Carvell, M. P., Woodstock, was in the city Monday.
Mr. and Mrs. Harold Beverly Robinson returned yesterday from their wedding trip.

Rev. Dr. Howard Sprague came in on the Montreal express Monday.
Dr. Scovill Murray, of Upham, is in the city.
Rev. Dr. Howard returned on Monday from Woodstock, where he has been attending the Methodist conference, from a six weeks' trip to England.

At London Saturday, Earl Grey, Governor General of Canada, dined with King Edward.
Hon. Wm. Pugsley has left Ottawa for St. John.
Miss Sadie Taylor, Grand Falls, is the guest of Mrs. John T. Kelly.

DEATHS

Thos. F. Thompson.
Fredericton, June 21.—After only four days' illness, Thomas F. Thompson, one of the linotype operators in the Gleason office, died this morning at 3 o'clock, as a result of a severe attack of pleuro-pneumonia. Until noon on Wednesday last Mr. Thompson



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Table of New York Cotton Market prices for various months.

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THE LATEST COTTON MARKET SITUATION

Special to The Standard. Toronto, June 21.—Today's markets throughout the province indicate no big break in the price of wheat...

WHEAT DECLINE CHECKED.

Chicago, Ill., June 21.—The declining tendency of wheat was effectively checked and prices scored gains of more than 1 cent today owing to unfavorable weather for harvesting in the southwest and to a "green bug" scare in the oats market.

CORN, OATS AND LARD.

Chicago, Ill., June 21.—Wheat—July 3 1/4 to 3 1/2; Sept. 1.08 1/2 to 1.09; Dec. 1.06 1/2 to 1.07.

AMERICAN STOCK TRANSACTIONS; LATEST MARKET QUOTATIONS; CHANGE FROM LAST WEEK

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NO MATERIAL RESULTS FROM SHARP DECLINE

New York, N. Y., June 21.—It took several hours of waiting tactics on the part of the professional element amongst the operators in stocks to demonstrate today their satisfaction that the sharp fall in prices last week had not been a mere technical movement...

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The Manitoba Free Press says:—When the first crop report for 1909 was issued on May 15 it showed that seeding operations were at least two weeks behind those of 1908. The June crop report issued a month and a day later shows that the two weeks have been made up, and except in a very few cases, the crop is as far advanced and in as good, if not better condition, than it was on June 15, 1908.

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So I went to his him. I told him that and he gladly accepted here tonight. He has (Great cheers.)

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New York, June 22.—Many veteran bicyclists have revived the old time road races on Long Island. In the list of entries in a recent century run were Morrison, of Philadelphia; John De Bruyn, of Belgium; "Nick" and "Chris" Kind, of Holland, and others. A Spalding medal has also been donated for schoolboys.

MARATHONS WON AGAIN FROM CLIPPERS; SCORE WAS 4 TO 1

In a good snappy game the Marathons took their fourth from the Clippers last night on the Victoria grounds. The score was 4 to 1 after five innings play. A fair-sized crowd turned out although it was generally thought the grounds would be too wet after yesterday's heavy thunder shower, to permit the teams to play. The usual puddles were in evidence on the base lines and about the home-plate but a liberal use of sawdust lessened the dampness to some extent. The outfield was in a very good shape, however, and the fielding was good considering the greasy state of the ball.

Howe in Box For Clippers.
H. Howe was on the slab for the Clippers and did good work, striking out five men. Three Marathons, however, got to first by being hit by the pitcher. Nesbit had four strike-outs to his credit.

The Scoring.
The Marathons got two runs in the second, one in the third and one in the fifth. The Clippers' lonely tally on an error by Carson in the fourth. In the second Bradbury was hit by a pitched ball, reached second on an error, he reached third and Clawson reached first when Harrington was caught at the second by Lee. Lee, Colm's two-bagger scored both men. Doc Malcolm tallied on an error in the third. Ramey made the last run on Doc Malcolm's single in the last inning.

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JACK JOHNSON AIDS THE CHURCH; INCIDENTALLY, HE SAYS THAT JEFF IS TOO FAT TO FIGHT

Jack Johnson last week spoke at a church meeting. The meeting was at the Cypress Hall, Prospect Street, Cambridge, Mass., and was in aid of the Rush A. M. E. Zion Church. An account of the meeting follows: The lower part of the hall had seats for spars, but the galleries held all the people the law would permit. The champion appeared on schedule time, accompanied by his wife, in the now famous automobile.

