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## VISCOUNT HALDANE BELIEVES UNIVERSAL PEACE IS FAR OFF

**British Lord High Chancellor Reaches New York on His Way to Montreal.**

**A SUFFRAGIST, BUT HE SCORES THE MILITANTS.**

**Says Relations Between Great Britain and Germany Are Cordial But that 'Tis "Useless to Look for Permanent Cessation of War in Near Future."**

New York, Aug. 29.—Viscount Haldane, the first Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain to leave his country since Cardinal Wolsey went to France four hundred years ago, arrived here today on the steamship Lusitania for a flying visit of five days in this country and in Canada.

The Lord High Chancellor, whose position in England corresponds to that of Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States, is here as a guest of the American Bar Association, before which he will deliver an address at the annual meeting of the association in Montreal next Monday. Tonight he was entertained at a dinner given in behalf of the association by C. A. Severance, of St. Paul. His itinerary includes visits to West Point and Albany.

Previously warned that he might expect to be interviewed by American newspaper men on his arrival in New York, the Chancellor smilingly greeted a delegation of them who boarded the Lusitania at quarantine and submitted to another interview when he reached the hotel where he is making his headquarters in this city.

Lord Haldane freely discussed many questions of the day, declaring that he was in favor of woman suffrage, prophesied that a millenium of peace was far off, said that the relations between Germany and England were never more cordial; praised the intellectual growth of the United States, and predicted that Home Rule for Ireland would soon be an accomplished fact. With a merry twinkle in his eyes the Lord High Chancellor joked and quipped with his interviewers between serious remarks, and conceded that the American custom of interviewing distinguished visitors was "delightfully progressive."

**Not Sanguine Over World Peace.**

"It would be a very sanguine person," he said, when asked his opinion of the influence of the peace palace at the Hague, "who can see the dawn of international peace.

"It is useless to look ahead toward the permanent cessation of war in the near future. We can only do our best and trust to the progress of opinion. The coming of the millenium of peace must be an evolution like everything else, but some day we must come to the realization of the fact that we can settle our differences in a better way than by quarreling with each other."

Lord Haldane chuckled when the question of woman suffrage was brought up.

"Yes, I am a suffragist," he said, "but I do not approve of the militant suffragists. You are fortunate to have no militant suffragists in this country, and I sincerely hope the militant idea will not gain a foothold here. The methods of the English suffragists have delayed equal suffrage for years. At present there is no chance of woman suffrage becoming a government measure as the cabinet is hopelessly divided on the subject, and so are both parties. If a government were to be

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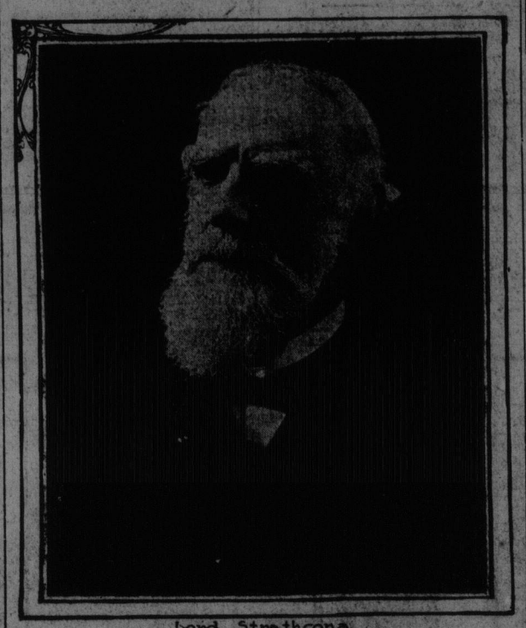
## LORD STRATHCONA REACHES NEW YORK

**Canadian High Commissioner in England on Way to Attend Banquet of American Bar Association in Montreal.**



Lord Strathcona.

New York, Aug. 29.—Lord Strathcona, Canadian High Commissioner in England, arrived here from England today, accompanied by Lady Strathcona. He is on his way to Montreal, where he will attend the annual meeting and banquet of the American Bar Association at the invitation of the association. With Lord and Lady Strathcona was Dr. William Peterson, vice chancellor of McGill University, Montreal.

While declining to make a prophesy regarding the outcome of the English woman's fight for the ballot, Lord Strathcona said he was opposed to militant methods.

## JUDGE LANDRY NOW VERY MUCH BETTER

Moncton, N. B., Aug. 29.—There has been a marked improvement in the condition of Judge Landry since Sunday last, when a change for the better was noticed. Today the Judge was considerably better and the attending physicians hold out good hopes for his recovery. This will be welcome news to the many friends of Judge Landry throughout the province.

## ESCAPING GUN MEN ARRESTED NEAR OTTAWA

Charged With Shooting Man at Carlsbad Springs.

**GOOD POLICE WORK ENDED IN CAPTURE.**

Accompanied by Accomplices Italian Was Bound for Capital When Caught by Detectives—Victim Recovering.

Ottawa, Aug. 29.—On information from the police of Cedar Rapids, Dominque Latorie, an Italian, and two companions were apprehended by Ottawa detectives on the Grand Trunk line from Montreal this morning at Carlsbad Springs and placed under arrest, the former charged with the shooting yesterday of George Denis.

The affray took place at Cedar Rapids yesterday afternoon when Latorie is alleged to have shot and severely wounded Denis. He afterwards made his escape on a horse which he is said to have stolen from a neighbor. Apparently he got to Vaureuil where he boarded the Ottawa-Montreal train bound for Ottawa this morning, accompanied by the two supposed accomplices, Antonio Falkkired, and Antonio Petrus.

The police at Cedar Rapids got word that the man who is charged with the crime was making his escape over the Montreal-Ottawa train to Ottawa, and immediately wired to the conductor for information. He wired back that the men were on his train, whereupon the police of Ottawa were notified by long-distance telephone to take them into custody when they got to Ottawa.

Three detectives went out by automobile and met the train at Carlsbad Springs, 12 miles from Ottawa, where the fugitives were placed under arrest. Two revolvers were found on the men. One of them admitted that they knew about the shooting, but refused to say who fired at Denis.

## MAKE DIRECT APPEAL TO CANADA FOR THAW

**Attorney General Carmody of New York State Petitions Canadian Government for Return of Thaw to Matteawan—Judge Hutchinson May Grant Writ of Habeas Corpus in Interests of New York Authorities.**

**Ottawa, August 29.—Attorney General Carmody, of New York, has petitioned the Canadian government for the return of Harry K. Thaw to the authorities at Matteawan. Mr. Carmody cites the deportation of a dozen or more insane persons from Canada under the immigration act, as to which no question had been raised. These, he considers, should be taken as a precedent in the return of Thaw to the New York state authorities.**

Sherbrooke, Aug. 29.—New York State made no step forward today in its fight to return Harry K. Thaw to the Matteawan Asylum for the criminal insane He remains in the Sherbrooke jail on a commitment which will not bring him into court until the King's bench convenes in October, and William Travers Jerome, conferring with Canadian counsel, has as yet been unable to secure the throwing of the bolt that detains him.

Roger Thompson, erstwhile Times Square chauffeur, lounged about the hotel corridors this afternoon, lunched near Jerome, wrote letters to friends, walked the streets unmolested and kept quiet as regards the Thaw case. He was released on five hundred dollars bail today on the double charge of having entered Canada "by stealth" and of having aided an undesirable, Thaw, to cross the Dominion border. He will be tried on these charges, barring further postponements, on Wednesday next.

Furnished with counsel by the Thaw family and provided with spending money presumably from the same sources, Thompson flatly and repeatedly refused to tell what transpired on and after the Sunday morning on which he drove Thaw away from the asylum gate, after Stanford White's slayer had whisked past Howard Barnum, the aged gatekeeper.

**Would Not Talk.**

"I would not squeal if you gave me the whole town of Sherbrooke," said Roger. "I believe Thaw is sane, and I wouldn't say one word to hurt his case. I want to see him get away. I won't jump my bail. I can't go back to New York, because they have a warrant out charging me with conspiracy. That worries me a whole lot. My old mother is worried about me too. But I wrote her today, telling her not to be worrying. I am a British subject, and I hope to beat this case; just now it would be crazy of me to give the details of the trip with Thaw."

"After driving him away from Matteawan I came with him into Canada because a lawyer told me they couldn't touch me up here. I was the one who hired W. L. Shurtleff at Coaticook to look out for Thaw! Then I came on here to Sherbrooke and they pinched me in the court room."

Thaw issued no statements from his cell today. His lawyers, interested in the arraignment of Thompson, did not go near him. One of his New York counsel, Harry Hirsch Baug, of Newburgh, N. Y., returned home this afternoon. On the same train went District Attorney Conger and Sheriff Hornbeck of Dutchess County. They had waited here since Wednesday last, hoping that Thaw would be turned over to the immigration authorities and deported to Vermont.

Jerome and Franklin Kennedy, deputy attorney general of New York, said tonight their plans and the length of their stay here was indefinite. They conferred all afternoon, trying to hit on a means of getting Thaw out of jail, but without success. Mr. Jerome was inclined to be reticent this evening and would only say that, ultimately, New York state would have its famous prisoner again.

**Returns to Ottawa.**

Special to The Standard.

Ottawa, Aug. 29.—E. Blake Robertson, assistant superintendent of immigration, who has been at Sherbrooke in connection with the Thaw case, returned tonight. It is intended to leave Inspector Whillans on the ground to watch the case, but Inspector Reynolds and other officials will be recalled.

In its present form, the case is not one wherein the departments here are able to exercise their authority. Thaw being a prisoner of the provincial courts, his status is such that the immigration officials are not able to intervene. Unless some new move or method is resorted to it would appear that he will not be interfered with by the department so long as the present commitment holds good.

**Will Grant Writ of Habeas Corpus.**

Sherbrooke, Aug. 29.—It was reported in Sherbrooke early today the Superior Judge Hutchinson, returning from his vacation, has agreed to grant to Canadian lawyers, acting for New York State a writ of habeas corpus, calling for the production of Harry K. Thaw in court at once.

## WILSON'S POSITION NOT EASY

**London Newspapers Make Reference to His "Gentle Obstinacy."**

**NEW DIPLOMACY IS NOT HOPEFUL.**

**One Frontier Incident Will Start Trouble, Says Saturday Review—Washington Expects Favorable Ending to Negotiations for Peace.**

London, Aug. 30.—In an editorial concerning the situation between the United States and Mexico, the Spectator says today:

"In dealing with Mexico, President Wilson wishes to secure the effects of compulsion while announcing that he never will apply compulsion. This new method of diplomacy obviously is not a hopeful one, and whether President Wilson will be able to emerge from the present crisis with credit or safety it is impossible to say. What may be called his gentle obstinacy has manoeuvred him into a position from which it is not easy either to advance or retire."

The Saturday Review says:

"The President's tone of cold superiority will only outrage Mexican pride," and stimulate President Huerta and his rebels to take a bold stand "as champions of Mexican dignity against American insolence to bring about the hostilities which President Wilson professes he is most anxious to avoid."

Concluding, the editorial says: "A frontier incident, and the thing is done. Before the Americans know it there will be a raid, somebody will tread on the stars and stripes and all America will be remembering the Maine again."

**Washington Still Hopeful.**

Washington, Aug. 29.—President Wilson left Washington late today for the summer capital at Cornish, N. H., still hopefull of a favorable culmination of the negotiations undertaken by this country to bring about peace in Mexico.

Although no affirmative action on either side had been reported up to the time of the President's departure, encouraging despatches were received from Nelson O'Shaughnessy, in charge of the American Embassy at Mexico City, bearing on the general situation. These reached the President a few hours before train time, and led him to determine upon a short rest over Labor Day. Nothing in the advices from Mexico City gave the administration officials cause for particular anxiety, and it was a general opinion that a lull in the diplomatic exchanges would be beneficial to all concerned. The President, it is known, feels that good may come from an opportunity for the position of this government, as he announced in his message of Wednesday, to "sink in."

Excitement subsiding over the exchange of proposals and replies would, it was believed, lead to further negotiations between the officials of Mexico City and Mr. John Lind, the personal representative of this government.

Mr. Lind, it was asserted tonight, had been instructed from Washington to continue to act at his own discretion as to whether he should await developments at Vera Cruz, or return to Mexico City.

## BULGARIANS FEAR TURKS WILL INVADE

Cabinet Decides to Enter Direct Negotiations as Country is in No Condition for War at Present.

Sofia, Bulgaria, Aug. 29.—After an eight hours' continued sitting of the cabinet today, it was resolved that Bulgaria should enter into direct negotiations with Turkey, as it was believed no other course could avert an invasion of Bulgaria by the Ottoman forces. It was felt that war must be avoided at all costs, since the country is not in a condition to fight.

**FIRE IN MONTREAL.**

Word from Montreal early this morning stated that what it was found would prove a big fire, was raging on Little St. Antoine street, opposite the building occupied by the Montreal Gazette.

## MONTREAL BUILDINGS COLLAPSE

No One Injured When Peel Street Structures Fell—Blasting Near Buildings the Cause of Accident.

Montreal, Aug. 29.—With a crashing sound, the three-story vacant building at 192 Peel street, and the adjoining two-story office building, No. 194, tottered on their foundations at 7.45 o'clock tonight, and fell to the earth.

No one was in the vicinity at the time, so far as known, and it is practically certain there were no casualties.

Both buildings are a mass of ruins.

The cause of the collapse is attributed to blasting operations in connection with the construction of the Drummond building, next door. The loss is estimated at $25,000.

## CHICAGO WOMEN WERE ARRESTED FOR TANGO DANCING IN STREET

Ejected from Cafe they Continue Animal Dance on Sidewalk Until Police Interfered—Seek Trial.

Chicago, August 29.—Tango dancing caused the arrest of two women on the charge of disorderly conduct at a downtown cafe early today. They were Mrs. E. F. Wirth, of this city, and her guest, Mrs. Lucille Lowery, of Chattanooga, Tenn.

When arraigned today before Municipal Judge Mahoney they demanded a jury trial, declaring that they had been arrested without cause as they were leaving the cafe. Policemen said the women were dancing on the sidewalk after they had been requested to leave the cafe because of their alleged persistence in performing the tango.

## ONE KILLED, THREE HURT IN ACCIDENT

Chauffeur Victim When Automobile Plunged Down Embankment and Overturned—Others seriously Injured.

Montpelier, Vermont, Aug. 29.—The automobile of Mrs. S. W. G. Ross, of Montpelier, plunged down an embankment and overturned near here today, causing the death of the chauffeur, Oliver Gendreau, and seriously injuring Mrs. Ross and Mr. Van Wagnor, of New York. Mrs. Van Wagnor and Miss Alice Ross, the other occupants of the car, were only slightly hurt.

The party was bound from Breton Woods, N. H., to Burlington on their way to Montreal. It is believed that Gendreau, to avoid a ditch, turned out quickly, too near the embankment. In its fall the automobile turned over twice and pinned the chauffeur under the wreckage.

Mrs. Ross and Mr. Van Wagnor were brought to a hospital here, the former with a broken leg and ankle and the latter with internal injuries, the extent of which have not been determined.

## VANCOUVER'S WATER SUPERINTENDENT TO FACE MANY CHARGES

Vancouver, August 29.—Seven charges including malfeasance by means of padding the city payrolls, insubordination and refusal to carry out orders of the council, were placed against the name of Water Superintendent Maddison, one of the oldest officials of the city of Vancouver. The defence before the special committee of investigation issued an absolute denial to all the charges.

## KILLS FATHER DURING FIGHT

William Price Dead as Result of Altercation With Son—Was Struck Heavy Blow on the Neck.

Rushville, Ind., August 29.—William Price, 60 years old, former sheriff of Rush county, and marshal of this city, is dead as a result of an altercation with his son, who lives at Fort Wayne, and who has been visiting his father for a week. They met in front of his father's drug store and became involved in a quarrel.

Persons who saw them say the father was the aggressor and pushed his son off the sidewalk. The son at once retaliated, it is declared, by striking his father a blow on the neck. The father was knocked to the sidewalk with great force and the authorities are not certain whether it was the blow or the fall that caused his death.

The coroner is making an investigation and young Price will be held until the coroner's verdict is returned. Price died about twenty minutes after he fell to the sidewalk.

**VIOLENT STORMS RAGING IN FRANCE.**

Biarritz, France, Aug. 29.—There was a cloudburst of unprecedented violence here this evening. Streets were turned into rivers and the cellars and ground floors of many houses were flooded. Violent storms are reported from various parts of France, notably Arras, Chartres and Compaigne. A number of persons were killed by lightning.

## VETERAN SHOT BIG WINNER IN RIFLE MATCH

Captain Thomas Mitchell of Toronto Won City of Ottawa Match and Grand Aggregate in Dominion Meet.

Rockliffe Rifle Range, Ottawa, Aug. 29.—Capt. Thomas Mitchell, of Toronto, carried off the honors at the D.C.R.A. today, when he annexed first prizes in both the City of Ottawa and the grand aggregate The veteran shot had a point lead when he came to the last range, the nine hundred yards distance in the City of Ottawa, which is included in the grand aggregate. In this range he made his lead sure by putting on a possible in a high wind, while the other high ones dropped.

It was a splendid win. Capt. Mitchell for thirty years has been one of the best shots in Canada. He is a vegetarian and firmly believes that the fact that he eats no meat gives him the steady eye and nerve necessary to high shooting.

The London Merchants match was between teams from each province and was carried off by Ontario.

Tomorrow morning the final competition for the all-important match of the meet, the Governor General's, will take place.

A notable feature of the meet is the fine shooting of Private Hawkins, this year's King's prize winner. He is well up in the aggregate and has a good chance of being one of the top ones in the Governor General's match.

**BETTER CONDITIONS FOR STREET RAILWAY MEN**

Vancouver, August 29.—The street railway company has made one or two concessions regarding working hours which are more favorable to the men than the finding of the arbitration board and a rather better feeling exists today. It takes two-thirds majority to call a strike. A mass meeting was held at midnight, when the arbitration findings were further discussed. The meeting was very quiet and orderly.

## SOLDIERS AT NANAIMO NOW DISSATISFIED

Citizen Soldiers Threaten to Mutiny Unless Conditions Are Changed—Matter Considered by Department.

Vancouver, Aug. 29.—A serious situation in regard to the militia has arisen at Nanaimo. There is great dissatisfaction among the five hundred men who are still in the field doing strike duty and reports declaring that there is "danger of mutiny" have come over the wires, which is supposed to be closely censured by the military authorities. A number of citizen soldiers prepared to leave last night for their homes in Vancouver and Victoria, and were only prevented from doing so at the last moment. The men receive one dollar a day.

They have sent a petition to the provincial government asking for $2.50 a day. The Victoria authorities in turn passed the matter up to the militia department at Ottawa, where it is now being considered.

The military authorities yesterday at Nanaimo considered a plan to withdraw all troops but 240 in the strike districts for fear that there would be wholesale desertions if the men are kept longer in camp.

Many men have been threatened with discharge from their jobs in town if they do not come home and scores of others have been notified by their unions that they will be blacklisted if they do not lay down their arms and turn in their uniforms.

The citizens of Nanaimo are afraid of a renewal of riots if any considerable number of the militia are withdrawn before there are special police to take their places.

**COL. SHERWOOD GETS ADDITIONAL TITLE.**

Special to The Standard.

Ottawa, Aug. 27.—Col. A. P. Sherwood, C.M.G., has been appointed Chief Commissioner of Dominion Police. Heretofore he has been styled Commissioner. The new arrangement gives him authority over federal police wherever employed in Canada.

## FRENCH TOWN ATTACKED BY GYPSEY BAND

Soldiers Summoned in Lunel to Help Townspeople Against Nomads—Many Killed and Wounded.

Montpelier, France, Aug. 29.—A band of 150 gypsies today attacked the inhabitants of the town of Lunel with guns and revolvers. Gendarmes engaged the gypsies and a pitched battle ensued in which one gendarme was killed and three were badly wounded. The fighting of the gypsies was so fierce that they even held out against a company of soldiers for a time. When they fled they left a large number of wounded behind them The attack had its origin in a difference of opinion between the gypsies and the townspeople of Lunel.

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# BALKAN WAR A GREAT FUTURE PEACE FACTOR

## This is Opinion of Notable Speakers at Opening of Peace Palace at The Hague

The Hague, Aug. 29.—The ceremony of the unveiling today by Andrew Carnegie of a bust of the late Sir William Randall Cremer, in the Hall of Justice of the new Peace Palace was the occasion for a great demonstration in favor of the peace movement. Sir Randall Cremer was the originator of the inter-parliamentary conferences, a winner of the Nobel Peace prize and for 37 years secretary of the International Arbitration League.

The hall was crowded for the ceremony. Among those in attendance were members of the Carnegie endowment for international peace, the arbitration league and the inter-parliamentary union. Mr. Carnegie was loudly cheered as he entered the hall and his speech was frequently punctuated with applause.

The Right Hon. Thos. Burt, dean of the British House of Commons, replied to Mr. Carnegie. He said that all things pointed favorably to the realization of Cremer's dream of universal peace, despite the Balkan war. The barbaric horrors of this war, Mr. Burt added, would arouse a world-wide feeling of revulsion and bring the peace advocates nearer their objective.

Lord Weardale, president of the inter-parliamentary union, eulogized Mr. Carnegie, who, he said, had provided Cremer with means which enabled him to accomplish so much in behalf of the peace movement.

Earlier in the day, Sir Alan Johnstone, British minister to the Netherlands, unveiled a bust of King Edward VII. He paid an eloquent tribute to the late British monarch for his work in behalf of the maintenance of peace abroad and for the submission to arbitration of disputes between capital and labor.

# PREPARING TO TRY AMERICAN MURDERER

Genoa, Aug. 29.—A call has been prepared in the Marassi Pirol, in the outskirts of the city, for Porter Charlton, the young American accused of murdering his wife at Lake Como, three years ago, and who has just been extradited from the United States. Charlton is expected to arrive here tomorrow from Naples. The authorities have taken precautions to protect Charlton from the curious when he lands from the steamer Re D'Italia and on the trip to the prison.

### WINNIPEG'S WATER SUPPLY IS COSTLY.

Winnipeg, Aug. 29.—Winnipeg's permanent water supply from Shoal Lake will cost $13,045,000, and it will take at least five years to instal, according to the formal report of the consulting experts read today before the administration board of the greater Winnipeg water district by Mayor Deacon of Winnipeg. The report was adopted, and the work will proceed at once, although definite action was deferred by the board for one week to enable the members to study details.

### Police Court.

In the police court yesterday afternoon four drunks were fined eight dollars each. A colored man named Weeks, charged with stealing, and a sailor named Linder for refusing duty on board a vessel were remanded. William Cosman was adjudged guilty of having liquor for sale in a car in the West End, and was fined one hundred dollars or three months in jail.

### Prize Winners.

There was a good attendance at the Prentice Boys' fair held in their hall, West End, last evening, and the following were the prize winners: Bean toss, Miss McCormick; gents', Archie Lingley; air gun, Isaac Duffy; ring toss, Leonard Lord; excelsior, George Nice; door prize, William Lanergan; air gun, John Griffith. The fair has been most successful and the grand closing will take place tonight.

## DIED.

GIBSON.—William Alexander Gibson, in the 45th year of his age, at 11 p. m., the 29th inst.

Funeral service at the residence Sunday evening at 8.30 p. m. The remains will be taken to Fredericton Monday morning, the funeral to take place on the arrival of the 9.20 train. (Fredericton papers please copy.)


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# CONSERVATION COMMISSION CONDEMNS LONG SAULT PLAN

## Plan of Laurier Government, Championed by Pugsley, to Create Power Development Monopoly in Interests of U. S. Trust Vigorously Censured in Report.

Special to The Standard.

Ottawa, Aug. 29.—A sweeping condemnation of the project to draw on the Long Sault Rapids for the creation of a power monopoly is contained in a report of the Conservation Commission issued today following a lengthy and exhaustive investigation by the commission's engineers.

The report absolutely confirms the position taken by the Conservatives in the memorable parliamentary battle of 1910, when the Laurier government was forced to abandon its effort to chartetr the Long Sault Power Transmission Company with a monopoly of power development at the Long Sault.

The Canadian charter was wanted as part of a wider project originating in the United States, having for its aim the creation of what was described as a monopoly of 500,000 horse power in the interests of the aluminum trust.

The scheme was vigorously opposed by the shipping and navigation interests of Canada, the Ontario government and the Hydro-Electric Power Commission. The bill, as introduced in the House of Commons, was championed by Hon. William Pugsley and Sir Wilfrid Laurier but the then opposition succeeded in having its monopolistic features eliminated. The proposal of the Long Sault Development Co. involved the damming of the St. Lawrence at Barnhart and Sheet Islands.

The Conservation Commission declares the proposed works capable of injuring navigation and as contrary to the provisions of the Ashburton Treaty of 1842. It is pointed out that the proposed development would mean little benefit to Canada while creating a vested interest in the United States, which would entail heavy expense in the event of expropriation. "The obvious conclusion," says the report, "seems to be that the plain duty of Canada is to maintain her rights of ownership and jurisdiction absolutely unimpaired and untrammeled.

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elected on that issue then it would be hopelessly divided on every other issue."

### Relations with Germany.

The fact that the Lord Chancellor when he was secretary of state for war visited the German Emperor at the height of ill-feeling between Germany and England over the armament question was made the basis for a question as to his opinion of the present relations between Germany and England.

"Our relations are constantly growing better," he said, "especially since the adjustment of the Balkan situation. In fact there has been much better feeling displayed between the two great groups of European powers as the result of the Balkan situation in which they have worked together. The results augur a much better feeling in the future."

Speaking of Home Rule for Ireland, he said:

"Home Rule was never nearer adoption than it is today, and I believe it will soon be an accomplished fact. Although the religious question in Ulster is difficult, you can't keep the hands of the clock from advancing."

### Wouldn't Discuss Mexico.

The Chancellor refused to discuss the Mexican situation except to say that he was "confident that the United States would deal with the question in the broad way in which it had treated other great problems."

He said that he had made a close study of the constitution of the United States, the decisions of Chief Justice Marshall and of American court procedure, but had been greatly enlightened on these subjects by Supreme Court Justice Oliver Wendell Holmes, a fellow passenger during his voyage.

"I think English law," he said, "has fewer technicalities than the American law. You have more opportunities for appeal than we do in England. We are very sparing in this particular. This is especially true of criminal procedure."

Lord Haldane was accompanied by his sister, Miss Elizabeth Haldane, and Sir Kenneth Muir MacKenzie, clerk of the crown.

The party was met at the pier by a reception committee of the American Bar Association, which included Francis Rawle, of Philadelphia, chairman; Jacob M. Dickinson, former secretary of war; Judge Alton B. Parker, Francis Lynde Stetson and C. A. Severance. They escorted the Chancellor on a sight-seeing tour of the city.

### SAW WOLVES NEAR ROCKWOOD PARK.

Are there wolves in the woods of St. John county? John Johnson, of Gilbert's Lane, says there are, or at least there were this morning. He said that he had seen five, four grown wolves and a cub, about half past seven o'clock yesterday morning, a little to the north of Rockwood Park, about a mile from the place where the caged animals are kept.


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New York, Aug. 29.—Arrd stmrs Lusitania, Liverpool; Madonna, Marseilles; Argentina, Trieste; Baltic Liverpool.

Plymouth, Aug. 29.—Arrd stmr Olympic, New York.

Southampton, Aug. 29.—Arrd stmr Amerika, New York.

London, Aug. 29.—Arrd stmr Ionian Montreal.

Libau, Aug. 29.—Arrd stmr Russia, New York.

Copenhagen, Aug. 29.—Arrd stmr United States, New York.

Quebec, Aug. 29.—Arrd stmrs Empress of Britain (Br), Liverpool; Bridgeport (Br), Sydney; Thyra Menier (Br), Anticosti; Pennine Range (Br), New York; Gaspesian (B), Bale Des Chaleurs; Hochelaga (Br), Sydney.

### NO STRIKE ON B. C. ELECTRIC RAILWAY.

Vancouver, Aug. 29.—It is now believed that there will be no strike of the British Columbia Electric Railway employees. The company has offered to make some important concessions, in addition to those contained in the majority report and these will be considered by the men before definite action is taken.

# CANADIAN TEAM IS CHOSEN FOR PALMA SHOOTING MATCHES

## Best Shots in Canada to Compete for International Trophy at Camp Perry, Ohio.

Ottawa, August 29.—Ten of the twelve members of the Canadian Palma team were chosen tonight, and the whole team, the balance of which will be chosen tomorrow, will leave for Camp Perry, Ohio, Monday, to seek the coveted international trophy. The members chosen tonight are:

Staff Sergeant G. R. Russell, G. G. F. G., Ottawa; Sergeant W. A. Smith, G. G. F. G., Ottawa; Private Hawkins (G. M.), 48th Highlanders, Toronto; Lieut. C. A. Morris, 90th Regiment, Winnipeg; Sergeant J. Freeborn, 13th Regiment, Hamilton; Sergt. A. Martin, 103rd Regiment, Calgary; Staff Sergt. McInnes, 19th Regiment, Edmonton; Capt. Neil Smith, 24th Regiment, Chatham, Ont.; Lt. A. M. Blackburn, 90th Regiment, Winnipeg; Lt. W. Hart McHarg, 16th Regiment, Vancouver.

United services of Brussels street United Baptist and Waterloo street United Baptist churches, Sunday, Aug. 31. Morning service, 11 o'clock, in Brussels street United Baptist church. Evening service 7 o'clock in Waterloo street United Baptist church. Preacher at both services, Rev. M. F. McCutcheon, B. D. Strangers cordially invited.

# CALIFORNIA CHURCH FEDERATION AGAINST LONG PRIZE FIGHTS

## Circulating Petitions to This Effect Throughout State—Four Rounds the Limit.

Los Angeles, Aug. 29.—Initiative petitions toward a state law prohibiting long duration boxing exhibitions or those professionalized either by gate receipts or price awards, will be circulated immediately throughout California. This was decided late today by the Civic Righteousness Committee of the Los Angeles Church Federation.

While boxing enthusiasts and church men argued over the question Jess Willard and eleven others, held in connection with the recent death of John (Bull) Young, were being given a preliminary hearing before Justice Simmerfield. After numerous witnesses of the fatal Willard-Young bout had testified, the hearing was adjourned until Tuesday.

The projected state law would limit boxing bouts to four rounds and require gloves at least eight ounces in weight.

### His Difficulty.

The Old 'Un—Pluck, my boy, pluck; first and last, that is the one essential to success in business.

The Young 'Un—Oh, of course, I quite understand that; the trouble is finding someone to pluck.—London


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# THE LATEST SHIPPING NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

## MARINE NOTES OF THE WORLD

### BRIG FOUNDERS.

St. Pierre, Miq., Aug. 27.—French brig Louis of Cancale, foundered on Grand Banks on Aug. 23.—The captain and crew were landed here today by schooner Marie Therese.

Stmr Indiana reports Aug. 18, lat 48 33 N, lon 50 10 W, passed a large iceberg.

### RECENT CHARTERS.

Stmr Crown of Granada, 1,704, Halifax to W. C. E., 58s 9d, prompt.

Stmr Heronspool, 2,105, Pugwash to W. C. E., 57s 6d, prompt.

Fourteen hundreds standard steamer, Herring Cove to W. C. E., 60s.

Schr Terschelling, 1,872, Miramichi to W. C. E., 61s 3d.

### MARITIME MISCELLANY.

Stmr Norman Bridge (Br), from Tampico for Perth Amboy, went aground Thursday forenoon in Sandy Hook Bay, but floated and has arrived at Perth Amboy.

Mobile, Ala., Aug. 27.—Stmr James A. Carney sank this mornig off Battles wharf while making a regular trip from summer resorts; no lives lost.

Stmr Pleasure Bay broke walking beam and cylinder.

### DANGERS TO NAVIGATION.

Stmr Carthaginian (Br), reports Aug. 24, lat 39 55 N, lon 70 10 W, passed a black cylindrical buoy marked "S. S. Maria Racold" with figures "415918" painted in white.

Stmr Corsical (Br), reports Aug. 7, lat 51 39, lon 56 30, between Point Amour and Cape Norman, passed six icebergs; from Cape Norman to Belle Isle saw thirty-four others; Aug. 8, from Belle Isle to lat 53 08, lon 51 38, sighted twenty-four icebergs. Many of these bergs were fantastic in shape due to erosion; they were old and decaying.

Stmr Indiana (Br), reports Aug. 18, lat 48 33 N, lon 50 10 W, passed a large iceberg.

Stmr California (Br), reports Aug. 21, lat 48 38, lon 48 04, passed an iceberg and two small pieces.

### WHITE SAILORS SCARCE.

White sailors continue scarce all along the coast in spite of better wages and conditions, the larger sized vessels all carrying colored crews, and even the captains of the little coasters plying between Portland and eastern ports find it very difficult to pick up one or two men to complete their crews.

### STEAMER ASHORE.

London, Aug. 27.—A despatch from Maasluis states that stmr Campanello, (Br), from New York for Rotterdam, has gone aground in the river.

### STEAMER NOTES.

The White Str Dominion Str Canada was 60 miles east of Cape Race at 4 o'clock yesterday morning; due at Quebec at 5 o'clock Sunday, and Montreal on Monday morning.

The Manchester Line Str Manchester Spinner, Capt. Musgrove, sailed yesterday for Manchester via Philadelphia.

The Str Corsican arrived at Quebec at 4 p.m. Thursday and arrived at Montreal at 1 p.m. yesterday.

The Str Scandinavian passed Belleisle at 7 a.m. yesterday and is due at Quebec on Sunday and at Montreal on Monday.

Furness Line Str Shenandoah, Capt. Lee, reached St. John on Thursday evening from London via Halifax with general cargo.

The Furness-Allan Line Str Digby sailed from St. John's, Nfld., Thursday for Halifax.

Halifax Recorder: The steamer Rhodesian is shortly to leave the service of Pickford and Black, and her present round run from Halifax to the West Indies is to be the final trip. The next voyage of the Rhodesian will be to England. She has been about two years under charter to P. and B., and while the ship's permanent successor is not yet known, it is learned that another boat is to be commissioned soon. The latter is the Uller, which has been contracted for to make one complete circuit from Canada to the West Indies and return.

### SHORT HANDED.

The three masted schooner B. I. Hazard, which arrived at Portland, Me., on Wednesday morning coal laden, made the run decidedly short handed, having only two men on board the captain, P. R. Knowlton of Deer Isle, and the cook, Irving Garland of Ellsworth, comprising the crew, the two men taking the place of the six usually carried, the skipper being unable to obtain the desired men at Port Reading, N. J., where she took on her cargo.

