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**BOARD OF TRADE TALKED
ON MARITIME UNION**

All the Old Arguments, Pro
and Con, Were Gone Over
Again—W. B. Snowball
Elected President—The
Session Brought to a
Close This Forenoon.

CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I., Aug. 19.—The officers of the Maritime Board of Trade met this morning at the board room, when the subject of the proposed Maritime Union was discussed. The session was presided over by W. B. Snowball, chairman, and lasted until 11 o'clock. The session was a long one, and all the old arguments, pro and con, were gone over again. W. B. Snowball was elected president of the board, and the session was brought to a close this forenoon.

**FIVE WERE LOST WHEN
BARGE FOUNDERED**

The Shawmont Lost on Voyage
to Portsmouth

Trako Away From the Tugs—Abandon
Search for Bodies of Men Lost in a
Glacier in the Rockies.

SAUNDERSTOWN, R. I., Aug. 19.—Tugs Valley Forge and Monocacy arrived here this morning with news of the loss of the barge Shawmont. The barge was carrying a crew of twelve men during the gale early in the morning. It is feared that the barge went to the bottom with all hands.

**END OF THE STRIKE
IN SWEDEN IN SIGHT**

Much Distress Prevails in
Families of Strikers

Many are Starving—Constabulary Keeping
Order at the Pittsburg Mills—
Shooting Continues.

STOCKHOLM, Aug. 19.—The end of the labor troubles which began in Stockholm the early part of this month is in sight. The leaders of the various unions have opened negotiations with the employers, with the object of having the men resume work. The Street Railway Company, however, has refused to reinstate its old men, being satisfied with its present state. There is today much distress among the families of the strikers, some of whom are on the point of starvation.

**MAY FORM MARITIME
PRESS ASSOCIATION**

Provincial Organizations Both Meet on
September 15th and Will
Discuss Union.

There are prospects of the formation of a Maritime Press Association. The members of the Maritime Provinces Press Association for the mutual benefit of the publishers and journalists of the lower provinces. At present each province has a separate association and it has been felt that the influence of the members might be greater and that it could be used to better advantage in an organization of wider scope. The New Brunswick Press Association will meet in Sackville at two p. m. on September 8th and the Nova Scotia Association will meet in Amherst on the same day. At both gatherings the proposal for union will be discussed and if it meets with a favorable reception the two bodies will unite at either Sackville or Amherst and consummate the union.

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**TWO KILLED ON THE
PERE MARQUETTE RY.**

Boiler of Passenger Loco-
motive Exploded

Engineer and Driver the Victims—Cars
Were Not Derailed, and No Pas-
sengers Were Injured.

DETROIT, Mich., Aug. 19.—Engineer Wm. Brady and Fireman Fred L. Graves were killed about midnight, when the boiler of a westbound Pere Marquette passenger train exploded two miles east of Grande Ledge, wrecking the train. The coach was overturned and one of the two sleeping cars was derailed, but no passengers were seriously injured.

**SHRUBB LOOKING
FOR ANOTHER RACE**

Says His Foot Went Bad in
the Winnipeg Event.

Mysterious Disease Among Ontario Cattle
—Sudden Death of St. Louis Tourist
—Toronto Bear Cases.

TORONTO, Aug. 19.—Allo Shrub, the crack long-distance runner, is still in the game, despite his defeat by the Indian Accoee. The little Englishman writes from Winnipeg that his leg went back on him during the recent race. He was otherwise feeling in good condition and believes he can defeat Accoee. Shrub is willing to place \$1000 on his ability to defeat Accoee in a match in this city in the distance to be decided. Shrub quit in the sixth mile of his match with the Indian and several of his backers feared that he had gone behind in his run. There is every possibility that a match between the runners will take place here in the near future.

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**JOHNSON BEGINS SUIT
AGAINST A HOTEL MAN**

Who Refused to Give Him
Accommodation.

Tim Hurst Out of the American League—
Fast Racing at Woodland—Chayenne
Jumping on the Poor.

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Aug. 19.—Jack Johnson, heavyweight negro pugilist, yesterday entered suit against a Salt Lake hotel proprietor of \$25,000, alleging he was shut out of the hotel after he had engaged rooms there. Johnson alleged he was discriminated against because he is a negro. CHICAGO, Aug. 19.—Tim Hurst is no longer an umpire on the American League staff. It was officially announced yesterday at the office of H. B. Johnson, President of the American League, that Hurst has been dropped from the list of umpires. Hurst was recently suspended following an altercation with Collins, of the Philadelphia Club, in which Hurst is alleged to have spat in the player's face. President Johnson investigated the charges and his announcement yesterday followed.

**POPE DENOUNCES
ELIOT'S NEW RELIGION**

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BATTLESHIP FLOATED

SHEERNESS, Eng., Aug. 19.—The British first class battleship Agamemnon which stranded yesterday on the Longsands Edge while engaged in target practice, was refloated at half past two this afternoon with the assistance of tugs and proceeded to Margate for an examination of her hull.

**HUNDREDS ARE SEARCHING FOR
CHILD LOST NEAR STELLARTON**

Two Year Old Rudolph Mueller
Missing Since Tuesday—
Wells and Ponds Have Been
Drained; But as Yet No
Trace of the Baby Has
Been Found.

A message to the Star today from Stellarton, N. S., says the disappearance of Rudolph Mueller, the two year old child of a Bavarian miner living at Mount William, is as complete a mystery as it was on Tuesday evening. Although the little fellow, suffering from a sore foot, could never have walked any distance in the short time which elapsed before the alarm was given, and although hundreds of men have searched every inch of ground in the district, no trace has been found. On Tuesday Mrs. Mueller and her child went from home to pick blueberries. They stopped at a friend's house, and there the child was put to bed while Mrs. Mueller and her neighbor went after berries. An hour later, on returning to the house, Mrs. Mueller was amazed to find her boy missing. A chair had been dragged to the door, and it is believed that by climbing on this, the boy was able to lift the latch and let himself out. His mother was never very far away from the house, and although she was on the watch she failed to either hear or see him. Heavy brushwood surrounds the house and it would be an easy matter for any child to disappear in a moment in any direction. As soon as possible the town authorities were notified of the loss of the child and in a very short time Mayor Campbell had a large search party scouring the country. On Tuesday evening the fire department joined in the search which was kept up all night. Yesterday gangs of men from 15 miles assisted, and all last night a very large party tramped over the ground where the little fellow may be. All the wells and ponds in the vicinity were pumped dry, the woods carefully searched, but up till noon today there has been absolutely no trace of the boy. Mr. and Mrs. Mueller are said to be almost frantic with grief and anxiety for with the cold weather and rain of the past two nights it is scarcely possible that the child is now alive.

**ST. JOHN MEN LOOK AT
FREDERICTON PAVEMENTS**

Delegation of Nine Went to the Capital
This Morning—Pleased With What
They Have Seen.

FREDERICTON, N. B., Aug. 19.—A large delegation consisting of Alderman McDermid, City Engineer Murdoch, R. D. Peters, J. S. Ferguson, W. B. Raymond, R. E. Coupe, R. M. McCarthy, C. A. Clark and J. Crockett, reached here this morning from St. John and registered at the Queen. They have come for the purpose of inspecting the new pavement being put down on Queen street, with the idea, if satisfied, of recommending a similar pavement for Germain street, St. John. The gentlemen this morning, in company with Mayor Chestnut, several of the city aldermen, and Mr. Love, the contractor, viewed the scene of operations. The visitors expressed themselves as being highly pleased with the form of pavement being laid, and will no doubt recommend it to their city.

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CAPE BRETON STRIKER SHOT
Bullet Enters McEachern's Thigh; Condition Serious
Approaches House of Edward Keith in Threatening Manner—Told to Go Back, But Doesn't.
GLACE BAY, N. S., Aug. 18.—The sole topic of conversation on the streets and in the home of miners today was the shooting of Geo. McEachern, a striker, at an early hour this morning at the club, a crossing near No. 2 Colliery. The shooting is alleged to have been done by Edward Keith, who was arrested by Chief of Police McIsaac today. He was taken before Stipendiary Magistrate and admitted to a \$100 bail. The hearing of the charges will take place next Tuesday.
Mr. Keith is a very respectable and sober man and has been working in the colliery for some time. On one of two occasions his house had been stoned, early this morning, between midnight and half-past two stones were again thrown at his house, several windows being smashed. A brick and a large stone came through the window.
The last stoning occurred just after two o'clock. Mr. Keith had tried to catch the perpetrators of this outrage in the act, but without success. After the last stoning this morning he watched out of the window. About half-past two he saw three men approaching the house. He went out in the yard, taking a revolver with him, and called to them to halt. They kept on coming in a threatening attitude, and he fired the revolver. One of the men, who proved to be George McEachern, was struck and fell to the ground. Mr. Keith recognized the other two men, it is said, as Ben McIntyre and a man named McCleod.
McEachern was struck by a bullet in the fleshy part of his thigh. He was afterwards taken to St. Joseph's hospital and Dr. E. O. McDonald was called. He probed for the bullet, but was unable to find it. The bullet shattered some of the pelvic bones and McEachern's condition is considered serious. The greatest danger is feared from blood poisoning.
The three men who were seen approaching the house during the attack were very much frightened at the events on the house during the night. He heard one of the men standing on the sidewalk say that if he were not for the others he would have been shot. McEachern, the man who was shot, is unmarried and about 35 years of age. He worked at No. 2 Colliery, which went on strike when the strike began. He has therefore borne a good character and is well spoken of as a sober and decent man.
Stoning of the houses of men who are working is almost a nightly occurrence and it is a wonder that some such similar affair as that which took place this morning has not occurred before.
Today's output of coal from banks and mines will total about 11,000 tons. Of this amount the collieries produced 6,700 tons approximately.
Wm. Turner was arrested at No. 3 colliery today, charged with loitering and threatening to shoot Special Officer Wesley.
We will give one Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by ear-ache) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circular free. P. J. CHENEY CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c.
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OPERATION PLAYS ARE COMING
Among the possibilities for Saskatchewan in 1934 are a population of eight million people, automobile, pipes and rural telephones, Sir Walter Scott points to this and other significant signs of development. A continuing Senator Seward's statement of fifty years ago, that Canada represented "a virgin ground enough to the seat of a great empire." COLLIER'S August 21st issue.
At Edmuntson yesterday, before Hon. L. F. Ferris, chief commissioner of police for the G. T. P. five persons were tried and convicted for the illegal sale of liquor. All the defendants live in Madawaska county, in which county the offense was committed. A fine of \$50 was imposed in each case. The following are the names of the persons who were tried for selling liquor illegally: George Bourgeois, Ferna Levesque, Joseph P. Levesque, A. B. Clair and A. O'Brien.
Two others, charged with similar offenses, will be tried before Mr. Ferris today.
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TENNIS PLAYERS IN NATIONAL TOURNAMENT
First Round at Newport Completed—Main Games Postponed.
NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 18.—At the close of today's play in the 14th annual national lawn tennis tournament, fifteen matches had been played in the singles first round, and six in the second, while twenty-one defaults had been posted. This closes up the first round completely.
The conditions for play were poor. The courts were wet from yesterday's heavy rains and driving mist prevailed.
BAR HARBOR, Me., Aug. 18.—Owing to the rain today, all games in the Maine State tennis association tournament at the swimming pool were postponed. Play will be resumed tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock, weather permitting.