Received An Ovation.
On entering the hall he was given an ovation. When he was rested and the police had assured themselves that nothing of the nature of a pugilistic exhibition was to be pulled off, Rev. Dr. Francis Lee advanced to the front of the platform and said:

What the Parson Said.
"You will witness tonight a feature which, so far as I know, has never taken place before in the history of the world. I heard that Mr. Jack Johnson was in Boston and I was struck with the thought that he would be a man that would like to talk for my church. The more I thought of it, over the more convinced I became that even if he was a man of the ring he had a Christian mother, a Christian training and that in spite of his great fame he would speak for our people. (Applause.)

The Glad Rags.
Johnson came forward clad in a tuxedo suit, a dark vest, showing a vast expanse of shirt front from which glittered two dazzling diamonds. His tie was black. Other diamonds sparkled from his big hands. He was given an ovation lasting several minutes. He made an address which scored a great hit because of his eloquence and his command of himself.

LI Aesthet's Speech.
Without appearing to notice the referee of the Johnson and Knifman bout, Johnson says that neither of them will officiate, for he will not stand for it.

Jim Barry, finding the boxing game in England, is on his way back to the United States.
A colored boxer giving the name of Frank McCay, and claiming to hail from Boston was defeated in six rounds by Jim Austin in London the other night. McCay is believed to be Davis, who went to England with Sam Langford.

There is a possibility that the Nelson-Clifford contest, scheduled for June 22 at Oklahoma City, will be prevented by the authorities.
Jeffries is continuing to get the soft money. He boxes Berger in Buffalo, June 26, but meantime has a lot of minor dates at fancy prices.

BARD ALLERTON AND SILVER TAIL WINNERS AT DELORIMER PARK

Special to The Standard.
Montreal, June 21.—The Delorimer Park meeting opened here today, with the following results:

Table with columns: Race Name, Winner, Time, and Odds.

ST. JOHN'S WON FROM A. O. H. SCORE 7 TO 5

A. O. H. lost again to St. Johns last evening in a game which afforded a fair amount of interest. St. Johns led all the way not allowing Fairville to score until the third inning when St. Johns were already five to the good.

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Johnson Matched with Ross.
New York, June 21.—A six round match has been arranged between Jack Johnson and Tony Ross, the Italian heavyweight, to take place in Pittsburgh on June 30 at the Duquesne.

ST. JOHN ATHLETES FOR MONTELEONE.
St. John will be well represented at the Montreal A. A. A. track meet to be held in the Railway Town on Saturday evening, June 21, 1909.

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Boston, June 20.—Norbert Wiener, of Medford, was graduated from Tufts College today with the degree of A. B. (cum laud.)

ALMA, A. CO.
Alma, N. B., June 19.—The annual school meeting took place in the school house today.

ROCKWOOD PARK TONIGHT
Weather permitting, Scott & Jones, the colored artists, will give their great Musical and Singing Act from the verandah of the Pavilion.

Sammy Keller, the little English boxer, who appeared at the Armory A. A. last fall, was knocked out in two rounds by Young Lippe in Plymouth, England, the other night.

MAINE SPORTSMEN'S MEETING.
Kinoe, Me., June 21.—The opening day of the Maine Sportsmen's Meeting brought together over two hundred men and women from all sections of the state to this point.

PERFECTLY AGREEABLE.
There was an stipulation a short time ago from a southerner, and after a brief honeymoon the bride returned to the parental roof.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.

Maritime—Moderate west and south-west winds, fair and warm. Toronto, June 21.—Pressure is low over the western provinces and south-west states and the Gulf of St. Lawrence and highest along the south Atlantic seaboard.

Washington Forecast. Washington, D. C., June 21.—Forecast for New England: Partly cloudy; showers in north portion Tuesday; Wednesday, showers, somewhat cooler in interior; moderate west winds, becoming variable.

Commissioner Here. Hon. Charles E. Oak, one of the Maine Commissioners to settle the St. John River dispute, came to the city last night and registered at the Royal Hotel.