### LATEST MARCONI INVENTION.

Portland, Me., Aug. 28.—The steamer North Land, which arrived here yesterday from New York, had the honor of being the first vessel in the United States to test the latest Marconi invention in connection with radio communication at sea, although it has been successfully tested in foreign countries and bids fair to come into general use on all ocean-going steamships. The apparatus, which is very simple in construction, is known as the Marconi Radio-Goneometer, or as commonly called, the direction finder, in plain words a wireless compass. The outfit is entirely independent of the regular wireless apparatus, special radio wires consisting of two triangles intersecting each other at right angles. The North Land was temorparily equipped with the appliance, permission having been given by Calvin Austin, president of the Eastern Steamship Co., and the half dozen tests made on the trip proved very satisfactory, the results obtained being absolutely correct as figured out by the reckoning made by Captain Johnson of the North Land.

By the aid of the new invention it would seem almost impossible for steamers to collide at sea in the dense fogs, when the captain could not get his observations, as it enables the operator to tell from what direction the wireless messages are coming and, in the case of another steamer to determine how the vessel is bearing with respect to some fixed point, the distance and location of the other being easily determined. It is a wonderful invention and would seem to be an almost absolutely necessary adjunct to the wireless outfit now carried on most steamers. The extra wires carried on the North Land yesterday attracted much attention as she came into the harbor, causing many enquiries. The tests made en route were given by David Sarnoff, chief inspector of the Marconi Wireless Telegraph Co., of America, the two wireless operators of the steamer, Irving Vermilya and Fleming Wall, assisting in the work.

## OROZCO WOULD AVENGE MURDER OF HIS FATHER

Pascual Orozco, Jr., who recently was advanced to the rank of general of brigade in the Mexican army for service to the Huerta government, is said to have begged permission to return from Northern Mexico, where he has been fighting, and to go to Morelos or Guerrero to avenge the death of his father, Colonel Pascual Orozco, Sr., who is reported to have been shot by the rebel leader, Zapata, when the latter was forced by federal troops to evacuate Huautla, in the State of Guerrero.

## MINIATURE ALMANAC.

August Phases of the Moon.

| | D. | H. | M. |
|---|---|---|---|
| New Moon | 2 | 8 | 58 |
| First Quarter | 9 | 0 | 3 |
| Full Moon | 16 | 16 | 27 |
| Last Quarter | 24 | 20 | 18 |
| New Moon | 31 | 16 | 38 |

| Day of Week. | Date. | Sun Rises. | H. Water a. m. | H. Water p. m. | Sun Sets. | L. Water a. m. | L. Water p. m. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 30 S | 5.48 | 7.00 | 10.08 | 22.31 | 4.01 | 16.24 | |
| 31 S | 5.50 | 6.58 | 10.59 | 23.22 | 4.53 | 17.15 | |

## VESSELS IN PORT.

### Steamers.

Shenandoah, 2,492, Wm Thomson & Co.

### Schooners.

Ann Louise Lockwood, A W Adams.
Calebria, 451, J Splane & Co.
Frederick Poessner, 326, A W Adams
E. M. Roberts, 293, R. C. Elkin.
Hartney W, 270, S A Likely.
Helen Montague, 334, R C Elkin.
Helen G King, 123, A W Adams.
Jost, 299, J. W. Smith.
Lord of Avon, 325, R C Elkin
Lucia Porter, 284, Peter McIntyre.
Lena, 98, C M Kerrison.
Margaret M. Ford, 291, A. W. Adams.
Margaret May Riley, 240, A. W. Adams.
Maple Leaf, 99, master.
Minnie Slausen, 271 A W Adams
Nettie Shipman, 288, A W Adams.
Mary A Hall, 341, Peter McIntyre.
Oliver Ames, 433, C. M. Kerrison.
Peter C Schultz, 373, A W Adams.
Ravola, 123, J. W. Smith.
Rhoda Holmes, 328, C M Kerrison.
Sallie E. Ludlam, 199, D. J. Purdy.
T. W. Cooper, 150, A. W. Adams.
W H Waters, 120, J Splane.

## PORT OF ST. JOHN, N. B.

Arrived Friday, Aug. 29th, 1913.

Str Louisburg, 1,182, Marsters, Sydney, R. P. and W. F. Starr, coal.

Schr Daniel C. Baker, 26, Matthews, Lubec, master, bal.

Coastwise—Stmr Grand Manan, 180, Ingersoll, North Head, and cld; schs rFed and Norman, 31, Cheney, Grand Harbor, and cld; Violet Pearl, 23, Wadlin, Wilson's Beach.

Cleared.

Stmr Louisburg, Marsters, Sydney, R. P. and W. F. Starr.

Coastwise—Schs Casarco, Ingalls, St. George; stmrs Desmond, Tupper, Parrsboro; Connors Bros., Warnock, Chance Harbor.

Sailed.

Stmr Manchester Spinner, Musgrove, Manchester via Philadelphia, Wm. Thomson & Co.

Stmr Governor Dingley, Clark, Boston via Maine ports, A. E. Fleming.

Schr Bessie May, Mallock, Lubec, master, 36 hhd. herring.

Schr Reliance, McNeill, Lubec, master, 37 hhd. herring.

Schr Swanahaka, Mallock, Lubec, Master, 31 hhd. herring.

## DOMESTIC PORTS.

Halifax, Aug. 29.—Ard stmr Kursk, (Russ), Libau.

Sydney, N. S., Aug. 29.—Ard stmr Felix, Port Au Port.

Cld stmr Stigstad, Montreal; Kron Prinz Olav, Montreal; Storstad, Wabana.

Montreal, Aug. 29.—Ard stmrs Tyrolia (Br), Trieste and Naples; Corsican (Br), Liverpool; Lingan (Br), Sydney; Hochelaga (Br), Sydney.

Cld stmrs Lingan (Br), Sydney; Hochelaga (Br), Sydney.

Yarmouth, Aug. 27.—Ard sch Wandrian, New York, coal.

Montreal, Aug. 28.—Ard stmr Graciana, Shields.

Cld 28th, stmr Grampian, Glasgow.

Dalhousie, Aug. 27.—Ard ship Marpesia, Ria Janeiro.

Sld 21st, stmr W. H. Dyer, Niagara Falls, New York.

Halifax, Aug. 28.—Ard stmr Durango, Hull, England; schr Village Belle, New York.

Sydney, Aug. 28.—Cld str Cacouna, St. John, N. B.

Walton, Aug. 25.—Ard stmr Francis, Stabell, New York.

## BRITISH PORTS.

Liverpool, Aug. 28—Ard str Empress of Ireland, Quebec.

Swansea, Aug. 26.—Sld str Carrigan Head, Hoy, Montreal.

Preston, Aug. 13.—Ard off, bqe Taara ,Shediac.

## FOREIGN PORTS.

Delaware Breakwater—Sld Aug 28, stmr Glenesk, Newcastle.

Philadelphia—Sld Aug 28, stmr Heronspool, Pugwash, NS.

Antwerp — Ard Aug 28, str Mount Temple, Montreal.

New York—Ard Aug 28, schs Harry Miller, Restigouche; F C Lockhart, Ingramsport; J Manchester Haynes, do; Julia A Drube, St John.

Sld 28th, schrs Edward Stewart, Greta, St John; Calvin P Harris, Calais; Henry H Chamberlain, Fredericton, NB; stmr Elg, Amherst.

Cld 27th, sch Edward Stewart, Dobbin, St John, NB; barge Canada, Cochran, Windsor.

Gloucester—Ard Aug 27, schs James Malloy, Dorchester, NB, for New York; Mildred H Cochran, River Hebert, NS, for do.

New London—Sld Aug 28, schs Pesaquid, Sackville, NB; Hattie Barbour, bound east; James Young, do.

Portsmouth—Ard Aug 27, sch Walter Miller, St John, NB, for Boston.

### RECEIVED NEW SPAR.

The tern schooner Fleetly, with new spar installed, will shortly set sail from Halifax for the Eastern shore, where she will load lumber for New York. The Fleetly is commanded by Frederick Smith, formerly mate of the vessel, but now in charge, owing to the illness of Captain Creaser.

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|---|---|---|
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| ——— | Manchester Civilian | Oct. 4 |
| Oct. 23 | Manchester Exchange | Oct. 27 |

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|---|---|---|
| July 24 | Kanawha | Aug. 9 |
| Aug. 8 | Shenandoah | Aug. 26 |
| Aug. 22 | Rappahannock | Sept. 6 |
| Sept. 5 | Kanawha | Sept. 23 |

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## IMPERIAL NATURALIZATION.

After negotiations which have extended over a lengthy period, an agreement has been reached between the British and Canadian Governments approving the latest draft of the proposed bill creating a uniform Imperial naturalization. This bill will be passed by the British Parliament next session and in all probability concurrent legislation whereby this Dominion will adhere to it will be passed by the Canadian House. The same course will be followed by the other dominions. Under this legislation an alien naturalized in one part of the Empire will become a citizen of the Empire, not merely a citizen of the Dominion in which he has taken out his naturalization papers.

The power of locally naturalizing aliens upon its own terms belongs to each of the dominions. The Parliament at Ottawa is as competent to make a foreigner a British subject within the bounds of Canada as the Parliament at London is to make a foreigner a British subject within the United Kingdom. But, as the situation is at present, the Canadian naturalized citizen has no standing as a British subject outside of Canada. If, for example, he should be molested in a foreign country, he is not on a footing to appeal for protection to the British ambassador or agent in the country of his misadventure. If he were a citizen of the United States before he became naturalized he remains an American citizen when abroad, although a British subject when in Canada. A citizen of Canada born in Canada, or in any part of the British Empire, is a British subject wherever he goes. But a naturalized Canadian is treated from the standpoint of his original allegiance even in another dominion of the Empire.

The Imperial Naturalization law, which it is proposed to enact, will in no way restrict the powers the several dominions have in the matter of local naturalization. They will be free, as in the past, to fix their own period of probation and prescribe their own tests. But they will be enabled to give additional rights to the people they naturalize. They will be in a position to confer on them not only local, but also imperial citizenship.

As the law now stands in the United Kingdom an alien to be naturalized must spend five years there, irrespective of how long a time he spends elsewhere in the Empire. The bill prepared by the British Government to amend this law will provide that an alien can be naturalized in the United Kingdom after five years' residence in the Empire, the last year of which must be spent in the United Kingdom. If he spends five years in Canada and then is naturalized in Canada he will be regarded as naturalized in the United Kingdom.

Similar bills will be introduced into the several Parliaments of the dominion. Thus in Canada, where a three-year period of probation is required before naturalization, it will be enacted that any foreign-born resident who has lived five years in any part of the Empire may receive a certificate of Imperial citizenship. Thus a foreigner who has become a citizen of Canada after three years' residence here will be able to obtain from the Dominion Government papers of naturalization as an Imperial citizen two years later, if he has spent that additional time within the Empire. This act, when passed at Ottawa, will overcome the much discussed and often times embarrassing condition of things whereby neither a Canadian naturalized subject going to Great Britain nor a British naturalized subject coming to Canada can acquire, by reason of such naturalization, the full status and rights of Imperial citizenship. No matter how short the period of probation may be for citizenship in any dominion, there must be five years of residence somewhere in the Empire before an alien-born inhabitant of that dominion can get from its Government a certificate of Imperial citizenship.

## A RAILWAY SAFETY MOVEMENT.

That there is a greater degree of safety in railway travel in Great Britain than in Canada has often been the subject of comment. There is plenty of scope in Canadian railroading for safety movements such as the Grand Trunk is putting into effect. In the year to June 30, 1912, the fatalities were 568, of which 47 were to passengers, 215 to employes, and 235 to trespassers. Minor accidents numbered 3,780, of which 485 were to passengers and 1,606 to employes. A certain proportion of these could have been prevented by co-operation between the employes and the company executives in removing the small defects in equipment so often going unheeded, and by the general observance of "Safety First" rules. The experience of large systems in the United States has been that the organization of safety movements, enlisting the interest of employes in a practical and helpful manner, has reduced accidents about one-third. Recently one large American railroad reported that in seven months the safety movement it commenced lessened the number of accidents 36 per cent.

"Safety First" is the designation applied to the new department, organized by the Grand Trunk Railway. The commendable object in view is the prevention of injuries to the travelling public and damage to property, the determination being to reduce the personal injury record to the lowest possible point and to make the railway referred to a safe road to work for and to patronize. With these purposes in view, engineers of the "Safety First" organization will inspect all lines, terminals and shops, confer with officials and hold illustrated lectures showing unsafe conditions and practices responsible for injuries, and how to correct and avoid them.

Considering the difference in density of traffic, the Canadian railroads have a much heavier accident toll than the railways of Britain or Germany. The British railways carry thirty times as many passengers as the Canadian railways, over a railway mileage about 7,000 miles less. Yet in two years they had the proud record of not killing a single passenger in train accidents. In 1910 the total killed on the railways, including trespassers and suicides, was 1,159, and the total number injured 32,258. That is to say, with a passenger traffic thirty times as great as the Canadian railways have, they killed only twice as many persons, and injured only ten times as many. The average passenger journey in Britain is only eight miles, making the traffic almost suburban, and therefore safer, but no railroad man is likely to dispute the higher efficiency of the British system in protecting employes and public. The number of passengers carried on the German railways is about thirty-three times as great as the number carried in Canada, yet the fatalities are only twice as many and the injured are actually fewer. It should be explained that the German Government distinguishes between deserved and undeserved accidents, recording only the latter. Comparisons of this nature, being a question of statistics, leave room for much technical argument, but, broadly speaking, they indicate that Canadian railroads are less advanced in precautions for safety. The inauguration of a "Safety Movement" by the Grand Trunk is, therefore, a movement of real progress, and American examples would seem to assure its success.

## A STAMPING MACHINE.

It was in 1840, mainly through the efforts of Sir Rowland Hill, that the adhesive postage stamp was first issued to provide a means of prepayment, and it is today undoubtedly a device of great utility, but when a large number of letters or papers are to be stamped, the work of moistening separating, and affixing the stamps takes a good deal of time. If a stamping machine could be devised to print a device on the letter instead of affixing an adhesive stamp, it would undoubtedly be more convenient and rapid. This, it appears, is what has been done in New Zealand, and the official stamping machines, provided by the postal department, and rented to the public, are said to be satisfactory in use. This machine records the amount stamped, and payment is made to a collector, who calls at intervals. It gives impressions of a half penny, one penny, three pence, six pence and one shilling, and as each impression is made its value is automatically recorded on a set of dials at the top of the machine. As a precaution against fraud, the machines are turned out from the workshops with only one means of opening them, and that is by a patent lock, the key of which is handed to the postal authorities after the machine has been exhaustively tested. There are no screws that will give admission to the interior, and, therefore, the mechanism cannot be tampered with. For large concerns such postage stamp machines would seem to be an immense convenience, and it appears likely that other countries besides New Zealand will, before long, be providing them for the use of business houses with extensive correspondence.

### A Good Sign.

(Montreal Gazette.)

Comment is made in London on the increase in beer drinking in the restaurants of the city. Accompanying the change there is noted a decline in the use of spirits. The reason given is that many people find that while drinking spirits and water they take more alcohol than they think is well for them. The sign is good on the whole. In these days a man is expected to be temperate in his indulgences and seems to live up to expectations.

## DIARY OF EVENTS

### HISTORIC DAYS IN CANADA

#### BARON D'AVAUGOUR.

On this date in the year 1661 Baron D'Avaugour assumed the office of governor of Canada. He arrived at a time when the fortunes of New France were at the lowest ebb. The French were confined to Quebec and Montreal, or Ville Marie, which had been founded about twenty years before DA'vaugour's arrival. The savages hung like a cloud around the cities. Every tree seemed to conceal a painted warrior and every path through the forest led to almost certain death. Only the strongest of armed bands dared to issue forth from the towns. The rivers were crowned with Iroquois canoes, and were as unsafe for transportation as the land. The war whoops of the merciless enemy resounded in all directions, and the Hurons were wiped out, only a few escaping to Quebec or Montreal. The nuns and priests were forced to discontinue their labors and seek protection in the cities. Those who could escape sailed away to France, and D'Argenson, the governor, demanded his recall.

In 1660 the Iroquois decided to administer the final blow, and the greatest army in savage history gathered to swoop down upon Ville Marie, and only the heroism of Daulac des Ormeaux and his sixteen gallant companions, whose tragic stand against the Iroquois host has been justly likened to Thermopylae, saved the little city from destruction. The new governor, upon his arrival, faced the crisis, but the bravery of Daulac was not without its effect on the Indians, and D'Avaugour and his successor, the bold De Courcelles, saved the tottering colony from utter ruin. The Indian army fell apart and the redskins retired to their lodges, while the worn and weary settlements for a time enjoyed comparative peace.

### THE HUMAN PROCESSION

#### THE EMPEROR OF JAPAN.

Moshihito, Emperor of Japan, will be the recipient of birthday congratulations on Sunday. The youthful Mikado who rules over the destinies of old Nippon will pass his thirty-fourth milestone, having been born at Kioto on August 31, 1879. One of the first official acts of his reign, which began a year and a month ago, was to announce to the representatives of the foreign powers that the imperial birthday had been changed from the third of November, Mutsuhito's natal day, to the last day of August.

The new Mikado does not appear to have been entirely successful in winning the same place in the affections of his subjects as was held by his father. Mutsuhito's reign will be memorable as marking the change from the old to the new Japan. Progressive as he was, however, the late Emperor adhered to most of the old customs, and did not shock the sensibilities of the elder statesmen and the conservatives. Moshihito has not been so diplomatic. He is thoroughly occidental, and unwilling to make any concessions to old-fashioned notions.

Emperor Yoshihito married the Princess Sadako in 1900 and his son and heir, Prince Hirohito was born in the following year. The Emperor is surrounded by advisers as modern as himself, but the elder statesmen, still a power in the land, are apparently growing more and more antagonistic. Mutsuhiro was a very prince of diplomats in pursuing modern methods while seeming to cherish everything ancient. Yoshihito's training was strictly along present-day lines, and he seems to lack the tact that enabled his father to placate the elder statesmen. A few months ago it was necessary to call out the troops to assist the civil authorities in guarding the imperial family.

### THE PASSING DAY

#### SPANIARDS HONOR WELLINGTON.

One hundred years ago tomorrow, on August 31, 1813, the Spanish city of San Sebastion fell before the onslaughts of the English, Spanish and Portuguese allies under Wellington. The centenary will be celebrated on Sunday in the little seaport city, which occupies a narrow isthmus on the Bay of Biscay, 400 miles north of Madrid, not far distant from the French frontier.

Wellington, at the head of the allies, had commenced his Spanish campaign by taking Ciudad Rodrigo. In April he stormed Badaojz, and in July he defeated Marmont at Salamanca. A little later in 1812 he occupied Madrid, and in June of 1813 he totally defeated the French at Vittoria. Late in July he was victorious over Soult in the Pyrenees.

In August Soult collected his troops in a position, the right of which rested on the sea, with the Bidassoa river in front, while the center and left extended across several ridges of hills toward St. Jean de Luz. San Sebastian, besieged by Wellington, was hard pressed, and Soult concentrated his attention on raising the siege. Soult's plan was that Reille should take San Marcial, but Wellington was informed of the French intentions, and dispatched Freyre's Spaniards to occupy the ridges of San Marcial, with a British division standing as a reserve.

On the morning of August 31st Reille's troops forded the Bidassoa, and carried the first ridge of San Marcial with a rush, but later broke in disorder, and were driven back to the river by the Spaniards. A second attempt resulted in another repulse, and Soult drew Reille's force back across the river.

Immediately after the failure of Soult's attempt at relief the allies took San Sebastian by storm, and occupied the city, although the citadel held out for several days longer. In October Wellington entered France.

San Sebastian, in celebrating the centenary of its deliverance from the Napoleonic yoke, will honor Wellington as its savior. And well it may. To quote Napier: "The English general, emerging from the chaos of the peninsular struggle, stood on the summit of the Pyrenees, a recognized conqueror. From these lofty pinnacles the clangor of his trumpets pealed clear and loud, and the splendor of his genius appeared as a flaming beacon to the warring nations."

## OPHELIA'S SLATE

## IN LIGHTER VEIN

### All Alone.

The amenities of political campaigning are amusingly illustrated by a story told by a southern congressman.

It appears that during the course of a stump speech delivered some years ago by John Sharp Williams in Mississippi he was interrupted by a sudden yell from a man in the audience.

"I have been robbed by pickpockets!"

"I didn't know that there were any Republicans present," promptly suggested Mr. Williams, in order to get a laugh.

"O, there ain't; there ain't!" roared the unhappy man. "I'm the only one!"—Lippincott's.

### He Received Orders Direct.

Murphy was a new cavalry recruit, and was given one of the worst horses in the troop.

"Remember," said the sergeant, "no one is allowed to dismount without orders."

Murphy was no sooner in the saddle than the horse kicked and Murphy went over his head.

"Murphy," yelled the sergeant, when he discovered him lying breathless on the ground, "you dismounted."

"I did."

"From headquarters?"

"No, sor; from hindquarthers."—Judge.

### The Fan.

He said the umpire was a thief,
And heaped abuse upon his name.
What is the cause of all his grief?
His home team lost a game.
Today he says the "ump" is great—
The very best beneath the sun.
Why such a sudden change of state?
Today his home team won!

### In a Way.

"Are you acquainted with Mrs. Hifly, your fashionable neighbor?"

"Only in a roundabout way. Her cat boards at my house."

### Can't Buy Those.

"I suppose your neighbors, the Newrichs, have the best of everything."

"Yes, except manners."

### Helpful.

"These magazines are so helpful."

"What's the latest?"

"Here in the home hints they tell you how to make a lovely suffragette bomb out of an old tomato can."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

### About an Even Thing.

Mrs. Snobb—We never think of going to the Robinsons' parties, though they always invite us.

Miss Keen—I've heard that that's the reason they give for inviting you.

### Rejected.

He—Be mine and you will make me the happiest man in the world.

She—I'm very sorry; but unfortunately I want to be happy myself.

### An Oversight.

"My home for cats is not a success. I have provided good food, nice sleeping quarters and yet the cats are not happy."

"You are shy on amusement features, old man. You haven't provided any back fence."—Louisville Courier.


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### ALFRED L. BELYEA IS AWARDED CONTRACT.

Ottawa, Aug. 28.—The contract for the erection of the fish hatchery at Little River, St. John, and buildings in connection with the hatchery, has been awarded to Alfred L. Belyea, of St. John, who was the lowest tenderer, the price being $8,311.

# FAIR SUPPLY IN THE COUNTRY MARKET TODAY

In the country market, today, will be found a fairly large supply of produce, but the quantity for disposal is somewhat limited on account of the haying season, which has prevented a large number of the farmers from coming into town. Meat still ranges a little high, while the vegetable market is becoming better stocked, and consequently a noticeable drop in the price has been effected in this line of commodity during the past week. While the variety of the offerings in the meat market is small, the supply of the meats on hand is quite large and sufficient to meet the demand.

The following are the quotations for today: Roast beef, 12 to 22 cents; steak, 18 to 25 cents; lamb, 12 to 17 cents; crops, 16 to 22 cents; veal, 10 to 16 cents; pork, 18 to 20 cents; corned beef, 12 cents a pound. Chicken are selling at $1 to $1.50 a pair and fowl are bringing from $1.25 to $1.50.

Butter is selling from 27 to 30 cents a pound, and eggs are selling for 28 and 30 cents a dozen.

In the vegetable market the following prices prevail: Corn, 20 to 25 cents a dozen; squash, 3 to 4 cents a pound; tomatoes, 10 cents a pound; beets and carrots, 5 cents a bunch; peas and beans, 40 to 50 cents a peck; cucumbers, 2 cents each; potatoes, 20 to 25 cents a peck, and turnips, 25 cents.

## PERSONAL.

Edward J. Britt, of the Boston Globe Advertising Department, with his wife are in the city on a visit.

Miss Jessie Cossaboom of Digby, is spending a few weeks with Mrs. Fred J. Newcomb, Celebration street.

Robert Laskey of the National Drug Co., of this city, and Wm. W. Laskey, of Fredericton, are attending the National Exhibition in Toronto.

Miss Mamy Kilpatrick, of Newark, N. J., left this morning on the steamer Governor Dingley. She has been the guest of Mrs. Frederick Watson, Cannon street, for the past two weeks.

Mrs J. B. Thompson and Miss A. L. Coleman will leave for New York Tuesday, Sept. 2. Miss Coleman intends spending the winter with her sister, Mrs. J. B. Thompson, Morris Heights, New York city.

Capt. Frederick Rouse, of San Francisco, arrived in the city on Monday last and is the guest of his sister, Mrs. J. T. Hazlewood, West Side.

## FUNERAL.

The funeral of Charles Bradley took place at 8.45 o'clock yesterday morning from his residence, 126 Main street to St Peter's church, where solemn High Mass of Requiem was celebrated by the Rev. S. Grogan, C. SS. R., with the Rev. E. Walsh, C. SS. R., as deacon and the Rev. J. O'Regan, C. S. R., as sub-deacon. Interment was at the new Catholic cemetery and relatives acted as pall-bearers. The funeral was one of the most representative that ever took place in the North End, men of all walks of life being represented. Many floral bouquets were sent.

The body of Charles Maysfield, who died in the General Public Hospital Thursday, was taken to Gondola Point yesterday for burial. Services there were conducted by Rev. A. W. Daniel.

### John Boden.

(Brooklyn Eagle, Aug 27.)

Several hundred persons, many of them sporting writers and newspaper men, attended the funeral of John Boden, at St. Saviour's church, Eighth avenue and Sixth street, today. The body was brought to the Boden home, at 465 Ninth street, from Spring Valley, N. Y., where Mr. Boden died on Sunday. The Rev. J. J. Smith, of Baltimore, Md., was the celebrant at a solemn High Requiem Mass which was sung at the funeral services. Father Buckley acted as deacon, with Father Moran as sub-deacon. The eulogy was delivered by the Rev James J. Flood, pastor of the church.

Some of those who were in attendance at the funeral today were John A. Hennessy, Frank J. Bryan, Joseph Potter, M. J. Boyle, Wilton C. Percey, John Furey, William Kelcher, John William Schmidt, R. McNamara, Colonel 5dward M. O'Brien, William O. Mclnerney, Henry O'Leary, H. O'Neill, Joseph McGinn, Hugh Logan, William Vreeland, Frederick Moran, Colonel James D. Bell, Michael E. Butler and W Stebbins.

# SCHOOL INSPECTORS HELD CONFERENCE

## Educational Officials Met Dr. W. S. Carter in Fredericton, Yesterday, to Discuss Matters of Importance.

Special to The Standard.

Fredericton, Aug. 29.—The conference of the school inspectors with the Chief Superintendent of Education, which concluded here this morning, was declared by Dr. W. S. Carter this evening to have been one of the best ever held.

Inspector Steeves, the director of agricultural education, gave an address on the work which is to be published and issued as the first of a series of bulletins.

At this afternoon's session Director of Manual Training J. E. Peacock, gave an address which included a resume of the recent meeting of the Educational Association at Ottawa, which he and Dr. Carter attended, and explained the report and recommendations of the commission on technical education.

NERVOUS CHILDREN

Are Often in the Early Stages of St. Vitus Dance.

They Need a Tonic to Strengthen the Weak Nerves and Restore Them to Natural Health.

Many a child has been called awkward, has been punished in school for not keeping still, or for dropping things, when the child is not really at fault, as the trouble is really St. Vitus dance in its earlier stages. So common is this nervous disease in childhood that in some schools one-fifth of all the pupils have been found suffering from it in one form or another. Before the presence of the disease is betrayed there is usually a disturbance of the general health. The child shows listlessness and inattention. Then it becomes restless, and twitching of the muscles and jerking of the limbs and body follow. A remedy that cures St. Vitus dance and cures it so thoroughly that no trace of the disease remains is Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, which make the new blood necessary to feed the starving nerves and gives them the nourishment they demand.

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Sold by all medicine dealers or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for $2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

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# SWEDEN PROTESTS AGAINST ACTION OF UNITED STATES

## Interpretation is Not in Harmony With that Country's Friendliness Toward Panama-Pacific Exposition.

Stockholm, Aug. 28.—The Swedish government today instructed its minister at Washington, W. A. F. Ekengren, to protest to the United States government against the customs interpretation, which declares that Swedish wood pulp is entitled to free entry into the United States only when shipped in Swedish bottoms.

The newspapers here comment on the customs decision as not being in harmony with Sweden's friendliness toward the Panama-Pacific exposition at San Francisco.

## WEDDINGS.

### Hawkes-Steeves.

Hopewell Hill, Aug. 28.—A pretty home wedding took place at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Eben Steeves, Hopewell Hill, on Wednesday evening, August 27th, at 9 o'clock, when Gertrude Mabel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Steeves, of Dawson Settlement, became the bride of Alexander Hawkes, of Curryville. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Thomas Stebbings.

The bride was becomingly dressed in a white embroidered gown and carried a bouquet of white sweet peas. She was attended by Miss Amelia Hawkes, sister of the groom, the latter being supported by his brother, William. After the ceremony and congratulations refreshments were served to a number of invited guests. Many useful presents were received by the young couple.

### WEDDING AT MOUNTAIN DALE.

The home of Mrs. Hanford Snider, Mountain Dale was the scene of a very pretty wedding when their second daughter, Bessie E. Ganong, was united in marriage to Russel Reade, of Amherst, N. S. The bride entered the parlor leaning on the arm of her brother, A. T. Ganong, to the strains of Lohengrin's wedding march rendered by Miss Eva Gregg. The bride was becomingly attired in white satin draped with white ninon and lace and caught up with orange blossoms. She wore a bridal veil and orange wreath and carried a bridal and maiden hair fern. Miss Florence Northrup, of Carsonville, acted as bridesmaid, while the groom was ably supported by his brother, Frank Reade, of Sackville. The bridesmaid's dress was of white marquisette with lace trimmings. The bridal party looked charming under an arch of evergreens with cut flowers and potted plants while Rev. J. S. Rowley performed the ceremony at 4 p. m. After the ceremony the invited guests who were about sixty in number, partook of a very dainty repast in the dining room which had been tastefully decorated for the occasion. Those attending from outside points were Mrs. E. O. Reade, mother of the groom, Mr. E. J. Cook, of Grand Harbor; Mrs. J. McDonald and son, A. J., of Moncton. The happy young couple received many valuable and useful presents showing the high esteem in which they were held by their many friends. After luncheon the newly wedded couple left for a tour. On their return they will reside in Amherst, N. S. All join in wishing them a long and happy life of wedded bliss.

# OLD OAKEN BUCKET IS ROMANTIC, BUT---

## Health Authorities Believe Many Cases of Typhoid Fever Originate in Country wells--Public Warned

From what information can be gathered, it is learned that typhoid fever which presents itself most frequently throughout the summer months, but during the present summer has been more prevalent in this city than for some time, can be traced to the pleasure seekers who are in the habit of spending the week-ends in the country, or whose vacation prompts them to "rough it" in the enticing summer abodes.

Inquiries at the local Board of Health office yesterday afternoon elicited the information that of the many cases of typhoid reported in the city this year, fully eighty per cent. are believed to have had their origin in the country homes, and in this way spread throughout the city.

It is from the well with the old oaken bucket that causes the spread of this disease. The moss covered bucket may have an attractive and romantic appearance to the visitor to the country, but the water which is dipped from the well is impure, and medical authority has it, that from drinking the water from the country well bucket the visitor to the alluring homestead contracts the contagious disease.

To a reporter yesterday Dr. Melvin, local health inspector, stated that during the past week there was a marked decrease in the number of cases of typhoid fever in the city. The disease, he said, in the majority of cases, did not have its origin in the city, but in eight out of every ten cases reported it was contracted in the country from the impure water, and brought into the city. This, he said, was the source to which the fever could be traced.

Similar statements have been given out by health authorities in Upper Canadian cities. There, too, the number of cases of typhoid is a great increase over other years, and precaution is being taken to prevent its further spread through this source, particularly in Montreal and vicinity.

By advising the public of the danger it is hoped in this way to cut down the spread of the disease. The country is generally considered healthy, but in this respect at least it has a bad effect on the human system.

## IN THE COURTS

### CHANCERY DIVISION.

Argument in the case of Hugh Lawrence et al vs. Mary V. Lawrence was heard yesterday morning before Chief Justice Barker. The case involves the construction of the will of John A. McC. Lawrence, who after making certain specific bequests, bequeathed the residue of his estate to James Myles and his wife, Mary V. Lawrence, directing that it should form a fund "to be used for benevolent purposes any way they may see fit." The amount of the residue of the estate is about $10,000. M. G. Teed, K.C., and J. Roy Campbell argued the case for the plaintiff, and H. A. Powell, K.C., and J. King Kelley, K.C., argued the case for the defendants.

It was admitted that the bequest must fail for uncertainty but the testacy of the deceased was disputed, the plaintiffs contending that the amount so devised should go to the next of kin and the defendants that it should form part of the residuary estate and the trustees, being the residuary legatees, the amount should go to them. Judgment was reserved.

# WEDDED IN ANDOVER

## Miss Bessie A. Curry, of Andover, Becomes Bride of Rev. Arthur Ross, of Dawson City.

Andover, N. B., August 28.—A very pretty wedding was solemnized in the Presbyterian church, on Wednesday, the 27th, at high noon, when Miss Bessie A. Curry, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Curry, became the bride of Rev. Arthur Ross, of Dawson City, Yukon.

The bride entered the church to the strains of Lohengrin's bridal chorus, looking very lovely in a gown of ivory satin, with veil, arranged with orange blossoms, and carrying an immense bouquet of bride's roses, and was preceded by her sister, Miss Janet Curry, as bridesmaid, wearing a charming gown of blue silk, with black picture hat, trimmed with touches of blue and a yellow and blue shaded plume and carrying a large bouquet of yellow roses, and was given in marriage by her father. The groom was attended by C. H. Elliott, and Rev. Gordon Pringle performed the ceremony, which was made doubly impressive by the sweet strains of Dvorak's "Humoreske." At the conclusion of the ceremony the bridal party left the church to the inspiring music of Mendelssohn's wedding march. The church was beautifully decorated with golden glow and green by friends of the contracting parties. The guests were ushered by Messrs. David Wiley, Wilmot Curry, Robert Curry and Mr. Magner.

After the ceremony about sixty guests repaired to the home of the bride's parents, where they showered congratulations on the happy couple. At 1 o'clock a sumptuous luncheon was served by Messrs. Jessie Walker, Rema Evans, Bessie Lawson, Pearl Waite and Gertrude Tibbits, assisted by the ushers. The house was gaily decorated with cut flowers and white ribbons. The bride's mother was in taupe satin with touches of mauve, and hat to match. Miss Curry wore a handsome dress of white silk with lace trimmings, and picture hat of Saxe blue plush with plumes.