GERSEY DEMANDS CUP FOR EACH PASSENGER
Board of Health Asks Railroads for Antiseptic Drinking Vessels.
TRENTON, N. J., Aug. 18.—Members of the State Board of Health in a resolution today condemned the drinking cup or glass in use on railroads.
They formally asked the officers of roads running through New Jersey either to install, free of expense to passengers, germ-proof drinking cups of antiseptic paper, which can be thrown away after use, or to put in the cars penny slot machines, carrying these germ-proof cups.



GOLF MEET AT HALIFAX

HALIFAX, N. S., Aug. 18.—Rain today did not prevent the first stage in the provincial golf championship being played. Twenty-eight golfers entered for the first round, and out of these sixteen qualified to play in the championship series. Thirty-six holes were played. Play will be resumed tomorrow. The winners in the preliminary round and score are: C. T. Henderson, New Glasgow, 147; C. M. Sprague, Woodstock, 153; H. H. Smith, Halifax, 160; J. H. S. McCreary, Halifax, 161; Judge Wallace, Halifax, 163; W. A. Henry, Halifax, 163; D. MacMillan, Halifax, 165; Peter Jack, Halifax, 165; C. A. Evans, Halifax, 166; W. T. Sprague, Woodstock, 168; Owen Jones, Halifax, 167; G. J. Stewart, Halifax, 180; B. M. White, Halifax, 171; Dr. T. P. Sprague, Woodstock, 172; R. H. Murray, Halifax, 174; Col. Lawson, Halifax, 175; Professor McKenzie, Halifax, 175.
Col. Lawson and Professor McKenzie will play off tomorrow for a play in championship rounds.
Scores of other players were: F. T. Handcombody, Windsor, N. S., 157; Professor MacEachern, Halifax, 173; Hugh Henry, Halifax, 175; W. H. Sempie, Truro, 183; W. M. MacDonald, Halifax, 183; Charles Archibald, Halifax, 183; A. W. Ritchie, Halifax, 184; Captain Smith, Halifax, 186; H. H. Dickie, Truro, 188; J. McDonald, Halifax, 191; A. H. Wood, Amherst, 218.
Tomorrow will be matched as follows: Dr. P. W. Sprague, v. W. A. Henry; C. A. Evans v. H. H. Smith; C. M. Sprague, v. C. J. Stewart; Peter Jack v. H. H. Smith; J. H. S. McCreary v. R. H. Murray; D. MacMillan v. Owen Jones; Judge Wallace v. T. Henderson.

WAGNER MOST CAPABLE PLAYER IN THE GAME, ALL THINGS CONSIDERED

It is the Pittsburgh ball club should be deprived of the services of "Hans" Wagner, the greatest living ball player will be down and out. If some of the old timers whose surviving friends are wont to doubt before the public as having a little something on any one who ever stepped into shoe leather can surpass the feats of skill of "Hans" Wagner, he is the only young man who won't be better by being born a generation earlier than he was.
Everything considered, Wagner is about the greatest human machine for playing baseball that ever appeared upon a diamond. There is no comparison between him and other shortstops in his field. He leads the league in base running. He tops the list of batters. He is the greatest slugger. And above all, he has a head that computes plays rapidly and that never fails to take advantage of every opportunity offered.
From the time Wagner started in baseball he was one of the most awkward men in the game. When the Iron and Oil League broke up in 1918 Wagner was looked over by several Eastern league managers along with Ritzky and others, the younger Wagner "Hans" was passed up by all of them. It was so awkward. Yet, inside of two years he was at Louisville, and when that club was transferred to Pittsburgh went along and has been the sensation of the National League ever since.
Wagner started in professional baseball in 1921 at Warren, Pa. Later that year he was sent to the Altoona team and in 1926 was with Paterson, N. J. He joined Louisville in 1931, and has since been with Pittsburgh ever since.

HULLON AGAIN CAPTURES GAME

FREDERICTON, N. B., Aug. 18.—The Houlton team again defeated the Tartars this afternoon by a score of 10 to 6. With the exception of the sixth inning the game was keenly contested. In this inning the visitors scored seven runs. Up to that point the score stood 3 to 1 in favor of Houlton.
In the eighth the Tartars scored in four runs.
Houlton's lineup for tonight's game against the Tartars, Allen and Stone for Houlton. The Houlton team will meet Carleton tomorrow at Houlton.

GOOD LIST OF ENTRIES FOR TONIGHT'S SPORTS

JOHNSON AWAY.
Jack Johnson has started for California without putting up any more forfeits to bid the proposed match with Jeffries. The negro accepted an offer to fight 20 rounds with Philadelphia Jack O'Brien at Colma on Sept. 6, and will keep his agreement to fight Ketchel here on Oct. 13 unless the latter should lose to Langford at New York on Sept. 18.
Sam Fitzpatrick, who made a championship of Jack Johnson, says the net of Jeffries' chances against Jim Jeffries: "I don't think that Jeff is in the main. He is a very good fighter, and I don't think he ever will be, but he will not have to be even half the fighter that Johnson is. He is a question in my mind; but that Jeff will knock him stiff in a few rounds, provided that he is half as good as he is said to be. One of Jeff's old punches will be plenty. Johnson is very much over-rated as far as his punching ability goes. He hit Burns flush on the jaw in nearly every round of that Sydney fight and still he could not floor him, so what chance will he have of putting such a monster as Jeff on his back, unless Jeff's knees fall on him, as he is supposed to do in the beating of his life."
CHARLIE TAPP, YACHTSMAN.
Charlie Tapp, the President's son, seems to have good yachting blood in his veins. He made his yachting debut in a race at Marblehead on Saturday, sailing a dory in the handicap class, against eight competitors. He did not take first place, but finished second and captured second prize. The first prize was taken by J. Black, Jr., who finished with a long lead, but there was hard scrapping between young Tapp and A. J. Brooks, who finished third, only 12 seconds behind the young man from the White House. The wind was light and four of the contestants dropped out.
BURKE AFTER LEVINS.
Sally Burke wants to fight Willie Levins again. Burke bobbed up yesterday with the moth eaten statement that he was frustrated before the bout with Levins last Friday night and that he would be back in the ring in a week.



CLOSE RACE NOW ON IN BOTH THE BIG LEAGUES

American Has Slight Advantage at Present Over Its Old Rival.
For the benefit of the fans who love to study out the dope here is a little line that can be figured out of the papers. In the American League race 153 points Thursday last, separated the two teams tied for the 1934, Philadelphia and Detroit from St. Louis in seventh place, and strange to say just 122 points lie between St. Louis and Washington, the perpetual tailenders in the American League. Now take a glance at the National League. There is a difference of 24 points between Pittsburgh in first place and Cincinnati in fourth, while between the Pirates on top and Boston on the bottom, there is a range of 451 points against 301 in the American.
From this dope it can be seen that the race in the American League is far closer than in the National. For that matter it always has been so far as the entire eight clubs were concerned, and with the exception of last year, when the Giants, Cubs and Pirates put up a gruelling finish, it has always been a nip and tuck affair between the leading clubs of the younger organization right up to the last few games.
Now for a little comparative dope. A year ago Pittsburgh led the National League. They do now. At that time the Giants were a close second, with Chicago third. The conditions are just reversed now, with the exception that the Giants are much farther behind than was the case a year ago.
Detroit was fighting for the title in 1933. They are this year, but it was St. Louis, now the seventh position club, that was pushing them, while the Athletics, that are now tied with them for first place, were sixth and hopelessly out of the running. Boston, that is now only 17 points behind the Tigers and Athletics, was leading the second division 23 points behind the top-notch team. Thursday the Highlanders held the lead in the second division and were 122 points behind the leaders.

PERGUNDEN AND JEANNETTE

Sandy Ferguson and Joe Jeannette are training hard for their ten round mill to be decided at New York on Friday night. Ferguson says he will weigh 265 pounds, while Jeannette will be pushing them, while the Athletics, that are now tied with them for first place, were sixth and hopelessly out of the running. Boston, that is now only 17 points behind the Tigers and Athletics, was leading the second division 23 points behind the top-notch team. Thursday the Highlanders held the lead in the second division and were 122 points behind the leaders.

GAMES IN THE BIG LEAGUES YESTERDAY

National League.
At Chicago—Chicago, 1; Cincinnati, 0.
At Pittsburgh—First game, Pittsburgh, 6; St. Louis, 3; Second game, Pittsburgh, 2; St. Louis, 1.
At Philadelphia—First game, New York, 14; Philadelphia, 1; Second game, New York, 5; Philadelphia, 4.
At Boston—Brooklyn-Detroit, wet grounds.
American League.
At New York—First game, Boston, 3; New York, 0; Second game, Boston, 6; New York, 2.
At Cleveland—First game, Cleveland, 3; St. Louis, 6; Second game, Cleveland, 3; St. Louis, 2.
At Washington—Washington, 1; Philadelphia, 2.
At Detroit—Detroit, 0; Chicago, 2.
Eastern League.
At Toronto—First game, Toronto, 16; Montreal, 1; Second game, Toronto, 6; Montreal, 4.
At Providence—First game, Providence, 6; Newark, 2; Second game, Newark, 2; Providence, 0.
At Jersey City—First game, Baltimore, 6; Jersey City, 1; Second game, Baltimore, 6; Jersey City, 1 (10 innings).
At Rochester—First game, Rochester, 8; Buffalo, 1; Second game, Rochester, 8; Buffalo, 7.

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"NICKEL"—NEW MUSIC TODAY!
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"DUB" and JANET BUSH in Matinee Songs
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A Wonderful Fine Indian Drama. EXTRA MATINEE PICTURES
Four New Pictures Friday, Monster Matinee Saturday, Orchestra Concerts Nightly.

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Who is The Mystery Girl?
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Grand Opening Season 1934-35
WEEK AUGUST 23
AMERICA'S GREATEST COMEDienne
MAY ROBSON
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Cast and scenery exactly as played at the Garden Theatre, New York, and Toronto Theatre, Boston.
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RANSACKS HER HOUSE
IN SEARCH FOR DEVIL
North End Man, Fearing Wife Would Demolish House, Has Her Sent to Asylum.
Fearing that she would utterly demolish his dwelling, Oscar H. Lewis of 55 Adelaide street, had his wife committed yesterday to the Provincial Hospital for Nervous Diseases. Mrs. Lewis was taken to the asylum by Sergt. Henry Kilpatrick of the North End police force.
The unfortunate woman was the victim of a peculiar mania which bids fair to be the cause of the piecemeal destruction of the Lewis home. She was possessed of an insane idea that the devil was concealed about the house, and in an endeavor to dig him out of the walls, was in a fair way to reduce the house to a shell. She was in the habit of stealing away to the attic and pursuing her search with the aid of an axe and other implements.
Later her mania took the form of an idea that treasure was concealed about her home, and she went to all extremes to locate it.
The regular quarterly meeting of the directors of the New Brunswick Telephone Company will be held in this city today. The business to be dealt with will be little more than routine. The resignation of H. P. Robinson, general manager of the company, does not go into effect for some time and the directors will not deal with it at today's meeting. Mr. Robinson will leave the N. B. Telephone Company to become manager of the local branch of J. C. Mackintosh & Co. The directors of the company will meet in about a month's time to consider the appointment of his successor.