Officer Lee Off to Boston. Officer Lee, of West St. John, will leave tonight on the Calvin Austin for a visit to New York and Boston for a two weeks' vacation. His place will be filled by Officer Hughes.

Will be Taken to Chipman. The remains of the late Mr. John McDougall will be taken to Chipman this morning by the seven o'clock train. A funeral service will be conducted last evening at his late home on Victoria street by Rev. J. J. McCaskill.

Returns to Montreal. Dr. Francois Demerse, of Montreal, who received the degree of B. A. real at St. Joseph's University at the closing exercises on Thursday last, spent Sunday in the city, the guest of Mr. J. Louis Slatyer, B. A. He returned to Montreal yesterday.

Hand Severely Crushed. Franklin Blizard, a millman employed by Murray and Gregory, had one of his hands severely crushed while at work yesterday morning. He was working at the edge, and his hand was carried with the piece of lumber which he was trimming. Dr. W. F. Roberts attended him.

Buried Yesterday. The funeral of Mrs. Bridget Conroy, widow of Mr. Wm. Conroy, took place yesterday from her late residence, 245 Union street. The deceased was in the 65th year of her age. The funeral was held in the Cathedral, where Rev. Wm. Duke read the burial service. Interment was made in the new Catholic cemetery.

At Rockwood Park. There will be a big attraction at Rockwood Park tonight. If the weather is fine Scott and Jones, the colored artists, will give their musical and singing act from the veranda of the pavilion, and there will be fireworks from the lake, the shoot-the-chutes will be open and an orchestra will play.

Mayor of Salem Here. Mayor Hurley, of Salem, Mass., was in the city yesterday. He was registered at the Victoria. Mayor Hurley left for Fredericton on the evening train. This is his fourth term in office. While in St. John he was entertained by Ald. McGoldrick, and made the acquaintance of Mayor Bullock.

Civic Pay Day. At the city hall yesterday Cashier Willet paid over the civic employes as wages for the past two months the sum of \$4,492.93 as follows: Public works, \$1,319.25; Police, \$737.57; Market, \$946.95; Fire and Salvage, \$1,263.29; Officials, \$1,263.29.

Thompson-Thompson. A very pretty wedding took place last evening at the residence of the groom's father, Mr. Alfred Thompson, 23 Erin street, when Mr. Charles W. Thompson was united in marriage to Miss Alvinia Thompson, by Rev. S. Howard. The bride and groom were unattended by only the relatives and immediate friends were present.

Was Seriously Injured. Mr. Joseph McHugh received a despatch yesterday from Fairfield, Me., stating that his brother-in-law, a Mr. Melaney, belonging in St. John, had been seriously and perhaps fatally injured in a mill at which he was working there.

The R. N. W. M. P. Recruits. Letters received by friends of the St. John team who enlisted in the Royal Northwest Mounted Police, when Major Routledge was here recruiting for that corps, state that the local boys are taking well to the life of a mounted policeman. The St. John recruits are at the headquarters at Regina, and are receiving some hard drill in the riding school.

St. Rose's Church. The St. Rose church property at Fairville, has been undergoing a complete re-painting. Mr. James Boyd and Mr. William Neil doing the work. Mr. Neil is a painter of great artistic ability, and has painted a set of scenery for the St. Rose Hall, which has drawn forth a great deal of appreciative comment.

Sale of Wash Coats and Dresses at M. R. A.'s. Dainty and pretty Wash Dresses and Coats for Infants, Misses and Children, manufacturers' samples, all in perfect condition, will be placed on sale this morning at M. R. A.'s. A combination of excellence and lowness of price that will vitally interest parents and mass eager buyers in front of the counter to secure the benefits of this marvellous money saving opportunity. Sale starts at 8 o'clock in Ladies' Room.

Weisford Man Died Last Night. Mr. Edward Sproule, one of the oldest and most respected residents of Welsford passed away at his home last evening, after an illness extending over three months. Mr. Sproule was 76 years of age and was favorably known by the residents of Welsford. He is survived by two sons, Charles, at home. He leaves one daughter, Mrs. Robert Morrison, who is living in the west. The funeral will be held tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock.