The groom's gift to the bride was a ring set with emeralds and diamonds; to the bridesmaid, a brooch of Yukon gold; to the ushers, pearl tie pins, and to the organist, Miss Pearl Waite, a brooch of Yukon gold.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross left on the afternoon train for a short trip to Nova Scotia and Cape Breton, and will return for a few days before starting on their long trip to Dawson City. The large number of costly gifts gave evidence of the popularity of the bride and groom.

There were many out-of-town guests among them being Mr. John Anderson, grandfather of the bride, of The Barony, who is hale and hearty, although in his 92nd year.

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## OBITUARY.

### Edward McCarrick.

Edward McCarrick died yesterday at the Misericordiae Home in the 75th year of his age. He was an old and respected citizen of Golden Grove and his funeral will take place this afternoon at 2.30 o'clock and interment will be at Golden Grove.

### Police Find Watch.

A watch found in the warehouse of the Crystal S. S. Co., awaits an owner at the North End police station. The case bears the number 6960025.

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# MARKET QUOTATIONS ON STOCKS AND BONDS

## DAY'S SALES ON MONTREAL MARKET

(F. B. McCURDY & CO.)

**Morning Sales.**

Cement, 25 @ 32.
Canada Cotton, 25 @ 38.
Canada Cotton Pfd., 10 @ 77.
Cement Pfd., 15 @ 92 1-2.
Crown Reserve, 100 @ 166, 600 @ 170, 150 @ 167.
Canada Car, 10 @ 70.
C. P. R., Xd. 2 1-2 per cent. 50 @ 218 1-2.
Toronto Railway, 5 @ 139 1-2.
Canners, 25 @ 68 7-8.
Detroit, 30 @ 70 1-2.
Textile Com., 125 @ 85.
Dominion Steel, 25 @ 49, 150 @ 49 1-4, 50 @ 49 1-2, 100 @ 49 3-4, 25 @ 49 7-8, 25 @ 49 7-8, 10 @ 49 3-4, 75 @ 50, 25 @ 49 78, 60 @ 50.
Dominion Iron Pfd., 3 @ 98 1-2.
Montreal Cotton Pfd., 10 @ 103.
Bank of Montreal, 2 @ 231 1-2.
Montreal Power, 50 @ 210 1-2, 90 @ 211.
Ames Com., 50 @ 15.
Ames Pfd., 96 @ 74.
N. S. Steel, 50 @ 78 1-4, 50 @ 78 1-2
Montreal Power Rights, 530 @ 9 3-4, 100 @ 9 5-8.
Steel Co. of Canada Com., 100 @ 22 3-4.
Pulp Rights, 116 @ 16, 3 @ 16 1-2.
Bank of N. S., 7 @ 255.
Ottawa Power, 25 @ 163.
Rich. and Ontario, 75 @ 107 1-2.
Mackay Com., 5 @ 83.
Mackay Pfd., 30 @ 67 1-2.
Bell Phone, 5 @ 150 new.
Brazilian, 75 @ 94, 75 @ 94 1-2, 75 @ 94, 50 @ 94 3-8, 25 @ 94 1-4, 50 @ 94 1-8.
Spanish Pfd., 5 @ 65.
Tucketts Tobacco, 28 @ 39 1-2.
Spanish iRver, 35 @ 19 1-2, 50 @ 19 3-4, 25 @ 19 7-8, 50 @ 19 1-2, 120 @ 20, 25 @ 20 1-4, 100 @ 20, 1 @ 20 3-4, 5 @ 20 1-4, 5 @ 19 3-4.
McDonald Com., 50 @ 27, 15 @ 27 1-2, 225 @ 28, 25 @ 28 1-8, 25 @ 28 1-4, 65 @ 28 1-2, 5 @ 28.
Cement Bonds, 2,000 @ 98.
Tram Debentures, 16,500 @ 7.
Quebec Bonds, 6,500 @ 44 1-2.
Merchants Bank, 57 @ 182.

**Afternoon Sales.**

Cement Com., 25 @ 2, 5 @ 1 31-2.
Canada Cotton Pfd., 5 @ 77.
Canners, 25 @ 68.
Montreal Power, 50 @ 2 11, 25 @ 211 1-4, 90 @ 2 11.
Dominion Bank, 2 @ 223 1-4.
Ames Pfd., 25 @ 73 3-4, 10 @ 74.
Montreal Tram, 1 @ 160.
Montreal Power Rights, 2 @ 9 1-2.
Penmans, 20 @ 53.
Bank of N. S., 2 @ 255.
Penman's Pfd., 25 @ 81 1-2.
Porto Rico, 15 @ 59.
Rich. and Ontario, 5 @ 107.
Brazilian, 35 @ 94, 25 @ 94 1-2.
Quebec Bank, 46 @ 122.
Spanish Pfd., 25 @ 69.
Spanish River Com., 35 @ 20, 275 @ 20 1-2, 25 @ 20 3-4, 75 @ 21, 25 @ 20 3-4, 25 @ 21, 25 @ 21 1-8, 50 @ 21 3-8, 25 @ 21 1-8, 50 @ 21.
Tram Debentures, 3,000 @ 77.
Quebec Bonds, 1,000 @ 44 1-2.
The Montreal Stock Exchange will be closed until Tuesday, September 2nd.

## MONTREAL UNLISTED SALES

(F. B. McCURDY & CO.)

**Morning.**

Coke—25 at 5.
Tram Power—25 at 35⅞; 105 at 35; 25 at 34¼.
W. C. Power—5 at 54.
Wyagamack Bonds—$1,000 at 75; $500 at 75½; $2,000 at 76; $10,000 at 76½.

**Afternoon.**

Porcupine—30 at 115.

**Close.**

Porcupine—115 to 120.
Asbestos Cor—9 asked.
Asbestos Pfd—21½ asked.
Asbestos Bonds—71 asked.
Belding Paul—25 asked.
B. C. Canners—35 to 36.
Mex. Nor. Power—7 bid.
Tram Power—34½ to 35.
Brick—47 to 50.
Brick Bonds—75 asked.
W. C. Power—53 to 54½.
Wyagamack—26 bid.
Wyagamack Bonds—76¾ to 78.

## MONTREAL STOCKS.

(F. B. McCURDY & CO.)

| | Asked | Bid |
|---|---|---|
| Canada Cement | 32 | 31⅞ |
| Canada Cement Pfd | 93 | 92½ |
| Canadian Pacific | 218⅝ | 218½ |
| Crown Reserve | 170 | 165 |
| Detroit United | 71 | 70½ |
| Dom. Steel | 50 | 49& |
| Dom. Steel Pfd | 99 | 98 |
| Dom. Textile | 86 | 85 |
| Laurentide | 160 | .. |
| Mexican L. and P. | .. | 63 |
| Minn. St. P. and Sault | 135 | 134 |
| Montreal Power | 211¼ | 211 |
| N. S. Steel | 78½ | 78 |
| Ogilvie Com. | 118 | 114¼ |
| Ottawa Power | 164 | 162 |
| Penman's Com. | 53⅝ | 53 |
| Richelieu and Ont | 107½ | 107¼ |
| Shawinigan | .. | 136 |
| Twin City | 107 | 106 |

## CHICAGO GRAIN AND PRODUCE MARKETS

(J. C. MACKINTOSH & CO.)

| | High. | Low. | Close. |
|---|---|---|---|
| **Wheat.** | | | |
| Sept | 86 | 85⅝ | 85⅝ |
| Dec | 89¾ | 88⅞ | 89⅛ |
| May | 94⅜ | 93¾ | 93⅞ |
| **Corn.** | | | |
| Sept | 72⅞ | 71¾ | 72½ |
| Dec | 68⅞ | 68 | 68⅝ |
| May | 70 | 69⅛ | 69¾ |
| **Oats.** | | | |
| Sept | 40½ | 39⅞ | 40⅜ |
| Dec | 43⅝ | 43 | 43⅜ |
| May | 46½ | 45⅞ | 46½ |
| **Pork.** | | | |
| Sept | 12.25 | 21.00 | 21.25 |
| Jan | 19.60 | 55 | 60 |

## CURRENT PRICES OF NEW YORK EXCHANGE

(J. C. MACKINTOSH & CO.)

| | Previous | High | Low | Close |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Am Cop | 75¾ | 76½ | 75¾ | 76 |
| Am Beet Sug | 27¼ | 26¾ | 26¾ | 26¾ |
| Am Car and F | 46¼ | 46½ | 46½ | 46½ |
| Am Can | 35¼ | 35⅝ | 35 | 35¼ |
| Am Can | 35¼ | 35⅝ | 35 | 35¼ |
| Am Can Pfd | 96⅝ | 98 | 97 | 98 |
| Am Cot Oil | 44 | .. | .. | .. |
| Am Loco | 36 | 36 | 35½ | 36 |
| A Sm & Rf xd | 68⅛ | 69½ | 67⅝ | 68⅞ |
| Am T and T | .. | 130¾ | 130⅝ | 130¾ |
| Am Sug | 110⅞ | .. | .. | .. |
| An Cop | 37½ | 37¾ | 37⅝ | 37¾ |
| Atchison | 96½ | 96½ | 96¼ | 96⅜ |
| Balt and Ohio | 96¼ | 97 | 96¾ | 97 |
| B R T | 89⅝ | 89¾ | 89⅝ | 89⅝ |
| C P R xd | 221 | 219 | 218½ | 217½ |
| Ches and Ohio | 60 | 59⅞ | 59⅝ | 59⅝ |
| Chic and St P | 107½ | 107½ | 106⅞ | 107½ |
| Chic and N W | 130¾ | 131 | 130⅞ | 131 |
| Col Fuel and I | 32 | 33 | 32¼ | 32⅞ |
| Chino Cop | 41⅜ | 41⅝ | 41⅜ | 41½ |
| Con Gas | 132 | 132 | 132 | 132 |
| Erie | 29⅛ | 29⅛ | 29⅛ | 29⅛ |
| Erie, 1st Pfd | .. | 47¼ | 47¼ | 47¼ |
| Gen Elec xd | 146 | 144 | 144 | 144 |
| Gr Nor Pfd | 128 | 127⅝ | 127⅜ | 127⅜ |
| Gr Nor Ore | 35 | 35⅜ | 35¼ | 35⅜ |
| Ill Cent | 108¾ | 108⅝ | 108⅝ | 108⅝ |
| Int Met | 16½ | 16¾ | 16½ | 16½ |
| Louis and Nh | 135½ | 136 | 136 | 136 |
| Lehigh Val | 155¾ | 156⅞ | 156 | 156 |
| Nevada Con | 16⅛ | 16¼ | 16⅛ | 16¼ |
| Kans City So | 25¾ | .. | .. | .. |
| Miss K and Tx | 23 | .. | .. | .. |
| Miss Pac | 31⅜ | 31⅛ | 30 | 30⅜ |
| Nat Lead | .. | 50 | 50 | 50 |
| N Y Cent | 98 | 97⅞ | 97 | 97⅛ |
| N Y Ot and W | .. | 29⅞ | 29⅞ | 29⅞ |
| Nor Pac | 113 | 113¼ | 112½ | 112½ |
| Nor and W xd | 106½ | 105 | 105 | 105 |
| New Haven | 93½ | 93½ | 93 | 93⅛ |
| Penn | 113⅛ | 113⅛ | 113 | 113⅛ |
| People's Gas | 118½ | 118 | 117 | 117 |
| Pr Steel Car | .. | 25⅛ | 25 | 25⅛ |
| Reading | 162⅝ | 163⅞ | 162¾ | 163 |
| Rep Ir and Stl | .. | 25 | 24½ | 24½ |
| Rock Isld | 18 | 18 | 18 | 18 |
| Sloss-Sheffield | .. | 31 | 30½ | 31 |
| So Pac xd | 91¼ | 90½ | 89¾ | 89⅞ |
| Soo | 134⅞ | 134¾ | 134¾ | 134¾ |
| Sou Ry | 25 | .. | .. | .. |
| Utah Cop | 52⅞ | 53¼ | 52¾ | 53⅛ |
| Un Pac | 155⅛ | 155⅝ | 154⅝ | 154⅞ |
| U S Rub | 62⅜ | 62¼ | 61½ | 61½ |
| U S Steel | 64⅞ | 65⅞ | 65 | 65⅜ |
| U S Steel Pfd | 108⅜ | .. | .. | .. |
| Virginia Chem | 27⅝ | 28 | 28 | 28 |
| West Union | 69 | 68 | 68 | 68 |
| Westing Elec | 73½ | 73⅜ | 73 | 73 |

Total sales—293,400 shares.
Market closed until Tuesday, Sept. 2nd.

## NEWS SUMMARY AFFECTING MARKET

(F. B. McCURDY & CO.)

New York, Aug. 29.—The foreign stock markets are dull but show a better tone. The Bank of England's reserve is at the highest point in seventeen years. There is little likelihood of an advance in the bank rate this fall. In London the price of copper metal has advanced and improvement is shown in other European markets. The fortnightly settlement passed off quietly. Our own bank statement tomorrow will be unfavorable according to prominent indications. The street will look forward to the statement with much interest. Wilson authorizes the return of John Lind to Mexico City. The Journal of Commerce says the condition of cotton to be 71.4 against 81.1 last month and 75.4 a year ago, ten year average 73.5 per cent. Information channels favor a trading position.

A continuation of the improving tendencies in the general list with a further replacing of stocks as a result of the better international outlook may be seen today. We would look for good buying opportunities with the intention to hold for substantial profits.

NEW YORK FINANCIAL BUREAU.

## LONDON MARKET.

(F. B. McCURDY & CO.)

Opening—Atch 96¼; Bo 96½; CPR 218⅛; Co 59⅞; Erie 29 1-16; Kt 23⅜; Pa 113; Rg 162½; Sp 91 7-16; Ri 18; St 107¼; Up 154 7-16; Us 64 15-16; Acp 76⅛; Ar 66⅞; Braz 93½ to 94¾.


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## RECENT GAINS WELL HELD BUT MARKET WAS LESS BRISK

New York, August 29.—Speculation failed to maintain today the brisk pace set yesterday, although the recent gains were well held. In the absence of definite news from Mexico, and with no striking developments in any other quarter, incentive for active trading was lacking. The approach of a triple holiday tended still further to curtail dealings. Bears attempted to depress the list at the opening, but the market was too strong for them and prices advanced. With Smelting, Steel, and the Coalers in the lead, the highest prices of the present movement were reached. There was some increase in commission house business, although the principal demand apparently came from the shorts. Later in the day, owing to realizing sales and the weakness of a few stocks, the list moved slowly downward with increased heaviness toward the close, which in many cases eliminated the further gains. American Ice, which lost a part of its recent rise; Missouri Pacific, New York Central, and New Haven showed heaviness.

Sentiment remained hopeful, despite the failure of the market to continue on its upward course, and bullishly inclined traders maintained that the market was in a better position than it had been for some time. They pointed not only to the more optimistic view now taken of the Mexican situation, but to the passing of fears regarding monetary conditions during the crop-moving season. Improvement of the investment market is indicated not only by the broader demand for standard dividends paying shares, but in the ready absorption of recent bond and note offerings. Although no figures regarding subscriptions to Union Pacific holdings of Southern Pacific will be available until next week, the success of the offering was said today to be assured.

Known movements of currency for the week indicated a smaller cash loss for the banks than was expected, on account of gains fro mthe interior, cutting down the apparent loss to about $4,000,000. The bond market was irregular. Toledo, St. Louis & Western 4s rose five points and later lost the advance. Total sales, par value $1,417,000.

United States bonds were unchanged on call.

## STOCK NOTES OF NEW YORK MARKET

(F. B. McCURDY & CO.)

New York, Aug. 29.—A big trader expresses the view that there is considerable oplet investment buying in Union Pacific and U. S. Steel in connection with the fact that these stocks will soon sell ex dividend and representing a re-investment of September disbursements.

Active brokers are stated to have a favorable opinion of Smelters in view of the small floating supply and the indications that the investment of $50,000,000 in Mexico is at last to be freed from troublesome conditions and dangerous possibilities.

Foreign firms are understood to expect a liberal volume of buying orders from abroad during coming weeks to replace holdings of such stocks as Canadian Pacific, B. O. and the Copper shares which were freely liquidated during the Balkan disturbances.

Southern Railway July gross decrease $29,999; July net increase $160,085.

Missouri Pacific June operating revenue increase $256,591; June operating income increase $319,863.

Vera Cruz—Secrecy surrounds movements of special envoy Lind. Mr. Lind was still here this morning but refused to say whether or not he would go to Mexico City during the day to attempt to re-open negotiations with Mexican government.

FINANCIAL BUREAU.

## LONDON STOCK MARKET.

2 p. m.—Anc 37⅜; Acp 76¼; Atch 96⅜; Bo 96½; Co 59⅞; CPR 221; Den 20½; Dx 34; Erie 29; Ef 47⅛; Gnq 128; Ills 108; Kt 23⅜; Ln 136; Mop 31⅛; Nk 106⅝; Np 113; Cen 97¾; Ow 29⅞; Pa 113; Rg 162⅜; Ri 18; Sr 25⅛; Sj 79¾; Sp 91½; Ar 67¾; St 107⅜; Up 154⅝; Us 65⅛; Ux 108¼; Wz 12¾.

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"It takes nine tailors to make a man," quoted the Professor.

"One, however, can go a long way toward breaking a man," observed the friend who had ordered his fall clothing.—Buffalo Express.

## NOON LETTER ON NEW YORK STOCKS

(F. B. McCURDY & CO.)

New York, August 29.—The market opened generally strong in spite of the fact that there was some disappointment shown at the news that the Mexican situation was still far from settled. This caused some profit taking after the opening, under which prices made a few fractional recessions. The demand for stocks, however, seemed to be insistent all through the list, and after the first half hour prices slowly but steadily hardened, and before noon all the leading issues showed good net gains. The market was extremely quiet and orderly, and there was no effort on the part of the bulls to bid up prices. Steel, Reading, Lehigh and Southern Pacific were the leaders of the movement, while amongst the specialties the Interboro stocks showed pronounced strength, Missouri Pacific on the other hand exhibiting a heavy tone. There was hardly any trading in New Haven, although the interview made public by its new president seemed to foreshadow very plainly the passing of the dividend.

Sales to noon 192,000; bonds $531,000.

E. & C. RANDOLPH.

## EVANS ON STOCKS.

(F. B. McCURDY & CO.)

New York, Aug. 29.—The market showed a better tone and a more decided tendency yesterday than for a long while. The advance did not seem to be caused by a run-in of the shorts, but on the contrary there was apparently steady and persistent buying all through the list, and it looks to me as if the market had really started and that higher prices were coming. There is every indication that the great bulk of the Southern Pacific stock heretofore held in the Union Pacific treasury has been bought largely by bonafide investors, and that very little will be left for the syndicate. That such a large proportion of the $80,000,000 should have been taken in such a short space of time is a decidedly bullish argument.

H. K. EVANS.


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| | Asked. | Bid. |
|---|---|---|
| Adventure | 2 | 1½ |
| Allouez | 37 | 36½ |
| Arcadian | 1¾ | 1⅝ |
| Arizona Comml | 3 | 2 13-16 |
| Boston Corbin | 1⅛ | 1 |
| Cal and Ariz | 65½ | 65 |
| Cal and Hecla | 420 | 410 |
| Centennial | 14½ | 13½ |
| Copper Range | 40½ | 40 |
| East Butte | 12½ | 12 |
| Franklin | 5 | 4½ |
| Greene Cananea | 36 | 35¼ |
| Hancock | 18¼ | 18 |
| Helvetia | 45 | 25 |
| Indiana | 6 | 5½ |
| Inspiration | 15¾ | 15¼ |
| Isle Royale | 18¾ | 18½ |
| LaSalle Copper | 1½ | 7⅛ |
| Michigan | 1½ | 1⅛ |
| Miami | 23⅛ | 22⅞ |
| Mass Gas Cos Pfd | 16 | 14 |
| Mass Elec Cos | 7½ | 7 |
| Mass Elec Cos Pfd | 43¾ | 43½ |
| Mohawk | 9⅛ | 9 |
| Nipissing | 28⅝ | 28⅛ |
| Quincy | 61 | 60 |
| Shannon | 7 | 6¾ |
| Sup and Boston | 2¾ | 2½ |
| Sup and Pitts | 50 | 49¾ |
| Shoe Machy | 28 | 27⅞ |
| Superior Copper | 25½ | 25¼ |
| Swift | 105⅛ | 105 |
| Tamarack | 30 | 29¼ |
| Wolverine | 45 | 44½ |
| Alaska | 18⅞ | 18¾ |

**BOSTON CURB STOCKS.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Boston Ely | 52 | 50 |
| Calaveras | 2 1-16 | 2 |
| First National | 2¾ | 2⅝ |
| LaRose | 2⅝ | 2¼ |

## NEW YORK COTTON RANGE.

(J. C. MACKINTOSH & CO.)

| | High. | Low. | Close. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Aug | 12.24 | 20 | .. |
| Sept | 12.27 | 17 | 17—18 |
| Oct | 12.34 | 23 | 27—28 |
| Dec | 12.28 | 15 | 20—21 |
| Jan | 12.19 | 05 | 09—10 |
| Mar | 12.26 | 15 | 18—19 |
| May | 12.32 | 20 | 23—24 |

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# FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL NEWS AND COMMENT

## WEEKLY LETTER ON MONTREAL MARKET

(F. B. McCURDY & CO.)

Montreal, Aug. 29.—The past week has been a satisfactory period in the stock markets. Particularly this was the case at the close of the week when, in spite of the fact that Saturday, Sunday and Monday were to be holidays in New York, London and in the Canadian markets, the general level of stocks advanced all the way from small fractions to points. This was the case not only in Montreal but in New York, where the somewhat more favorable advices on the Mexican situation appeared to have an immediate effect on the stock markets. Abroad also the situation is undoubtedly more hopeful. Both Paris and Berlin have been showing indications of recovering from the long depression and with the two markets in shape and London and New York feeling better it would be surprising if the local market failed to respond to some extent at any rate. As stated the local market was very hopeful on the last day of this week and this of itself was a most encouraging sign inasmuch as under any but favorable conditions markets are more apt to decline than advance on the eve of holidays. Where unfavorable developments are at all feared, holders always sell rather than carry over and take chances. It is very encouraging indeed to note that the markets have advanced; possibly owing to the fear that the general level of prices may be higher than before, as soon as the holidays are over. Interest and dividend disbursements are not extra large as a rule at the end of August, although they reach very considerable volume at the end of each month. These payments will, of course, run into many millions and the release of this amount of money it is thought may mean the return of a considerable amount of it by way of investments in various securities which are now giving back a good return on the present price.

During the week the situation improved considerably with respect to the price of Spanish River and MacDonald, two stocks which have kept the whole market guessing for weeks past. At the end of the week prices of these securities were showing some stability, more than for some time before. Spanish being 21 1-2 and MacDonald being 28 1-2. The market has come to look rather more favorably upon these two of late but it is still very undecided inasmuch as no statement of any kind has appeared which would go to explain the bad break.

The whole group of cotton stocks is showing much firmness and Textile was selling at the end of the week at 85, while Canadian Cottons was 77 for the preferred and 38 for the common and Montreal Cotton was 103 for the preferred. It is thought that the Cotton Companies will show another good year in the year which they have now entered.

Power stocks have been firm also. Montreal Power closed the week by running up from around 209 to 211 1-4 and Ottawa was also strong. The sale of Rights still continues active in the case of Montreal Power and the feeling here is that purchasers will make a lot of money out of them a little later on when the present power developments begin to show results and the financial situation has readjusted itself.

The money situation seems to be improving gradually in the local market but there is no change in rates and no one is offering any considerable quantity. At the same time brokers report greater ease in obtaining what they require. Banks are still charging 6 1-2 per cent and brokers 7 per cent.

F. B. McCURDY & CO.

## NEW YORK AND BOSTON CURB.

(J. C. MACKINTOSH & CO.)

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| New York— | | |
| Nipissing | 8¾ | 9 |
| Rose | 2¼ | ⅜ |
| Holly | 15 | 16 |
| Criour | 1⅛ | ⅝ |
| KL | 3¼ | ½ |
| BCL | 2¼ | ½ |
| IR | 8 | 10 |
| Braden | 6¾ | 7⅛ |
| GCN | 7 | ¾ |
| AM | 5¼ | ½ |
| CM | 2 | 3 |
| EM | 18 | 21 |
| UCS | 94 | ½ |
| Alaska | 18¾ | 19 |
| Boston— | | |
| East Butte | 12 | ½ |
| Franklin | 4½ | 5 |
| BO | 30⅞ | 31 |
| Granby | 67½ | 68 |
| Isle Royale | 19½ | ¾ |
| North Butte | 28⅛ | ⅝ |
| Lake | 7⅛ | ½ |
| Osceola | 80 | 82 |
| Mayflower | 8¼ | 2 |
| United Mining | 9⅛ | ⅝ |

## WEEKLY STOCK LETTER FROM RANDOLPH

(F. B. McCURDY & CO.)

New York, Aug. 29.—The volume of the business on the New York Stock Exchange has ben restricted during past week by the continued uncertainty in connection with the Mexican situation and the approaching holidays, but prices except in one or two instances where special causes were operative, have maintained a generally good tone throughout. In fact the underlying strength which the market has exhibited of late in view of the advance during the past two months, the disturbing nature of the Mexican advices and the damage to the corn and cotton crops resulting from the prolonged drought has been one of its most impressive features.

Except in the cases of the New Haven and Big Four issues, there has been no actual pressure of long stock. In the former, the disheartening influence upon holders caused by the passage of a dividend reduction to a four per cent. basis, has precipitated a liquidating movement which has carried that stock down to a new low level, the extreme decline for the week being about 7 points. Big Four issues declined sharply in consequent upon the announcement of the passing of the dividend on the preferred. This action, however, was the direct result of the heavy losses caused by the Ohio floods last spring, but in view of the past history of the property, which shows this to be the first dividend change since 1891, it is believed that it is only a question of a comparatively short time when the road will have recovered these losses and again be in a position to resume dividend payments.

The most important event of the week was the publication of President Wilson's message regarding the Mexican situation on Wednesday. Although the message was written in perfectly pacific terms, the president's advice to all Americans to leave Mexico was taken to indicate a very serious state of affairs in that country, and the market in consequence developed a rather heavy tone, but on Thursday a sharp fillip was given to prices by the announcement that President Huerta had practicaly yielded to the proposals of our government, coupled with a statement that Mr. Lind had been ordered back to the City of Mexico. Forward movement was aided by the evidences that a large portion of the $88,000,000 Southern Pacific stock had been sold to investors leaving a very small amount for the syndicate. Substantial gains were made in all the active issues and the trading broadened materially. The decline in corn and reports indicating that the damage fro mdrought had been exaggerated contributed to the better feeling.

Sentiment abroad continues to improve, reflecting the steady betterment in financial conditions there. The statement of the Bank of England again made a very strong showing. Its percentage of reserve to liabilities is now 59.46 as against 58.62 a week ago, and its bullion holdings gained £862,769 for the week. The Bank of France also reported a gain of $5,370,000 in gold holdings. Discount rates at both these institutions remain unchanged.

Copper Metal is strong both here and abroad, the prevailing price for Electrolytic being 16 cents while a few dealers quote 16 1-8, It is now believed that the Producers' Association statement will show a decrease of stocks on hand of 10,000,000 pounds. As a consequence, all the copper issues were strong and active.

Weekly traders were of an optimistic tenor, and suggested that orders are being placed irrespective of pending tariff changes, imparting an improved tone to the industrial list.

Total sales, today, 294,000; bonds, $1,333,500.

E. & C. RANDOLPH.

## DOW JONES CO'S SUMMARY OF NEWS

(J. C. MACKINTOSH & CO.)

New York, August 29.—Democratic caucus adopted administration currency bill by vote of 160 to 9.

Measure in form ratified by caucus will come before House next week with debate starting Sept. 8th.

Revolt of radicals over defeat of La Follette amendment to income tax measure may force income tax caucus.

Chicago Telephone Company paid city as share of gross receipts $199,552, or $22,000 more than a year ago.

Talk of government armour plate plant revived by rejection of steel companies' bids on armour plate.

Directors of Missouri Pacific, Texas Pacific and International and Great Northern appropriate $11,000,000 for establishment of new trade routes between terminals of their railways and South American ports.

Louisiana legislature called in special session Sept. 8th, to authorize the constitution convention to take steps to honor $11,000,000 bonds long repudiated.

Mexican situation marking time, with Bryan on lecture tour and Wilson on way to summer capitol.

Special correspondents of Journal of Commerce report as of August 22, cotton condition of 71.4 against 81.1 last month and 75.4 a year ago.

Americans in London irregular.

Twelve industrials advanced .18 per cent. Twenty railroads advanced .99 per cent.

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## CLOSING COTTON LETTER FROM JUDSON & CO.

(J. C. MACKINTOSH & CO.)

New York, Aug. 29—Crop and weather advices continued bullish this morning but there seemed to be a pretty general fear, if not a conviction on the part of many holders of contracts that the advance had discounted the probable figures of the bureau report next week and that the possible advent of rains in the belt over the week-end might result in heavy bull realizing. There was therefore a large volume of cautionary selling on every fair opportunity through the day. The market met good support on reactions but there was no disposition to buy on rallies. The result was a net decline of 13 to 15 points with the best demand for October delivery. The market will receive its cue on Tuesday from the weather over the week-end and the government crop report.

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### CHEAP FARES FOR HALIFAX EXHIBITION.

Cheap fares to Halifax in connection with the Provincial Exhibition, Sept. 3rd to 11th, will prevail on the Intercolonial Railway. Tickets at first-class one way fare for round trip, good going Sept. 2, 4, 9, good for return Sept. 12th.

## QUOTATIONS FOR THE MARITIME SECURITIES

(F. B. McCURDY & CO.)

| Miscellaneous. | Asked. | Bid. |
|---|---|---|
| Acadia Fire | 100 | 90 |
| Acadian Sugar pfd. | 104 | 100 |
| Acadia Sugar Ord. | 70 | 60 |
| Brand.-Hend. Com | 30 | 25 |
| C. B. Electric Com. | 85½ | 77½ |
| East. Can. Sav. & Loan | 140 | 136 |
| Eastern Trust | 150 | 145 |
| Halifax Fire | 100 | 98 |
| Maritime Tele. Com. | 84 | 80 |
| Maritime Tele. pfd. | 103 | 100 |
| North Atlantic Fisheries (with stock bonus) | 100 | 98 |
| N. B. Telephone | 110 | 106 |
| N. S. Car, 1st pfd. | 94 | 88½ |
| N. S. Car 2nd pfd. | 70 | 60 |
| N. S. Car 3rd pfd. | 40 | 35 |
| N. S. Car Com. | 20 | — |
| N. S. Clay Works pfd. | 94 | 89 |
| N. S. Clay Works Com. | 40 | 30 |
| Nova Scotia Fire | 100 | 90 |
| Stanfield's pfd | 105 | 102 |
| Stanfield's Com | 70 | 68 |
| Trinidad Cons. Tel. Com | 40 | 32 |
| Trinidad Electric | 72 | — |
| **Bonds.** | | |
| Brand.-Hend., 6's | 97½ | — |
| C. B. Electric, 5's | 95½ | 93 |
| Chronicle 6's | 101 | 100 |
| New. Pure Wool Tex. 6's (with bonus) | 102 | 100 |
| Maritime Tele. 6's | 107 | 105 |
| N. S. Steel 1st Mort. 5's | 94½ | 92½ |
| N. S. Steel Deb. Stock. | 98 | 97 |
| Stanfield's 6's | 102½ | 100 |
| Trinidad Telephone 6's. | 100 | 98 |
| Trinidad Electric 5's | 92 | 88 |

## CLOSING LETTER ON COTTON MARKET

(F. B. McCURDY & CO.)

New York, Aug. 29.—The market today has fluctuated between the reactionary tendencies natural after such an advance as that of the past two weeks pending a three-day adjournment, and the bullish character of the crop news. Miss Giles made the condition of the crop 69.9 against 81.3 last month but the Journal of Commerce made it 71.4 against 81.4 last month. Generally speaking, original bull houses have been heavy sellers for the past 2 or 3 days, and were selling again today, while a scattering demand and persistent buying of October by Gwathmey brokers helped to steady the market on decline and caused moderate rally. The American markets will be closed from today until next Tuesday morning, while Liverpool will remain open for business as usual.

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## LAIDLAW & CO'S CLOSING STOCK LETTER

(J. C. MACKINTOSH & CO.)

New York, Aug. 29.—There was a perceptible increase in the volume of stock transactions today, or to be more exact a larger number of issues enjoyed fair activity than has been the case for some time past. In the absence of any other explanation the improvement in the Mexican situation was assigned as the reason, but as a matter of fact, Washington advices on this subject were somewhat less reassuring. The room, as a whole, was reactionary and very little enthusiasm accompanied the advance, but there was evidence of outside buying of the leading stocks from some quarter. Steel, UP and So Pac made good leaders and unbiased observers thought they saw some justification for the advance in the stocks in the improved Steel situation and evidence that people who should be well informed were buying the Harriman issues. The supposition was that the S. P. underwriting would be an unqualified success. With this assured there are a sufficient number of people who believe that stocks are intrinsically cheap to account for part of today's demand. The impaired crop outlook is still a factor of restraint, but there is a disposition to believe that the damage to corn and cotton has been exaggerated and that the purchasing power of the season's agricultural yield will be well up to the average.

LAIDLAW ? CO.

### HEAVY SENTENCES FOR MONTREAL "COKE" VENDORS

Montreal, Aug. 28.—John Cowan and Irene Smith, charged with selling and having cocaine in their possession, were sentenced to six months in jail and also fined $500, or an additional six months in jail by Recorder Geoffrion today.

## PRODUCE PRICES IN CANADIAN CENTRES

Montreal, Aug. 29.—CORN—American No. 2 yellow, 83½ to 84.

OATS—Canadian western No. 2, 40½ to 41; No. 3, 39½ to 40; extra No. 1 feed, 40 to 40½.

FLOUR—Man. spring wheat patents, firsts, $5.60; seconds, $5.10; strong bakers, $4.90; winter patents, choice, $5.25 to $5.50; straight rollers, $5 to $5.10; straight rollers, bags, $2.30 to $2.40.

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HAY—No. 2, per ton, car lots, $12 to $13.

## NEWSPAPERS ON THE MARKET SITUATION

(F. B. McCURDY & CO.)

New York, Aug. 29.—Herald—Monetary conditions contribute to the general buoyancy.

Commercial—To some conservative observers the market gives signs of greater strength than at any time in five months.

Times—Unlike many exceedingly quiet periods of other days, prices show no disposition to fall of their own weight.