ST. JOHN, AUGUST 24th.
2 AND 5 P. M.
WITHIN 12 POINTS OF THE WORLD'S RECORD
Splendid Shooting of Massachusetts Team at Ohio Meet.
CAMP PERRY, O. Aug. 18.—Again today the Ohio State rifle association's tournament records went by the board. The Massachusetts team shot the field of thirty-seven in the Herick match by the record of 1500, which by 53 points beats the score by which the United States marine corps won last year, and furthermore it falls but twelve points short of equalling the world's record score, by which the United States team won the Palma match in 1927 at Ottawa, Ont.

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ALL KIDNEY DISEASES
BRIGMANTON'S GREAT
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No. 23 THE PRINCIPAL

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STRONG BOY WANTED to take care of a horse. Apply to 588 Main. 18-4

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The largest and most reliable business houses of the city advertise daily in The Sun and Star for all kinds of help.
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WANTED—Woman for general housework at Westfield during summer and city in winter. Apply Box 800 Star office. 18-4

PASTORS AWAY WHEN HIS DAUGHTER ELOPES
Girl's Mother at the Marriage Ceremony, But Father Was Fooled.
HARRISBURG, Aug. 18.—Miss Nora Brown, daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. Charles Brown, of New Cumberland, eloped from her home to Lemoyne with Alfred Martin, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Martin, of Bowmansdale, and the pair were married at the residence of J. A. Shur by the Rev. W. H. Weaver.
The girl's mother had full knowledge of the impending marriage and gave the bride away at the ceremony, although the bride's father is not even acquainted with the bridegroom.
The Rev. Mr. Brown was in Lancaster, and when he returned home he was informed of the elopement, and at one time discussed the plan of having a warrant issued for the Rev. Mr. Weaver, who did not know that he had eloped in a more or less clandestine marriage.
Mr. and Mrs. Martin had already gone to Atlantic City on a honeymoon trip, and the bride's father finally decided to give the pair his blessing.

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THE SHORT ROUTE
THROUGH SLEEPING CAR FROM HALIFAX
Leaves Halifax, 8:00 a.m.; Sydney, 11:30 p.m.; New Glasgow, 7:25 a.m.; Truro, 11:05 a.m.; Pictou, 8:20 a.m.; Amherst, 12:38 p.m.; Sackville, 12:50 p.m.; Moncton, 2:30 p.m.; Sussex, 8:54 p.m.; St. John, 5:59 p.m. Arrives Montreal 8:25 a.m.
TWO TRAINS DAILY, MONTREAL TO TORONTO:
Leaves Montreal, 8:45 a.m. Arrives Toronto, 7:35 p.m.
Leaves Montreal, 10:00 p.m. Arrives Toronto, 7:35 a.m.

MANY ST. JOHN MEN HONORED
Grand Lodge, K. of P., Elects Officers
W. A. Stewart, Grand Vice-Chancellor—Saint Stephen Next
HALIFAX, N. S., Aug. 18.—The Grand Lodge, of Knights of Pythias, this evening, the days they have been busy ones for the victors, and despite the disagreeable weather, the Knights have thoroughly enjoyed themselves. Most of the visitors left for their homes tonight, but about forty of them are staying over in order to take in a deep-sea fishing trip tomorrow.
The session was taken up with the election and installation of officers for the ensuing year, as follows: Grand Chancellor, Seldon Hunter, Springhill, N. S.; Grand Vice-Chancellor, W. A. Stewart, St. John, N. B.; Grand Prelate, Geo. E. Ritchie, Halifax, N. S.; Grand Master of Arms, Geo. Palmer, Moncton, N. B.; Grand Inner Guard, Harry S. Smyth, St. John, N. B.; Grand Outer Guard, Jas. Murray, Westville, N. S.; Supreme Representative to the Supreme Lodge, Hon. G. H. Clark, Speaker of the House of Assembly of New Brunswick; Grand Trustee, J. S. Rosborough, St. Stephen, N. B.
A vote of thanks was passed to Halifax Lodge for the way the delegates had been treated while in the city.
In putting the vote, Grand Chancellor referred to the historic room in which the meeting of the Grand Lodge had been held. The final meeting was held in the lodge room this evening. It is yet undecided where the next meeting of the Grand Lodge will be held, but it is thought that it will be held at St. Stephen, N. B.

WARNED BY DREAM, HE FINDS MAN IN HOME
Husband Hastens Back by Train and Sees Visitor With Wife.
PITTSBURG, Aug. 18.—Warned by a dream that he was not well at home, R. J. Zacher, a baker, who had been working at Greensburg, told Magistrate Sam that he arose from bed and took a train to Pittsburg early this morning.
At his home Zacher found Sam Masgr. After a fight between the two men, both were arrested.
When they were arraigned Zacher said he had been away from home for some days. He said that after his dream last night he hastened to his city, arriving at 9 o'clock in the morning. He said he went to his home, where he looked, in a window and saw his wife sitting in a chair. Masgr. was asleep on a couch.
Zacher then got into the house and found the door open. He saw a man sitting at the table and struck Masgr. with the butt end.
The man blew for assistance and the Lilly responded, but after breaking her hammer in attempting to get the door open, she had to leave the crib for fear of grounding herself.
The man was borne down river by the tide, with both eyes in pursuit. They secured it with some difficulty and towed it into the Nail Works.

TUGBOAT HELP LOSES A CRIB
In attempting to make the Paritition Pulp and Paper Company's, Pleasant Point wharf at 6 1/2 tide yesterday afternoon about four o'clock, the tug, Capt. Reid, lost a pulvood crib which had in tow by the breaking of a hawser, and the crib went ashore at West Head.
The help blew for assistance and the Lilly responded, but after breaking her hammer in attempting to get the door open, she had to leave the crib for fear of grounding herself.
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WORTMAN TRIED UNDER SPEEDY TRIALS ACT
Amos Wortman, who was arrested on the charge of setting fire to R. W. Graves' house and barn at Mechanic Station, and sent up for trial by Magistrate Hornbrook at Sussex, was elected to become tried under the Speedy Trials Act, and was yesterday brought before Judge Wedderburn at Hampton.
Several witnesses were examined, after which the case was adjourned until Tuesday next, in order that a witness might be brought from the United States to testify, the case being a rare one, will be a difficult problem to deal with.

LOWER COVE FOLKS REGISTER A "KICK"
The residents of the South End are up in arms over the state of affairs at Lower Cove slip. At that place there is a scow loaded with herring spratt, some of which, it is stated, were caught three weeks ago. At all events they were all caught at the break-water some time ago and are now being shipped to the fertilizer.
The odor from the fish is extremely offensive, and the citizens of that locality decided it an outrage that such a condition of affairs should be allowed to exist.

NARROWLY ESCAPES LOSING HIS SIGHT
David Higgins, of Indiantown, met with an accident yesterday afternoon, which nearly deprived him of the sight of one of his eyes.
While at work for the Tapley concern at South Bay, Mr. Higgins sprang out of a log one of the wooden pins used to hold the joints together. When knocked out, these pins, which are a pound in weight, will fly for a distance of thirty or forty feet.
The one on which Mr. Higgins was at work hit him in the face, not more than half an inch from the eye, cutting him and bruising him badly. He could not continue work, and was sent to his home in the city.

AMUSEMENTS
AN EXTRAORDINARY HOLD-UP!
May Robson, the well known character actress, who will appear in the quaint role of "Aunt Mary" in the dramatic version of "The Rejuvenation of Aunt Mary," relates the following unique hold-up of a sleeper in which, with other members of her company, she was travelling through the West several seasons ago.
"It was in the wee sma' hours and I had just dozed into slumberland, when I was awakened by a voice that reiterated throughout the car.
"Hold up your hands!"
"The hope that I was dreaming was rudely shattered by a repetition of the anorous command, and tremblingly I sat up in my berth and waited to be robbed, conjuring up all sorts of wild schemes to foil the villain."
"Months seemed years and all was still save the song of the rails as we sped along. Finally I gathered together enough courage to peep through the curtains and in the dim light beheld the porter, green with fright, seated upon a stool at the end of the aisle, with his hands raised above his head. Even as I looked, the voice again continued:
"Hold up your hands, I say!"
"Whereupon a figure clad in palamas jumped out of one of the berths and reaching into a berth opposite, rudely shook the occupant and exclaimed in a stage whisper:
"Waise up, you—fool! You're dreaming!"
"Our leading man had been giving a special performance for the benefit of His Majesty, King Mopheus!"
"When the porter resumed the use of his legs, he was dispatched to the buffet car with strict injunctions not to return without several brasses; after which there was a general gathering together of buried treasures, we resumed our journey in the Land of Nod!"

THE GREATER MORRIS & ROWE CIRCUUS
North America has many national parks, but it is probable that the only one of those that has ever had a distinction of possessing a real live giraffe is the Big Redwood National Park, located in the California Santa Cruz mountains. It is true that the park is now dispossessed of its long-necked acquisition, but the fact remains that "Nossey," the pride of the Greater Morris & Rowe managerially rounded its primeval depths for the period of six days and as many nights.
Ordinarily any animal with a collar rack the length of that possessed by a giraffe will, upon gaining freedom, take to the open. But when "Nossey" gave his keepers the slip at the Morris & Rowe Circus headquarters last winter and made for the hills, he found himself in a forest of unusual proportions. He threaded his way through the big redwoods as easily as a Sledland pony would pass through an ordinary wood. And once in a sheltering depth, "Nossey" stayed there. In vain did his keepers pursue him. He would allow them to approach just so near, and then away he would gallop. It was useless to attempt to use the inauspicious corral fence, and the giraffe refused to be coaxed into a clearing.
The keepers despaired. The foreman swore. "Nossey" gave them the horse, that is to say the giraffe, laugh, and smiled on. He was having the one holiday of a long captivity. Only the thing disconnected him. It is well known that giraffes are particularly fond of the tender green shoots that are to be found at the very tops of trees. "Nossey" couldn't reach the sky-end of those California redwoods by five giraffe necks, and a long tent-stake. But all good things have their end, and the giraffe's vacation the keepers succeeded in getting him by connecting ropes from tree to tree, thus forming an immense circular enclosure. When morning came they climbed inside, captured the runaway and conducted him, without further mishap, to headquarters. "Nossey" was none the worse for his experience and is one of the finest animals of the many that will be seen here when Morris & Rowe exhibit their menagerie at St. John, Aug. 24—two performances, 2 and 8 p. m.

QUINTEZZA'S NEW BILL AT "NICKEL"
Today the Bush Family Quintette at the Nickel will change their programme as follows: (a) "Rubenstein's Melody in B." (b) Victor Herbert's "Al Fresco" March, and (c) A Humorous sketch. This is what might be termed wholly a popular programme, in that its numbers are not only familiar, but extremely catchy. The Humorsque will show the child musicians in a new light, especially in playing upon brass instrument. During the matinee for the remainder of the week little Miss Janet Bush and Master Dudley Bush will sing songs for the children as usual. Yesterday the new picture bill made a strong impression. "A Rose" everybody laugh. New pictures Friday and monster matinee Saturday.