BODY OF FREDERICK ROBINSON FOUND AT 4 P.M. YESTERDAY AT WESTFIELD; INQUEST TO BE HELD

The body of Frederick L. Robinson, drowned at Westfield on Sunday, was recovered at four o'clock yesterday on last night's Boston express. The body of the unfortunate young man was found about one hundred and twenty-five feet from the spot where the accident took place and about one hundred feet from the face of the wharf at Westfield. William Lyon, of Harding's Point, discovered the body, the search for it being resumed after the heavy thunder storm in the afternoon.

Information was received from Westfield last evening to the effect that there was a cut over the forehead when the body was found. It is presumed this was made by the pike pole which Robinson held just before he fell from the salmon boat.

The funeral will take place at 2:30 Wednesday afternoon from the residence of Mr. Thomas Robinson, 22 Courtenay street. The young men who were aboard the Fel Yuen are desirous of having the public informed concerning the events which happened immediately before and after the accident whereby Robinson lost his life. They claim that the several stories concerning the accident are incorrect in regard to many important details.

Assault Case Was Settled Out of Court. An interesting case was to have been tried in the circuit court yesterday afternoon but the matter was settled out of court, and therefore did not come to trial. Both parties declined to make any statement concerning the settlement, when asked last evening. The case was one of assault. H. H. Mott, architect was the plaintiff and William Greig, an electric man, was the defendant. Mr. Mott was suing for \$2000 damages because Mr. Greig split his (Mott's) lip in an attempt to eject him from a room in the Walker building, Germain street, on Oct. 26, 1904.

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INVESTIGATION FRENCH MOST DE

Paris, June 22.—The report of a parliamentary commission investigating the naval sea- France was turned in. scathing condemnation of the administration for the past year and it makes an astounding of the deplorable condition of the fleet for which France has \$700,000,000 since 1892. The 150 pages of the report, filled with details of the resulting confusion and tape, conditions that make naval construction cost 25 more than English or German evidence of these methods pointed out that cast iron large calibre guns were the accident to the battleship I continued to be manufactured quantities than ever for this years. The Patrie, which made the construction of other ships of this found equipped with second

UNSAVORY GOULD CA CONTIN

New York, N. Y., June 22.—counsel for Katherine Gould brought up a reinforcement witnesses in one part of the court today to combat the of intoxication and misconduct by the defence, in her suit for the defence, in her suit for Howard Gould, the plaintiff victory is another part of by a decision of Justice Gies ruled that Mrs. Gould shall an additional counsel fee at the expense of her husband. An allowance of \$5,000 was Mrs. Gould last fall for the tion of her suit at which court intimated that a subpoena for an increase might be returned. Attorneys for protested today that it had shown that the wife was deficient means to pay her cost. Justice Gies thought that the while one of the features of the decision, Justice Doolittle used to hear the case proprietary and hotel management and knowledge and industry between Mrs. Gould and Dnum, the actor, as the defendant, employees of Castle Gould, of the crew of the Gould yacht, the crew of the Gould yacht, hotel chests, hair-dressers, seamstresses who testified Gould's sobriety on all occasions could recall, constitute the testimony of the witnesses which were called by Mrs. lawyer today. There are more witnesses yet to be called. At adjournment of court Dowling announced that he tomorrow night until the finished, with the exception Gould's testimony in rebuttal should be recalled to the stand.

CANADIANS DISCUSS T OF EM

Special to The Standard. Glasgow, June 22.—Dr. J. Donald, returning thanks to the state of Glasgow University for a bestowed on himself as a league said that any work should be in the midst of but they felt that they were being called to be true to the ideal. They would like to strive for peace, not for war. At the corporation banquet D. Ross, of Ottawa, responded: "Our guests, said I had every confidence in the British. The delegates to a press conference believe before Great Britain had the right to send her last child to the foe had the worst of the war. Those across the sea are the mother country was a tremendous burden of insurance, and the fact that might come when that but prove too heavy. The color not compare politically or ally with those mighty in they had unlimited confidence in their future possibilities.

THE MAGDA STILL A

Yarmouth, N. S., June Steamer Magda is still on at the entrance of this harbor her deckload of deals is charged. It is expected they be floated at the next high

Connie Mack of the All released Strunt to Milwauk