Sun—Speculative sentiment is cheerfully disposed, while the improved Mexican situatio nbeing the dominating influence.


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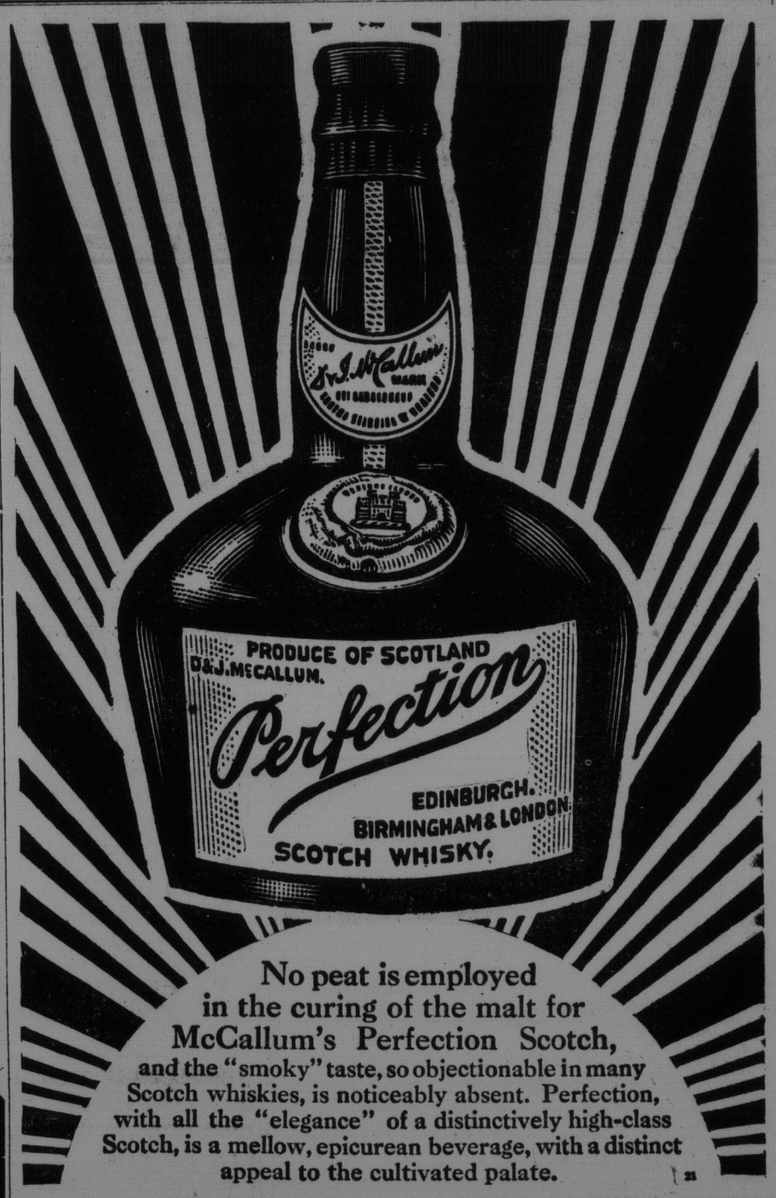

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### THE WEATHER.

Maritime—Moderate to fresh south to west winds; showers in most localities, but partly fair with about the same temperature.

Toronto, August 29.—The weather has been generally fair today in all portions of the Dominion except that some local showers have occurred in Ontario and in Quebec, and the winds have been very strong on the Great Lakes.

Minimum and maximum temperatures:

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| Vancouver | 54 | 72 |
| Kamloops | 54 | 90 |
| Calgary | 54 | 78 |
| Battleford | 46 | 84 |
| Moosejaw | 46 | 87 |
| Winnipeg | 48 | 76 |
| Port Arthur | 52 | 66 |
| Parry Sound | 54 | 64 |
| London | 54 | 75 |
| Toronto | 60 | 77 |
| Kingston | 64 | 72 |
| Ottawa | 58 | 74 |
| Montreal | 56 | 76 |
| St. John | 56 | 60 |
| Halifax | 48 | 76 |

## AROUND THE CITY

### NO STANDARD ON MONDAY.

On Monday, Labor Day, The Daily Standard will not be published.

### Police Court.

One drunk was fined $8 or thirty days in the police court yesterday morning.

### Laborers' Payroll.

The city laborers' wages for the last fortnight, paid yesterday, was divided among the various departments as follows:

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| Ferry | $ 272.32 |
| Water and Sewerage | 2,499.68 |
| Public Works | 4,670.25 |
| Total | $7,442.25 |

### Schoolboy Athletic Movement.

At a meeting of the committee of the Schoolboy Athletic Movement, in the Y.M.C.A., last evening, it was decided to commence the campaign at once. It was decided to ask the Militia Department for the use of the Barrack Green for an athletic field and also if possible to secure the St Peter's church field in the North End. The work of organizing the movement will be rushed.

### Taken to Provincial Hospital.

A man named Duffy, who was arrested a few days ago on the charge of drunkenness, and remanded to jail, has been acting badly during the time he was locked up and yesterday the jail physician found that he was mentally deranged. He was conveyed to the Provincial Hospital for Nervous Diseases. The man was very violent and gave the officers considerable trouble in conveying him to the institution.

### W. C. T. U. Items.

The annual convention of the N. B. and P. E. Island Woman's Christian Temperance Union will meet in Summerside, P. E. Island, Sept. 6 to 8. Mrs. Deborah Knox Livingston, who greatly pleased St. John audiences a year ago, will again be convention speaker. The biennial Dominion convention is appointed for Oct. 11 to 16 in London, Ont., and on October 23 to 28 the triennial world's convention meets in Brooklyn, N. Y.

### Moncton Man Arrested Here.

Yesterday morning, Chief of Police Clark received a message from Chief Rideout of the Moncton police requesting him to locate and arrest Albert Ogden, aged 21 years, who was wanted in Moncton on the charge of stealing. The warrant for Ogden's arrest was given to Detective Lucas, who, in a very short time managed to locate the man, who was working on the site for the sugar refinery, and locked him up in the Central Police Station. The Moncton chief was notified of the arrest and yesterday afternoon Police Sergeant Atkins arrived from the railway town and left on the night express with the prisoner. It is stated that a quantity of household goods had been seized in Moncton by the sheriff and it was while the goods were under seizure that Ogden stole some of them and sold them.

## JURY DISAGREES IN TRAVIS CASE

### Man Accused of Robbery from Store of George J. Barrett, Allowed to go from County Court.

John Travis, indicted on the charge of breaking and entering George J. Barrett's store on Dock street, on June 11th, and stealing a few minor articles, was discharged in the County Court last evening, the jury having failed to come to an agreement in his case. The jury standing was seven for acquittal as against five for conviction.

When the case was taken up yesterday morning, George J. Barret, Ernest Marshall, Sergt. Thomas Caples and police officers Shortliff and O'Leary were called as witnesses for the prosecution.

At 10 o'clock the crown closed its case and court adjourned until 2.30. In the afternoon D Mullin, K.C., addressed the court for the defence and John A. Barry for the crown. Judge Jonah then charged and the jury retired at 5.20, returning shortly after 7 o'clock with the report that they could not agree.

On motion of Mr. Barry the prisoner was bound over to appear at the next session of the County Court.

### Card of Thanks.

Mrs. Charles Bradley and family wish to express their appreciation of the many kindnesses shown them during the recent bereavement in their family.

## PRESENTATION OF MEDAL TO WEST END SCHOOL GIRL

### Interesting Little Ceremony in the Albert School, Yesterday Afternoon — Miss Mary Hedges Wins Medal Given by G. S. Mayes to West End Pupil Leading in High School Entrance Exams.

An intersting programme was carried out in the assembly hall of Albert School, yesterday afternoon at three o'clock, when, in the presence of the pupils of the schools, a number of invited guests, and representatives of the school board Miss Mary Hedges, the successful winner of the medal offered by G. S. Mayes for the pupils in grade 8 in West St. John making the highest percentage in the High School entrance examinations.

At three o'clock the pupils of the school assembled in the exhibition hall. Principal McDiarmid presided and on the platform were G. S. Mayes, Superintendent Bridges and C. B. Lockhart, M. L. A. The programme which was informal, opened with the singing of "My Own Canadian Home," after which the chairman called on Mr. Mayes to present the medal.

In presenting the medal Mr. Mayes congratulated Miss Hedges upon the excellent showing she had made. He regretted, he said, that she is moving from St. John, but expressed the hope that in her home city, Grangeville, Idaho, she would continue the good work and that there she would win more honors.

Dr. Bridges then made a brief address in which he complimented the young lady upon her excellent work. He pointed out to the other pupils what can be accomplished by serious study and devotion to duty. The secret of success, he told them, is application to the duty at hand, and while they are at school they should make their studies the real business of life. What had been accomplished by the winner of the medal was within the range of possibility for each one of them, and they could succeed through faithful work.

In the course of his remarks Dr. Bridges referred to the excellent manner in which the children had sung "My Own Canadian Home," and reminded them that Canada is a land they should be proud of. The history of the country should be an inspiration to them and they should cultivate a devotion and loyal spirit toward their own country and to their native province. He reminded them that New Brunswick is a province rich in possibilities, rich in its natural resources with a magnificent future, and he admonished them when their school days shall have ended and they shall have entered upon their life work to remain in their own province which is destined to play a leading role in the history of the Dominion, and not to be tempted away by the attractions held out by other provinces. New Brunswick is on the eve of a period of great development, and the future citizens of St. John, the pupils of today, would do well to harken to the "call of the east" and share in the work of development and the benefits that will accrue.

C. B. Lockhart, M. L. A., congratulated Miss Hedges on her success. He endorsed the words of Dr. Bridges regarding the future of New Brunswick. He commended the generosity and public spirit displayed by Mr. Mayes in making it possible for children in West St. John to have a share in the honors distributed to the successful ones.

Principal McDiarmid referred to the remarkable showing made by the winner of the medal. She came to the school a year ago with only a vague knowledge of Canadian history, but gained such a mastery of the subject during the year that she led all other pupils of the whole city.

The reason for presenting the medal yesterday instead of at the closing of the schools next December is that the winner of the medal whose home is in Grangeville, Idaho, is returning there in a few days. She spent the past year in West St. John. She is a daughter of Rev. J. A. Hedges, of Grangeville and D. C. Clarke, of Carleton is an uncle.

The medal presented by Mr. Mayes is of gold. The design is a Maltese cross, pendant from a bar. On the bar is inscribed "St. John West." On the face of the medal are the words "High School Entrance, Highest Marks, 1913." On the reverse side are inscribed the words, "Presented by Gershon S. Mayes. Won by Mary T. Hedges."

Following the addresses the pupils sang "O Canada," and "God Save the King," after which three cheers were given for Mr. Mayes.

## THE LABOR DAY PROGRAMME PROVIDES BIG SPECTACLE

### With Fine Weather Occasion will be one Long to be Remembered—Parade Most Complete and Magnificent Seen in Years—Garden Party and Sports.

Labor Day this year will prove, with fine weather, one of the most brilliant public occasions of the year. The Trades and Labor Council, ably backed by the other labor organizations, have for many months past been buisly engaged arranging for their parade. With fine weather this parade promises to be one of the most successful in the history of the city. Practically all the labor men will be in line, and with the magnificent floats will make a spectacle long to be remembered.

One of the features of the parade will be the long lines of mounted teamsters, and as a substantial prize has been offered by the Trades and Labor Council for the best looking horse, it is expected that all will endeavor to win out. Other prizes have been offered, notably for the best looking float, and keen competition is expected between the different unions.

Although the trades and labor unions will occupy the centre of the stage during the holiday other attractions are also offered, and run from trips up river to the ball games between the Marathons and Fredericton. These games will mark the end of the season, and it is expected that stellar ball will be played. The day will generally be regarded as a holiday, and a jolly good time will be had by all.

The Labor Day programme follows:

The parade will form on King street east at ten o'clock and will traverse the following streets: Wentworth, Leinster, South Side King Square, Charlotte street, King street, Market Square, Dock street, Mill street, Main street, Adelaide road, Victoria street, Durham street, Main street, Paradise Row, Wall street, City road, Brussels street, Union street, Sydney street, North Side King Square, Charlotte street, Broad street, Carmarthen street to Barrack Green to garden party and sports.

The order of march will be as follows:

Mounted Police.
Teamsters, mounted.
Barouches containing City Commissioners and Members of Local Legislature.
City Cornet Band.
St. John Trades and Labor Council.
Building Trades.
Bricklayers' and Masons' International Union, No. 1
United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners, Local 919, Float.
Brotherhood of Painters and Decorators, Local No. 794.
United Association Plumbers and Steamfitters, Local No. 531
St. Mary's Band.
Broom Workers' Local Union.
Nail Workers' Union, No. 14199.
Journeymen Barbers' International Union, No. 682.
I. C. R. Freight Handlers.
Artillery Band.
International Association Machinists, Local No. 156.
International Moulders' Union, No. 343.
Brotherhood Boilermakers and Iron Shipbuilders, Local 349.
Sons of England Band.
International Typographical Union, No. 85.
Printing Pressmen and Assistants' Union, No. 38.
Carleton Cornet Band.
International Longshoremen's Association, Local Union No 470, Series 10.
I. L. A. Local 272; I. L. A. Local 810.
Temple of Honor Band.
I. L. A. Local 825; I. L. A. Local 835; I. L. A. Local 838.
I. L. A. Local 273 members.
Float: Robert Reid, Full-rigged Ship.
St. John Brass Band.
I. L. A. Local 2 and 3 members.
Float: Model C. P. R. Steamship.
Merchants, Teams and Floats.

Starting at about two o'clock an interesting programme of sports and a garden party under the auspices of the Trades and Labor Council will be held on the Barrack Green. The officials in charge of the sports will be as follows:

Chief of Police W. W. Clark, Referee.
Alex. McDermott, F. L. Potts, Starters.
Hon. J. E. Wilson, J. E. Tighe, Geo. P. Hennessy, Mayor Frink, Judges.
Edward Sage, Fred Kennedy, Geo. Redmore, Clerks.
Fred King, Announcer.
William Blackwell, Timer.

The following events will be contested:

(Open to all except members of trade unions), 100 yards, 220 yards, hurdles, 100 yards, smokers' race, sack race.

Sports for union men and families, Tug of war, 100 yards, 220 yards, smokers' race, sack race, fat men's race, old members' race, carpenters' race, boys' race, (16 years, not under 12), boys' race, (12 years and under), girls' race, married woman's race, consolation race.

## DEATH OF WELL KNOWN INSURANCE MANAGER

### William A. Gibson, Provincial Manager of the Imperial Life Insurance Co. Died Last Night.

The death occurred at 136 Carmarthen street yesterday of William Alex. Gibson, the eldest son of the late John Gibson, of Maryaville, York County, N. B., at the age of 45, after a few weeks' illness, of heart trouble.

Mr. Gibson came to St. John about eight years ago as provincial manager of the Imperial Life Insurance Company, which position he held to the time of his death. Mr. Gibson is survived by his wife, Ida A. Gibson, daughter of the late S. N. Miles, M.D., Oromocto, N. B. He is also survived by four children, Grace, Miles, William and Marian, all at home; one sister, Mrs J. S. T. Bliss, of Dorchester, Mass.; two brothers, Arthur M. Gibson, of Fredericton, and Fred H. Gibson of Quebec, also his stepmother.

Mr. Gibson was a member of Queen Square Methodist church and also was a member of the Masonic fraternity and the Knights of Pythias.

## SHOULD HAVE HAD TWO MEN ON THE SCOW

### Coroner's Jury Returns Verdict in Case of Drowning of Ernest Ross

### LIFE SAVING APPLIANCES ON SCOW INSUFFICIENT.

### Two Witnesses Examined at Concluding Session of Hearing, Last Evening—Both Agreed Extra Men Would have been Benefit.

The enquiry held before Coroner D. E. Berryman, into the death of Ernest Ross, who was drowned from a dredging scow in the harbor some weeks ago, was concluded in the Court House last night when the jury brought in a verdict that the young man came to his death by accidental drowning by falling from a mud scow owned by the Norton Griffiths Dredging Company. That there was insufficient life saving appliances for the scow. The jury also strongly recommended the sending of two men on these scows when the weather conditions were such as on the day that Ross was drowned.

Only two witnesses were examined last night. F. R. Taylor was present in the interest of the Dredging Company, and J. A. Barry was present in the interest of the deceased's relatives.

Edward J. Dinneen gave evidence that he was the manager of the Norton Griffiths Dredging Company. The company was in connection with the Norton Griffiths Company, and was an incorporated company in the Joint Stock Companies' Acts. Witness was on the tug the day Ross met his death. There was a little roll on at the dumping ground, but it was not very rough. The work was under witness' direction, but when scows are being loaded it is under the direction of the dredge captain, and when the dredge captain gives notice that the scows are loaded, the tug captain then takes charge. The scow can't leave the dredge until the dredge captain orders it.

On the day in question it got too rough for the dipper dredge and the scow had to be moved. The tug took hold of the scow and took it to sea.

"We are not allowed to take a scow into the harbor with any mud in it, and we had been fined $40 a few days previous for taking such a scow in the harbor, so I told the captain of the tug it would be better to take the scow to sea and not be fined," said witness.

"It was not too rough to go to sea, and it was safe for Ross to go alone on the scow."

Witness did not know if the life saving apparatus was on the end of the scow, as he did not look that day, but supposed the life saving apparatus was in a little house on the end of the scow. When one man was on the scow and fell overboard he could have no chance to get the life belt. If two men had been on the scow Ross would have probably been saved.

Edward O. Lahey, superintendent of dredging, gave evidence that one man was sufficient to send out on a scow, unless the doors were to be closed on the pockets of the scow. It would be safer for one man to have a second man on the scow. The reason witness had sent two men out on a scow was for the purpose of saving delay by having the scow ready to receive material when it returned to the dredge. A second man is never sent on a scow with the idea of safety to a companion. In the case of Ross falling overboard a second man would have been a benefit had he been on the scow at the time. Contractors do not figure on the safety of a man when they send two men on a scow, it is generally to get the work done quickly and to save delay.

The Coroner then charged the jury and the verdict was returned as stated.

### May Sink Fifth Crib Today.

Another crib for the new government wharf on the West Side has been completed and will probably be sunk some time today. This makes the fifth crib. Work is progressing favorably on a couple more cribs and these will probably be ready to put down in a short time.

Something very special in misses' and ladies' one-piece dresses at F. A. Dykeman and Co.'s. They have secured a lot of samples from one of the largest manufacturers at a great discount and are placing these goods on sale at once. There being only one garment of each style it makes this lot particularly attractive. The sizes run from 14 to 18 years in children's and from 34 to 40 in ladies'. The dresses are made from serges, panama cashmere, venetian, and whipcord. $6.00 quality, sale price $4.19. $6.50 quality sale price $4.25. $7.50 quality sale price $5.40. $8.65 quality sale price $5.90. $10.00 quality sale price $8.25. $11.00 quality sale price $7.90. $14.00 quality sale price $10.75.

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| 13 by 13, Hand Embroidered Madeira d'Oyleys, scalloped, per dozen | $2.90 |
| 18 by 18, Hand Embroidered Irish Linen d'Oyleys, corner for embroidery, per dozen | $3.60 |
| 24 by 24, Japanese Hand-drawn Centre Pieces, each | $1.20 |
| 30 by 30, Japanese Hand-drawn Centre Pieces, each | $1.50 |
| 18 by 45, Hand Embroidered Bureau Covers, scalloped, each | 90c |
| 18 by 54, Hand Embroidered Bureau Covers, scalloped, each | $1.35 |
| 2 by 2 yards, Hemstitched Damask Table Cloths, each | $2.10 |
| 2 by 2 1-2 yards, Hemstitched Damask Table Cloths, each | $2.40 |
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Just who is to blame for the sudden blowing up of the league, when it had only a couple of weeks to go until the finish of the schedule is a matter for the fans to guess on. The St. John owners of the Marathon Base Ball Club have no hesitancy in stating that the reason for the abrupt ending was because St. Croix disbanded last Saturday, after their game here with the Marathons, when the Border team refused to continue play during the fourth inning and Umpire Rudderham awarded the game to the St. John team. It was, perhaps, not only because it was raining that the St. Croix players would not resume play, but they all knew their team would disband after the game and consequently were not particular. Players will not perform in organized baseball, when they can't see any salary coming and from all appearances, there was no money coming to players from the Border City magnates. The owners of the Marathons who had on a couple of occasions, negotiated the sale of players and loaned money to pay the St. Croix ball players in order that the team would continue in the league, refused to assist financially any longer. Then, again, the St. John owners claim that other teams owed money for organization purposes and that it was pretty near time this money was paid.

As for Bangor, the team was ready to continue playing, but their manager telegraphed to Sect'y Donald that owing to the fair and horse races being held on the Bangor grounds during the coming week, they could not play any scheduled games in Bangor, but would play the games in the Province, provided they received certain guarantees. St. John owners wired back that Manager Lynch of the St. Croix team stated his team was disbanded and that the secretary of the league was ill in the hospital.

Bangor, St. Croix and Fredericton team managers claim that they do not owe money to the league and in fact the league had a most unsatisfactory finish.

### Fredericton the Winners.

Fredericton was in the lead of the league race when St. Croix disbanded and the league became a thing of the past and for the third season the team from the Capital captures the championship. The race for the first position had been a pretty one from the start, between St. John, Fredericton and St. Croix. Bangor got a poor start, and played in hard luck, but they were game, despite the fact that their loss of game after game caused the fans in the Maine City to knock and knock hard. Bangor always had a good lineup, but were playing in the worst kind of luck.

For days during the league race the St. Croix team would be in the lead, then the Marathons would jump into first position, then Fredericton would climb to the top, all through the race was causing great interest among the fans.

### A Garrison Finish.

As the season drew to the finish, the Marathons became weak for pitchers and at that time had a comfortable lead for the championship, but Fredericton owners were not going to let the title go without a grand finish and they strengthened with box men, while the St. John team, and others, were weak. Then the champions of past seasons came along with a rush and by winning one game after another and putting St. John from the first position to second position, the third championship looked good for Fredericton. St. John fans began to lose interest when their team could not keep in front, and even when the Greeks did get a lead at the first part of a game with their pitcher working well, the game would be booted away by the fielders.

### The Defection of Charles.

Charles was apparently the Greeks' great hope of winning a battle as he was recognized as about the best pitcher in the league and when he was needed most, a former St. John man who was in touch with a team in the Cape Breton league, got next to Charles and there was a great surprise in store for Marathon owners and the fans in general for when they went to the North End grounds to see Charles work they were given a disappointment when they learned that Charles, the night before, had jumped the Greeks and was well on his way to Cape Breton to pitch for a team there, having been offered more money than he was receiving in St. John.

RAMSEY,
Fielder, Secondbase, Marathons.

Of the players in the league this season it would not be out of the way to mention a few who have been prominent in the front.

### O'Brien a Star.

Charlie O'Brien who, in the 1912 season, played third sack for the Marathons, and was then counted as one of the best, was again playing that position on the same team this season and showed much better form. He is rated as about the fastest third sacker in the league. An aggressive player with plenty of snap, O'Brien has pulled off some of the most spectacular plays ever been witnessed on an Eastern diamond.

### Duggan and Bob Ganley.

Perhaps the pick of the Outfielders is P. J. Duggan, manager of the Fredericton team. "Pat" as he is generally called is from Quincy, Mass., and has been with Fredericton for the past few seasons, except when he was playing with Providence in the New England League. Duggan is almost in a class by himself, in the outfield. He has captured fly balls in a sensational manner which with many other fielders playing, would have gone for hits. He has thus managed to save his team from defeat on many occasions, while his work with the bat and on the bases has won games. As associated with Duggan, mention might be made of Bob Ganley, the captain who has been practically the brains of the Fredericton team. In his position in centre field there has been none better. He talked to his team like a father and his coaching was always listened to and worked out in a successful manner.

Hughie Pinkerton, the Greeks' second sacker who played such a good game in the 1912 team, has been with the Marathons this season and has showed improvement not only in playing his position but in handling the bat. Hughie comes from Sanford, Me., the home of the Holy Ghosters, and has always proved a popular and valued member of his team.

CONDON,
Pitcher, Fredericton.

## MARATHON BASEBALL TEAM

Top row, left to right—O'Brien, 3rd base; Charles, pitcher; Pinkerton, 2nd base; Flaherty, catcher; F. Leonard, manager; Lee, fielder; Bien, catcher; Pease, fielder.
Lower Row—Ramsey, fielder; Riley, fielder; Waterhouse, shortstop; Tarbell, pitcher.

### Billy Riley Did Well.

Billy Riley, the St. John boy, who has for the past few seasons played in the left garden for the Greeks, is the only provincial man who has been kept on any of the teams steadily. He is rated as one of the neatest fielders in the league, while he has batted well.

Eddie Ramsay, of St. John, is the only other Provincial man to have been signed on by any team in the league and although he did not commence the season or finish it with the Marathons, he played good ball, while banded in the Greek uniform. Ramsay is an infielder, but during the time he played with the Marathons this season, he had been playing in the field and on a number of games has been placed at short and at second base, and although he had not the practice that others have had he gave a very good account of himself. He is now playing in the Cape Breton League.

### Tarbell's Good Work.

Joe Tarbell the Indian pitcher, who has been with the Marathons for the past couple of seasons, has during the past season pitched pretty steady ball and appears to have grown better as the league drew to a close. His performance on Tuesday last, when he only allowed the champions to make four hits off his delivery was a sample of the class of ball he has twirled.

Waterhouse, the little shortstop, of the Marathons, made his first appearance in this section of the country, this season. He comes from Lynn Mass., and while his position is one of the hardest to handle in the game he had done well. He is about the youngest player on the team and improved as the season went along. He promises well for the future.

WHITE,
Fielder, Fredericton.

### Other Good Ones.

Among the other players who made their appearance on the St. John team for the first time this season was Walter Bien, of Philadelphia. For nearly the entire season he was backstop and captain of the Greeks and worked hard and faithfully for his team until July 4th., when he was badly injured while playing at Bangor Me., and was obliged to be out of the game for some time.

Flaherty, a catcher, Donovan a pitcher and Lee an outfielder, were late arrivals on the Greek lineup and although only with the team for a short time showed up pretty well. Pease who was outfielder with St. Croix during the first part of the season, has been playing with the Marathons during the latter part of the season, and was a valuable man.

The Marathons had hard luck with their pitchers during the season. Woodbury, a young man who was signed on early in the season worked too hard with the result that he became sore and was finally happy when he was released.

Another pitcher with the Greeks early in the season was Dedrich. He was a faithful pitcher, but was not working just well enough to suit the Marathon management, and was given his release. About the time he was let go Fredericton was sorely in need of a pitcher and he was signed on by that team. Then he appeared to take on a new lease of life and has been one of the champion stars ever since.

Big Shankey was a pitcher who signed on early in the season, but as the season went along he was placed on first base, where he has captured all kinds of throws and played the position well.

Williams was a big fellow, who was imported by the Marathons to pitch, but his work was not satisfactory and he lasted but a short time. Their last importation was Donovan and while he pitched a couple of good games, he was hit very hard in others.

At present the Marathon pitching staff, in finishing up a series of games with Fredericton, is Conley, formerly with St. Croix, Tarbell, Shankey and Dutch Howard, formerly of St. Croix.

### The Greeks' Manager.

Frank Leonard, who for many years has been manager of base ball teams and for long time was the manager of the Lynn team, in the New England League, has had charge of the Marathons during the past season, and with the material under his control worked well. Manager Leonard is a genial fellow, and he certainly knows the game of base ball from the start to the finish.

### The Champion Pets.

Taking a glance at the Fredericton Club for the past season it has, through the piloting of Bob Ganley and Pat Duggan, worked in a most satisfactory manner. With a snappy infield full of "Old Pep" and an outfield which could gather in any reasonable fly and having a good throw, this team of aggressive players was hard to down. Condon, Dedrich and Morey have been their star twirlers. Phelan another pitcher was only with the team for a short time and was released as he could not get working well.

Perhaps the hardest worker in the team has been Murphy, the catcher. There was not a catcher in the league that had anything on Murphy. He is a scrappy backstop, always working, a good help to his pitcher and a snappy, sure throw to second that generally caught the runner.

Bob Conley was again on the third sack for Fredericton, and proved as fast as ever. His work has been neat and he has proved a valuable man in that position.

Mention has already been made of outfielders Ganley and Duggan, but there is one other in White the guardian of the right field and he ranks with any in the league for good judgment and sure work.

Harry Stone was the Fredericton first baseman during the past season, and he looked after that sack in a most commendable manner, while as a hitter he was one of the best.

Then comes another hardworker, Hank Callihan, the Champs second sacker, and he was there with the goods like the others, always on the job and a man who was of great assistance in helping to coach and steady a pitcher when the latter would get in difficulty.

### The Irrepressible Keaney.

Last but not by any means least is Frank Keaney. Here is a shortstop made up of a bunch of nerves. A good sticker, and a good man to play his position but when excitement became intense he at time allowed his temperament to get the best of him, with the result that he would get mixed up with an umpire, but would be the first one to be extremely sorry after the occurrence. Keaney, however fooled the spectators during the last scrap on the diamond. A Fredericton player and the Umpire became engaged in a lively scrap and Keaney rushed in from the field. Many expected him to immediately get mixed in the wrong, but with a happy laugh he carted the umpire away while others carried the scrapping player to one side and Keaney was the peacemaker. Like Stone, Keaney is a high school teacher and they left their team on Thursday to resume their duties in the States, having completed the vacation at playing base ball.

FLAHERTY,
Catcher, Marathons.

### The St. Croix Team.

The St. Croix team has been on an equal footing with either of the leading teams but, unfortunately for them, they did not get the support in the Border cities that the other teams did in their home town. For a time they were the leaders and were looked on as the fastest team in the league. Bill Lynch was their pilot and covered the third bag. He was a hard worker, always in the game and fought every inch of it. Towards the last of the season he was crippled from injuries received, but still continued to play under difficulties until the team disbanded.

Lee, Howard and Connolly composed the pitching staff and they all ranked with the best twirlers in the league pitching heady ball. Howard was perhaps the happiest pitcher in the league. He was never worried, no matter even when he was hit hard but always wore a broad grin, which never wore off. Gross was the St. Croix backstop and proved equal to any of the other catchers. Bobby Vance proved his worth as a first sacker and showed up well as a good infielder, and was also a good man with the bat. Up till the time that he took French leave of his team Tetreault was the second baseman and made a good impression in that position. Jacobson and Parker were their star outfielders and their work was, on many occasions, of the sensational kind. Pease was in right garden during the first part of the season, until traded for Black and Watt, who went from the Marathons to St. Croix and Pease came to the Greeks accompanied by McPherson a third sacker.

MOREY,
Pitcher, Fredericton.

Pease proved a worthy fielder and a good batter. McPherson received injuries during the season, which made it difficult for him to finish out the season. As for Black he was a good fielder and Jack Watt, before being traded to St. Croix, was a good man on first base for the Greeks. At the latter part of the season Watt played with St. Croix as catcher and in the field.

### Bangor not the Worst.

The Bangor team which finished last in the league race, were not by any means the worst team in the league. Many of the games they lost during the season were the hard luck sort. Connaughton was the playing manager, and covered second base. He is an old hand at the game, having played in bigger leagues and he played the old game as it should be played.

Boardman, another ex-big leaguer, was the man on third and worked well. Matthews, on first, Tewhey at short, and Wakefield behind the bat were all good players. The field looked was looked after by Dolan, Dutton and Reed, while "Red" Wildes was also on the team as a shortstop and second sacker.

Wallace was Bangor's best bet as a pitcher, while they also worked Cooney, Hart, McPhee and Gibbs. Bangor had a good team and Manager Connaughton deserved better luck in many of the games that he lost.

From the time that the league started until the finish, there were a number of official umpires and they all had their troubles. Among the arbitrators who hardly got through a game without trouble with players or fans were Hanley, McCann, Keller, Rudderham, LaBelle, Page and Connolly, and on a number of occasions, when Umpires were scarce, players from the opposing teams were selected to arbitrate.

There is talk of Maine and New Brunswick League next season, but that a try with Halifax, Amherst and Moncton may be made, dropping out the Maine town. The season of 1914 is a long distance off and all the fans can do is to wait and hope.

## FREDERICTON BASEBALL TEAM

Top Row, left to right—Conley, 3rd base; Stone, 1st base; Dedrich, pitcher; Morey, pitcher; White, right field; Murphy, catcher.
Lower Row—Condon, pitcher; Keaney, shortstop; Duggan, left field; Ganley centre field; Callihan, 2nd base; Phelan, pitcher.

CALLIHAN,
2nd Baseman, Fredericton.

# Happenings of the Week

Mr. Guy DeLancy Robinson, of Toronto, was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Barclay Robinson, this week.

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Mrs. F. A. Estey entertained informally on Tuesday evening at two tables of bridge in honor of Mrs. H. P. Hayward.

Mrs. R. T. Leavitt also entertained in Mrs. Hayward's honor on Wednesday evening before her departure for Montreal.

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Mr. J. L. Claxton, accountant of the St. John branch of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, has been appointed manager of the St. John West End branch and will assume his duties about September first.

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Mr. Adam P. Macintyre and daughter, Marjorie, who have been guests at the Spruce Lodge, Sussex, returned home on Wednesday.

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Mr. Paul Longley, formerly of the Bank of Montreal, left on Wednesday night for St. Stephen. Mr. Longley will go to Vancouver next week where he has accepted a position with the Dominion Trust Company.

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Mrs. George Parker entertained at a delightful afternoon tea on Thursday in honor of her sister, Mrs. Wilkins, of New Orleans, and Miss Dayton, of Dorchester. Mrs. Parker received her guests in a very becoming cream silk gown, the bodice trimmed with lace.

Mrs. Wilkins wore a pretty pink silk with overdrape of blue chiffon. Mrs. Dayton was gowned in pale blue silk. Among the guests were Mrs. C. B. Allan, Mrs. Hopper, Mrs. W. C. Cross, Mrs. Frederick Alward, Mrs. Archibald Tapley, Mrs. Francis, Mrs. Paisley, (Boston)), Mrs. F. A. Estey, Mrs. Frederick Rowley, Miss Grace Estey, Mrs. George Baker, Miss Allingham and others.

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Mrs. Frederick Rowley, of New York, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Rowley, Princess street.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ronald McAvity and little daughter have moved to their city home on Burpee Avenue from Woodman's Point, the first of the week.

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Mr. and Mrs. McLellan, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Thomson, returned to Montreal on Thursday night.

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The engagement is announced of Miss Dorothy Carson to Lewis C. Thompson, vice deputy American consul. Miss Carson has many friends in this city who offer their congratulations.