DON'T MISS THE H. H. H. SHOW TODAY.
Yesterday the H. H. H. presented an excellent programme of pictures. The Last Confession is a strong drama. Their Way Home is a very funny comedy by the Biograph. Jones' Bungary, like all the Jones pictures the Biograph Co. is funny. The chance to see them is today. New pictures tomorrow. Today the mystery girl (who is she) will sing I Love My Heart When I Saw Your Eyes, a Tius will sing I Remember You, Prof. Titus will sing The Pretty Things You Say, illustrated, and Shooey Shoo, two splendid numbers. The marvelous Houghtons continue to surprise the crowds with their marvellous contortion and acrobatic feats. Their superiors have never been seen in this city, in that patrons say so. Keep your eyes on the H. H. H. ad. Something coming soon and you'll want to see it.

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ST. JOHN, N. B., AUGUST 19, 1909.

P. E. ISLAND POLITICS.

The deadlock in politics which held up public business in Newfoundland some months ago, may shortly be reproduced in Prince Edward Island. There the Liberal government, Liberal as the result of a by-election held yesterday, finds itself with a majority of only two. This, when the speaker is dropped from the list of active government supporters, is scarcely sufficient.

The Liberal administration appealed to the people on its record which on the whole is creditable; which opposes the too long continued rule of any government, no matter how deserving it may be. The Liberal administration appealed to the people on its record which on the whole is creditable; which opposes the too long continued rule of any government, no matter how deserving it may be.

MARTIAL LAW IN CANADA. For the past few days two Canadian dock laborers have been under martial law. The dock laborers strike in New York did not start until the labor difficulty in Cape Breton was on the decline; but it made up for lost time by the violence displayed by the strikers.

WHY HE STUDIED. It fit hadn't been for a deep-rooted curiosity on the part of another guest at a summer resort recently, a certain lady would have retained a reputation for erudition which she had already acquired.

UNCLE WALT. Out in the country the farmers are singing, out in the fields where the corn's growing rank, soon in their autos they'll come to town, bringing loads of money to put in the bank.

they have evidently been forced to acknowledge their defeat. From circumstances it would appear not only that Canadian employers are averse to the introduction of American control, but that the larger companies now reckon labor troubles as part of the regular routine of their existence.

LOCHINVAR ALOFT. When Lochinvar some future day Comes winging through the cloudy spaces And steals the bride and soars away Above the guests' astonished faces;

BROADWAY. Brothers and sisters we call them, This motley of human kind, Stalwart, magnificent, normal; weaklings, the halt and the blind.

CANADIAN NEWS TOLD IN BRIEF PARAGRAPHS

FREDERICTON, Aug. 18.—Word has been received here of the death on Sunday at Vancouver (B. C.) of Elsie, youngest daughter of the late George Hatt, of this city. She was about twenty-five years of age and is survived by her husband, her mother, brothers and three sisters.

URGE ACQUIREMENT OF BRANCH LINES. Depreciate Alien Interference in Labor Disputes. Telephone Rates, Island Communication, Maritime Union and Other Important Matters Before Maritime Board.

SPANISH GENERAL PLANS EXTENSIVE OPERATIONS. DELEGATES BACK FROM GROSSE ISLE. BRIDGE COLLAPSES; PASSENGERS INJURED. FOOT WALK OVER VIADUCT GAVE WAY WHILE THIRTY PASSENGERS WERE CROSSING.

OTTAWA, Aug. 18.—The first steps towards putting the Lemieux act into operation have been taken at Fort William. The longshoremen have nominated to represent them on the board Frederick Urty, secretary of the Fort William Trades and Labor Congress; and the Canadian Pacific has named W. J. Christie to represent them.

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TWO LINES ANXIOUS FOR CUBAN TRADE. Proposals Laid Before Shippers' Association—Government Promises a Warehouse.

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HOSPITAL COMMISSIONERS REFUSED DOCTORS' REQUEST. The commissioners of the General Public Hospital have refused to grant the petition signed by about twenty-five local physicians, asking that they be permitted to attend their private paying patients while inmates of that institution.

STRIKE LEADERS SEE PREMIER MURRAY. But Deny That He Requested Interview. Merely Wished to Explain Their Position—Men at Springfield.

FERGUSON & PAGE. Jewelry, Etc. 41 King St. Carvell Hall. Is now open for guests, at the usual rates. Apply to Mrs. James Bartley.

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HELP! HELP!! It's a sad predicament to be in, when you need help and can't get it. A "STAR WANT" AD. will find help, and that quickly, for you.

NEW GLASGOW MAN'S SUICIDE IN BOSTON. Clarence Patterson, Aged 48, First Claimed Someone Else Had Shot Him.

MEXICO'S RAINY SEASON. What they call the rainy season in Mexico comes only in the form of showers, which fall in the afternoon. These showers usually occur every day, but sometimes there will be two or three days of perfectly clear weather.

E. CLINTON BROWN, DRUGGIST. Cor. Union and Waterloo Streets. Phone 1008.

SCHOOL DAYS. Are dreaded by the children with defective sight because it means EYE-STRAIN, and the defect of eye-strain is nervousness and headaches. Consult D. BOYANER, the Optician, about your children's eyesight.

REMEMBER! when buying biscuit to ask for the BEST 10c VALUE. Village Biscuit.

BIRTHS. TRUENMAN—In this city, on Aug. 17th, 1909, to Dr. and Mrs. Nelson G. Trueman, a daughter. DEATHS. LOGAN—In this city, on the 17th inst., Frank V. infant son of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Logan, aged six months.


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READING STIRRED BY FATAL PRACTICE OF POW-WOW DOCTORS

Coroner's Exposure of Deaths Due to Charm "Treatment" Arouses Public.

READING, Pa., Aug. 18.—Public indignation is growing in Reading against the pow-wow doctors, upon whom Coroner Strasser, of this county, lays the blame for numerous deaths this summer. Last Tuesday he declared that six babies had met death within forty-eight hours through superstitious parents, who relied upon the crazy charms and incantations of the pow-wow doctors.

Reading has not been so stirred up against the hex doctors since the time of Fore-wear Doctor Erasmus, whose tilt with the North American, in the courts several years ago had the whole town laughing.

The evidence brought out at that time, disclosing the fact that the hex doctors sleep with knives under their pillows and dealt frequently with drugs and remedies of a dangerous nature, secured many of the people away from the pow-wows.

For a year or two after that the murdering "doctors" didn't have a great deal to do. As time went on, however, their crafty art again took trade when Coroner Strasser took his fall out of them last Tuesday.

A LIVES-COAL TREATMENT.

The authorities are now determined to weed them out. That job, according to the coroner, will be a hard one, for the superstition of the descendants of the believers in witchcraft is deep-rooted and very secretive.

"I'll just give you an idea of the hideous practices of these hex people," said Dr. Strasser, the coroner, today. "I was in professional attendance upon a woman, an intelligent woman, too, last winter.

"She admitted to me that she had succumbed to the lure of these doctors' charms and had called in a woman who professed to have magical powers.

"This woman proceeded to get a red-hot coal from the kitchen stove, and to bring it into the kitchen at the aid of a pair of tongs. When she passed it around the bed, blowing on it, and murmuring her unintelligible jargon.

"But the hex doctor was nearly suffering from asthma, and her exertion while blowing on the coal soon had her in a strenuous coughing fit. The coal dropped out of the tongs and almost set the patient's bed afire.

"That finished the hex doctor's reputation for the patient, who decided to go back to real medicine.

TO SUPPRESS THE HEX FRAUD.

"I mean to suppress this hex pow-wow practice wherever and whenever I can. Of course, I cannot stop ignorant people from consulting the hex doctors, but whenever I find that a criminal neglect of the sick has taken place I mean to act.

"I sincerely hope that my public statement attributing so many deaths directly to the pow-wows will deter Reading people from going to the hex doctors for treatment. It is a little bit of common sense in all that is necessary to drive them out of business."

It is believed that the "white and black art for man and beast," as the hex doctors term their practices, will have to struggle hard for an existence in Reading from now on.

SEEKS HIS FIANCEE, FINDS HER MARRIED

Brooklyn Man Ostracized in Wooling by a Stroudsburg Swain.

STROUDSBURG, Pa., Aug. 18.—Leon Degarmo, a Brooklyn designer, arrived here on Saturday to find that Miss Florence Reed, of the same city, to whom he was engaged, had married Howard Barber, of Stroudsburg. Degarmo had expected that he would marry Miss Reed yesterday.

It was the second week in July that Miss Reed, who was a teacher, came to Stroudsburg to spend her vacation. It was not long before she met Howard Barber, and became attached to the young man, who was driving his father's auto. The two soon became lovers, and on Saturday last they went to Easton and were married.

Degarmo came to Stroudsburg Saturday to visit his fiancée, but was not able to find her. He returned to Brooklyn, and informed Mrs. Reed, the mother of Florence, of the girl's strange actions. Mrs. Reed at once took the train and reached Stroudsburg here, and received the news of her daughter's marriage. A stormy scene followed.

Barber is the son of J. Frank Barber, a prominent resident.

ONE MAN INJURED IN BATTLE WITH STRIKERS

Love is President of Peace Society—New Head for Colgate University—Hot Weather at New Orleans.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Aug. 18.—One man was shot and slightly injured and two hurt as a result of a battle of state constabulary and alleged strike sympathizers at Schoenville tonight.

MYSTIC, Conn., Aug. 18.—This was the closing day of the forty-third convention of the national peace society. Officers elected include President Alfred H. Love, of Philadelphia.

ALBANY, N. Y., Aug. 18.—At a meeting of trustees of Colgate University at Hamilton, N. Y., held in Albany today Elmer Burrill Bryan, President of Franklin College, Indiana, was elected President of Colgate to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the Rev. George Edmunds Merrill.

NEW ORLEANS, La., Aug. 18.—What is believed to have been the climax of a period of intensely hot weather in New Orleans was reached at 3 o'clock this afternoon. At that hour a temperature of 100 degrees was registered, the highest, with one exception, recorded in New Orleans during the thirty years.

NORTH LIMINGTON, Maine, Aug. 18.—While dragging a loaded shougin ashore from a boat on Ward's pond today, Roscoe Harmon, aged 11, was killed when the gun exploded, lodging a charge of shot in the boy's head. A second and another boy were in the boat but were not injured.

AN IDEAL OF MANHOOD; A SCIENTIFIC TRAINING

During what I think I may claim has been a tolerably busy and fairly successful career I have cherished many ambitions but only one ideal.

This ideal has dogged me not only at home but all through my travels in various parts of the world, in India as in Australia, in New Zealand as in South Africa, until now it haunts me so continuously as to become almost an obsession. My ideal may be expressed in half a dozen words—'Comprehensive up-to-date physical education in the schools. To the attainment of this ideal I have already given up a good many things.

To it I am ready, if need be, to sacrifice the rest of my life. I shall never rest until I have accomplished it.

PERMANENT BENEFIT.

Physical education, in the eyes of both teacher and pupil, should occupy a position of equal importance with intellectual training in every school, public or private throughout the kingdom. Indeed, to some extent, the physical training is the more important of the two.

For one thing, it is more permanent.

Only a small part of the book knowledge with which children are crammed is permanently treasured in the mind. The benefits of physical training on the other hand, are apparent through a lifetime.

Further, a scientific physical training sharpens the intellect and develops valuable moral qualities.

A splendid physique is rarely accomplished by a vicious habit. It is the base of the school and the degenerate of after life, where millions of children are placed on a scientific basis.

Careless teaching is worse than useless. It not only ruins the child's present chances for development, it endangers his future prospects of health.

SCIENTIFIC METHODS.