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Mrs. C. E. McPherson entertained informally at bridge on Monday afternoon in honor of Miss McArthur, of Winnipeg.

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The marriage of Miss Marion Bennett Emmerson, daughter of the Hon. H. R. Emerson, K. C., to Harry K. Bowes, of the Civil Service, Ottawa, will take place on Tuesday next.

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Mr. and Mrs. George McAvity, Miss Rosamund McAvity, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Flood, and Mrs. McAvity's guest, Miss Wheelock, left on Wednesday on the yacht Dream for a cruise up the St. John river.

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Miss McArthur, of Winnipeg, is the guest of Mrs. C. E. McPherson, at her sister's home, Mrs. W. W. White, Sydney street.

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Miss Steele, of Brockton, Ont., is the guest of Mrs. A. I. Trueman, Pitt street.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. H. S. Flood, Barbados, and children, are occupying Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cruikshank's residence, Mecklenburg street.

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Mr. H. G. Sears left for the West on Wednesday after a two months' visit to his parents. Mr. Sears will visit Montreal and Toronto on his way out to Montana and other western States.

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Mrs. Burnett, of Montreal, and two sons, who have been visiting Mrs. H. C Rankine, will leave for their home on Tuesday night.

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Mrs. Stewart Mill, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Logan, left for her home in Fredericton on Friday evening. Miss Edna Logan accompanied her sister to the capital for a short visit.

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Miss Dora Bishop, of Montreal, who was the guest of Mrs. Griffith Bishop, left on Monday for Fredericton.

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Miss Louise Simonds was hostess at an informal tea on Thursday afternoon in honor of Mrs. R. H. Dunn, of Bathurst. Among the guests were, Mrs. Scovil, Mrs. E. H. Foster, Mrs. Arthur Coster, Mrs. Charles Coster, Mr. Hay, Mr. W. B. Howad, Mrs. Smith, Miss Frances Tibbits, Miss Burnside. Mrs. Griffith Bishop presided at the prettily appointed tea table.

Miss Neta Carritte has returned from Detroit after a pleasant visit of five weeks with her father, Mr. J. Primrose Carritte, Miss Carritte will attend St. Margaret's school, Toronto this fall.

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Mrs. George McAvity was hostess at a large auction bridge at the "Bungalow" on Tuesday afternoon in honor of her guest, Miss Wheelock. The fortunate prize winners were Miss McArthur, Winnipeg; Mrs. D. C. Clinch and Mrs. Skelton. Other guests were Mrs. Malcolm MacKay, Mrs. D. P. Chisholm, Mrs. P. W. Thomas, Mrs. McLellan, Montreal; Mrs. Anglin Mrs. George Wetmore, Mrs. deB. Caritte, Mrs. E. H. Flood Mrs. H. Atwater Smith, Mrs. F. A. Peters, Mrs. W. M. Angus, Mrs Allen McAvity, Montreal; Mrs. F. E. Sayre, Miss McMillan, Mrs. James U. Thomas, Miss Norah Stewart, Mrs. William Pugsley, jr., Mrs. Green, Miss Green, Mrs. Bell, Mrs. Horace Porter, Mrs. Frank Fairweather, Mrs. J. S. McLaren, Miss McLaren, Mrs. L. P. D. Tilley, Mrs. Leigh Harrison, and others.

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Miss Edith Young, who has been visiting Miss Dorothy Blizard, at Woodman's Point, will leave for her home Ottawa, tomorrow evening.

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Mrs. Timmerman entertained at a most enjoyable dance at her summer home last evening in honor of Miss Edith Young, of Montreal.

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Miss Maud McLean who has been visiting on the St. John River, returned to the city on Wednesday and is the guest of Mrs. H. H. McLean, Horsfield street.

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Mrs. George Miller and children, who have been visiting Mrs. Miller's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Blizard, at Woodman's Point, leaves for her home in Montreal tomorrow night.

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Mrs. W. H. Barnaby entetained informally at dinner at Acamac on Tuesday evening.

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Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Bogart, of Montreal, are the guests of Mrs. Henry Thomas, Westfield.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harry Darling and family have returned from Jubilee Station where they spent the summer.

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Mr. Walter Magee, manager of the Bank of Commerce, Bridgewater, N.S., is visiting in the city the guest of his sister Miss Julia Magee.

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Mrs. Griffith Bishop entertained at the tea hour on Friday in honor of her guest Mrs. Dunn.

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Mrs. Norman Sancton entertained informally at her summer home Woodman's Point, on Tuesday afternoon.

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Mrs. John H. Thomson entertained a number of young folk at "Camp Cosey" on Monday for her grandson Jack Thomson.

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Mrs. G. Herbert Flood was hostess at a delightful bridge of four tables at her artistic summer home Rothesay, on Monday afternoon in honor of Miss Wheelock. The weather being ideal, tables were placed in the gallery and the beautiful balmy air thoroughly enjoyed. The fortunate prize winners were Mrs. L. P. D. Tilley and Mrs. F. A. Peters. The daintily appointed tea table had for its decorations pink poppies and was presided over by Mrs. Allan Daniel and Mrs. Thomas Bell. Mrs. T. E. G. Armstrong and several others came in at the tea hour. Among the guests were Mrs. George McAvity, Miss Wheelock, Mrs. Green, Mrs. E. H. Flood, Mrs. Tilley, Mrs. McLellan (Montreal), Mrs. P. W. Thomson, Miss Domville, Mrs. Frank Fairweather, Miss Brock, Miss Puddington, Mrs. Bell, Mrs. F. A. Peters, Mrs. Rupert Turnbull, Mrs. H. F. Puddington, Mrs. Cudlip, Mrs. Walter Gilbert, Miss Gilbert and Miss Stewart.

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Miss Addy, Union street, left on Friday for Ottawa, where she will visit her brother.

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Miss Julia Godfrey left on Friday for New Haven where she will visit relatives.

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Mr. Samuel Adams, of New York, is a guest at the Royal this week.

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Mrs. R. H. Dunn, of Bathurst, is the guest of Mrs. Griffith Bishop, Mecklenburg street. Mrs. Dunn is the mother of Mr. James Dunn, of England, who so generously donated the new chimes to the Cathedral, Fredericton.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harvey P. Hayward and Miss Faith Hayward left on Friday by automobile for Montreal where they will reside in future. Mr. and Mrs. Hayward and Miss Hayward will be greatly missed by a large social circle. They will live at the Royal George Apartments in Montreal.

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Miss Maude Addy left on Friday for a trip to Newport, Providence and Boston.

Dr. G. A. B. Addy will not return from his European trip until October 15th.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Prince and son, Byers, who have had quite an extended western trip, returned home on Monday.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. Walker Craibe and son, who have been the guests of Mrs. Craibe's mother, Mrs. Rainnie, will leave for their home in Detroit this evening.

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Mrs. A. L. Cowan, of Montreal, formerly of St. John, is visiting Dr. and Mrs. W. P. Bonnell, Hillandale.

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Dr. Murray MacLaren and Mrs. MacLaren returned home from England on the 24th. Dr. MacLaren attended the Seventeenth International Congress of Medicine in London, which lasted six days, during which subjects relating to the profession were discussed by the ablest living authorities. The congress was attended by 7,000 medical men of all nationalities and was presided over by Sir Thomas Barlow, one of the foremost physicians in London.

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Mrs. Babbitt, of Fredericton, who is visiting in Winnipeg, was entertained in that city last week at the tea hour by Mrs. Douglas McLaughlin.

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Mr. and Mrs. George Fleming, Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Worsley, and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Haycock went to Fredericton last week on a yacht and returned home the first of the week.

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His Honor J. G. Forbes and Miss Homer returned home on Tuesday after a most enjoyable trip to the continent.

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Miss Paisley, of Boston, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. C. F. Francis, on Orange street.

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Mr. and Mrs. Horace King leave on Monday night for a short visit to North Hartley, Quebec, where they will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clide Galloway, of London, England, who are summering at that resort. Mr. Galloway is a nephew of Mrs. King.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harold Coleman and little son, who had been visiting Miss Elizabeth Furlong, returned to their home in Boston on Thursday evening.

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Miss Fannie Raymond, of Woodstock, is visiting her uncle and aunt, Rev. W. O. Raymond and Mrs. Raymond, Summer street.

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Mrs. Alfred Porter left on Monday for Kansas, where she will visit her nieces. Mrs. Porter expects to be away about three months.

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Miss Fannie Burnside, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Hazen, at Fredericton, returned to the city on Wednesday and is the guest of Miss Francis Tibbits, Hazen street.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harry H. McCloskey, of New York, are guests of Mr. McCloskey's parents, Douglas avenue, this week.

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Miss Nora Knight, who has been visiting in the West, returned home this week, accompanied by Mr. I. W. Crawford, whose marriage to Miss Betty Knight has been announced to take place next month.

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Mr. and Mrs. William Hazen Barnaby have issued invitations for the marriage of their daughter, Helen Marjorie, to Dr. John Heyer Allingham, at their residence, 207 Princess street, on September seventeenth, at three o'clock.

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Mrs. F. E. Sayre entertained at a delightful luncheon on Wednesday in honor of Mrs. McLellan, of Montreal, and Mrs. C. E. McPherson, of Winnipeg. Other guests were Miss McArthur, Mrs. P. W. Thomson, Mrs. Frederick Schofield, Miss Mabel Sidney-Smith and Mrs. Gillis Keator.

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Mrs. L. P. D. Tilley has returned from a pleasant visit at St. Andrews-by-the-Sea and will leave shortly for Sackville.

## MONCTON

Moncton, Aug. 27.—Mr. Percy Crandall and family, who have spent the summer at Point du Chene, returned this week to the city.

Judge Wells, who has been spending some time at St. Andrews, is in the city.

Capt. and Mrs. J. E. Masters, leave next week on a trip to the Pacific Coast. They will visit Mr. Geo. Taylor, consulting engineer and manager of the H. M. Petrie Co. at Vancouver, also Mr. A. E. Taylor at Enderly, B.C. They will be absent about two months and will visit Victoria, Seattle, Winnipeg, and Upper Canadian cities.

Judge W. A. Russell, of Shediac, was in the city on Tuesday.

Miss Jennie Martin, bookkeeper for W. D. Martin and Son, has gone to Halifax to spend a fortnight, and also to attend the Halifax exhibition.

Mrs. A. E. Williams has returned from Guelph, Ont., where she was visiting her parents. She was accompanied back to Moncton by her sister, Miss Dunbar, who will spend some time here.

G. M. Harding, New Brunswick, Mrs. Peters, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Harris, of Moncton, were among Canadians registered at the High Commissioner's Office, London, during the week of Aug. 15.

An interesting event took place at 6.30 p. m. Wednesday at Humphrey's Mills, when Miss Ada Wass, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Snow, was united in marriage to Mr. Ivan McKnight of Fredericton. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. C. O. Howlett, B.A., B.D., pastor of the Lewisville Baptist church, in the presence of a large number of friends and relatives. The bride, who was given away by her father, looked charming in a gown of cream brocaded satin with crystal trimmings with Juliet cap and veil and carried a shower bouquet of roses and lilies of the valley. The bridesmaids were Miss Bereford, sister of the bride, and Miss Della McLean, of St. John. Mr. Martin Horncastle, of Fredericton, acted as groomsman. The bridesmaids were gowned in pale blue satin, with trimmings of pink chiffon roses, wore Puritan caps and carried bouquets of pink roses. The drawing room decorations were white roses, sweet peas, asters and swansonia, while the dining room was tastefully decorated with crimson geraniums. Assisting in serving were Misses Florence Killam, Myra Davis, and Winnifred Smith. Among the gifts were substantial cheque from the groom and parents of the bride and groom. The happy couple left on the Maritime for a two weeks' trip and on their return will reside in Fredericton. Mrs. McLean, Miss McLean and Miss Titus, St. John, Mrs. W. Barnes, Hampton, Mrs. H. J. McAvity and Miss McAvity, Sussex, were among the out of town guests.

Colin Blair, of Shediac, formerly employed in the I. C. R. general offices here, has gone to New Glasgow where he has accepted another position.

Miss Ella Stewart, of Moncton, is a guest for a few days at the Weldon House, Shediac.

Hon. H. R. Emmerson, of Dorchester, was in the city on Wednesday and registered at the Brunswick Hotel.

The Misses May and Ethel Wanamaker, who have been the guests of Miss Edith Burns, Fleet street, returned to their home in Portland, Maine, this week.

## ST. ANDREWS

St. Andrews, Aug. 30—A few ladies and gentlemen enjoyed a pleasant picnic party at Spruce Hill, Chamcook, on Tuesday night, returning on the late train. Those present were Mrs. Bert Rigby, Mrs. Fred Graham Melrose, Mrs. Fred Rowland, Misses Wade, Graham, Gardiner, Wilson, St. John; Emily Wade, Nellie Gardiner, Mollie Cougle, St. John; Mr. J. Kerr, St. John; Mr. Harrison Wade, Mr. Carpenter and Mr. N. Page.

The Misses Black, of Fredericton, were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler Mallock.

Mrs. Willard Foster, of Calais, is the guest of Miss Ester Cummings.

After a pleasant visit with relatives in town Mrs. F. M. Graham has returned to her home in Melrose, Mass.

Miss Laura Handy has been visiting in Quebec lately.

Mr. David Eggleton and son Robert are spending a short vacation with Mr. and Mrs. S. Shaughnessy.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Magee, of Boston, are the guests of Judge and Mrs. Cockburn.

Mrs. Kenneth Mowatt, of Edmunds, Wash., is the guest of her parents, Sheriff and Mrs. Stuart.

Miss Kaye Cockburn was hostess at the tea hour of last week to a number of friends. Mrs. R. A. Stuart presided at the tea table, which was prettily decorated with hot-house daisies and heliotrope. Miss Louie Hooper served the guests and assisted in receiving.

Miss Burchill returned to Newcastle on Friday, after a pleasant visit with Mrs. J. D. Grimmer, "Chamcook."

The Misses Hibbard gave a most enjoyable sailing party on Thursday afternoon to about forty of their friends.

Mrs. Pearson and daughters of Pittsburg, Penn, are guests of Colonel and Mrs. Hume at Brandy Cove.

Mr. Frank Howard, of Boston, has been a visitor in town lately.

Mrs. Wilson and Miss Margaret Wilson, of St. John, are spending a few weeks in town.

Miss Nellie Mowatt was hostess at a charming drawing-room tea from 4 to 6 at her home "Beech Hill" on Monday. Miss Marion Mowatt assisted in receiving. The guests included Mrs. R. M. Jack, Mrs. F. Barnard, Mrs. M. N. Clark, Mrs. C. Mackelvie, Edmonton; Mrs. C. Cole, Castleton, Vt.; Mrs. Morrow, Mrs. R. A. Stuart, Misses Bessie Hibbard, Kaye Cockburn, Louie Hooper, Allston, Emily Andrews, Alice and Mary Grimmer, Miriam Mowatt, Nellie Stuart.

Mrs. F. P. McColl gave an informal verandah tea on Tuesday, which was greatly enjoyed. Mrs. R. A. Stuart poured tea and Misses Bessie Grimmer and Kaye Cockburn served. Those present were, Mrs. G. Babbitt, Mrs. Cecil Fowler, Mrs. G. Hibbard, Mrs. Morrow, Mrs. Mackelvie, Mrs. Carl Cole, Mrs. J. E. Evans, Mrs. G. D. Grimmer, Mrs. Roy Grimmer, Mrs. K. Mowatt, Mrs. L. B. Stuart, Misses Nellie Stuart, Kaye Cockburn, Bessie Grimmer.

Colonel and Mrs. Hume gave a most enjoyable clam bake and beach tea at their charming home at Brandy Cove on Wednesday of last week, in honor of Mrs. Hume's sister, Mrs. Pearson, of Pittsburg, Penn.

## ROTHESAY

Rothesay, Aug. 28.—If Saturday afternoon is fine it is expected an interesting tennis match will be played on the local courts between St. John and Rothesay players. Ladies who will preside at the tea house are Mrs. Robert Thomson, Miss Thomson, Mrs. Harold Ellis, Mrs. John Davidson and Misses Fairweather.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Leonard are occupying their pretty new home on Grove avenue having moved from St. John last week.

Regret is expressed on account of the sudden death of Owen Ritchie, which occurred at Vancouver. Mrs. David Robertson of Rothesay is a sister and has the sincere sympathy of many friends.

The two days visit of A. D. Shortt, a former resident here, was greatly appreciated, and his friends here are looking forward to seeing him again on his way back to Montreal from Halifax, where he has gone to spend a two weeks holiday with his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Jones came home on Tuesday, having enjoyed a few days visit to friends in St. Stephen.

Mrs. R. E. Puddington and Miss Annie Puddington were on Friday hostesses at a very pleasant sewing party for Mrs. Curry of Halifax, and Mrs. Holmes of Lindsay, Ont., who are guests of their father James F. Robertson and Mrs. Robertson. Those present were Mrs. Curry, Mrs. Holmes, Mrs. J. F. Robertson, Miss Hooper, Mrs. T. E. G. Armstrong, Mrs. Harry Puddington, Miss Betty Curry, Mrs. Cudlip, Mrs. Frank Fairweather, Miss Domville, the Misses Armstrong, Miss Winnie Hall, Miss Margaret Fairweather, Mrs. Blair and others.

Miss Edith Row, who was for some time in charge of the Ellinor House at Nauwigewauk, and her sister Miss Amy Row, were among Rothesay visitors on Monday. Misses Row are now living in Boston.

Miss Phyllis McBride, of Montreal, who has been guest of Mrs. Fred Peters, is planning a trip to Nova Scotia before returning home.

The young people were last evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. James F. Robertson at a delightful dance given for their granddaughter and guest Miss Betty Curry of Halifax. Fine music was provided and a delicious supper served. Lots of sweet peas and double stocks added to the attractiveness of the scene. Among those present were Miss Betty Curry, Mr. Jim Curry, Miss Annie and Mary Armstrong, Miss Doris Sayer, Miss Athea Hazen, Miss Katherine Bell, Miss Edith Cudlip, Mr. Carrol Cudlip, Miss Jean Daniel, Miss Schofield, Miss Dorothy Purdy, Miss Dorothy McKean, Mr. Elmer Puddington, Messrs. Tom and Jim Gilbert, Mr. Colin MacKay, Misses Helen and Sue Heavenor, Mr. Gidean Heavenor, Mr. Moffet Bell, Mr. James deB. Domville, Montreal, Miss Jean Foss, Mr. Arthur Carter, Mr. Harry Barker, Messrs. Cam, and Roy MacKay and several others.

Mr. and Mrs. George E. E. Nichol, of Halifax, are here visiting Mrs. Nichol's mother and sister, Mrs. David Robertson, and the Misses Robertson.

Mrs. Fred Foster's "Montessori Play House" is proving a very attractive place, not only to the little people who, during the mornings, gather there, but also to visitors of more advanced years, of whom there are many.

A successful little sale of useful and fancy articles, candy, ice cream, etc., was held on Tuesday afternoon in the Presbyterian hall and proved a very pleasant social function. Some of those assisting at the different tables were: Fancy table, Mrs. Robertson, Miss L. W. Thomson, and Miss Robertson; ice cream, Mrs. Malcolm and Miss Layton; candy, Mrs. McColgan and Miss Elliott; aprons, Miss Dobbin and Miss Roberts; afternoon tea, Mrs. Chisholm and Miss Thomson. A number of young ladies assisted in serving. The affair was open a short time in the evening, when the electric lately installed was greatly admired.

Messrs. Wallace Turnbull and Errol Starr left by Sunday's train for Kingston, Ont., to attend the military college. A large number of friends were at the station to give them a send-off and wish them success. Both will be greatly missed in Rothesay.

This afternoon, Mrs. Royden Thomson and her young son, Master Jack, left for Toronto, where Mr. Thomson is awaiting them, before leaving on a trip to the coast. Master Jack is to be placed at a school near Toronto. Mrs. Thomson is expected home soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Corfield, Miss Hudson and Miss Allenborough, with Mr. Arthur Kennedy as chauffeur, had a very pleasant auto trip to Sackville last week, returning home on Friday.

Mr. Joseph Kennedy is at St. Martins this week.

The dance given in the Boat Club house by Messrs. Gordon and Darrel Peters was a most enjoyable function. Many Chinese lanterns were used, both for interior and exterior decoration. The guest of honor was Miss Phyllis McBride, others present being Mr. and Mrs. John Davidson, Mr. and Mrs. Payson, Mrs. Atwater Smith, Misses Emily Sturdee, Edna Logan, Betty Curry, Edith Cudlip, Jean Daniel, Dorothy Purdy, Katherine Carruthers, Emily Sturdee, Constance McGivern, Ruth Anglin, Lillie Raymond, Adele McAvenny, Kathleen Sturdee, Jean Foss, Dorothy LeRoy, Doris Sayer, Dorothy and Isobel Jack, Mrs. J. W. Domville, Alice Green, Katherine Bell, Messrs. Victor Crosby, Jim Holly, Otty Crookshank, Charles Inches, Guy Merritt, Everett Timmerman, Harry Barker, Jim Gilbert, Jas. Domville, Ronald Leavitt, Harrison Bullock, Stewart McLeod, Car Flood, Lionel Anglin, Gerald Anglin, Leslie Peters, Moffet Bell, Lloyd Campbell, Leslie Peters, Harold Crookshank, Victor Crosby, Lyman Anglin and many others. A splendid floor, good music and a delicious supper all added to the enjoyment.

Miss Covert, of New York, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Hannington.

## GRAND BAY

Grand Bay, Aug. 29.—Mr. Walter Vaughan, St. John, is spending a few days here the guest of Mr. James Barnes.

Master Russell O'Connor, of Dorchester, Mass., is spending this week the guest of Mrs. Henry Dunlap.

Miss Helen Raymond, of New York, who has been spending a few weeks the guest of Mrs. Charles Patterson, returned home today.

The event of the week was a tea given by Mrs. F. E. Garrett, when she entertained about forty of her friends. Among the out of town guests were Miss J. Hamm, of California, and Miss Raymond of New York.

Miss Mildred Barnes and party, who have been on a ten days camping trip to the Isle of Pines, have returned home.

Miss Alice Hawkins returned home on Wednesday after spending a week at Washademoak.

Mr. M. Law, of St. John, spent the week end the guest of Mr. C. Patterson.

Mrs. Henry Hamm and daughter, Izie, returned home from Boston this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Davidson, St. John, were the week-end guests of Mrs. W. Lewis, Pamdenac.

Miss Gladys Edwards is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. W. H. Dunlap, this week.

Rev. B. H. Nobles and son Claude are visiting Sussex this week.

Mrs. F. W. Dorman, St. John, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. W. Barnes.

Mrs. Donald McLean, of St. John, and Mrs. Flora Dunham, of Boston, are the guests of Mrs. T. F. Granville this week.

Mrs. F. Hea, Miss J. Cowan and Miss L. Sweet were the guests of Mrs. O. H. Price this week.

Capt. H. Hawkins and Mr. J. W. Barnes left Thursday for Bellisle to spend a few days.

Miss Marie Hamilton gave a delightful novelty shower at her fathers' summer residence, "Benanoir," Pamdenac, on Monday evening last in honor of Miss Flora McArthur, who leaves for Medicine Hat on Sept. 2nd to take part in a happy event. Many handsome and useful presents were showered and a very pleasant evening spent.

Mr. and Mrs. John Willett, St. John, spent the week-end with Inspector McLean.

Miss Hattie Lambert spent the week end the guest of Miss Nan McLean.

Mr. Roy Dalton was a week-end guest at Grand Bay last week.

Miss Agnes Corbett is spending the week-end with Miss Bertha McConnell at Pamdenac.

## FREDERICTON

Fredericton, Aug. 28.—Mrs. H. H. Pitts, formerly of this city but now residing in Ottawa, was a visitor in town last week, a guest at the "Queen."

Mrs. Dow VanDine left on Friday last for Toronto, where she will visit for some time with her son, Mr. Ernest VanDine.

Miss Madge Kelly and Miss Jennie Belmore were also passengers to Toronto on Friday.

The Misses Annie and Ella Babbitt have returned to Moncton, after spending some weeks at their old home in St. Marys.

Mr. and Mrs. Berton C. Foster returned on Saturday evening from a holiday trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayland Porter, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Porter and their families, who have been enjoying camp life at "Pine Bluff" for a week, returned to the city on Monday.

Mrs. George Burkhardt and Miss Whitehead entertained informally at a bridge of two tables on Monday evening.

The officers at the Barracks have invitations out for a "tea" on Thursday afternoon next.

Mrs. Shewen is entertaining a few friends at the Rectory, Springhill.

Miss Kathleen Phair is the guest of Miss Florence Clements, Springhill.

The Misses Annie and Dollie Johnson, who formerly resided here but now live in Montreal, are visiting their brother, Mr. Harry Johnson.

Miss Davida Raymur, of Vancouver, B. C., is a visitor in town, the guest of the Misses Taylor.

The beautiful grounds of "Bishopscourt" presented a gala appearance this afternoon when Bishop Richardson and Mrs. Richardson entertained a large number of ladies and gentlemen at a garden party. The host and hostess received their guests on the verandah, which was lavishly decorated with flowers. Tea was served from the summer house on the lawn, Mrs. T. Carleton Allen and Mrs. Schofield pouring, while assisting in serving were Misses Kathleen and Anna Taylor, Miss Davida Raymond (Vancouver), Miss Dorothea Thompson, Miss Bessie Babbitt, Miss Mattie McLaughlin, Miss Stella Sherman, Miss Grace Winslow, Miss Laurestine Bailey, Miss Kathleen Holden, Miss Doris Massey, Miss Marion Crocket, Miss Frances Sharpe, and Miss Helen Richardson. Mrs. Smithers and Mrs. Scammell served the ices in the drawing room.

An orchestra stationed in the conservatory played throughout the afternoon.

Rev. Mr. Hailstone and Miss Hailstone, of Bailey, N. B., were in town today and were among the guests at the garden party at "Bishopscourt."

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur R. Slipp were passengers to Montreal this evening on a short trip.

Mrs. Stewart L. Morrison is entertaining at the tea hour on Friday afternoon.

Miss Jeanie Hodge entertained at a small "tea" on Wednesday afternoon in honor of Miss Helen VanWart. Mrs. Hodge poured and Miss Doris Massey assisted Miss Hodge in serving the guests.

The Misses Annie, Ida and May McAdam, Miss Helen VanWart and Miss Edna Baird, of this city, Miss Tabor, of Lethbridge, Alta., and Miss Grant, of Southampton, left by C.P.R. this evening for Montreal en route to the Old Country. They expect to spend the next year in Germany, where they, with the exception of the Misses Annie and Ida McAdam, will study music.

## SACKVILLE

Sackville, Aug. 28.—Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Fisher, St. John are the guests of their son, Mr. Fred Fisher.

Dr. and Mrs. A. D. Morton spent a part of last week with Mrs. Charles Stewart.

Charles Homer Lane, chief specialist in agricultural education at Washington, D. C., and Mrs. Lane are enjoying a vacation at Bayfield.

Mr. and Mrs. William Copp, Port Elgin, are spending a few days at Toronto.

Colonel Arthur Morris, late head of the Duke of York Military School, Dover, Eng., with Miss Morris and family are guests at the Brunswick Hotel. Mr. Morris has recently purchased a valuable farm from H. L. Richardson, Midgic, which he purposes occupying shortly.

Mis Jennie King, B. A., left on Monday for Woodstock to accept a position as teacher in the public school.

Mrs. J. B. Andrews has returned from a visit at St. John.

Mr. and Mrs. Angus Avard spent the week-end at Shediac.

Dr. and Mrs. Snow went to Moncton on Wednesday to attend the marriage of Miss Ada Snow.

Mrs. Guilford Hicks and Mrs. Chalmers Micks were hostesses at a delightful thimble party on Friday from 4 to 7. Among the guests present were Mrs. W. Trueman (Point de Bute), Mrs. William Scurr, Mrs. J. R. Ayer, Mrs. Alfred Ayer, Mrs. Chas. Siddall, Mrs. L. Smith, Mrs. G. T. Morton, Mrs. Cushing (Florida), Mrs. Thompson, (California), Mrs. A. R. Fawcett, Mrs. Chas. George, Mrs. Hhetlock, Miss B. B. Ayer, Mrs. Harvey Bonser, Mrs. Milton Hicks, Mrs. George Campbell, Mrs. W. C. Morice, the Misses Sillikker, Elizabeth Harper, Margaret Harper, Mabel Read, Julia Hicks, Alice Ayer, Alice Campbell and Winnifred Harper.

Miss Alice Roberts, Rothesay, is visiting friends in town.

Mrs. F. W. Des Barres left for St. John on Tuesday, making the trip by automobile, in company with her brother, Mr. Churchill, of Montreal.

Messrs. R. Ness and E. Berjosky, of Montreal, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Miller.

Mrs. J. N. Wells has returned to her home in Toronto after a two months' visit in Sackville and vicinity.

Hugh Brownell, son of Rev. J. H. Brownell, has accepted the principalship of Baie Verte Superior School.

Mrs. Newcomb, of Vancouver, and Miss Taylor, of Montreal, are the guests of Mrs. F. A. Dixon.

Alderman J. W. Tucker has sold his handsome residence on Weldon street to A. W. Dixon, proprietor of the Intercolonial Hotel.

Miss Cliffie Dobson, of Hamilton, Ont., is visiting friends here.

Mrs. Lawson Smith was the hostess at a miscellaneous shower on Monday evening in honor of Miss Winnifred Harper. Mrs. Smith received her guests in a becoming gown of white lingerie and was assisted by her daughter, Miss Evelyn, who wore a pretty white marquisette dress. The guest of honor looked charming in pale silk messaline with lace trimmings. The house decorations were sweet peas and golden glow. A hamper, daintily trimmed in pink and white and laden with gifts, was brought in by Misses Evelyn Smith and Margaret Harper and placed by the side of the honoree. Each gift was unwrapped and displayed to the company. A clever and original verse accompanied each token which was read affording much amusement for the pleasant occasion. After this appropriate readings were given by Misses Kathryn Fawcett and Doris Ayer. There were about forty guests present. Ices and cake were served before the happy gathering dispersed.


**Wrinkles Disappear As if by Magic**

(From Denver Republican.)

"In the removal of wrinkles I have discarded cosmetics entirely," writes Mme. Corsan, the celebrated Parisian beauty expert. "The results they produce are deceptive and never permanent. Massaging is only partially successful and it's too slow a method.

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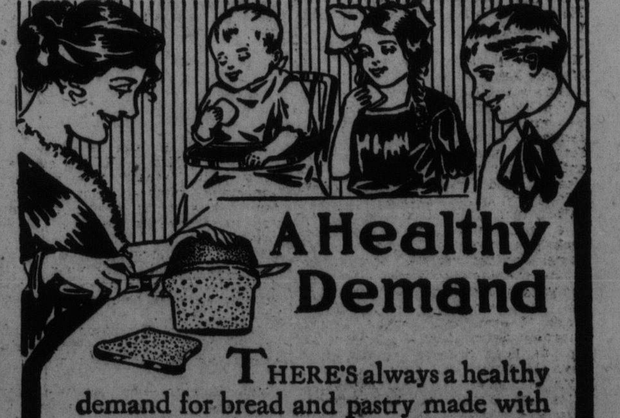

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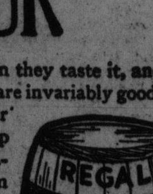


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# Happenings of the Week

## OTTAWA

Ottawa, Aug. 27.—Mrs. Frank Cochrane and Miss Edith Cochrane returned to town Thursday from Kennebunk Beach. They are again at their apartments at the Roxborough.

Dr. J. L. Chabot, M. P., returned Friday from his trip abroad.

Mrs. E. J. Chambers and family returned home Friday from Stanley Island.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Code have left on a boat trip to Newfoundland.

Sir Wilfrid and Lady Laurier left Friday by the former's private car "Canada" to visit Sir William Wheelock at Newmarket.

Messrs. Clarence Jameson, M. P., and H. Tremaine, M. P., are in town for a few days on departmental business.

Colonel and Mrs. Andrew Thompson who have been in England and on the continent for a couple of months, are sailing for home on the 29th inst.

Miss Katie McLaren has returned home from Whitby, Ont.

Mrs. William Scott and family return from Little Metes this week.

Sir Rodolphe Forget is in town for a few days.

Mr. Norman Guthrie has returned from visiting his family at St. Andrews, N. B.

Miss Daisy Lynch has left for Saskatoon to visit her brother, Dr. Arthur Lynch.

Mrs. George E. Foster returned on Saturday from Dalhousie, N. B., where she spent the summer.

Sir Henry Bate, Mrs. A. J. Christie, Mr. Barrett, P. Dewar, Miss Katie Christie and Mrs. Flewellyn N. Bate returned on Monday from St. Patrick's, where they spent the summer.

Miss Marjorie Cook has left on a visit to Toronto for two weeks, the guest of Miss Dorothy Blackie.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Graves and Mr. Arthur Graves returned home Friday from Goughal, N. B., where they spent several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Armstrong have returned to town after an extended visit to Vancouver and other western points.

Mr. Frank Nelson assistant secretary of the department of the interior, left Sunday night on a trip of inspection of the Dominion land offices in the west.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerewy Taylor, of Kingston, are in town for a few days and are guests at the Chateau.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ferris and Miss Ferris have returned home from Prince Edward Island, after spending the summer at the Wightman House, Lower Montague.

Mrs. J. A. Ruddick has returned home from Biddeford Pool where she spent the summer.

Miss Alden Godwin is the guest of Mrs. N. A. Belcourt at Blue Sea Lake.

Mde. Girouard and Mrs. Paddy Barkerville are returning this week from Biddeford Pool.

Mrs. Jack Macpherson and Miss Edith Macpherson are returning early next week from Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Bliss and family returned home on Saturday night from Stanley Island where they spent the summer.

Miss Ruth Pentland, of Quebec, who has been the guest of Mrs. Warren S. Lyman, has left to visit friends in Kingston.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dorey and Miss Dorey arrived home on Saturday from Portland where they spent several weeks. Miss Scott will remain there until next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Aylwin and family are returning from Tremont Park next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Manning Stires, of Mount Vernon, N. Y., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Tibbits. They made the trip from Mount Vernon by motor.

Mrs. O. H. Sharpe is entertaining informally this evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. J. Taylor and Mrs. Tibbits' guests.

Hon. J. D. Hazen and party are returning to Ottawa next week from their western trip. The party were met Monday at Port Arthur by Mr. Alex. Johnston, Deputy Minister of Marine and Fisheries, and Mr. A. R. Tibbits.

Mr. D. Lorne McGibbon, of Montreal, is coming to town this week to attend the races.