Unless the proper tone is first given to the physique of children by scientific training, violent games may lead to serious injury of the heart and other organs.

Games, in fact, should follow rather than precede physical training. They should be a reward for physical progress, not a means of its accomplishment.

No system of physical education in school can be other than a lamentable failure which neglects the prime principle of scientific physical culture. The principle is that such physical culture must be individual.

In too many cases today the mere application of such physical culture they must be prescribed by an expert in physical culture.

The prescription of the exercises must always be the prerogative of the man who knows not merely how the exercises should be performed, but how such and such exercises will affect such and such a body in such a condition.

If, on the other hand, the pupil suffers from any organic or other disease, the exercise must be adapted to secure the alleviation or cure of that disease if possible, and at the same time must be such that no strain may be put on the organ affected.

PROPOSED SYSTEM.

A study of details will show that it is entirely practicable to give individual physical instruction in our public schools, whatever be the number of children in attendance.

The system I propose may be outlined thus:

(1) A standard of development based on age, height, and weight for both sexes at different ages.

(2) Exercises founded on measurements of the individual child, in conjunction with the medical examiner's report on the child's state of health and the condition of the various organs.

(3) Exercises to be divided into many series, one for each condition, and each series further to be divided into sections to comprise, say, any of six strengths.

The details of the system I have carefully prepared, though too long to set down here, are simplicity itself. There would be no difficulty whatever in preparing the present teachers to give the physical education prescribed, considering (1) the high standard of intelligence found today in the teaching profession, and (2) the fact that teachers are already acquainted with other methods of physical exercise. Such training as was necessary would be carried out by the physical expert engaged by the local authorities to superintend the physical education of the district.

Now you know why I made my offer to the distinguished committee of the Church Lads' Brigade. Now, too, you know what is my ideal.

To fulfil it, I am prepared to place the knowledge and experience which I have acquired as a result of my lifelong study at the disposal of the authorities, and to undertake to train a sufficient number of teachers to superintend the inauguration of such a scheme in the public schools throughout the country.

It is only a scientific grappling with the problem of physical degeneration and its replacement by a physical education that will save the young of our race from the physical degeneration which is the result of the present state of affairs.

TEACHERS IN BLOOMERS

And Right Where Jailer and Policeman Can See.

NEW YORK, Aug. 18.—A shocking discovery was made yesterday by two members of the New York Board of Education. They found not one, but several, young women teachers wearing bloomers on school playgrounds. And they were so wrought up about it that they said they were going to introduce an anti-bloomer resolution at the next meeting of the board.

The bloomers were full, balloon-like affairs, quite large enough and ugly enough to satisfy an ordinary sense of modesty, but one of the astonished board members declared:

"That costume is unnecessary and un ladylike. It is not proper for young women to wear bloomers where they have to meet men, as they do on the playgrounds. Wherever we went the policemen were always on the girls' side of the playground. These young women have to meet the janitors and the men teachers, too. They probably think nothing of it now, but when they first appeared in public they must have blushed, if they are the sort the board should expel."

'HOLY GHOST AND US' LEADER WRECKED

Sanford's Yacht, After Completing Cruise Around World, Meets Disaster on Maine Coast.

SOUTH FREEPORT, Maine, Aug. 18.—Misfortune befell Rev. Frank W. Sanford, leader of the "Holy Ghost and Us" Society of South today when his yacht Coronet, after completing a cruise around the world, met disaster on the Maine coast.

The yacht, which was owned by Sanford and those with him are safe.

The leader of the South colony returned to this country in the Coronet recently from a long trip around the world. The yacht with its owner on board had been in Portland harbor today in attempting to reach South Freeport, the Captain of the Coronet ran too close to Little Chebecque Island.

News of the accident was brought here tonight by the bay steamer Maquoit from Portland. The Maquoit passed the Coronet about five p. m. At that time more than five feet of the forward part of the yacht was above water. The island beach is not of a rocky nature and it is considered probable that the yacht can be floated without serious difficulty.

THE GRANARY OF THE EMPIRE

Honorable Walter Scott says of Saskatchewan that the Canadian Middle West will in a comparatively few years be the only stretch of country in the world, where millions of acres of cheap, rich virgin land, ready available for tillage, can be found.

Saskatchewan, he believes, is destined to become the actual "Granary of the Empire." This absorbing article appears in the August 21st issue of COLLIER'S.

TRAMP SUSPECTED OF MURDERING MAINE MAN

Was Arrested for Drunkenness and Released Before Evidence Against Him Was Found.

BANGOR, Maine, Aug. 18.—Tonight the police are searching for a tramp named John Sullivan, who is wanted in connection with the murder of Robert E. Kelley, of Mars Hill, whose body was found in the river here Tuesday and who was supposed to have been drowned.

Sullivan was arrested Tuesday afternoon for drunkenness and this morning was discharged and disappeared. Since then it has been learned that Sullivan was in company with Kelley on Monday and it is recalled that among his possessions when searched by the police was a 100 Confederate bill. The dead man's brother, George Kelley, of Mars Hill, today informed the police that his brother had in his wallet a 100 Confederate bill and he also identified as having seen work by the dead man a cap and which he left at the police station.

Contrary to previous reports the police say tonight that there were two cuts upon Kelley's forehead and that it would have been difficult if not impossible for him to have fallen into the river at or near the spot where his body was found.

SAID HE HAILED FROM NEW GLASGOW

BOSTON, Aug. 18.—A man calling himself Clarence Patterson of Concord, N. H., walked into the relief hospital today with four bullet wounds which he said someone fired into him while sleeping in a Bowdoin Square lodging house last night. Later he admitted he shot himself. He will die. He first said he was Clarence Fraser of New Glasgow, N. S., but denied this later.

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MYSTERY SURROUNDS APPARENT SUICIDE

Police Suspect Fool Play—Man's Body Found in River With Bag Tied Over His Head.

MONSON, Maine, Aug. 18.—His head covered with a bunlap bag, which had been tied with pieces of iron, the body of Nathan Hoff, one-armed man of eighty years, was found in the river today, near Blanchard Village. The medical examiner pronounced the case to be one of suicide, but there was general questioning of the man's ability to attach the bag and weights with his own arm. He had been in Monson Monday, and when he failed to return the next night a posse was sent out. The search continued through the day when his body was found. Mr. Hoff leaves a wife and ten children.

TEN YEARS FOR ATTEMPT TO WRECK A TRAIN

Maine Youth Pleads Guilty But Says He Knows Nothing of Occurrence.

BANGOR, Me., Aug. 18.—In the Superior Court this afternoon Archie Fournier of Old Town, Me., indicted for attempted train wrecking, retracted his former plea of not guilty, pleaded guilty and was sentenced by Justice King to ten years in the state prison. Fournier was charged with having on Feb. 28, 1908, placed several ties upon the tracks of the Maine Central Railroad in Coitman, near Old Town. The obstructions were discovered in time to avert a train wreck. Fournier, who is about 19 years old, says that he was drunk at the time and remembered nothing of the occurrence.

TRUSTS WILL WELCOME THE CORPORATION TAX

RUFFALO, N. Y., Aug. 18.—Commenting on the new corporation tax in the September number of the National Monthly of which publication Chairman Norman E. Mack, of the Democratic committee is the editor and publisher, former Judge Atton E. Parker says that the tax is welcomed by the giant corporations of the country in the belief that they can seek immunity behind it.

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INTEREST OF BISLEY IN 1909.

(By Joseph Holston.)
Max we hope to become a nation of marksmen in the near future. Optic enthusiasts, beating in mind the growth of the National Rifle Association and the Society of Miniature Rifle Clubs, the flip which has been given to rifle-shooting of late years by such men as Lord Roberts and Lord Chelmsford, the crowded state of the Blasley and other ranges every week during the summer months, and the keen competition for the prizes offered, etc., all these things are the result of the fact, on the other hand, the pessimist who regards the present system of stationary targets as radically wrong, and who advocates a more practical method of training, refers to British riflemen as purely academic or mechanical shots when comparing them with the Boers of Swaziland, asserts that until the existing order of things is changed we can never hope to become a nation of marksmen.

boys' competitions. The Boys' Blasley was founded by Lord Chelmsford in 1896, and last year over 200 boys were taken into camp during the meeting. His Lordship has always been a strenuous advocate of training boys to shoot. "I think it ought to be a compulsory part of the education of every school-boy to learn shooting," he says. "It happens to know what interest boys take in this matter. In one school I know of the first year we begin with 400 boys, the next year we had 600, and last year 800. This year I hope we shall have a still larger number. We begin with teaching them to shoot with miniature rifles, and when they have attained a certain amount of efficiency in miniature rifle-shooting we take them to a long range."

CUPID BREAKS RECORD IN FOUR-DAY ROMANCE

Pottsville Man and Philadelphia Girl Meet at Shore Friday.

ATLANTA CITY, Aug. 18.—Cupid broke all previous records here yesterday, when he rounded out the romance of Fred Smith, of Pottsville, and Miss Ethel Anderson, of Philadelphia, by making them Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith after a four days' acquaintance. A local magistrate tied the knot, and the pair, who came here fancy free, have started out on their honeymoon tour, following the blessings of the families on both sides.

Miss Anderson was stopping at the Marlborough Hotel, and Smith had been there but a few hours last Friday when the love god landed him with a sure shot. The two met at a dance that evening, and the hunting young man started in with a rush the next morning to carry on his suit.

So successful was he that hotel gossip declares that by Sunday the pretty girl had decided to reform former suitors. By Monday the affair had interested the entire hotel patronage, and the young woman consented to be married on Tuesday. Parents were notified by wire and sent on their blessings.

PHYSICIAN SCALES CLIFF TO AID BOY

With Woman Nurse, Dr. Drake, of Newfoundland, N. J., Treats Patient on Lofly Ledge.

NEW YORK, Aug. 18.—That they might reach Waite Broughton, of Hackensack, N. J., a young camper whose legs had been fractured in a fall of nearly two hundred and fifty feet, the precipitous mountain side, a distance of two hundred and fifty feet, and when two of the ropes were clinging to supports about the narrow ledge on which the boy had landed in his fall. Then with other men who had climbed to the rescue of the victim the physician and the nurse retraced their steps, bearing the cliff, who had been strapped to boards to lessen the jolting.

Broughton, with several friends, members of a boys' military organization, had been camping in Newfoundland in the shadow of the cliff, which is five hundred feet high. It is possible to climb the cliff with comparative ease if the climbers keep to a well worn path. But Broughton, while climbing with two companions on Wednesday afternoon, sought to give them a scare and left the path to slide side a boulder. A ledge of rock, which he was clinging face way and he was dashed over the edge of the trail. He struck a tree in his descent and the branches checked his fall for a moment, but he fell clear and struck on a prominent seventy feet below the spot where he lost his footing.

The boy was not discovered by his companions until they had searched the sides of the cliff for an hour, but Dr. Drake had been called in the meantime, and when two of the ropes were cast down to him by the rescuers he had found the boy and the nurse started the ascent.

After many slips they reached the side of the boy, and immediately set about reducing the fracture. Both legs had been broken above the knee, and one of them had also been broken just above the ankle. Then the boy was strapped to the boards and carried down the side of the cliff. Captain E. T. Phillips, Lieutenant W. L. Campbell and Chaplain Arthur Johnson, of the Fifth New Jersey regiment, aided in the task.

Mrs. N. H. Broughton, mother of the injured boy, waited in suspense at the foot of the cliff until her son was brought down, three hours after he had fallen. Then Broughton was placed in an automobile padded with pillows and was taken to Hackensack.

KILLED IN BALL GAME

BRANTFORD, Aug. 18.—Word reached the city today of a peculiar fatality at Smoothern Village, on South East of Onawken. Jesse Cayuga, a young Indian twenty-one years of age, was killed Monday night in a practice game of baseball. In company with other Indians, he was engaged in play when he was accidentally struck in the back of the head with the ball, dying from the effects shortly afterwards. Hagerville authorities have looked into the case but have decided that an investigation is unnecessary.

THE NAVAL WORK WILL BEGIN AT ONCE

General Lines of Imperial Defense Policy Made Public.

Canada Adopts Plan Proposed by Sir John Fisher in 1907—Australia's Policy Will Cost \$3,750,000 Yearly

LONDON, Aug. 18.—A lengthy statement has just been published, giving the "general lines" of the scheme of Canadian naval defense. According to the formation of the nucleus of a Canadian navy will be begun immediately on the lines suggested by Sir J. Fisher in 1907. "Canada's ambitions," the statement says, "would not be satisfied by a mere contribution of money; Canada wants her own navy."

On this point the supreme consideration is the constitutional form of the state, and to this question of strategy must be subordinated. Obsolete details of the disposition of ships, etc., these are not yet concluded, but it is obvious that Canada would not be fulfilling her own undertaking if she placed all her eggs in one basket. She has two oceans to consider.

Work will begin practically simultaneously on both coasts. The scheme also includes an increase in the dock facilities. It is unlikely that the navy will be limited to the former of the Equatorial, Prince Rupert, and possibly Quebec and Montreal also have to be considered. The very best outfit has been displayed on both sides of the conference, a perfect understanding existing between the imperial and the Dominion authorities.

Australia's Plan

A Melbourne despatch states that the Commonwealth in return for its annual outlay of £750,000, will have the assurance that it has materially added to the strength of the Empire's navy, while providing for the defense of Australia against hostile raids.

The proposal for the transfer of the control of the fleet to the Admiralty in time of war are precisely those which Mr. Deakin presented to the imperial conference in 1907.

Mr. Cook, the Commonwealth minister of defense, is satisfied, especially with the Admiralty's decision to translate the proffered draft into the form of trade cruisers for the protection of the trade routes. The members of the Australian naval personnel will now, it is said, enter upon their career with fresh hearts, knowing that all the opportunities of imperial service will be placed fully and freely at their disposal.

Local Control Essential

A Melbourne despatch says: Hon. Alfred Deakin in an interview yesterday said he was extremely pleased at Colonel Foxton's success in securing the full acceptance of the scheme for local control of the navy in 1907. He also drew attention to the fact that the Commonwealth would have complete control of the proposed Australian unit of the reorganized Imperial army in time of peace, and also would retain the power to decide whether the circumstances warranted any given emergency in time of war would warrant the transfer of the units to the Admiralty. The Australian would be something over £750,000.

Sir John Fisher's written proposal resulted in the return of some months ago, gave Australia a small degree of control over the local navy that is given in Mr. Deakin's now triumphant scheme.

CHARLOTTETOWN, Aug. 18.—The bye election in the fourth district of St. John's resulted in the return of Delaney, Conservative, by a majority of three over Hon. Joseph Reid, Liberal. At the general election last November Delaney had a majority of four. A scrutiny followed before the sheriff, the returning officer making both a tie. The latter then gave a casting vote, as he had a perfect right to do, giving Reid the seat. Since then, by arrangement between the two parties in connection with the saw off of election petitions, Reid resigned his seat to again contest the district. The result today makes the standing of the parties in the House 16 to 14 in favor of the Liberals.

SEARCHING FOR A LOST CHILD

HALIFAX, N. S., Aug. 18.—Great excitement prevails in Stellarton, over the fate of a two-year-old child of Rudolph Mueller, who was lost Tuesday afternoon at Mount William. About two miles from Stellarton, Mayor Campbell of Stellarton had large forces of men on the search within one hour after he was notified of the lost child. This force was increased in the evening by the fire department, who continued the search all night, and today the coal mines closed down, men assisted by a large number of I. C. R. employees, are diligently searching the woods which surround the house where the child was last seen.

Mr. Mueller's mother left the child sleeping in the home while she and another woman went picking blueberries. The men then shut the door, the child's chair was pulled up to the door, as if the child had it there to open the latch of the door. Mrs. Mueller says she was only four hundred yards from the house and could see the house door. She was on the alert to hear the child cry if he woke up. His right hand was sore and he was barefooted. His parents are Bulgarians and the child cannot speak English. In spite of heavy rain today large crowds are searching the woods, but as yet have found no trace of the lost boy. Heavy brushwood extends in nearly all directions from the house where the child was last seen.

MONCTON, Aug. 18.—At this afternoon session of the United Baptist Women's Missionary Union the address of the president, Mrs. D. Hutchings, St. John, was read by the secretary, after which interesting provincial reports were submitted. Mrs. G. I. Peterson reported for Nova Scotia. Number of societies, 169; members, 4,332; new societies, 11; life members, 88; amount contributed to foreign missions, \$3,877.29; to home missions, \$2,441.48. A summary of the reports from New Brunswick, submitted by Rebecca Bennett, Hopewell Hill, shows the number of societies is 125; members, 2,516; public meetings, 49; crusade days, 31; number of sittings, 1,400; life members, 32; societies organized and reorganized, 29; deaths, 35; for foreign missions, \$4,055.35; for home missions, \$1,083.71. Mrs. A. A. Waldman, Charlottetown, submitted the report for the Island.

CHICAGO, Aug. 18.—Thirty persons were injured, nine of them seriously, tonight, when a portion of the Twelfth street bridge over the Chicago river collapsed. Workmen are digging in the ruins for bodies.

ROME, Aug. 18.—According to advices received here from Teheran, Persia, the recent reported attempt of the young Shah of Persia to commit suicide was really an attempt to assassinate the boy, made by his father, the deposed Shah, who struck him with a pognard.

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- LADIES AND GIRLS
ALICE DUFF, 5 Chubb Street 3,570
ALICE M. KANE, 53 Murray Street 9,010
MRS. C. NICHOLS, 74 City Road 62,820
MRS. NOBLE BLIZZARD, Pokok Road 10,200
MISS JENNIE WATERS, 45 Victoria Street 25,700
MISS KATHLEEN MCGEE, 21 Peter Street 23,750
MRS F. H. HOWELL, 31 Rockland Road 21,650
MISS MARGARET McCONNELL, 66 Simonds Street 130,020
MISS SADIE PURDY, 33 Rodney Street, W. E. 25,350
MISS NETTIE A. PIDGREN, 28 Douglas Avenue 9
MRS. FRED BROOKING, 26 Simonds Ave. 26,900
MRS. E. SIMPSON, 182 Tower St. W. 26,820

MEN AND BOYS
ROBERT BARTLETT, 40 Parade Street 5,760
ARTHUR GALLAN, 47 Pariser Row 40,900
WM. T. COGGAR, 128 Rockland Road 78,770
FRANK DUTYER, 74 Wall Street 11,120
GEORGE ELLIOTT, 223 Douglas Avenue 3,230
WM. KEITHLIN, 19 Delld Street 2,940
GEORGE W. LONDON, 285 Market Square 4,250
ARCHIE McARTHUR, 101 Pariser Row 31,410
DOUGLAS McCAFFERTY, 50 Peter Street 2,900
JOHN H. C. McINTYRE, 310 Church Street 128,450
EDWARD McLEAN, 41 Acadia Street 2,390
JACK McQUARRIE, 73 Exmouth Street 16,210
FRANK R. MERRITT, 107 Main Street 7,180
FRANK McNEIL, 181 Pariser Row 4,820
FRANK J. SCULLY, Lancaster Street, West 2,900
RAYMOND SIMPSON, 181 Tower Street 43,700
THOMAS SWINNEY, 225 Union Street 2,390
FRED. E. TOWNSHEND, 37 Wright Street 140,080
W. H. SOUTHERN, 41 Hawdock Street 2,900
MYLES H. PERLY, 154 Main Street 6,999
KENNETH A. CARLETON, 71 Ludlow Street 4,110
WM. McINTYRE, 30 Simonds Street 120,650
CHAS. L. HAMILTON, 565 Main Street 2,380
HAROLD VINCENT, 164-1-2 Waterloo Street 4,130
GEORGE W. HOEHN, 35 Main Street 10,390
HAROLD McKAY, 28 Wright Street 12,900
GEORGE A. WHITTAKER, 22 Mill Street 175,890

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KENNETH BARBOUR, Riverside, N. B. 45,670
WILLIAM BELL, Richibucto, N. B. 5,960
STANLEY P. BROWN, Main Street, Sussex 294,460
W. A. BROWNELL, Amherst, N. S. 209,130
LORNE COLPITT, 77 Main Street, Moncton 169,390
J. CHESLEY FORAN, Dorchester, N. B. 5,109
FRANCY GIGREY, Hampton, N. B. 62,108
HAROLD A. HANSON, Fairville, N. B. 285,280
D. M. HALL, Grand Bay, N. B. 100,350
J. VERNON JACKSON, Moncton, N. B. 142,400
WILLIE McKENZIE, 177 St. John Street, Fredericton, N. B. 12,300
FRANK O'BRIEN, St. Stephen, N. B. 52,140
MERRITT STEVENS, Dorchester, N. B. 17,620
C. HUMPHREY TAYLOR, Harbord, N. B. 167,620
F. X. LEBLANC, Beauceville, N. B. 201,900
W. J. McNEIL, Newcastle, N. B. 81,400
NEIL C. TURNER, Aroostook Jet., N. B. 5,210
L. A. DREW, Hampton, N. B. 152,463
CLIFFORD RITCHIE, Granville Ferry, N. S. 31,939
EMERSON C. RICE, Wickham, N. B. 35,520
STANLEY YOUNG, Woodstock, N. B. 2,200
ALBYN KELLY, Grand Falls, N. B. 247,110
C. G. MAIN, M. D., Edmundston, N. B. 153,140
ARTHUR D. ROUSE, Corn Hill, N. B. 26,480
GEO. W. GIBSON, Woodstock, N. B. 4,424
W. W. STEVENS, Parloodic, N. B. 23,093
LAWRENCE ROBINSON, Moncton, N. B. 69,216
FRYD B. FLAHERTY, Loggieville, N. B. 17,370
FRANK E. L. HATTON, Bathurst, N. B. 27,900
T. M. WRIGHT, Campbellton, N. B. 439,700
J. R. SHARPE, Shubenacadie, N. S. 61,100
R. BEYMOUR WRIGHT, Hopewell Cape, N. S. 220,093
L. P. ROY, Chipman, N. B. 61,000
J. SIDNEY McMASTER, St. Andrews, N. B. 4,603

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SEARCHING FOR A LOST CHILD

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 First Mortgage 5 p. c. BONDS Due 1937
 It owns and controls the entire Bell Telephone business on the Pacific Coast.
 Its earnings show an uninterrupted annual increase for many years.
 \$1,000,000 of these bonds there is \$18,000,000 preferred stock paying 4% and \$2,000,000 common.
 The equity over and above the bonded debt is \$25,000,000.
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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

FINANCIAL BRIEFS.