Owing to the fall meet of the Connaught Park Jockey Club many members of the smart set are returning to town from the summer resorts earlier than usual. Sir Charles Fitzpatrick, who was expected to occupy the Royal box on the opening day, was unfortunately unable to do so. The popular president of the Jockey Club, Mr. H. B. McGivern, and his wife, will be present, accompanied by a party of friends. A number of distinguished strangers are also expected in town for the races.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. McGiverin have returned to town to attend the races and are staying temporarily at the Victoria Chambers. After the races are over they will return to their summer residence, Hillcrest, and will not open their town residence for some time yet.

Hon. Clifford and Mrs. Sifton are also in town for the races.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Macoun, who have been spending the summer at the Manor Richelieu, Pointe a Pie, have left for Rimouski on a fishing and hunting trip, accompanied by Col. H. C. Lowther.

Colonel Lowther, the popular and efficient military secretary of His Royal Highness, the Duke of Connaught, is sailing on Oct. 2nd for England, to rejoin his regiment, the Scots Guards, his leave having expired. His place will be filled by Major Farquhar, who is expected in Ottawa in two or three weeks' time. Mrs. Farquhar and children will come to Canada later.

Lady Grant and Miss Grant, who have been spending the summer at Rye Beach, have returned to their apartment at the Roxborough.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Fauquier and children, who have been summering at Rye Beach, returned to Ottawa yesterday.

Mrs. Rockcliffe Fellowes, Jr., who has been visiting Mrs. Fellowes at Belcourt Cottage, has returned to New York.

Mr. Reginald Smith, who has been Mrs. Sherwood's guest at Blue Lake, has returned to town.

Miss Ethel Perley is the guest of Mrs. H. Carleton Monk, at Little Metis.

Miss Fraser, who has been spending the past six weeks with her sister, Mrs. Frank Anglin, at Blue Sea Lake, has left for her home in Toronto, where she will take an active part in the lunch and tea room at the Provincial Exhibition, in aid of a charitable organization.

Mr. George Desbarats, who accompanied the Hon. J. D. Hazen and party to British Columbia, returned last week, and left almost immediately for Dalhousie, N. B., where Mrs. Desbarats and children have been spending the summer. They will return to the Capital this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Reade and family, who have been spending the summer at their pretty bungalow at Blue Sea Lake, have had Mr. Valentino Molina, R. A., of London and Paris, Mr. Victor Whitehead and Mr. Inald Magor, of Montreal, staying with them for the past month.

Among the many Ottawans who have returned to town this week from various summer resorts are Miss Fannie Scott, Miss Ethel Chadwick, Mrs. H. B. Cassils and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Devlin, Mrs. A. R. Wade, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Fauquier and children, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Blackburn and family, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sladen, Miss Mildred Cox, Mr. Gordon McLennan, Mr. Peter Murphy, Mr. Wale Creighton, Mrs. L. K. and Miss Marjorie Jones, Miss Muriel Fellowes, Mr. and Mrs. Donald McDougal, Mrs. F. W. Powell, Mrs. Britton Francis and family, Mrs. and Miss Ralph Jones and Miss Elsie Jones.

Mrs. R. A. Davy and Miss Kathleen Davy returned yesterday from Charlottetown, P. E. I.

## SUSSEX

Sushsex, N. B., Aug. 28.—Mrs. W. B. McKay and Mrs. J. R. McLean, who have spent the past three months in Vancouver, returned home on Tuesday. While in the west Mrs. McKay also visited Seattle, Tacoma and Victoria.

Mrs. A. W. Oldfield and family, who have beeen spending the summer with Mr. and Mrs. John King, Smith Creek, left this week for their home in Halifax.

Miss Florence Thompson, of Boston, who has been the guest of Mrs. Percy Wilbur, returned to her home Saturday.

Mrs. Hickson, who has been visiting friends in Moncton, returned to "The Kusee," Friday.

Miss L. Brown, of Fredericton, is the guest of Mrs. Geo. Fairweather.

Miss Jean Connely, of Salmon River, is the guest of the Misses Morrison.

Miss Hattie Barnes, of Hampton, was the week-end guest of Mrs. L. R. Murray.

J. D. O'Connell arrived from Cuba this week.

Miss Miles, of Fredericton, was in town this week the guest of Mrs. Perkins.

Miss Bessie A. R. Parker arrived on Monday from her home in Millerton.

Miss Mary Allan, who has been spending her vacation at her home in Petitcodiac, arrived on Monday to resume her duties.

Mrs. Phipps, Pleasant avenue, was hostess at a delightful tea on Wednesday afternoon in honor of her daughter, Mrs. Keirstead, of Windsor, N. S.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Atherton and family, who have been spending the summer at Amherst shore, returned home on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Fadgen, of Sydney, are guests of Mrs. Harley White, Church avenue.

The Misses Campbell, Fox Hill, were hostesses at a delightful dance on Thursday evening at their home.

Miss Nettie Morrison and Mr. Robert Morrison have invitations out for a dance on Friday evening at the home of their aunt, Mrs. E. A. Charters.

Miss Gertrude Sherwood left on Friday for Halifax to spend a few days with her brother, Mr. Walter Sherwood.

Miss Edna White, who has been spending the summer at her home here, returned on Saturday to Jersey City, U. S. A.

Mr. Charles Short, of Kalispell, Montana, arrived in town on Friday and is the guest of his mother, Mrs. H. H. Dryden, Church avenue.

Miss Thompson and Miss Bliss, of Fredericton, are guests of Mis Louie Neale at "The Rectory."

Miss Alice Davidson was guest of honor at a variety shower held in the Oddfellows' rooms on Tuesday night by the Rebekahs. Miss Davidson is to be a principal in an interesting event in the near future.

About forty of the U. N. B. engineers are camping on the military grounds and will probably remain for several weeks. Much practical work will be carried out. Professor Stiles, assisted by E. T. Berry, are in charge.

Dr. and Mrs. Murray's little daughter, Elizabeth, met with a painful accident last week. While playing she broke her arm.

Miss Mary Archibald, Hopewell, is the guest of Mrs. Hagen Adair.

Otis Sherwood was in Sussex this week.

Mrs. Laud has returned from a visit to friends in P. E. Island.

Mrs. Leight Langstroth and children are guests of Mrs. Robert McFee.

Miss Margaret Murray, Charlottetown, is the guest of Mrs. Frank Roach.

Mrs. M. P. Titus is the guest of Mrs. Arthur Keith.

Miss Bessie Campbell is visiting friends in Hartford, Conn.

## SHEDIAC

Shediac, N. B., Aug. 28.—Shediac has been very gay socially ever since the early part of the summer and many pleasant functions have taken place. The most novel of the season's society events occurred on Wednesday evening, when Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Shaeffer and Dr. and Mrs. E. A. Smith entertained at a masquerade seaside dance, at the Shaeffer-Smith cottage, Cape Brule. Abundance of bunting and greening formed an artistic setting for the varied and handsome costumes worn, and for the fantastic and original dress in evidence on both the ladies and gentlemen present. Excellent music was furnished by the Shediac parlor orchestra and other musicians attending. A numbe rof strangers were among the guests and the occasion was heartily enjoyed by all. The guests included Mrs. J. D. Weldon, the Misses Weldon, Mrs. Lawton, the Misses Lawton, Miss Hamilton, Boston, Mrs. Rob. Jardine, Miss Jardine, Mrs. Blair, Mrs. Talbot, Calgary, Miss Webster, Miss B. Harper, Shediac, and Mrs. Chapman, Miss Nan Chapman, Mrs. Edward and Miss Ruth Edward, Brule, and Messrs. R. Jardine, R. Murray, E. Roberts, Bishop, Montreal; J. Bruce, Porto Rico, McKenzie, Kingston, B. Robb, Cooke, and McGregor, Moncton, and Rev. Percy Colthurst, St. John.

Mrs. F. Robidoux and Mrs. Eric Robidoux, at the home of the former, "The Willows," entertained during the week at afternoon tea in honor of Mrs. N. Robidoux, Ottawa.

Pleasant social functions of recent date were the teas at which Mrs. Chas. Roberts at her home, Queen street, was hostess on last Thursday and Friday afternoons from 5 to 6 o'clock. The aides to the hostess on the first occasion were her sister-in-law, Miss Roberts, Miss Muriel McQueen, and the Misses Annie and Jane Roberts. Mrs. Blair presided over the pouring of tea. Pretty cut flowers adorned the small tea tables at which the guests assembled. Ladies present included Mrs. Chas. Harper, Mrs. Lawton, Mrs. O. M. Melanson, Mrs. L. Dorion, Mrs. E. A. Smith, Mrs. R. Jardine, Mrs. Jas. McQueen, Mrs. Moore, Mrs. Sormany, Mrs. H. McDonald, Mrs. D. S. Harper, Mrs. H. B. Steeves, Mrs. Talbot, Calgary, Mrs. Blair, Mrs. J. D. Weldon, Mrs. Jas. E. White, Miss White, St. John, Mrs. M. Casey, Mrs. T. Landry, Memramcook, and Mrs. W. McKinnon.

On Friday afternoon Mrs. Roberts was assisted by Mrs. M. Casey who poured tea and the young ladies to serve the guests were the Misses Roberts and Miss Muriel McQueen. Ladies present were Mrs. E. Paturel, Mrs. Oulton, Mrs. A. J. Tait, Mrs. R. C. Tait, Miss A. Evans, Mrs. DeWolf, Mrs. H. W. Murray, Mrs. C. C. Avard, Sackville, Mrs. J. Livingstone, Mrs. Kelly, Miss Burns, Halifax, Mrs. G. A. White, Miss McAfee, Halifax, Mrs. M. Connor, Mrs. J. Connor, Mrs. Alvin Mugridge, Mrs. S. Macdougall, the Misses Mills, Mrs. Howe, Mrs. W. Avard and Miss Roberts.

Mrs. Roberts also entertained a number of the young people for her daughters, the Misses Annie and June. 500 was played at three tables and prizes won by Miss Marion White, Moncton and Edward Talbot, Calgary.

In honor of her grandson, Edward Talbot, Mrs. D. S. Harper entertained at a young folks' party at her home, Sackville street, on Tuesday evening. Games and dancing were the features of the evening's entertainment. Boys and girls present included Jean Webster, Fred and Bob Webster, Gladys Smith, Russell and Donald Smith, Elizabeth Blair, Muriel McQueen, Annie and June Roberts, Dean Smith, Reginald Curray and Allen Tait.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Tait, the Misses Hilda and Eleanor and Master Allen Tait, and Miss G. Evans, left town Wednesday on a motor trip through the Annapolis Valley, along the South Shore, others parts of Nova Scotia and Sydney, Cape Breton.

The Misses Burns, Halifax, are visiting Mrs. John Kelly.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bruce and child, of Porto Rico, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Bruce at Bannockburn, Shediac Cape.

Miss Hatheway, of New York, is visiting the Misses Tait.

Mr. and Mrs. Lennox, of Richibucto, are guests of their daughter, Mrs. John Livingstone.

Mrs. C. C. Hamilton, Newcastle, is at the home of the Misses Evans, Main street.

Mrs. C. C. Avard, Sackville, is the guest of Mrs. H. W. Murray, Belcourt.

Mr. Earle O'Brien, Halifax, was in town this week.

Mr. W. G. R. Humphrey, Halifax, is at the Weldon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Webster are on a trip to Toronto and Montreal. Mrs. Webster will visit friends in New York before her return.

Mr. Leon. Melanson, the Misses Lena and Evangeline Melanson and Mrs. Jas. E. White are leaving town this week to attend the Toronto exhibition.

## DORCHESTER

Dorchester, Aug. 27.—Miss James Friel was the hostess of an enjoyable bridge on Saturday evening last. Those present were: Miss Wallace (Pictou), Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tait, Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Smith, Dr. and Mrs. Ryan (Paris), Mrs. Veits, (Westville), Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Tait, Miss Ada Palmer, Miss Wilbur. Mrs. Smith won the ladies' prize. Mr. F. W. Tait the gentlemen's prize.

Mrs. Warden Pipes was hostess at a pleasant bridge on Tuesday evening for her daughter, Miss Lila Foster and guests Miss Fairweather, and Mrs. Coster. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Ryan (Paris), Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. James Friel, Mr. and Mrs. George Payzant, Misses Emily Teed, Helen Bradley, Mynna Lockhart, Doris McGrath, Muriel Chapman, Nina Tait, Aileen Chapman, Doris De Veber, (St. John), Carmelita Richard, Ada Palmer, Alice Fairwheather, Miss Coster, Messrs Allison, Aysart (Moncton), Will Hickman, Joe Hickman, Ted McGrath, Herb Palmer, Sydney Willett, (Moncton), Cyril Chapman, Llonel Teed, Will Tait, Will McQueen, Gerald and Fred Foster.

Mrs. John Hickman gave a delightful "auction bridge" and dance for the young people, on Tuesday evening. Miss M. Chapman won the ladies' prize. Mr. McQueen the gents. At midnight a dainty supper was served, the dancing was enjoyed until the wee sma' hours. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Smith, Mrs. Veits, (Westville), Dr. and Mrs. Geo. Ryan, (Paris), Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Hanington. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Payzant, Miss Doris McGrath, Misses Coster, Emily Teed, Nina Tait, Muriel Chapman, Carmelita Richard, Lila Foster, Aileen Chapman, Ada Palmer, Messrs. Will Tait, Ted McGrath, Llonel Bent, (Amherst), Cyril Chapman, Will McQueen, Herbert Palmer, Fred and Gerald Foster, Ralph Hewson, Llonel Teed, Will Hickman, Joe Hickman.

Mrs. G. Veits and daughter, Miss Katherine, of Westville, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Smith.

Miss Gladys Blair, Miss Elizabeth Blair and Miss DeVeber, who have been visiting Misses Dorothy and Margaret Teed, have returned to their homes in Shediac and St. John, respectively.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Tait and children, Miss Clorine and Masters Barlow and Fritz, left on Monday for Vancouver, B. C., where they will make their future home.

Miss Mary Carmen, who has been the guest of Miss D. L. Hanington, has returned to her home in Moncton.

Mr. Rene Richard has returned to Dalhousie.

Miss Mollie McDade has returned to St. John.

Misses Marjorie and Louise Friel, have returned to Chatham to resume their duties at St. Michael's Academy, after spending the summer the guests of the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Friel.

Miss Flossie Lochart, left on Friday for Jolicure, where she has secured a position as teacher.

Miss Imogene Chapman was the guest of friends in town over Sunday.

Mrs. Rogers and daughter, Miss Frances have returned to Hopewell Hill, after spending some time the guests of Dr. D. D. McDonald.

Mrs. Ernest McCully, of Amherst, was in town on Saturday.

## REXTON

Rexton, N. B., August 28.—A memorial tablet was placed in the Presbyterian church here Sunday in memory of the late Rev. James Law, who, for 30 years was pastor of this church. The tablet was unveiled by William J. Brait, one of the oldest members of the congregation. There were large numbers present from different parts of the county, and five clergymen were present. Rev. Mr. MacKinnon, principal of Pine Hill College, Halifax, Rev. A. D. Archibald, a former pastor of the church, Rev. C. H. Hardy, the present pastor; Rev. H. A. Meek, who is visiting in Richibucto, and Rev. Thomas Pierce, of Richibucto.

Rev. Emile Ouellette, who was ordained priest in the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, at St. John, Sunday, will this morning celebrate his first mass in his home parish, St. Mary's (Kent county). The mass will be celebrated in the beautiful new church of Our Lady of Mount Carmel, which has recently been completed.

Miss Nellie O'Connor returned home Friday from Lynn, Mass. ,where she has spent some time. Her sister, Miss Elizabeth, left Tuesday for Bow Island, Alta., where she has accepted a position as teacher.

Misses Caulie and Vera McInerney left Monday for Sussex, where they will teach.

Miss Annie McInerney has gone to Dalhousie to teach.

Misses Lynn and Mary Wright went to Sackville Monday to fill positions in schools there.

The Jardineville school, which was closed some time, was re-opened on Tuesday, with Miss Mary Wright as teacher.

Miss Agnes McDonald has opened the school at East Galloway.

Miss Florence Givan, who has been spending a vacation at her home in Galloway, left yesterday for Springfield, Mass., to resume her duties as nurse.

Miss Clora Palmer has returned to Upper Dorchester to teach and Miss Minard Palmer has gone to McWairn, Kent county.

Our schools reopened Tuesday with the same staff of teachers.

## HAMPTON

Hampton, Aug. 28.—Harry Evans, who has spent the summer in the west, is home for a few weeks before resuming his studies at Macdonald College.

Miss Lillie Raymond, of St. John, is a guest with Miss Katherine McAvity.

Mrs. Stamers and daughters, of St. John, who have spent the summer here returned to St. John on Tuesday.

Mr. G. G. Scovil left on Friday to spend a few weeks at her old home in Ontario. During her absence Mr. and Mrs. Guy Humphrey and daughter Helen, of St. John, are occupying her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wetmore and child arrived last week and have taken rooms with Mr. Robert Seely "Linden Heights." Mr. Wetmore is the new principal for the Hampton Consildated School.

Mr. Myles Innis left on Saturday on a business trip to Toronto.

Miss Laura Howard left on Monday for Hartland, Carleton County, where she will teach school for the coming year.

Miss Ethel Brittain was a guest with Dr. and Mrs. King at their camp on the Belleisle for a few days.

Miss Vera Gass has returned from a pleasant visit with friends in Nova Scotia.

Mr. Roland Barnes returned last Thursday from Ottawa where he has been taking a course in military training.

Miss Hattie Alward left on Monday for Port Elgin, Westmorland County, where she will teach in one of the departments of the public school.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Smith and son are guests with Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Smith, Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Ritchie, of Boston, who have been spending their vacation with Mr. William and Miss Rose Ritchie, returned home Tuesday.

Rev. A. H. Crowfoot is spending the week at Richmond Corner, Carleton County.

Mr. and Mrs. Benton Evans, of Minto, are visitors at the home of Mrs. Edwin Evans.

Mr. and Benj. Smith are guests with Mrs. Smith's sister, Mrs. Lemuel McDonough.

Mrs. Arthur Sharpe entertained at the tea hour on Friday for her sister Mrs. Smith.

Miss Helen and Mr. H. H. Scovil left on Monday for a motor trip to the North Shore.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank White and Master Stuart are guests at Wayside Inn for a few days.

Mrs. S. S. King entertained at her camp on the Belleisle to a very enjoyable picnic on Friday afternoon last.

## NEWCASTLE

Newcastle, August 28.—Hon. James Lawley, of Chicago, with Miss Lawley and their mother, Mrs. Lawley, are visiting relatives at Douglastown—Councillor Lamont, Mrs. George Henderson and Mrs. Scott.

Miss Janet Williston is visiting her brother, Allan, in Moncton.

Miss Adelaide Bockler visited Miss Louise Crocker of Milltown this week.

Miss Beatrice Black returned to Moncton this week.

Mrs. Frank E. Miller (nee Black), is home from Malden, Mass., on a visit to relatives.

Warren Rae, of Amherst, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Rae.

Mrs. T. H. Whalen has returned from a visit to relatives in Ontario.

Miss Maggie Driscoll, of Bangor, Me., is visiting relatives in Douglastown and Bartibogue.

Miss Eastwood, of Toronto, is visiting Miss Bessie Crocker.

## WOODSTOCK

Woodstock, Aug. 29.—Mrs. George Wetmore and Miss Marjorie Wetmore returned to St. John on Monday.

Mrs. J. Arthur F. Gorden entertained at a small informal bridge given in honor her guest, Mrs. George Wetmore, of St. John, on Saturday evening. The guests were, Mrs. W. P. Jones, Mrs. James S. Creighton, Mrs. T. C. L. Ketchum, Mrs. B. Lawrence MacCollom, New York; Mrs. A. G. Bailey, Mrs. George Wetmore.

Mrs. Irwin Merriman and Miss Marguerite and Miss Muriel, returned from St. John Saturday evening.

Mrs. W. W. Hay arrived home on Saturday after a visit spent in Queens county.

Mrs. W. S. Sutton entertained the members of St. Paul Presbyterian church very pleasantly on Friday evening.

Miss Nora Wetmore who has been the guest of Miss Lillian Jones, returned to her home in St. John on Monday evening.

Mr. Shepherd Esty, of New York, is the guest of Mrs. Stephen B. Appleby this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Loane and Miss Dorothy Loane spent last week at Skiff Lake.

Mrs. Rice Tupper, of Toronto, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Charles H. Perkins, Connell street.

Miss Kathleen Synott, who spent her vacation in St. Stephen and Red Beach, is at Coneagain.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Brown and daughter, of Winnipeg, were among visitors in town last week. They left on Tuesday for Toronto where Mr. Brown will attend the druggists' convention before returning to Winnipeg.

Miss Jennie Smith, of Boston, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith.

Mr. Walter Sprague, of the Bank of Montreal, Montreal, is visiting his parents, Dr. and Mrs. T. F. Sprague.

Mrs. Frederick M. Rutter, who has been the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Connell, returned to Toronto last week. Mrs. Rutter was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Connell.

Miss Margaret Dibblee arrived home today from Newport, and will be the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Allen Dibblee.

Invitations have been issued for the marriage of Miss Marguerite Lamb, to Mr. Jeffrey Russell Newman Cooke at Caurrose, Alberta, the ceremony to take place in St. Luke's church, at 3.30 o'clock on Tuesday, September 16.

Nine members of the Woodstock Tennis Club went to St. Stephen on Saturday where they played a match with the border city club. With the exception of Miss Caroline Munro, all the Woodstock players were defeated. Unfortunately it was raining in the morning and blowing heavily in the afternoon, making good play impossible. Those taking part in the match from town were, Mrs. H. G. Deeds, Miss Grace Jones, Miss Mae Marley, Miss Caroline Munro, Messrs. Charles D. Jones, H. G. Deeds, Stewart Bailey, Lawrence Bailey and Perley Hartley. In spite of the crushing defeat and the unpleasant weather, the party came home delighted with their trip, and loud in their praises of the royal treatment they received from the St. Stephen club.

On Tuesday evening the residence of Mrs. J. A. F. Garden, was the scene of a jolly gathering, when the young lady friends of Miss Marguerite Lamb genuinely surprised her by tending to her a shower of linen, cut glass and silver, in anticipation of a happy event which is to take place in the near future. Mrs. Garden's residence was beautifully decorated with flowers for the occasion. When Miss Lamb entered the room she was met by a shower of flowers. After the merriment subsided she was invited to sit down and open a large basket containing parcels of all sizes and shapes, much amusement being created by some of poetry accompanying the parcels. Dainty refreshments were served, and solos were sung by Mrs. G. W. Gibson, Miss Caroline Munro and others. Miss Lamb was gowned in golden brown silk with lace trimmings. Those present were, Misses Marion Winslow, Alice Neil, Mildred Carvell, Ethel Harshaw, Mildred Balmain, Alice Bowyer, Grace Jones, Caroline Munro, Cassie Hay, Mabel Lister, Edith Dalling, Campbell, Fredericton; Maude Smith, Marguerite Smith, Myrtle Gabel, Jean Sprague Mrs. Harold G. Deeds, Mrs. George W. Gibson, Mrs. Donald G. Nicholson, Mrs. Jack Dibblee.

Mrs. John Stewart gave a delightful five o'clock tea to a few of her friends on Wednesday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Rice Tupper, of Toronto. The guests were, Mrs. B. H. Smith, Mrs. Lee Raymond, Miss J. Bourne, Mrs. W. W. Hay, Mrs. W. S. Skilled, Mrs. C. H. L. Perkins, Mrs. Rice Tupper, Mrs. H. G. Deeds, Mrs. Welch.

Mrs. H. V. Dalling was the hostess at a five o'clock tea to a large number of her friends on Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. John Watt poured the tea and coffee, and the Misses Campbell of Fredericton, and Miss Alice Niel served the guests.


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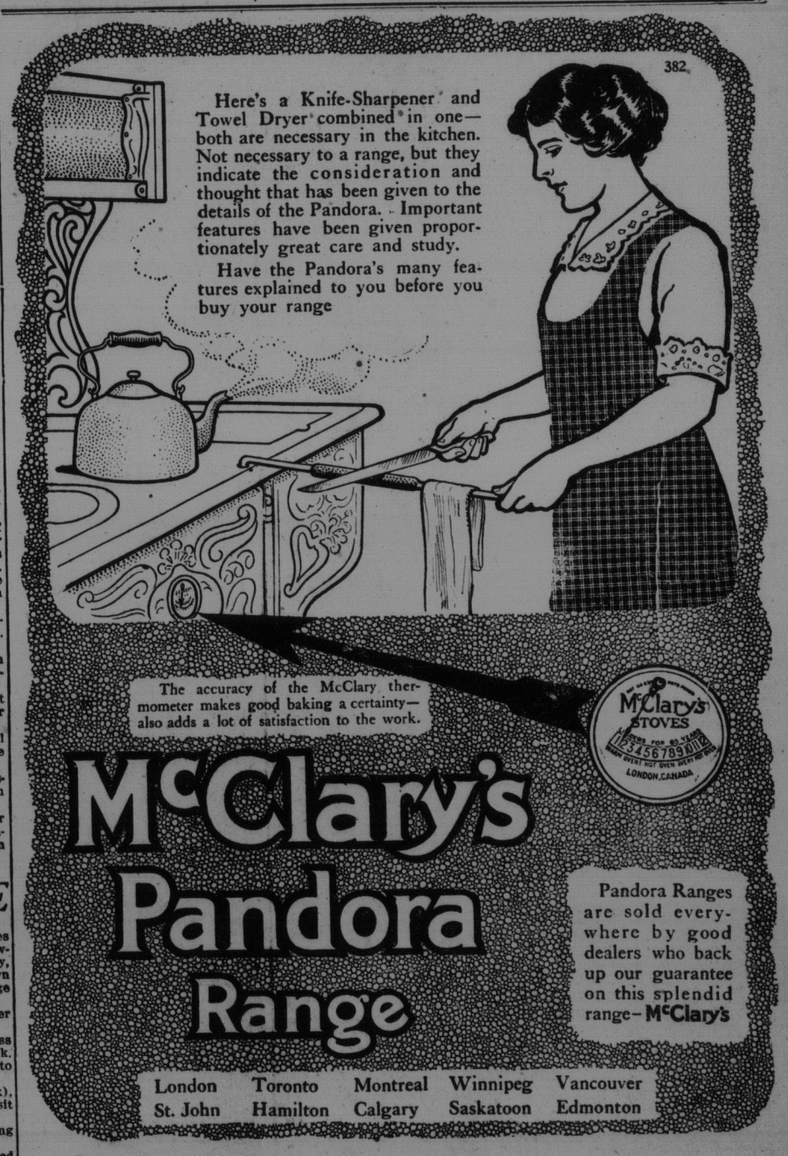


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# FIGHTS FOR THE FLAG

## *George II. at Dettigen.*

June 27, 1743.

Towards the close of the month of June 1743, a great army of 40,000 gallant men, under a British general, Lord Stair, lay bewildered and helpless in the narrow valley, some eight miles long, betwixt Dettingen and Aschaffenburg. It seemed a doomed army. In the judgment of their exultant enemies, at least, the shadow of swift-coming surrender and captivity lay upon it. In that German valley, the tragedy of the Caudine Forks, they thought, was to be translated into modern terms at British cost! An English king, too, the last crowned British monarch who commanded an army in actual battle, was in that imperilled host. And to the light-tripping French imagination there had already arisen the golden vision of a captive English king, with his subjugated troops, being led in triumph through the streets of Paris; thus compensating distressed French pride for the disasters of Crecy and of Poitiers, and the promenade of John I. as a captive through London!

France, it is to be noted, has enjoyed few "consolations" of this character. Great Britain is not generally looked upon as a "military" nation; her true field is the sea. Yet, to quote Alison:—

"She has inflicted far greater land disasters on her redoubtable neighbor, France, than all the military monarchies of Europe put together. English armies, for one hundred and twenty years, ravaged France, while England has not seen the fires of a French camp since the battle of Hastings. English troops have twice taken the French capital; an English king was crowned at Paris; a French king rode captive through London; a French emperor died in English captivity, and his remains were surrendered by English generosity. Twice the English horse marched from Calais to the Pyrenees; once from the Pyrenees to Calais; the monuments of Napoleon in the French capital at this moment owe their preservation from German revenge to an English general. All the great disasters and days of mourning for France since the battle of Hastings—Tenchebray, Crecy, Poitiers, Azincour, Verneuil, Crevant, Blenheim, Oudenarde, Ramillies, Maplaquet, Minden, Dettingen, Quebec, Egypt, Talavera, Salamanca, Vittoria, the Pyrenees, Orthes, Waterloo—were gained by English generals, and won, for the most part, by English soldiers. Even at Fontenoy, the greatest victory was snatched from its grasp solely from want of support on the part of the Dutch and Austrians. No coalition against France has ever been successful in which England did not take a prominent part; none in the end has failed of gaining its objects, in which she stood foremost in the fight."—Alison's "Life of Marlborough," ii, 432.

By all the known and ordinary rules of war, the position of the allied army at Dettingen was hopeless. To the north rose, steep and trackless, and black with pines, the Spessart hills. To the south—its banks here and there liquefying into a sour morass—flowed the river Maine. The strip of valley betwixt river and hills averaged not more than half a mile in width; and on the high southern bank of the Maine, which commanded, as the broadside of a frigate might command a yacht, the low and narrow valley, wet and treacherous with bogs, where the British were stranded, was a great French army, 70,000 strong, under the most famous of living French generals, the Marshal de Noailles. A master of the art of war, De Noailles had thrust a strong force over the bridges at Aschaffenburg across the van of the allied army, barring its march. He had drawn 23,000 men across the Maine at Dettingen, cutting Lord Stair from his base at Hanau and from Dettingen to Aschaffenburg French batteries, perched on the high southern bank of the Maine, stood ready to scourge with fire the narrow valley opposite, crowded with a stranded and starving army.

The most serious feature in the position of the allied army was the fact that its communications were cut, and its supplies exhausted. An army, according to Frederick the Great, 'moves on its stomach," and the British stomach, in that strait little valley north of the Maine, had got past the marching stage. There was a scanty supply of unripe rye for the horses, and a yet scantier supply of unnutritious ammunition bread for the men; but the interval betwixt that host of 40,000 hungry soldiers and mere famine was measurable by hours. De Noailles, in a word, was applying in 1743, to the British army he had caught in so pretty a trap, the very treatment which Bismarck applied to Paris in 1870. He was allowing it to "stew in its own juice," and was superintending the process with a dainty ingenuity which, from the abstract military point of view, was altogether admirable.

Of that imperilled 40,000 only 16,000 were pure British; the rest were Hanoverians, Hessians, &c., hired and nourished by British gold. But the experiment of trying to starve into tame surrender 40,000 soldiers of British or German stock, with muskets in their hands, is a somewhat perilous business for even the most adroit of military artists. Soldiers of British or kindred blood, their native courage edged and made dour by hunger, are very apt, in such straits, to turn on their tormentors, and, in violation of all the rules of war, tumble them into ruin. As Carlyle puts it, "40,000 enraged people of English and other Platt-Teutsch type would have been very difficult to pin up into captivity or death, instead of breakfast. . . . The hungry Baresarks, their blood fairly up, would find or make a way through somehow." And the story of the battle of Dettingen is the tale of how those 16,000 hungry and angry British soldiers—for they did most of the fighting—with all generalship and all the advantages of ground against them, by sheer, dogged, unscientific, and what their enemies complained was mere "stupid" fighting—the fighting of the rank and file, the actual push of reddened bayonets, and the blast of volleys delivered so close that they seemed to scorch the very flesh of their enemies—burst through De Noailles' toils, tumbled that ingenious general in mere ruin across the Maine, and turned starvation into victory.

The unhistorical reader may wonder how it came to pass that in 1743 a British army, with a British monarch as its head, was running the risk of capture in Central Germany, and under the shadow of the Bavarian hills. Carlyle somewhat unkindly pictures the typical modern Englishman dandling of the universe in mere amazement, "Battle of Dettingen, Battle of Fontenoy—what in the devil's name were we doing there?" He adds that the only answer is, "Fit of insanity, delirium tremens, perhaps furens, Don't think of it!" An educated man is expected to know "who commanded at Aigos-Potamoi, and wrecked the Peloponnesian War. But of Dettingen and Fontenoy, where is the living Englishman that has the least notion, or seeks for any?" With one consent we have tumbled the Austrian succession war into the dustbin, and are cheerfully content that it should lie there. It belongs to those wars which may be described as "mere futile transitory dust whirlwinds, stilled in blood;" spasms of pure distracted lunacy on a national scale. "The poor human memory," Carlyle adds, "has an alchemy against such horrors. It forgets them!"

But this is only an example of Carlyle's too energetic rhetoric, and his own more sober judgment may be quoted against his swift and sword-edged epithets. In the war with Spain picturesquely labelled from "Jenkins's ear," the statemanship of England was on one side; the dim, inarticulate instinct of its common people was on the other. And the people were wiser than the statesmen! Walpole was forced into war against his will; and, as he listened to the bells of St. Paul's ringing in exultation when war broke out, he said, bitterly, "They may ring their bells now; before long they will be wringing their hands!" Yet, if ever war was justifiable, that against Spain in 1739 was.

Spain claimed to be mistress, by decree of the Pope, of all the seas and continents covered by the vague title of "the Spanish main"; and so for two centuries, whatever was the case in Europe, perpetual war raged in the Tropics. South of the line the British trader was driven by stress of necessity to become a buccaneer, and from the days of Drake the unfortunate Pope's decree had been slashed with cutlasses and rent with sea-cannon till it became a thing of rags. The claim of Spain to keep half the world locked up, from the common life of the race, under an ecclesiastical seal, was a menace to civilisation. "To lie like a dog in the manger over South America," reflects Carlyle, and say, snarling, 'None of you shall trade here, though I cannot,' what Pope, or body of Popes, can sanction such a procedure? . . . Dogs have doors for their hutches, but to pretend barring the Tropic of Cancer—that is too big a door for any dog!"