If the present supply of stocks ever runs short through absorption by investors and the gradual conversion of speculative shares into closely held investments these places can readily be taken by the stocks of railroads now in course of construction. In the next year or two there may be added to the Stock Exchange list several hundred millions of securities of new railroads alone. In the East there is Mr. Rogers' Virginia Railway with its \$20,000,000 of stock, Mr. Ryan's Carolina, Glenfield and Ohio with \$10,000,000 preferred and \$12,000,000 common and Mr. Flagler's Florida East Coast, whose present issue of \$5,000,000 stock will doubtless be increased. These three roads are in operation, though only one of them, the Virginia, is in operation over the entire route. No transactions have been reported in the stock of either Mr. Flagler's or Mr. Ryan's road, but transactions between houses in Virginia, Florida and Ohio have been rather frequent at prices ranging lately between 27 and 31, and the stock of this road will probably appear on the exchange at the close of the company's first fiscal year of complete operation.

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 American Stock Transactions.
 St. John, N. B., Aug. 19, 1909.

Amalgamated	84 1/2	84 1/2
Am. Car. Edg.	66	65 1/2
Am. Locomotive	45	45 1/2
Am. Ice	33 1/2	34
Am. Sugar	131 1/2	130 1/2
Am. Tel. & Tel.	119 1/2	118 1/2
Am. Smelters	109 1/2	109
Anacosta	48 1/2	48 1/2
Ches. & Ohio	73	72 1/2
Balt. and Ohio	117 1/2	117 1/2
C. P. Ry.	118 1/2	118 1/2
C. & O. Ry.	144 1/2	144 1/2
Chi. and O. Ry.	3	3
Del. and H. C.	199 1/2	199 1/2
Del. and P.	45	45 1/2
Den. and Rio G.	48 1/2	48 1/2
Dele. and H. C.	199 1/2	199 1/2
Consolidated Gas	148 1/2	148 1/2
Gen. Electric	158 1/2	158 1/2
G. Nor. Ry.	154 1/2	154 1/2
Ill. Central	108 1/2	108 1/2
Kansas and Texas	41 1/2	41 1/2
Louis. and Nashville	128 1/2	128 1/2
Missouri Pac.	101 1/2	101 1/2
Mexican Central	81 1/2	81 1/2
Missouri Pac.	74 1/2	74 1/2
Norfolk and W.	156 1/2	156 1/2
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Pennsylvania	141 1/2	141 1/2
Reading	128 1/2	128 1/2
P. O. & C.	168 1/2	168 1/2
Rep. I. & S.	37 1/2	37 1/2
Rock Island	42	42 1/2
Rio. and O.	79 1/2	79 1/2
S. E. Ry.	88 1/2	88 1/2
Southern Ry.	23 1/2	23 1/2
Twin City	128 1/2	128 1/2
Union Pac.	114 1/2	114 1/2
U. S. Steel	74 1/2	74 1/2
U. S. Ry.	79 1/2	79 1/2
Western Union	74 1/2	74 1/2
Wabash Ry.	20 1/2	20 1/2
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Transactions are also rather frequent in the stock of the Western Pacific, of which \$700,000 has been received in Kansas City, Mexico and Orient, with its \$37,500,000 common and \$37,500,000 preferred, and in St. Louis, Missouri, Mountain and Pacific, with \$1,000,000 preferred and \$10,000,000 common. American capital is also constructing roads in Alaska, the Philippines and South America, and arrangements are in progress for construction by American capital in China, while in Canada new construction with Canadian and English capital is proceeding at a tremendous pace. There needs to be felt that there will not be enough railroad stocks to go round.

Last year the Union Pacific and Southern Pacific dividends were declared August 12, though the date of payment was not until October 1. In previous years the date of the dividend meetings was later in August. A meeting at any time in the first two weeks in September would answer all practical purposes as well as an earlier meeting, and it is suggested that this year the meetings may not be held until Mr. Harriman's arrival. He is expected to arrive September 4. It was said officially yesterday that no call for the meeting had yet been issued.

The dividend of 10¢ per share which was unexpectedly announced on the stock of the De Beers Consolidated Mines was accompanied by an official statement accompanying the announcement of the dividend, which states that the payment is an anticipation of the usual distribution at the end of the year, and that the improved condition of the diamond trade fully justifies the early payment.

E. S. Mendels, agent for the New York curb market, has issued the following "notice of warning": "Errors of omission and commission by individuals having lately by advertising and other methods styling themselves as curb brokers in making deals and other transactions, thereby endangering legitimate brokers and the public. It is requested that all who transact business on the New York curb market have their name and address registered at the New York Curb Market Agency, No. 6 Wall Street, where a record is kept and the name and address furnished to the public of all known brokers. Great care should be exercised in trading with others unknown."

JULY IMPORTS AND EXPORTS.
 NEW YORK, Aug. 18.—The value of merchandise imported into the United States during July exceeded the exports by \$23,000,000. The preliminary report of the United States Bureau of Statistics points out the further fact that July showed the smallest volume of exports since the summer of 1905, save for the month of July a year ago. The volume of inward trade was also smaller than the totals of May and June, and in consequence the unfavorable balance is less extensive than would have been the case had the imports remained at the level of the two previous months.
 Imports in February, March, April, May and June all exceeded those of July. The value of incoming merchandise in June was \$24,933,000, while in July the total dropped to \$22,500,000. The increase over a year ago amounts to \$25,851,000. The increase of exports as against the same period in 1908 was \$2,527,758. The total was \$109,832,324.
 For the seven months ending the first of the year the imports show an increase over the same period a year ago of a full 30 per cent, attributable partly to the influx of goods in expectation of heavier duties.
ONTARIO BANK SUITS.
 TORONTO, Aug. 19.—According to James Eicknell, K. C., civic actions

ST. JOHN DROPS OUT OF MARITIME BOARD

Other Members Declare This Course is Disgraceful

And Say It Will Mean the Ruin of the Organization—J. N. Harvey Made the Announcement

CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I., Aug. 19.—There was quite a breeze in the Maritime Board of Trade meeting this morning when J. N. Harvey, of the St. John, the latter had decided, after careful consideration, to withdraw from the Maritime Board on account of the course which the latter was following in the handling of the St. John's case, and he expressed his regret that he was unable to do so earlier.

NEWS FROM SACKVILLE

SACKVILLE, Aug. 19.—There was some quite interesting shooting on the rifle range yesterday when fifteen competitors took part in the Sackville competition. Edward Bowser was successful in making the top score with 77. Other scores were: Amos, 55; Brown, 55; P. A. Dixon, 81; Roy Brooks, 79; John Brooks, 79; Laurie Anderson, 79; Arnold Smith, 75; Walter Dixon, 75; P. Harrison, 74; B. S. 600 and 600.
 The annual provincial convention of the Women's Christian Temperance Union will be held here in September. The opening session being held on Tuesday, the twenty-eighth, and the convention will continue until the third day. It is expected that about sixty delegates will be present. They will represent the unions of New Brunswick and those of Prince Edward Island as well. It is understood that the Dominion president of the organization, Mrs. Wright, will be present at the sessions.
 In the first golf competition played in Sackville since the extension over the recently organized club took part in some handicap play, with the result that the first prize went to Major Pickard. His score was 60.
 Alderman Fred Donastar met with an accident on Tuesday evening, when he was struck on the head by a heavy book of a hay pitcher. A gash about two inches in length was lacerated. When the book struck Donastar it not only cut him but also stunned him, and for a few moments it was feared that he was seriously hurt. Dr. H. T. Knapp was hurriedly summoned and gave the wound the necessary attention.

The club house at the Ferns will be the scene of an assembly dance this evening. An efficient committee from the Wynyard Club have the management of the affair in hand and a large attendance is assured. McQuade's orchestra is preparing a classical programme.

"BUNCOMBE"
 I don't Always Pay to be Skeptical
 When a newspaper writer and proof reader that works nights can feed himself out of dyspepsia, which most all that class suffer with, it is worth while to know the kind of food used. This man says:
 "Being a newspaper writer and proof reader, also a graduate in medicine as well, though not practicing, makes a combination that would produce a 'skeptical' on the subject if anything would."
 "Day after day I read the proof on the Grape-Nuts advertisements with the feeling that they were all 'buncome'. All this time I was suffering from dyspepsia from the improper food I was eating at the restaurant."
 "One day I saw a package of Grape-Nuts at the restaurant and tried some with good, thick cream. The food took my fancy at once. After a few lunches at midnight I noted an improvement in my feelings, and was able to work with less fatigue."
 "I have used Grape-Nuts as a regular diet since then, and have improved greatly. The old dyspepsia, which had felted that I thought were necessary adjuncts to night work all disappeared, and I am able to do much more and better work with less effort than ever before."
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 Corresponding secretary—Miss A. E. Hume, Dartmouth, N. S.
 Recording secretary—Miss C. R. Fullerton, St. John West.
 Treasurer—Mrs. Mary Smith, Amherst, N. S.
 Mission hand treasurer—Miss Ida Crandall, Chipman.
 All the officers were re-elected by acclamation.
 Vice-presidents were elected as follows: Nova Scotia, Mrs. C. S. McLean, New Germany, Lunenburg; Nova Scotia, Mrs. J. H. McDonald, Fredericton; P. E. Island, Mrs. W. A. Atkinson, St. John's.

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 Copies of the new civic assessment were received at the City Hall today. The act embodies most of the changes recommended by the city at the last assessment. The local government does not include, however, the section which the aldermen endeavored to introduce to the effect that interest should be charged on all overdue tax bills.

FOR TODAY—Choice Peaches, 50¢; Choice Pears, 50¢; Sweet Apples, 1 1/2¢; Plums, 10¢ and 15¢; Oranges, 3¢; 40¢, 40¢ and 45¢; Bananas 12¢ and 15¢; and a fresh line of Moi's and Ganong's Candies.

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LOCAL NEWS.

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Sixth Annual Blueberry Plover and Foresters' Excursion
 AT WELFORD, on Saturday, August 21st. The picnic of the season: Come to the barn floor dance. City Corset Band will furnish music. Trains leave at 9:30, 1:10 and 5:08, returning at 9 p.m. and 10:30 p.m. Tickets: Adults, 75¢; Children, 50¢.
 12-8-11

Tenders for Stock
 Tenders will be received for the Stock and Book Debt of Jacobson & Bell at the office of the undersigned, 108 Prince William Street, St. John, N. B., up to 1 p. m. Sat. August 20th. Stock may be inspected on application to the assignee. A deposit of 25 per cent the price tendered must accompany each tender, which in case the tender is not accepted will be returned. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
 J. KING KELLEY, Assignee.

CREAM SEPARATORS
 To close out our stock of Sharpley Cream Separators we will sell balance on hand at greatly reduced prices. No 4 Sharpley Cream Separator, cap 500 lbs. \$4.50, each net cash. No 3 New Glasgow, Order immediately as stock is limited.
 2-8-11

NEW SUPPLY OF RADIUM
 KENNEDY, Calif., Aug. 19.—According to a story told by Dr. S. Williams, who arrived yesterday, enough pitch blende has been used on the McCord river north of here to supply the world with radium for all time. Dr. Williams had in his possession specimens of the precious stuff, and so impressed were some business men with his story that they sent an expert to visit the newly discovered ledge which is 25 miles up the McCord river.