By the Assiento treaty the British were allowed to despatch one ship, not exceeding 600 tons, to the Spanish main each year; but what parchment skin of treaties could keep the volume of the world's trade flowing through such a petty squirt! Illegal traders in the Spanish main abounded, and Spanish guards costas were not gentle in their method of suppressing them. Captain Jenkins, with his vessel the Rebecca, sailing from Jamaica to London, was stopped and searched off the coast of Havanna, by a Spanish revenue cutter. Jenkins was slashed over the head with a cutlass, and his left ear half chopped off. A Spanish officer then tore off the bleeding ear, flung it in its owner's face, and bade him "carry it home to his king, and tell him what had been done." The story of how that little morsel of brown, withered human flesh turned out a spark which kindled the inarticulate slow-burning wrath of the English nation into a flame, and swept England itself into war, is told in the following chapter. Carlyle himself says:—

"The 'Jenkins's ear, question which once looked so mad, was sane enough, and covered tremendous issues. Half the world lay hidden in embryo under it. 'Colonial Empire'—whose it is to be? Shall half the world be England's for industrial purposes, which is innocent, laudable, conformable to the multiplication table, at least, and other plain laws? Or shall it be Spain's, for arrogant, torpid, sham-devotional purposes, contradictory to every law? The incalculable 'Yankee nation' itself, biggest phenomenon (once thought beautifullest) of these ages, —this, too, little as careless readers on either side of the sea now know it, lay involved. Shall there be a Yankee nation, shall there not be? Shall the new world be of Spanish type, shall it be of English? Issues which we may call immense! Among the then extant sons of Adam, where was he who could in the faintest degree surmise what issues lay in the Jenkins's ear question? And it is curious to consider now, with what fierce, deep-breathed doggedness, the poor English nation, drawn by their instincts, held fast upon it, and would take no denial, as if they had surmised and seen. For the instincts of simple, guileless persons (liable to be counted stupid by the unwary) the sometimes of prophetic nature, and spring from the deep places of this universe."

But to the "Jenkins's ear" question was added yet another, of scale almost as huge. In 1733 the Bourbon houses of Paris and Madrid framed betwixt themselves the famous "Family Compact," of of a series of such compacts which Burke has described ast "the most odious and formidable of all conspiracies against the liberties of Europe that have ever been framed." By this "Compact" the foreign policy of two great nations, it was agreed, should be "guided exclusively by the interests of the House." France was to aid Spain with all her forces by land and by sea, whenever Spain chose to warn England absolutely off the Spanish main. The two branches of the Bourbons, in a word, were secretly pledged as allies in a policy which threatened the freedom of Europe in general; and England, as the chief Protestant and freedom-loving Power, was specially menaced. Its maritime supremacy was to be ruined. The attack on the Austrian succession was but an attempt to carry out the hateful principles of the "Family Compact." Frederick of Prussia, bribed by the hope of Silesia, had joined France and Spain. France claimed the Netherlands, Spain half Italy, and Gibraltar was to be wrested from Gret Britain. In wise self-defence England was aiding with purse and musket the gallant fight Maria Theresa was making for the patrimony of her child. Yet nominally there was no war betwixt England and France when the battle of Dettingen was fought; and this explains Horace Walpole's famous epigram, "We had the name of war with Spain without the thing, and war witht France without the name."

On June 19, 1743, George II., with his son the Duke of Cumberland, who won an evil fame afterwards as "the butcher of Culloden," rode into Lord Stair's camp at Aschaffenburg. Royal father and son, betwixt them, had not military intelligence enough to make up a twentieth-rate general; but both had an abundant stock of that primary element in a soldier, mere fighting courage. George II. Carlyle describes grimly enough as "a mere courageous Wooden Pole with cocked hat on top"; while of his son, the Duke of Cumberland, he declares that he "knew little more of war than did the White Horse of Hanover." But the quality of bulldog courage has been the attribute of the Welf race since the days of Henry the Lion, and both father and son possessed this in a shining degree. The second George, it is true, had not many other titles to human respect. Thackeray describes him as "a dull little man of low tastes." He had neither dignity, learning, morals, nor wit. He was "a little red-faced, staring kinglet"; there was no external signature of royalty upon him. Bielfield, quoted by Carlyle, has drawn a curious little pen picture of this second of the Georges: a little man, of violent red complexion, with eyebrows ashy-blonde, and parboiled blue eyes, flush with face, nay, even standing in relief from it, "after the manner of a fish"! George had the manners of a clown, and the morals of a "wecher." Every one remembers how, when his dying wife bade him marry again, this remarkable monarch replied, through his sobs, "No, no! I will have mistresses"! The Duke of Cumberland, morally, was, no doubt, an improvement on his father. At least, he had that rudimentary sense of honour which teaches a man to scorn a lie. But he was "of dim, poor head," and had not the faintest vestige of military skill. But he was "as brave as a Welf lion." Both father and son, indeed, would have shone as hard-swearing, hard-fighting, red-faced privates.

And yet it may be doubted whether father and son were not, on the whole, exactly the leaders which the desperate task before the allied army needed—enough to know how desperate the situation was. A better general might have tried manoeuvers, and De Noailles, with all his advantages of numbers and position, would have beaten him hopelessly. The case was one which needed not so much brains as hard-pushing bayonets. "In Teuton populations," says Carlyle, "on that side of the Channel, or on this, there is generally to be found, when you apply for it, an unconscious substratum of taciturn inexpugnability, with depths of potential rage almost unquenchable. Which quality is, perhaps, strengthened by their 'stupidity' itself—what neighbors call their 'stupidity'—want of idle imagining, idle flurrying; ay, want even of knowing." For mere fierce, dogged, hard-thrusting, close-pressing combat—the business in which lay the one hope of the allied army—George II. and his 'martial Fat Boy,' the Duke of Cumberland, were not unfit leaders."

For the rest, the British troops at Dettingen were of fine fighting quality. The mere names of the regiments stir one like the rolling cadence of a passage from Homer: "Ligonier's Horse," "Onslow's Foot," "Cope's Dragoons," "the Horse Guards Blue," "the Scots Greys," "the Grenadier Guards," "the King's Regiment," the Scotch Fusiliers," "the Welsh Fusiliers," &c. The Earl of Stair himself was a Scottish veteran, familiar with battles, though not a "lucky" soldier. Perhaps the finest soldier amongst the British was Ligonier, who had played a gallant part in Marlborough's campaigns. In the battle of Malplaquet, he had twenty-three bullets through his clothes, and was unhurt! But Ligonier had a gen-lus for discipline, and he did for what is now the 7th (Princess Royal's) Dragoon Guards, what Sir John Moore did for the Light Division—he made it a fighting instrument of singular power. He became its colonel when it was on the Irish establishment and was known as the 8th, or "Black Horse"; afterwards it was called Ligonier's Horse, then the 4th Irish Horse and now the 7th Dragoon Guards. Under Ligonier it was composed almost exclusively of Irishmen, and he so tempered and shaped it by discipline that it became, perhaps, the finest single regiment of horse in Europe.

Carlyle says, somewhat unkindly, that at Dettingen, the English officers "behaved in the usual way, without knowledge of war, and without fear of death; cheering their men, and keeping them steady upon the throats of the French." But that may be fairly described as the whole duty of a British officer in such a fight as that of Minden!

The logic of hunger compelled the British leaders to come to prompt and resolute decision. Hanau was their base of supplies, and they determined to fall back upon it through Dettingen. George believed that when this movement was detected, De Noailles would fall with his utmost force upon his rear, so he kept his British regiments as a rearguard, and took command of them himself. On June 27, the allied forces began a slow and sullen retreat. But De Noailles had thrust his nephew, the Duc de Grammont, with 23,000 men, across the bridges at Seligenstadt, and seized Dettingen, thus barring George's retreat.

It would be difficult to imagine a stronger position than that held by De Grammont. The village of Dettingen stands in a defile; it is crossed in front by a stream, with treacherous and marshy banks; this, in turn, is covered by a morass. De Grammont had under him the elite of De Noailles' Army, with strict orders not to move from his position, but to hold it to the death. The British must struggle through the morass, and flounder across the brook to reach the hollow way barred by the village, and held by 23,000 of the choicest troops of France, with a cross-fire of artillery covering their front. The valley, in a word, was a bottle, of which Dettingen was the cork!

As soon as George II. discovered that, to save his army, way must be won with steel and bullet through Dettingen, he changed the formation of his forces, and brought the British and Hanoverians to the front. The process took four hours, or from eight o'clock to twelve o'clock, to accomplish, and for the whole of that period the moving troops, were scourged with fire from the French guns on the high southern bank of the Maine, a fire against which the British cavalry, drawn out in a long and slender line, formed a human screen of very penetrable quality. "Our regiments," wrote an officer in Bland's Dragoons, "was

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A cash deposit must accompany each bid, the amount being as stated in the form of Tender, and no bid will be considered unless on the form specified and in the envelope furnished.

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GILBERT G. MURDOCH,
Engineer.

St. John, N. B., Aug. 27, 1913.

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MONDAY, SEPT. 8th,

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Plans and specification may be seen at the Station Master's Office, Levis, P. Q., at the Chief Engineer's Office, Moncton, N. B., and at the office of the Assistant Deputy Minister and Secretary, Department of Railways and Canals, Ottawa, Ont., at which places forms of tender may be obtained.

All the conditions of the specification must be complied with.

L. K. JONES,
Asst. Deputy Minister and Secretary,
Dept. of Railways and Canals.
Ottawa, Ont., Aug. 14th, 1913.

NOTICE OF MEETING.

Notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the shareholders of The Standard Limited will be held at the Company's office, 82 Prince William street, St. John, on Tuesday, September 2, 1913, for the purpose of considering the following by-law, adopted at the annual meeting of the company held on July 8, 1913:

"By-law No. 20—Authority shall be asked of the Lieutenant Governor in Council to increase the capital stock of the company fifty-nine thousand dollars, divided into five thousand nine hundred shares of ten dollars each, making a total capital of one hundred and forty-nine thousand dollars divided into fourteen thousand, nine hundred shares of ten dollars each."

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST LAND REGULATIONS

THE sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years old, may homestead a quarter section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. The applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-Agency for the District. Entry by proxy may be made at the office of any Local Agent of Dominion Lands (not sub-agent) on certain conditions.

Duties—Six months residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres, on certain conditions. A habitable house is required in every case, except when residence is performed in the vicinity.

In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter-section alongside his homestead. Price $3 per acre. Duties—Six months residence in each of six years from date of homestead entry (including the time required to earn homestead patent) and 50 acres extra cultivation. The area of cultivation is subject to reduction in case of rough, scrubby or stony land after report by Homestead Inspector on application for patent.

A homesteader who has exhausted his homestead right and cannot obtain a pre-emption may take a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price $3 per acre. Duties—Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate 50 acres and erect a house worth $300.

W. W. CORY,
Deputy of the Minister of the Interior.

N. B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.

The Commissioners of the Transcontinental Ry.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Extension of Time.

Notice is hereby given that the time fixed by the advertisement of the Commission dated July 28th, 1913, inviting tenders for the construction of locomotive and car shops at St. Malo, P. Q., for the reception of tenders, namely, 12 o'clock noon of Tuesday, 2nd day of September, 1913, has been extended until 12 o'clock noon of Tuesday, the 9th day of September, 1913.

By order,
P. E. RYAN,
Secretary.

The Commissioners of the Transcontinental Railway.

Dated at Ottawa this 21st day of August, 1913.

Newspapers inserting this advertisement without authority from the Commissioners will not be paid for it.—46864.

TENDERS.

SEALED TENDERS will be received at the office of the Common Clerk, City Hall, until noon of Tuesday, September 2nd, 1913, for Bitulithic Pavement on a concrete base on the southern side of King Square and on Queen street from Germain to Charlotte.

Specifications and plans may be seen and forms of tender obtained in the office of the Commissioner of Public Works.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

MILES E. AGAR,
Commissioner.

ADAM P. MACINTYRE,
Comptroller.

St. John, N. B., August 25th, 1913.

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SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until Noon, on Friday, the 3rd October, 1913, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails, on a proposed Contract for four years, 6 times per week each way, between Cody's and Rural Route No. 1, from the 1st January next.

Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed Contract may be seen and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Offices of Welsford, and at the office of the Post Office Inspector.

A. N. R. COLTER,
Post Office Inspector.

Post Office Inspector's Office,
St. John, N. B., Aug. 20., 1913.

MAIL CONTRACT.

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until noon on Friday, the 3rd October, 1913, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails, on a proposed Contract for four years, 15 times per week each way, between Welsford and C. P. Ry. Station, from first January next.

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A. N. R. COLTER,
Post Office Inspector.

Post Office Inspector's Office,
St. John, N. B., Aug. 20., 1913.

TENDER FOR COAL.

SEALED TENDERS will be received at the Common Clerk's Office, City Hall, up to Monday, first day of September next, at 12 o'clock noon, for the supply of:

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H. R. McLELLAN,
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# FROM GYPSEY TENT TO PULPIT

## The Life Story of Gypsey (Rodney) Smith as Told by Himself at the Stony Brook L. I. Bible Conference

Stony Brook (L. I.) Bible Conference this year was regarded as, in many ways, the most successful of any that had preceded it. The audiences were large at all the meetings, and the men who preached, made addresses and gave Bible expositions, were all prominent and widely known. The outstanding event of the notable week was the appearance for two addresses of Gipsy (Rodney) Smith, the world-famous evangelist, who acceded to the wishes of the Rev. Dr. John F. Carson, president of the Stony Brook Assembly, and the Rev. William Hiram Foulkes, who had charge of the programme, and interrupted his journey westward to speak at the conference.

The largest audience in the history of the conference attended the service of Wednesday evening, more than 900 persons by actual count being in the Auditorium. The space in front of the big building was occupied by fifty-six automombiles and many carriages, carryalls and stages, the people coming from a radius of at least fifty miles to hear the great evangelist, Dr. Foulkes presided and the opening prayer was made by the Rev. Mr. Hamilton, pastor of the Methodist Church of Stony Brook. The Rev. Dr. J. Wilbur Chapman, the famous evangelist also offered prayer. Mrs. William P. Youngs sang effectively a beautiful solo. Gipsy Smith sang in sweet voice and in appealing tone the hymn, "Pass It On."

Gipsy Smith had intended to preach a sermon, but there were so many requests that he tell his life story that he finally consented, although he said he should take occasion to preach a little during its recital. He spoke on "From Gipsy Tent to Pulpit." He said in the course of his wonderful address:

I have been requested to tell how grace found me in my gipsy tent and I will try to do so, but at the same time I shall speak concerning the Master whom I serve and who has done such great things for me, and can and has done so much for you and all the world. I shall close by giving a personal invitation, and I hope many of those who have not accepted the Savior will do so before they leave this building tonight.

In spite of the skepticism of some of you I am a real gipsy. We gipsies are of real blood, we are the real thing, not the counterfiets that sometimes go around in wagons from place to place. We have manners and customs all our own. We are so old, I do not know how old. There are from two and a half to four and a half millions of gipsies in the world. The question is frequently asked what a gypsy is. There are all sorts of answers: "One who tells fortunes." "A fellow who swipes kids." It is not true. The gipsies have so many children of their own that they do not need to steal any. Of some of their characteristics I shall not speak, but in view of the fact that they have no Bible, no schools, no education, no religious surroundings, they are the most moral people in the world. I never knew of a gypsy who was divorced, and yet they have no Bible. I never knew a fallen woman in a tent. And yet they have no Bible. A gipsy boy is early taught to honor woman. I never heard of a gipsy breaking into a bank or disorganizing one. And yet they have no Bible. When you read cheap dime novels, go to a picture show, say this to yourselves please, "What would we be without a Bible or without churches and religious influences?"

There is no vice in my veins no alcohol in my blood. I do not know the taste of the stuff. Jesus saved me in my gipsy tent before I contracted any evil habits. I believe it is better to have a fence on the edge of a precipice than to have a hospital at the bottom. If any one here has any evil habits I beg of you to give yourself to Christ now and he freed from them. The sins of the gipsies are not so black as they are painted. My uncle, converted when he was 99, lived a beautiful life for two years and died at 101, and he was the father of thirty-one children.

Some of the sins of my people are drink, pilfering, nothing big, and swearing, but the biggest sin is lying. The women are hard to bring to Christ and will not come to Him because of their fortune telling. That is lying. A woman knows it, but she continues the practice as a means of making money for her sustenance. My father is still living at the age of 82, tall straight and weighs about 240 pounds. He is one of the saints of the world. On July 16, when I left him for a world tour, he came in for prayers—he lives next door to me in Cambridge, England—and with him were the man servant, the maid and all the household. The Ninety-first Palam was read and then I asked father to present me to the throne of grace while I was away. He said: "No. You are where I presented you when I found Christ, my blessed Savior."

Some people are careful of what they never possessed, therefore they are anxious about the reputation of others. The gypsies traveled the country without church, and the church people left us there, never coming near us and inquiring about our souls, probably considering that we did not have any. God saw something, however, in that gypsy tent, for out of it came six preachers. One time the oldest child, a daughter, was taken sick. A doctor was called from the nearest village. He examined the daughter over the door and then told father and mother that she had smallpox. He told us to take the wagon into a secluded lane near by. We did so, and then my father pitched a tent under a hawthorn tree. Father was the faithful nurse, mother remaining in the wagon to take care of the children. One after another the girls were taken to the tent, where father faithfully watched over them. Mother used to come as near as was safe to bring food, but one day she went too near. She was a woman and she had a woman's heart for her sick children. She came nearer and nearer, and, as I have said, one day she came too near, and she took the smallpox. There were mother, sister, brother, all sick with it, and a little babe was born in a few days. There was no Christian to help.

One day, mother—she was my stepmother, but dear to us all—called father to her and said: "Cornelius, I am dying. Promise me to stop drinking and lying. Promise." Father went and sobbed out his tears on the grass. He was in agony, and I shall never forget how he listened when mother sang:

I have a Father in the promised land.

"Polly, where did you learn that song? I never heard you sing it before?" asked father, and mother replied that she had heard it when a child, and she believed it and knew that God would take her home. Father's tents were pitched on a village green, and he pondered those words in his heart, upon which there came a great burden, which was evident to even the children about him. Jesus, speaking of the Holy Spirit, said: "When the spirit is come he will bring all things to your remembrance," and the Spirit had come to mother even in the little heard through that hymn. Father was weeping, and mother said, "Do not weep I am not afraid to die. I am ready. I could go to my Father without I was ready. You will come, too, Cornelius," and then she passed to her saintly rest.

Then I heard these words: "Rodney, mother's dead." I shall never forget them. They ring in my ears now, and I shall remember the agony they brought into the soul of that little gypsy boy until I too pass on. When you hear those words you, too, will know what they mean. Oh, if you have a mother take care of her. Don't kill her by inches and think you can wipe out a slow, disgusting murder. God has a column where He writes the names of the boys and girls who honor their fathers and mothers.

Father was a changed man from that time—morally changed, and if there had been a Christian there to point the way and help him he would have been converted. He was convicted of sin. He did not swear. He did not drink. The children never swore and I have never known the taste of liquor. Father, I say, was changed. He was not the same man. He could not be. But he wasn't a Christian although he would put some of you church members to shame. You are not a Christian until you are born again, and you have no right to call yourself one until you are. Father would have been a converted man years before he was if there had been a Christian to help him. I remember the scene of two tents, two wagons ,two horses, a group of men and women meeting two other wagons and men and women, who proved to be relatives—uncle and wife. My father spoke to his brother of his burden, of his hunger for the Light that lighteth every man that cometh into the world. There is a problem for you to solve. These men hungering for something they could not find. Can you explain it?

Father determined he would go to London, go to a church and try to find that which he sought—peace in the Lord. He declared that he would go, and he would not come back until he found it. He had never seen a Bible, never heard a hymn sung except that which his wife had partly sung when she was passing into glory, and he had never heard a prayer offered. He went on his way to London and I followed for a distance. He did not look back, but went on and one night he found himself near a mission room and heard the strains of that grand old song: "There is a Fountain Filled With Blood," and then the line, "It breaks the power of canceled sin," and presently he leaped and shouted: "I'm converted. I believe it."

I remember when he came back to the tent and we called to one another, for we had been waiting for days for him, "He's coming." The old, weary look was gone. There was joy and peace in his countenance. "He's converted," we repeated. Who will say that it was not the dawn of a new day for the world. He walked up the steps of the wagon, and calling the children one by one, said, "Don't be afraid, God has sent me home a new creature." An evangelist was born that day. There was no Bible, no preacher, only the Holy Spirit and two gypsy men, but thirteen gypsies were converted before breakfast.

When I had given myself to Jesus Christ my life was shunted from the down life to the up life. What about father? His life has been so beautiful that none of his boys have gone wrong. He had no books, but his life was an example to his children, whose first idea of God came from the unfolding of that life before his motherless children. Such is the power of an example.

When I became converted I wanted to be a preacher right away. A more unlikely candidate you never saw. I could not even spell my name. I was born in a tent near Cambridge, therefore I am a Cambridge man. Sometimes I want to sing aloud in the street Wesley's grand old hymn, "When the work first began." Grace works wonderfully. The conversion of those gypsies was a wonderful work of grace. My father often lingered about the lane after my mother died, and my sister, Tillie, and I, little ones, went to find her grave, which was some distance away, and which we reached by running and walking, wading little brooks, and inquiring at cottage after cottage, until we came to a cottage near a country church. Here we were told where it was, and we plucked wild flowers and placed them on it while our little hearts were breaking.

If you do not believe in the mighty power of the Son of God, explain. Oh, how I love my Savior. If Christ could come into a gypsy tent and make him an evangelist, why not give him your heart? Oh, boy, girlie, open your heart and say to Christ, how happy I will be. I say, if He would come into gypsy tent and make him an evangelist of five continents, without your privileges, without your advantages, could He not do something for you? He will make an investment of your character, of your mind, of your heart, of your professions, of your surroundings. There can be, and I say it reverently, no worse hell than the hell of meeting with a disappointed Christ. Don't disappoint Him.

Scores rose at the invitation, and Gipsy Smith remained and talked with many who professed conversion. It was a notable and impressive service.

# Baptist Notes

The most widely known Baptist papers in America, the Watchman, of Boston and the Examiner, of New York, have amalgamated and the new paper will be called the "Watchman-Examiner." Dr. Laws, of the Examiner will be Editor in chief and Dr. Merriman, of the Watchman will be New England editor. Both papers have had a very wide circulation and the first issue of the new paper will be of 30,000 copies.

The new Baptist Church has been dedicated at Prince Rupert, B. C. The pastor, Rev. W. H. McLeod is a native of Norton, N. B.

The United Baptist Church, at Browns Flats has been greatly improved and was recently reopened, several city pastors assisting in the dedication.

Rev. A. C. Archibald, of Brockton Mass., who has been spending the summer with his family at their cottage, on the shores of Digby Basin, had the misfortune of losing the cottage and all its contents, including wearing apparel, by fire. So sudden was the conflagration that they were glad to escape with their lives.

All Maritime Baptists rejoice that the Moncton Baptists are to build of stone. The First Baptist church, of Moncton, is very strong and they are evidently pulling together.

The First church, Baltimore, Maryland, are determined that there shall be no falling off in interest while they are searching for a pastor The pulpit will be supplied by the most eminent ministers in the land. Among them will be Dr. Robert Stuart MacArthur, who will preach for three Sundays in September and two Sundays in October.

In a recent volume of sermons by Dr. Russell H. Conwell is one dealing with the amusement question. No one who knows Dr. Conwell will consider him a narrow man. He has a big heart, a sunny disposition, and a keen sense of humor. He believes that, of all men, Christians ought to have the best time. When he comes to the dicussion of the theatre he speaks of the time when it was a distinctively religious institution through which people were educated in religious truths. Then he adds these words, with which we heartily agree:

The church has given up the theater because today a great many of its exhibitions are wrong, and I believe the theatre on the whole does more evil than good, and I would vote for its entire prohibition. Whiskey may be good to take for a rattlesnake bite, yet has caused much evil when used out of place. Yes, the theatre does more harm than good. You need but go out on the street and look at the billboards to understand what the theatre is. I know it must often be immodest, and immodesty leads to licentiousness and all kinds of wickedness, to assassination, to murder. Anything that ministers to such base passions is wrong.

The persecution of Baptists in Russia seems for the moment to be less severe. Pastor Fetler, of St. Petersburg was recently worried by a Baptist Pastor and permitted to go with his bride to Stockholm to the World's Baptist Congress. This would not have been possible six months ago.

In Russian Baptist Churches there are about 100,000 members in about 1,000 churches. Speaking at the recent European Congress at Stockholm, Sweden, the Rev. Simon Stepanoff, of Moscow, spoke for the Russian National Union and said:—"Every year the Lord is adding thousands to His Baptist people in Russia, and now, according to our reckoning, we have more than 1,000 churches and 100,000 members. The Union is divided into fifty districts. The mission work in the villages is carried on by the district for the purpose. The National Union employs ten travelling preachers, and two are evangelists. Russia is so vast that with all these numbers the workers are relatively few. Before 1905, we met in secret places, in forests and at the dead of night, without lamps, but despite persecutions, imprisonments, exile, the work went on. New churches are being formed; the work is being extended, and our treasury is empty. It is desirable that you should pay attention to education in Russia of Russian preachers."

In a recent report from India is found the following:

Miss Archibald writes:—"Forty three days were spent on tour from three centres, and some seventy villages were visited by our party. We had the pleasure of assisting in the fourteen public meetings conducted by Mr. Archibald. Crowds came from the villages all round. Women also came in large numbers. It was a great sight to see four hundred people sit down quietly outside the tent and listen with mouths and ears open to the blessed message—no cows or dogs or babies to interupt as there are in the villages. Our helpers gave most earnest testimony; it seems there must be a break, a yielding to the claims of Jesus—but the desired end did not appear.

"The tour from the third centre was the most enjoyable I ever spent. The people seemed to be more than usually cordial. Groups of women were continually coming to my tent and as the wind blew a hurricane they would come inside. Such meetings we had! One woman, a Guru (Priestess) with a strong, earnest looking countenance seemed so satisfied in her own beliefs —but praise God that satisfaction disappeared and she found peace in believing in Jesus. Such a joy to all, the change in her!

"Of many many instances of encouragement I could write, but space does not permit. Discouragements we had too. When we camped near the Christian village Mr. and Mrs. Archibald and I and all our helpers did our best to bring about a change in the attitude of the Christians there. They say, "We want to believe in Jesus, but we want to be secret Christians. If we are out and out, how will we get our children married?" etc. We spent meeting after meeting and spent hours in personal dealing and prayer. We are still waiting at the portal for the answer. The preacher we have has taught the children, and how they can sing! We covet these bright little ones for the Lord.

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# FIGHTS FOR THE FLAG

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cannonaded for nearly three hours by batteries in front, flank, and rear; and then," he adds, "our three broken squadrons of the French Household Guards." The relief of charging anybody, however, after standing so long to be helplessly shot at, was so great to Bland's Dragoons that they dashed through the splendid French Guards, as through a brush fence, "though," adds the officer we have quoted, "it is a miracle one of us escaped!"

By noon George had got his front in fighting shape. He had religiously put on the coat and hat he had worn at Oudenarde, thirty-five years before, when he had personally led a brilliant cavalry charge; and the solemn encasing of his stumpy little body in that old-fashioned, powder-stained uniform, with its faded tints, was a touch of sentiment quite unusual in George's prosaic and sulky nature. Just at this moment came the one French blunder which gave to the British a magnificent opportunity. De Grammont was little better than a rash and gallant youth, and there rode beside him French nobles as daring and as reckless as himself. French genius, as a thousand battles prove, lies rather in attacking than in waiting to be attacked. De Grammont had watched for four intolerable hours the allied forces slowly forming before him, till he could watch the business no longer. He sallied out from his stronghold, crossed the stream, picked his uncertain way through the morass, and came charging down to sweep the British off the face of the earth! Had he moved earlier while George H. was laboriously changing his formation, the stroke might have succeeded. But the British were now ranked in order of battle. They formed the spearhead of the long column of 40,000 men, straggling over six miles, of which the other troops were but the wooden staff.

They were, too, in grim fighting mood, hungry and wrathful. The French batteries had opened fiercely on the British lines, the balls falling thick round the post where George stood, and he was entreated to "go out of danger." "Don't tell me of danger," he said, "I'll be even with them!" His horse, alarmed by the tumult and the crash of shot, bolted. George succeeded in stopping it, and then dismounted; he would fight on foot, "he could trust his legs," he said, "not to run away with him!"

The Duke of Cumberland, with General Clayton and General Sommerfeldt, led the first line; the second was led by the Earl of Dunmore and the Earl of Rothes; Ligonier and Honeywood commanded the first line of horse, Cope and Hawley led the second.

The French line came on swiftly and with confused tumult. The British moved forward with dogged slowness, but with the air of men who did not propose to go back. When within some sixty yards of the enemy they halted for a moment, that the lines might be dressed, and then there broke from the steady ranks that sudden shout, deep-throated and challenging —what Napier describes as the most menacing sound ever heard in war—the hurrah of the British soldier as he meets his foes in battle—"a thunder-growl edged with melodious ire in alt," as Carlyle put it! From the French lines there came a tumult of shrill sounds; but after the fight was over, prisoners declared that the volume, the angry, challenging menace of that deep shout from the steadily moving British, shook the French lines as no blast of musketry could have shaken them!

The leading squadrons of cavalry on both sides dashed through the intervals of infantry; and with one long, sustained and crackling sound of crashing blades under which rolled like some deep bass the shouts of the contending horsemen, the squadrons met in full charge betwixt the moving lines of infantry. At first the French horse prevailed by mere dint of numbers and the speed of their charge, and the broken English squadrons were driven back on the infantry. These wheeled quickly to let the broken horse through and formed up again.

On came the steady infantry line, the tramp of disciplined feet sounding louder and yet louder. The French opened fire first, and from a distance; but the British strode doggedly forward, not firing a shot. An officer in the Welsh Fusiliers says, "Our people, marching in close order, as firm as a wall, did not fire till we came within sixty paces, and still kept advancing." The men, as a matter of fact, never halted, or broke step while they reloaded, but marched and fired with such resolute swiftness on their foes, that, as the officer we quoted wrote, "When the smoke blew off a little, instead of being among their living, we found the dead in heaps by us." "It was the regiment of Navarre that we met, one of their prime regiments; but our second fire turned them to the right about, and upon a long trot. We engaged two other regiments afterwards, one after the other, who stood but one fire each, and their blue French footguards gave way without firing a shot." This officer notes that other British regiments who opened fire at a greater distance, sustained more loss than did the Fusiliers; "for," he add, "the French will stand fire at a distance, though it is plain they cannot look an enemy in the face. What preserved us was keeping close order, and advancing near the enemy ere we fired."

It was the dogged oncoming of the British infantry without pause or faltter, resistless as fate, with one far-running ceaseless spray of flame, and the roll of unceasing musketry—before which the first French line was simply shattered to atoms. And still on, ever on, came that astonishing infantry. Through the eddying white smoke the French caught glimpses of a moving human wall, that never wavered or halted, but, with perpetual roll of musketry, moved steadily and grimly forward.

Upon that wide front of footmen, De Grammont, as his only hope, launched his whole force of cavalry in one furious charge. And more gallant cavalry never, perhaps, joined in the shock of battle than those squadrons which, through the white smoke, broke on the long front of British infantry. The Black Musketeers were there, the Gendarmes, with breastplates of steel, and long, cutting swords; the Maison du Roi, &c. With gleaming helmets, and thunder of galloping hoofs, and long line of tossing horse-heads and wind-blown manes, the French cavalry burst through the white smoke on the British footmen, and, by the more impact, the slender red line was instantly broken. But every human atom of thrust and shot as deadly as ever, as the fierce horseman rode past him or over him! On to the second line, but with diminished impact, the French cavalry rode. But it was not riding into the flames of a furnace. The ceaseless musketry scorched them on every side. The English lines might be broken, but they fought as fiercely in fragments as they did in battalions. The second and third British lines, in fact, in the very climax of the tumult and thunder of the struggle, fell swiftly into a formation which speaks volumes for their resource, and discipline, and coolness, and which proved fatal to the rushing squadrons of French horse. They fell into "lanes" down which —merely because they offered an opening—the galloping squadrons of the French cavalry swept as with the fury of a sea-tide.

But each side of the "lane" was a front of perfectly steady and swiftly firing infantry; and on that comb-like formation, steady and of unshaken valour to its least unit, the French cavalry charge exhausted itself. Back, out of smoke and tumult, and the thunder of unceasing volleys, the French cavalry came—riderless horses solitary flying horsemen, or broken, desperately-fighting, clusters, still striking, perhaps, with their long swords across the muskets at the British infantry, but falling they struck.

De Noailles had watched with astonished wrath his nephew abandon the impregnable post he was ordered to hold, and sally out to meet the British in the open. "Grammont," he exclaimed, "has ruined all my plans;" and he hurried to the scene of action to remedy the blunder. But it was too late! Before the advance of the British lines, with their ceaseless blast of flame-edged musketry, De Grammont's force was simply wrecked. The stately, resonant sentences, indeed, in which Napier, more than seventy years afterwards, described the charge of the Fusiliers at Albuera, might be applied, without varying the tint of an adjective, to the men who fought at Dettingen: "Nothing could stop that astonishing infantry. ..... Their flashing eyes were bent on the dark columns in front; their measured tread shook the ground; their dreadful volleys swept away the head of every formation; their deafening shouts drowned the dissonant cries that broke from all parts of the tumultuous crowd."

The fight lasted four hours, and then the French regiment broke into mere flying, disordered panic. De Grammont tried to make a flank attack on the British with the Gardes Francaises, but even that elite corps threw away their arms, and preferring water to fire, plunged into the river, drowning by whole companies. French barrack-room wit named them afterwards, "canards du Mein"—"ducks of the Maine!" De Noailles tried to withdraw his forces with some degree of order across the two bridges to the southern bank; but an army mad with panic, and with discipline temporarily dissolved, cannot be manoeuvered, and as British mess-room wit afterwards put it, the French that sad June evening "had, in reality, three bridges, one of them not wooden, and carpeted with blue cloth!" Even a French account describes the regiment of Guards as "running with great precipitation into the Maine, when nearly as many were drowned as were killed in the fighting." The French left 6000 dead and wounded on the field, and many standards and prisoners were taken by the British, whose loss did not exceed 3000.

Their victory left the British exhausted. They hurled themselves, indeed, on the French with such overmastering fierceness, chiefly because these stood betwixt the 16,000 hungry Englishmen, Scotchmen, and Irishmen and their dinner! But they could not pursue the broken French; and, camping all night on the field of battle, they marched slowly and sullenly, when the next day broke, to Hanau and their supplies. Stair, who was eager to pursue De Noailles, summed up the battle to a French officer with bitter wit. "You advanced when you ought to have stood, and we stood when we ought to have advanced." But "small as was the victory," says Green in his "Short History of the English People," "it produced amazing results." It drove the French out of Germany. It shattered into mere dust the "Family Compact" betwixt the two branches of the Bourbons. And the fight is memorable as showing, once more, how the dogged, all-enduring courage of the British rank and file will, in the last resort, almost compensate for the lack of brains in British generals. "If I blundered," said Wellington, long afterwards, "I could always rely on my soldiers to pull me through." That is an ancient and undying characteristic of the British soldier.