HIS FLIGHT POSTPONED

MINNOLA, N. Y., Aug. 19.—The attempt of C. Foster Willard to win a cup offered for the longest flight of an aeroplane was postponed till tomorrow to give Mr. Willard an opportunity to make more thorough preparation for his long flight.

THE SUN AND STAR CONTEST

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ARE YOU THINKING OF ENTERING?		
If so there is no time like the present. During the arrival of the Offer is the ideal time to enter the contest for a few subscriptions will place you on a level with the leaders. They can be gained with little effort during the Bonus Offer.		
VOTING POWER OF SUBSCRIPTIONS AND PRIZE AUGUST 15 TO 18 AUGUST 23.		
THE SUN.		
	Price	Price
	New, By Carrier	By Mail
Six months	2.00	\$2.00
One year	4.00	4.00
Two years	8.00	8.00
Three years	12.00	12.00
Five years	20.00	20.00
THE STAR.		
	Price	Price
	New, By Carrier	By Mail
Six months	1.50	\$1.50
One year	3.00	3.00
Two years	6.00	6.00
Three years	9.00	9.00
Five years	15.00	15.00
THIS WEEKLY NEWS.		
	Price	Price
	New, By Mail	By Mail
One year	1.00	\$1.00
Two years	2.00	2.00
Three years	3.00	3.00
Five years	5.00	5.00

What Do You Know About Your Chances of Owning A HOME?

A good many people, fully able to buy homes, go along year after year paying rent or boarding simply because the IDEA of buying a home scares them—brings up visions of big financial burdens.
 You can figure it all out for yourself if you watch the real estate ads. for a time, and answer some of them. Then you'll KNOW—and that's always better.

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION.

BOY WANTED—Apply at once. Interest should be charged on all overdue tax bills.
 12-8-11.

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THE STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B. THURSDAY, AUGUST 19, 1909.

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They are marked **Exactly Half Price** and are the prettiest waists that have been shown this season.

No. 1 Lot has a very pretty Swiss Embroidered Front with collar to match and body of fine Swiss Lawn tucked in back and on sleeves. This waist is to be sold at **\$1.25**. Regular price \$2.50.

No. 2 Lot is a tailor made waist with starched collars and cuffs, is made from an extra fine lawn, neatly tucked both back and front, and is priced **75 cents**, regular price \$1.50.

Both lines can be had in sizes from 32 to 44. These are a manufacturer's overmake. They are perfect goods in every respect, and when they can be bought at half price it will pay any lady to lay in her waist requirements for some time to come.

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We believe it is better for us to sell this clothing now, even at less than it cost us, than to carry it over to next season. Better for us — and better for our customers.

Hence these unusual values:—

\$12 to \$15 Suits now 7.50. Other suits reduced 20 and 25 per cent

\$15 Light Weight Overcoat: now \$12. \$7.50, \$10, \$13.50, \$15 Short Overcoats or Toppers, now \$5 to \$6.75.

Waterproof Coats, Half Price, \$5 to \$17.50; Rubber Coats at 20 per cent discount.

Not all sizes in all styles. Lines are broken. But if your size is here, as is probable, you will get a GENUINE bargain.

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FRUIT JARS—Self-sealing fruit jars in Pints, Quarts and Half Gallons.


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20 year, gold-filled, 16 size with a good reliable movement, which we guarantee, \$10.00.

Same movement and also in silver case, \$7.00. Also in nickel \$4.50.

The above watches are "Just the thing" as a graduation present for your boy.

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THE WEATHER

Maritime—Moderate to fresh westerly winds, clearing and warmer. Friday, fine and warm.

LOCAL NEWS

British mails ex S. S. Majestic have left New York and are due here this evening.

The police have reported a dangerous hole on the east side of Brassey street, near John E. Wilson's foundry.

The hand concert to have been given at Seaside Park tonight has been postponed.

The Carleton Cornet Band will give a concert on Tilly Square, West St. John, tomorrow evening. (Friday). Bandmen please assemble 7.30 sharp.

J. B. M. Baxter has applied for a copy of the evidence in the case against May Wright for assaulting Policeman Lucas. The case will be appealed.

The best 14 mens' ladies' shoe for \$3.48. Come and see these special values today, at C. B. Pidgeon's, Cor. Main and Bridge Sts.

Dr. Woodruff, N. Av. R., will visit Alexandria Temple tonight. There will be initiation. A full attendance of the members is requested.

Roy Powell was the sole occupant of the prisoner's bench this morning and faced Magistrate Ritchie on a charge of drunkenness. He pleaded guilty and was fined \$4 or ten days jail.

While engaged in cutting meat in the chopping machine in Gilbert's grocery store yesterday afternoon, Miss Weisford, of Broad street, had her hand seriously cut. She had her left hand resting on the machine and incidentally placed it within reach of the sharp blades. One of them came down on her hand, inflicting a deep slash. Dr. Stewart Skinner, who dressed the wound, found it necessary to put several stitches in it. The cut is very painful and Miss Weisford will be unable to use her hand for some weeks.

HASSAM GO. LIKELY TO GET THE CONTRACT

Aldermen in Favor of Making a Start on Permanent Pavements on Germain Street.

It was the impression around City Hall today that the general committee of the Common Council which meets tomorrow will recommend that the Hassam Paving Company be given a contract to lay a permanent pavement on Germain street.

There is a strong sentiment in the city in favor of the adoption by the city of a definite policy on the pavement problem and the desire of the Germain street residents to pay half the cost of a new street covering is thought to afford an excellent opportunity to make a start.

This is especially opportune, as Germain street is now being torn up to change the water connections from the old to the new main, and as several blocks will have to be torn up to lay a new section of piping. This will necessitate extensive street repairs at least, and the cost of this work subtracted from the city's half of the permanent pavement will make the extra outlay very small.

As there has been no offer from the residents of Paradise Row to pay half of the cost on that street it is not likely that any work will be done there at present.

Some of the gentlemen who have been in Halifax this week attending the Grand Lodge of the Knights of Pythias returned and are loud in their praises of the pavements of the sister city and have become ardent converts to the permanent pavement idea.

BASEBALL MATTERS

Negotiations are going on to have Saturday's championship battle take place on the Victoria grounds. The agreement calls for a game alternate on the Shamrock and Victoria diamonds. However, as the two free matches were played on the North Esplanade there is a strong possibility that the next game will take place on the Marsh Bridge field.


The St. Peters will again employ Callaghan on the slab, while Gilmour will pitch for the Greeks. A victory for the Marathons practically means that the championship belongs to them. The St. Peters show a determination to break the Marathons' winning streak and intend to play the game of their lives.

The local fans are awaiting the announcements of Manager Tilly's plans for the season. The former Greek manager is arranging to bring fast aggregations to this city.

St. Joseph's base ball team is considering the advisability of making a trip to Woodstock. The team showed good form in the Fredericton games and claim victory would have rested with them had umpire Roberts handed out a fair deal.

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NEW JUDICATURE ACT RECEIVED

Makes Radical Changes in Courts and Procedure

Will Come In Force In September—Lawyers Busy Figuring Out What It Means.

Copies of the new judicature act have been received in the city and the members of the legal profession will be kept busy in their spare moments for a while acquainting themselves with the provisions of the new law. It is understood that it is to go into effect in September.

Under this legislation the Supreme Court of Judicature in the province will be replaced by the present supreme court and the equity court. It will, however, be divided into two sections—The King's Bench and the Chancery Divisions. The latter practically replaces what was formerly the Equity Court and will deal with the same classes of business.

The new act is similar to that in force in England and in most of the provinces of Canada and its adoption has been urged in this province for many years. The practice is simpler and this will be appreciated by the lawyers.

Another advantage is that a lawyer moving from New Brunswick to another province will find it easier to adapt himself to the practice of the other province if he has been accustomed to practically the same system here.

There is, however, one great disadvantage connected with the adoption of the new system, and this has practically been the chief obstacle to its earlier adoption. This objection is that most of the cases before the courts and decisions rendered on them there will always be some doubt as to the exact interpretation of the act.

As an example of this difficulty an incident which occurred this morning may be cited. Several lawyers were travelling further than sub-section one of section 7 of the chapter in the constitution of the court when they found themselves in deep water. The section reads as follows:

No judge shall act as judge on the hearing of an appeal from any judgment or order made by himself, and no judge shall act on the hearing of an appeal from a new trial in any cause or matter tried with a jury before himself, either with or without a jury.

The general meaning of the section, which is a radical change from what has been the previous custom, is fairly clear, but when they endeavored to get down to the exact meaning of the various phrases they found considerable difficulty in deciding what it actually did mean.

FIRE ESCAPES FINISHED ON FOURTEEN SCHOOLS

Improvements in Fire Drill to be Made—Winter St. Annex is Practically Completed.

During the school vacation the work of erecting the fire escapes on the buildings has been carried out. The plans made for the construction of the escapes have been carried out and the contractors are now completing the work.

William Lewis & son, contractors, inform the Star that adequate fire escapes have been placed on fourteen of the school buildings in the city. General improvements have been made in the High School. In addition to several doors in the school, a new escape has been arranged from the exhibition hall, where the pupils can leave the building from a roof in the rear.

The High School fire drill is regarded as nearly perfect. The other schools will probably adopt a regular drill upon the same lines.

The Winter street Annex building is practically completed. However, there are some additions to the interior, which have yet to be made. The blackboards will be installed and the work of the work hope to have everything in readiness for the opening on Thursday next.

CHRIS NICHOLS WILL BE THE INTERPRETER

Leaves for Woodstock Tonight for Preliminary Hearing of the Italian Manacelli Charged With Killing Lagania.

Chris Nichols, the well known local linguist, will be the interpreter at the trial of Manacelli, the prisoner now in jail at Woodstock, charged with the murder of Lagania, who was shot last week. The preliminary hearing was to have been held on Wednesday, but was adjourned until tomorrow in order that an efficient interpreter might be secured. Chris received word of his appointment this morning and will leave this evening for Woodstock. Attorney General Hagan, who will represent the crown at the hearing, will also leave for Woodstock tonight.

MARRIAGES

GILLIN-MORRINE—At the Cathedral, Aug. 18th, at 8 o'clock by the Rev. A. W. Nasher. Albert Gillin to Miss Violet Morrine, both of this city.

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SUMMER COMPLAINTS

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Large range of Souvenir Goods in Leathers, Enamel Sterling and Hand Painted China. St. John Books of Views etc. The View Charm 6 Views of St. John, a compact Souvenir 35c each. We are showing some excellent values in Wall Papers at remarkably low prices for this week.

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Suedes for street and dress wear, per pair \$1.25 to \$2.12
Tan and Black Gauntlet Gloves for driving and motoring.

PERRIN'S
Real Cape Elk Tan, and Suedes, in weights for street wear and driving, per pair \$1 to \$2.25
A few Tan Motor Gloves, best make, much reduced to clear. Extra ordinary value. Special, per pair \$2.00

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The latest novelties are being added to our stock each week. In the popular knitted ties we have the best value ever offered at 40c. Particularly rich and silky finish and pretty stitch. A very large variety of the latest colorings. Also the Handkerchief and Tie to match in rich Foulard Silk, sold by the set at \$1.50. New designs and late colorings. We make a specialty of imported neckwear, exclusive patterns and latest novelties.

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