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# AGRICULTURE

## Bettering The Social Life Of The Country

By President K. L. Butterfiled, Massachusetts Agricultural College.

It has sometimes been said that isolation is the main characteristic of country life, as congestion is the main characteristic of city life. Isolation means a good many things. Translated as loneliness, it may apply to the great city more completely than to the average country community. If it means lack of contact with one's neighbors, it may apply far more truly to the great city than to the representative country community. The fact remains that in the city people live crowded closely together. In the country they live apart. Families are separated from one another. Farmers are separated from other classes of people. There is thus a separateness which forms the essential social feature of our American country life. This relative isolation produces both good and bad results. It makes for thoughtfulness, for sturdiness of will, for freedom and for individual initiative. But it conduces to overmuch individualism, to the absence of the co-operative spirit, to narrow horizons, and to neighborhood prejudices and feunds. Undue conservatism on the part of the individual and unwillingness, or even inability, to work in common with others, are the worst fruits of this mode of living. In the best farming regions this isolation has been reduced to low terms and constitutes a distinct advantage. In the less favored regions people are still living a narrow, isolated life and are seriously handicapped thereby.

There is little doubt but in our present emphasis upon the social aspect of our human life we are very apt to minimize the individual. We are over-inclined to plan for great groups of people, and particularly to want to do things for the mass. We urge the community idea as if it were antagonistic to individuality. We ought to rejoice in the sense of independence among the farmers who resent this sort of doctrine when applied to rural affairs. Nevertheless, there exists a tremendous need for the development of the community interest in the country regions. Farmers have been accustomed to look out for themselves as individuals and to disregard their obligations to the community as a whole. It is traditional that business co-operation in agriculture in America has thus far been rendered almost impossible, because of the unwillingness of farmers to work together under expert leadership.

The socializing process in country life has been going on for a long time, and the results are much greater than many people suppose. For example, a neighborhood in which there has been for a number of years an active Grange is a different neighborhood from one in which there has been so such organization at work. Perhaps the greatest contribution which the Grange has made to our American rural life has been in socializing the farmer. The whole spirit of the Grange is that of co-operation—working together—and it actually does bring people together in effective ways and for definite ends.

## Fundamental Facts About Wool

In the course of an article bearing the above title in the Breeder's Gazette, Prof. C. S. Plumb says:

Wool is the most durable and most wearable of the fibers in common use in cloth. It has tensile strength of high character, it takes the dye with great efficiency, it has high resistant power in use, and it offers the greatest comfort to the human body in varying changes of temperature. For cool damp climates no garment gives protection equal to that of wool.

Wool grows from the body in the same manner as does hair, being established in the skin. It consists of three parts, a central core or tube, next a series of tubes laid lengthwise about this core, and lastly a series of transparent scales laid about the tubes or cells. These scales lie over the whole outside of the wool fiber, and are in a measure comparable with the shingles on a roof, all lapping toward the end of the fiber. An oil gland in the skin by the root of the fiber gives off oil, and this works along on the wool to its tip. Some breeds of sheep, like Merinos with heavy folds, have much oil and their wool is greasy, as we say, and may scour away to lose 75 per cent of its original weight. Wool from the Shropshire scours less, as it is not so greasy. Wool buyers do not like a fleece heavy in oil, although all wool is actually purchased on the basis of its value when scoured.

Wools differ greatly in length and diameter of fiber. The short-fleeced Merino has a staple about 2" long or a trifle more, while a long-wooled breed, such as the Lincoln, may have a fleece 8" long or more after a year of growth. The Merino fiber in its finest form may be one two-thousandth of an inch in diameter, while the Lincoln fiber may measure one four-hundredth of an inch through. The finest ladies' dress goods are made from the Merino fiber, while carpets and horse blankets come from the coarser long wools. The wool covers the body more or less completely, according to the breed or degree of improvement of the stock. Many Merinos are almost completely covered with wool down to their nostrils and toes, while some breeds, like the Cheviot, are bare-faced and have no wool beyond the base of the skull or below the knees and hocks. The wool about the shoulder is longest and best, that on the side next best, the back next, while on the thigh and belly the staple is coarser and shorter. In the mill a man goes over each fleece and grades the wool into the different kinds suitable for special purposes. True hair does not take a dye, and where hair is found in the fleece it is known as kemp, which is very objectionable. Such hair is easily seen, being larger and sharper pointed than wool and of a different surface color and character.

## The Natural Sifting Of Farmers

The social complexion and financial condition of the rural population of the older states are slowly but surely passing through the transition stage from the cosmopolitan pioneer status to the differentiation of the progressive man from his idolent neighbor, and the sharp distinction between the successful business farmer and the thriftless soil-miner. An unfortunate rending of the unity of spirit which is so desirable a characteristic of rural neighborhoods accompanies the change. It cannot be otherwise.

These who have toiled steadily to enlarge their understanding and appreciation of the nobler inspirations of life through home, church, books, periodical literature, music and the companionship of kindred spirits bent toward the same high aim, have gradually drawn away from those who are content to spend their spare time exchanging threadbare tales by the store stove and whose logic blames the government if prices are not always high and the weather if their crops become smaller year by year. Somehow the same progressive spirit, yearning for the better things that enrich the soul and mind, also leads to prudent management and careful farming with the gradual accumulation of property. Those who lack this inspiration to make the most of every opportunity attempt to shift responsibility for their failures onto so-called bad luck, low markets or drouth-stricken crops.

As the country ages its mature social status asserts itself. The cordial friendship between one and all of the older settlers changes to an attitude of tolerance on the one hand and of secret envy on the other. The progressive farmer succeeds in buying more land for his children; his shiftless neighbor turns his scions loose upon the world to shift for themselves without the training by example or admonition to direct them toward better things. The parable of the talent in the napkin is enacted in their lives. The social happiness, the neighborly influence, the worldly possessions that they might have obtained, slip away instead into the custody of those who are living with the avowed intent of making their lives count for much.

There are as a consequence a few leaders in rural communities who take the initiative in plans for improved highways, rural telephones, farmers' clubs and institutes, improved schools and stronger churches. They are also as a rule the men who keep close tab on every proposed scheme for making a greater income from the land while at the same time conserving the soil wealth. They are the nation's good farmers.—The Breeder's Gazette.

## If Fields Could Speak

We sometimes wish fields had a voice and could answer intelligent questions when put to them by an intelligent farmer. Unfortunately, they are voiceless, or at least have no audible voice. They speak, but in a voice and a language which the farmer does not always understand or interpret correctly.

If the farmer was disappointed in the yield of any particular field this last year, he should ask himself the question: Why have I been disappointed? If some fields could speak, they would answer the farmer who is disappointed in his corn crop something in this fashion:

I did the best I could. The fact is, you have been working me too hard. You have asked me to grow corn year after year. You have allowed noxious insects to multiply and increase and render futile my best efforts. You have allowed the roots of the corn to be eaten off by the corn-root worm. You have allowed the corn-root louse to suck the substance of the plants. You have not given me sufficient water to feed the cornstalks. As a result they prayed for rain every hot day. You had enough water in the soil, if had conserved it. You could not conserve it to good advantage because you did not prepare the seed bed properly. You did not plow your sod ground in the fall, and thus did not have the help of nature, freely given, to aid you in destroying the cut worms and the grub worms. On the part that was in some other crop last year you did not plow early enough in the spring. You did not disk before you plowed. You allowed clods to form, thus increasing the air spaces and allowing my soil to dry out, I did the best I could. The fault is yours, not mine.

Some fields would say: You cultivated my soil when it was too wet. You let it run together. You could have helped that; but you did not. I have done all I could to feed you and yours, but you did not do your part.

Some of the winter wheat fields would say: You did not prepare my seed bed right. You sowed broadcast instead of drilling. You did not harrow in the spring. You did not have the right kind of wheat. You let your cattle break in and pasture down my wheat in the fall or in the spring. I have done my best; you did not do your part.

These are some of the complaints that the fields would make if they could speak. It takes some time to understand the language of the fields; but it is easier to understand it than to acquire a foreign language. They do speak. Their language is like the speech of the stars, like the voice of the wind, like that of the silent forces of nature. It can be understood by those who have ears to hear, eyes to see, who are in sympathy with nature, by those who by training or experience understand the language of the fields. For, like the voice of the heavens, which David heard, "Their line is gone out through all the earth, and their words to the end of the world." After all, the success of any man in any calling is largely measured by his ability to see things that are going on around him every day.

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## Veterinary Notes

Disturbances in digestion are by far the most common ailments of cows. On the first signs of indisposition in a cow the food should be investigated, and at this time if a saline purgative is administered the attack will often be aborted. A drench consisting of one to one and a half pounds of Glauber's or Epsom Salts in solution of water is the best purgative at this time.

Inflammation of Udder in cows is often infectious and can be carried from the affected to healthy members of the herd on the hands of the milkers. A good practice to follow is to segregate any animal showing disease of the udder until it has recovered. The milker should wash and disinfect his hands after milking such a cow.

Depraved appetite (pica) in cows, in which they eat dirt, gravel, etc., is generally the forerunner of a more serious affection of the bones, and is due to a deficiency of bone forming elements in the food. Finely ground bone meal added to the food assists in overcoming this affection. Such cows should also have access to a piece of rock salt where it can be licked at will.

Young calves suffer from a variety of diseases, such as inflammation of the joints (joint ill), diarrhoea and pneumonia, that are due to infection taking place through the unhealed umbilical cord (naval string). These affections can be stopped by a thorough cleaning and disinfection of the calf barn, and washing the navel with 3 p. c. solution of creolin, after which paint it with tincture of iodine.

Cows lose their calves (abort) from a variety of causes. However, infectious abortion is very prevalent in the dairy herds of this country. For this reason, take no chances. Isolate immediately every cow as soon as she shows signs of impending abortion. When she aborts burn the calf and its membranes. Clean up and disinfect all discharges. Wash her hind parts with a 3 p. c. solution of creolin. Keep her out of the herd until all signs of discharges have disappeared.

Never use force to remove a calf from a cow unless you are sure the calf is in the right position. Undue force used when the calf is in some positions will result in severe laceration and tearing of the cow and might result in death of the latter.

Flooding (excessive bleeding) which sometimes occurs after calving, can often be controlled by dashing cold water over the loins of the cow.

Bloody milk is caused by injury to or disease of the udder; also by functional derangement of the udder due to excitement in heat, eating of irritant plants, etc. In all cases a reduction in rations and the administration of a purgative dose of Glauber's or Epsom Salts is advisible. Milk sometimes becomes red tinged after standing a while. This latter condition is due to the presence of a microorganism that enters the milk after milking. Thorough attention to cleanliness and sterilization of milk utensils will prevent the condition.

Mastitis (inflammation of the udder) may be often induced in a cow by rough milking when the teats are sore or chapped. Chapped teats may be relieved by gentle rubbing with vaseline before and after milking. Several applications of zinc ointment to sore teats, after cleaning them, will relieve most cases.

Bleeding from the navel cord in a calf may be stopped by tying it firmly with a clean piece of string. Before tying always be careful to examine the cord to see that it does not contain a loop of the bowel.

## Flea-Beetles And Their Control

The Division of Entomology of the Experimental Farms Branch of the Dominion Department of Agriculture, Ottawa, has recently issued Entomological Circular, No. 2, by Mr. Arthur Gibson, Chief Assistant Entomologist, on "Flea-Beetles and Their Control."

The Flea-Beetles are an important group of insects which attack the foliage of many plants. They are particularly destructive to the leaves of several kinds of vegetable crops, such as turnips, potatoes, tomatoes, radishes, etc. The chief injury is effected in spring and early summer when the plants are visited by large numbers of the beetles. Numerous small holes are eaten into and through the leaves; in fact, some of the species completely defoliate certain plants. Owing to their jumping habit, these insects were given the popular name of flea-beetles. In size they range from one-twentieth to one-quarter of an inch. In Canada there are five species which are of considerable econmic importance, and these are discussed and figured. In addition, descriptions are given of eight other species which occasionally appear in destructive numbers. A chapter on "Methods of Control" gives full particulars as to remedies which have been found most successful in the control of these insects.

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**Apricot Pastilles**—Press a tin of apricots through a fine sieve, with as little juice as possible. Mix with half a pound of granulated sugar in the pan, and boil until gelatinous. Drop from teaspoon onto buttered paper, and sprinkle thickly with sugar. Cool and eat.

**Cocoanut Fudge Marzipan** — Mix equal parts of confectioner's sugar and powdered almonds. With the unbeaten white of an egg, rub to a paste. Flavor with vanilla, and roll into small balls. Boil up a fudge icing of a square of cooking chocolate, one-fourth of a cupful of cream, and one-fourth of sugar. When cooked until it will harden in water, it is done. Paint the sugar and almond balls with this coating, using a clean stiff brush. Then roll the balls immediately in grated cocoanut.

**Date Glace**—Stone the dates, and stuff them with peanut butter. To make the glace, boil four ounces of sugar and one and a half wineglassfuls of water until the syrup candies. After the sugar is melted, two or three pinches of cream of tartar are beaten in. Dip the dates, witht the aid of wooden toothpicks; then put on buttered plates to cool.

**Russian Toffee**—Boil together one small tin of condensed cream, eight ounces of sugar, two ounces of butter. When done, mix in a few drops of vanilla and half a cupful of finely cut up preserved cherries and nuts.

When all the candy is finished, it should be sampled, and kitchen utensil prizes awarded to the most successful group of cooks.

The jolly evening should include some kind of a contest. A filling-in game would be good, such as "Sally Jones and the Candy Kid." A leaflet should be prepared for each guest, on the cover of which should appear a dusky man and maid. Within should be the following tale of their loves, except that the words in parentheses are left as blank spaces, to be filled in by the guests without spoiling the thread of the story. Only names of confections may be used.

"Sally Jones was the Candy Kid's (divinity). She thought he was not hers. Often he made sweet speeches to her, to which her only reply was ('Oh, fudge')! But he was not disheartened, so long as she (filled dates) with him.

"One day he took her down beside the (sea-foam). She wore a harem skirt and he declared her to be a (Turkish delight). He admitted this, but remarked that his only regret was that it was (nut kisses). Sally was much offended, and at first adopted a (bitter-sweet) manner. Latter, she repented because he looked so evry sad, and before the day ended she had promised him that she would be for all time his own little (chocolate drop).

An icing frosted cookie-doll would be just the thing to give to the one filling in the confectionery episode correctly.

After this it would be fun to have a Candy Blockade. The blockade is a heap of that small broken candy which may be bought at any confectioner's for ten cents a pound. It is piled along the center of the tble, and the girls line up in two camps on either side. Each contestant has two crochet needles. The aim is to see which side can first break down the blockade. The leader starts, and with her needles tries to remove one piece of candy without touching or disturbing the rest of the pile. If she succeeds, the next one on her side follows, and so on down the line until someone moves more than one piece. Then the chance passes over to the opponents and they break down the blockade as far as they can. When the last piece has finally been removed, each side counts up the number it has captured, and the one who has the most considers that it has taken the blockade and stampeded the enemies' territory.

By this time the home-made candy will be hard, and ready to put into packages for each girl to take home as a favor. The wrappings may be little stockings, cut out of coarse net, which the girls could sew up during the evening; or they could be button-bags of silk which would take longer to make; or just home-made cardboard boxes covered with crepe paper.

There should be a tag for each package, and, last of all, each girl should write a two-line jingle and inscribe it on the tags of all the others for them to keep as a souvenir of the evening.

## The Habit Of Blame

THEY don't balance, not anywhere near it, the little precious ounce of praise and the great overwhelming heap of blame—a whole ton of it.

Yet we all like the praise as much as we hate the blame, and we do wish the two were more evenly proportioned out to us.

"If you find fault with me when I do wrong, oh, do aprove when I do right!" we feel inclined to say to the home folk, who are generally the first and foremost in wanting to set us right.

"Don'ts" and "mustn'ts" and "oughts" hedge us round like spiked wire fences, and but few sweet-scented flowers of "Well done" "Good"! "That's right"! spring up inside those spiked wire fences.

When they do, and there are all sorts of nice encouragements in the way of smiles and nods of approval, then we live in happy times and vote our home the happiest in existence.

There is a certain house where the mother is busy all day long looking after the comfort of her husband and children, yet, when the husband comes home in the evening he brings no ounce of praise, but he has an endless store of blame, which he busily distributes.

The meal is not to his liking; dish after dish is condemned.

The room is too warm or too cold. The gas or the lamp gives a wretched light. What an untidy room it is. Why can't the children be quiet? There is not a comfortable chair in the room. And so on.

There is an endless succession of fault-finding.

That is an extreme case (though unfortunately a true one), but something of this sort of thing is found in numberless homes, well-to-do ones, too, where the pinch of poverty is unknown.

Sometimes it is the mother or elder sister who takes upon herself the office of blame-distributor.

"The habit of blame" is a habit which grows until the eyes see only the blunders and mistakes of others, and the tongue is so accustomed to reproof that praise is a language foreign to it.

Of course there are acts that deserve blame—and we are all guilty of them at times—but the blame-distributor and fault-finder is not invariably the person who helps us to do them less often.

Rather it is the friend who sees the effort to do better and approves by a look, smile or word.

Suppose there is a shy, awkward boy in the house. Overwhelm him with a ton of blame, at the difficult age of the middle 'teens, and you may make of him a morose or despondent man.

But a little judicious praise or commendation transforms him into a self-respecting, pleasant-spoken youth.

"She never speaks to me except to find fault! Nothing I ever do is right." So says a maidservant of her mistress, and the poor girl speaks with real distress.

She might make a good servant if she had a mistress who knew how and when to give a few words of approval. It is not surprising that this mistress cannot keep a servant—for even servant girls are very human, and like everybody else they appreciate a word of praise.

Sometimes the words quoted above are heard in offices and shops, where those who are set above the others have every opportunity for praising and blaming.

Some months ago I was staying in a house where the mother was preparing luncheon in the kitchen. The school holidays were on, and her thirteen-year-old daughter was practising music in the drawing-room.

Through the doors, left ajar, every note could be heard in the kitchen, and the mother lost not a note while her hands were at work.

Encouragement over the dry scales and difficult exercises, approval of a tiresome bit of phrasing, suggestions for quicker time, or diminuendos, all were given with cheeriness and brightness.

Here, on the other hand, is a mother who thinks her daughter of eighteen no good whatever in the house.

"What! Go away and leave the house-keeper to Gladys? I should not dream of such a thing. Everything would be at sixes and sevens—what an idea!"

So the fond mother never gives her Gladys a chance of proving what she can do.

It's a foregone conclusion that she can't; she never has, and so of course she can't.

Poor willing Gladys is told that she knows nothing about housekeeping, and comes in time to believe that she is no good in the house,and grows more absorbed in her books than ever.

Her feeble attempts to cut out and make a blouse are met with—"You'll never make a dressmaker!"

And if, once in a blue moon, a dish of cakes of her own making are placed on the table it is a foregone conclusion that there must be something wrong with them.

The undomesticated girl comes in time to think that she really is no earthly good in the house and never can do useful things, whereas, by a little encouragement had been given, and a few opportunities, she might have become an adept in the housewifely arts.

A dozen or more times a day most of us have the opportunity of approving or condemning someone or something.

It would be a happier and more cheerful world if sometimes people were as eager to praise as to blame—ready to tell the butcher the last joint he served was very good, to say that the new literature mistress at school gave delightful lessons, that the boys were quite different at home since that nice Scout Master had taken them in hand, that the costume just arrived from the dressmaker's fitted beautifully, that the prompting of a name or date by a little child is gratefully recognized.

Dependent as we are on the service of brain or hand given by others, thankful acknowledgment should be a pleasure as well as a duty.

## Crackers Made Into Dainties

THE hostess should know how to make the most of ordinary, inexpensive crackers. In case of an emergency, when the cake box is empty or the baker has failed to come, a knowledge of how to utilize plain crackers is by no means to be despised, says the New York Times.

For instance, on a cool day, when something hot will prove acceptable with a cup of afternoon tea, serve souffle crackers. These crispy puffs are made of ordinary Boston crackers, split and allowed to soak in ice water for five minutes.

Remove them carefully with a cake-turner to prevent breaking, and place these water-soaked halves on an inverted baking pan. Dot each one with butter and sprinkle with paprika. Place in a hot oven. The change from extreme cold to extreme heat expands these wet bits of cracker and causes them to puff in a most surprising way.

These are easily and quickly made as soon as one has learned the little trick of rushing the cracker halves from the ice water to the hot oven. Served with tea or chocolate, they are delicious. They are equally appropriate as an accompaniment to soup at a regular meal.

A cracker novelty, easy to prepare and to sure to please, can be made from graham crackers, brushed with melted butter and sprinkled with finely chopped nuts or with caraway seed, according to preference. Place in a moderate oven until the crackers are well crisped and the nuts or seeds slightly browned.

The cheapest of soda or milk crackers can be entirely transformed by brushing over with melted butter and then coating with a mixture of granulated sugar and powdered cinnamon. Put a few small raisins, or one large one, in the center of each cracker and place in the oven for five minutes. Served either hot or cold, these cinnamon crackers are suited for the afternoon tea table.

As a substitute for the dainty sandwiches of the tea table try spreading small crackers with sardine or anchovy paste, and drying them for a moment in the oven. A few drops of lemon juice will improve the flavor, and it liked, a half of a stuffed olive can be used as a center decoration. The time required for this work will be less than half that necessary to make sandwiches, and it is probable the guests will enjoy the novelty of these appetizing little crackers.

The combination of crackers and cheese opens up a long list of easy possibilities. A simple arrangement is to place in the center of each cracker a cube of cheese slightly smaller than an ordinary caramel. When placed in a moderate oven the cheese will melt sufficiently to cover the cracker entirely. Yet at the same time there will be some of the original cube still remaining. Sprinkle this with paprika. Crackers so prepared are excellent to serve with salads.

Where cream cheese is liked it may be softened with cream, so as to pass through a tube, such as is used when decorating with whipped cream. By electing the smallest tube a delicate line of cream cheese can be piped around the edge of each cracker. In the center put a bit of guava jelly or currant jam. Such a combination is just the thing to serve with a plain, green salad. English walnuts and cream cheese also combine well. A flattened mound of cream cheese topped by half an English walnut makes a good addition to any small, plain cracker, and is appropriate to serve with a salad course or with a cup of afternoon tea.

Once a hostess realizes the possibilities of common crackers she will find it easy and pleasant work to originate appetizing morsels with crackers as a basis.

## The Hands Beautiful

IT is pretty generally the accepted theory that beautiful hands are born and not made, and their beauty is short lived.

Neither theory is altogether true. If the God-given framework is badly proportioned it is naturally more difficult to train the hand into shapeliness; but unless there is actual deformity it can be done by daily attention.

After twenty-five the hand that has not received proper care begins to grow thin and bony, the skin to turn a sickly yellow, and the nails to become so brittle that they are constantly breaking; joints stiffen and the fingers crack every now and then. All of these things, declares Therese Conover Maxwell, whose beautiful hands are renowned wherever she has appeared on the stage, can be deferred many years, and even in the majority of cases prevented, if intelligent, painstaking care is given before the ravages have commenced. "And by taking care," she hastens to explain, "I do not mean wrapping the digits up in cotton wool, as the belles of long ago did, nor of refraining from manual labor of any kind, as many a modern belle does, but rather to keep them in condition for both use and ornamentation.

Whether the hand is large or small matters not, but slenderness as compared with breadth is essential. Now, to acquire comparatively slenderness practice stretching the hand, always keep the fingers lightly together. It is a mistake to allow the fingers to spread apart. Not only does it enlarge the apparent size of the hand, but it makes usage of it awkward, and no one, however symmetrical or graceful otherwise, can afford to be awkward in the use of her hands.

Three things are necessary to a fair treatment of the hands: Assolute cleanliness, massage to keep them soft and pliable, and exercise to make and keep the muscles supple, so that the hand itself may be able to respond readily to the dictates of the will.

I need hardly point the way to cleanliness but perhaps a word or two of warning is necessary. Remember that soap and water are drying, and unless the hands are in a perfectly beautiful condition, either very cold or very hot water will make the skin break and liable to crack, and impede circulation, so only lukewarm water should be used, and with the aid of a good flesh brush will be entirely efficacious.

For massage the strokes should be rotary, and firm but gentle, and the trend of manipulation up toward the wrist. Vaseline yellow or white is the best lubricant, since it sinks into the skin and feeds it, and it is a whitener.

As for exercise for the hand and fingers, piano practice is excellent. It strengthens the fingers and at the same time trains them to act both independently and in concert, which is very necessary to grace. After that the hand must be taught to turn readily on the wrist, for strong, flexible wrists rendering the hand movable, independent of the arm, is another essential of the hand graceful and beautiful.

### WORTH KNOWING

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# LIVE TOPICS OF SPORT AT HOME AND ABROAD

## BASEBALL IN THE BIG LEAGUES

**AMERICAN LEAGUE.**

**Games Postponed.**

At New York—New York-Philadelphia, postponed, rain.

At Boston — Washington-Boston, postponed, rain.

**Cleveland, 3; St. Louis, 0.**

At St. Louis—

Cleveland .. .. .. 010000002—3 6 0
St. Louis .. .. .. 000000000—0 6 5

Batteries: Falkenberg and Carisch; Baumgardner and McAllister.

**NATIONAL LEAGUE.**

**Philadelphia 3, New York 2.**

At Philadelphia:

New York .... 0000110000—2 7 0
Philadelphia... 2000000001—3 5 1

Batteries, Tesreau and McLean, Watson; Camnitz and Killifer.

**Chicago 6, Pittsburg 1.**

At Pittsburg:

Chicago ..... 000510000—6 9 2
Pittsburg ..... 100000000—1 4 0

Batteries, Cheney and Archer; McQuillan, Hendrix and Gibson, Simon.

**St. Louis 3, Cincinnati 2.**

At Cincinnati:

St. Louis .... 001200000—3 5 1
Cincinnati .... 000000020—2 7 1

Batteries, Sallee and Wingo; Packard, Suggs and Kling.

**Postponed.**

Boston-Brooklyn game, at Brooklyn, postponed; rain.

**INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE.**

**Baltimore-Toronto Split.**

At Toronto: first game:

Baltimore .... 400000101—6 10 3
Toronto .... 014000002—7 10 1

Batteries — Cottrell, Danforth and Egan; Kent and Brown.

Second game called end of 7th:

Baltimore .... 003050—8 12 3
Toronto .... 00002000—2 3 1

Batteries — Russell and Egan; Lush and Bemis.

**Newark-Buffalo Split.**

At Buffalo, first game:

Newark .... 200000000—2 5 2
Buffalo .... 000000000—0 4 3

Batteries — Curtis and Smith; Maynes and Gowdy.

Second game:

Newark .... 000030011—5 9 2
Buffalo .... 000341000—8 12 3

Batteries — Barger, Schacht and Smith; Beebe and Lalonge.

**Rochester, 2; Providence, 1.**

At Rochester:

Providence .... 000000001—1 7 1
Rochester .... 000000002—2 6 1

Batteries — Bailey and Onslow; Martin and Williams, Jacksitsch.

**Montreal, 7; Jersey City, 3**

At Montreal:

Jersey City .... 000200100—3 9 4
Montreal .... 141001000—7 10 3

Batteries — Cooney, Thompson and Wells; Mattern and Madden.

## BALL GAME TODAY AT 3 O'CLOCK

With such excellent games being played between the Marathons and the Fredericton team in these post season series, and the ten inning battle yesterday should be inducement enough for a very large number of people attending the game of ball on the North End grounds this afternoon. Four games in the series have been played, the St. John team winning three of these. Fredericton will be out in force this afternoon with Condon the pitcher and they will have Joe Tarbell to face and a good game may be expected.

The teams are very evenly matched and despite what has been said the Fredericton team is taking as much if not more interest in these games than they did when playing in the regular league schedule and they will work hard for a victory this afternoon.

With two games played on Monday the Fredericton team will disband and as far as they are concerned the 1913 season will be finished. If games with an outside team cannot be arranged by that time for the Marathons this team will also disband on Monday night.

## MARITIME LADIES' GOLF TOURNAMENT

Charlottetown, P. E. I., August 29.—The Maritime Ladies' Golf tournament was concluded today, the weather being fine. The first consolation match was won by Mrs. Bonnyman, of Amherst, who defeated Mrs. Goodwill, of Charlottetown. The match for the inter-provincial cup was won by Nova Scotia, who defeated the New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island combination team by 31 to 10. The annual meeting of the association was held today. A resolution was passed that the champion at the next tournament play all the matches instead of merely defending her title on the last day. This change was made on the suggestion of this year's winner, Mrs. Handsomebody.

Halifax was fixed as the tournament ground for next year, the last week in August, and the officers elected are as follows: President, Mrs. Dr. L. M. Murray; vice-president, Mrs. Harry Mahon; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. F. C. Keiser, all of Halifax. A committee was appointed to take steps to induce other clubs to join the association. It was decided to drop the handicap prizes next year.

The prizes were presented this afternoon by W. K. Rogers, president of the Charlottetown Club. The champion received a handsome silver filigree basket and a bracelet set with pearls and amethysts, and Miss Bauld, of Halifax, also received a beautiful special prize.

## GREEKS WIN TEN INNING GAME; PITCHERS' BATTLE THROUGHOUT

There was a fair crowd of people at the North End grounds yesterday afternoon to witness the Marathons defeat the Fredericton team in a ten inning hard-fought game with a score of three to two. It was a pitchers' battle throughout between Conley of the Greeks and Dedrich for Fredericton and although eight singles were made off each pitcher and the majority of the hits were infield ones, Conley had the better of the fight, having struck out ten men against two struck out by Dedrich. In a number of cases the errors made by the players were almost excusable. Conley, the Fredericton third baseman, in the last inning threw slightly wild to Bien on first, causing that player to reach off the base to catch the ball with the result that the batter was safe and Conley, the Greeks' twirler, was enabled to bring in the winning run. The Greeks made their first two runs in the fourth inning. With two down, Jacobson hit safe to right field. Shankey hit one to Conley at third and that player failed to stop the ball, it striking against his glove and bounding away. Pinkerton hit to the first baseman and reached first before the ball could be fielded to the base in time to catch him and Jacobson scored. Then White beat out a hit to short and Shankey scored. Waterhouse struck out and retired the side.

The two runs that the Frederictons scored were in the sixth inning. Morey beat out a bunt to the pitcher, and White did the same trick to third, O'Brien slipping and falling when trying to field the ball. Duggan sacrificed and advanced the men a base. Then Morey and White worked the double steal while Conley was winding up, the former scoring. Conley struck out. Callihan hit safe to right field and White scored. Bien hit to short and forced Callihan at second.

The sides were retired quickly until the eighth when after two men had struck out Duggan managed to beat out a hit to short on a close decision and then successfully stole second and third. Conley retired the side by flying out to centre.

With two men out in the tenth inning White singled to centre and advanced to second when Shankey failed to hold a throw from the pitcher and a pass ball allowed the runner to reach third. Duggan drew a base on balls and stole second. Conley filed out to pitcher.

For the Marathons Conley managed to single to centre. O'Brien sacrificed. Parker filed out to short. Riley came over with a single to right. Jacobson hit to Conley at third who threw wide to first causing Bien to reach off the base to capture the ball and Jacobson was safe while Conley crossed the plate with the winning run. It was a most interesting game of ball and the fans were pleased with the manner in which the men on both teams worked.

The box score and summary:

**Marathons.**

| | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| O'Brien, 3b | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Parker, cf | 5 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Riley, lf | 5 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Jacobson, rf | 5 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Shankey, 1b | 4 | 1 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 1 |
| Pinkerton, 2b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 |
| White, c | 2 | 0 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 0 |
| Flaherty, c | 1 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 1 | 0 |
| Waterhouse, ss | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 |
| Conley, p | 3 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Totals | 36 | 3 | 8 | *29 | 9 | 3 |

*—Murphy out in 7th, third strike bunt.

**Fredericton.**

| | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Morey, cf | 5 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 1 | 0 |
| White, rf | 5 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Duggan, 2b | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Conley, 3b | 5 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 3 |
| Callihan, 2b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| Bien, 1b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 0 |
| Wildes, ss | 4 | 0 | 2 | 5 | 1 | 0 |
| Murphy, c | 4 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 0 |
| Dedrich, p | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 1 |
| Totals | 38 | 2 | 8 | *29 | 10 | 4 |

*—Two out when winning run scored.

By innings: 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
Fredericton .. 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0—2
Marathons .. 0 0*0 2 0 0 0 0 0 1—3

Summary—Stolen bases, Morey, White (2), Duggan (3); bases on balls by Dedrich 1, by Conley 1; struck out by Dedrich 2, by Conley 10; sacrifice hits, O'Brien (2), Duggan; hit by pitched ball, Flaherty; passed balls, Flaherty; umpire, Rudderham; scorer, Harry Ervin; time, 2 hrs., 3 mins.

PEASE,
Fielder, Marathons.

## WEYMOUTH DEFEATED ST. JOHN TEAM

The Weymouth, N. S., cricket club defeated the St. John eleven on the Barrack Green yesterday afternoon by a score of 138 to 77.

Weymouth won the toss and put St. John to bat and some good batting was done. Tucker hitting up 25 and Fairweather 13 were the top scores. The innings closed for 77 runs.

Weymouth went to bat and hit up 138 in fine style—Jones' 46 was the feature of the game. A. Campbell got in 30 in good form. The following is the batting analysis of the match:

**St. John**

| | |
|---|---|
| Tucker, c Hollowell b Fillwel | 25 |
| Bradbury, c Taylor b Campbell | 5 |
| Williamson b Jones | 9 |
| Fairweather b Jones | 13 |
| Popham b Campbell | 1 |
| Rev. R. A. Armstrong b Jones | 4 |
| Sturdee b Campbell | 0 |
| Rogers b Campbell | 1 |
| Langworthy run out | 2 |
| Burrows b Campbell | 0 |
| Morrisey | 0 |
| Byes | 15 |
| Leg byes | 2 |
| No balls | 2 |
| Total | 77 |

**Weymouth.**

| | |
|---|---|
| T. Campbell run out | 5 |
| H. R. Jones run out | 46 |
| P. Fillwel b Popham | 2 |
| J. McNeil b Popham | 2 |
| H. Hollowell c Popham | 9 |
| A. Campbell stumped | 30 |
| Rev. M. Taylor b Popham | 0 |
| J. B. McNeil b Popham | 4 |
| C. Oliver b Popham | 14 |
| C. Ruggles stumped | 9 |
| M. Oliver run out | 2 |
| Byes | 15 |
| Total | 138 |

**CRICKET TODAY.**

On the Barrack Square this afternoon the St. John cricket team will play a match with the team from the Atlantic Sugar Refinery. The St. John's line-up will be: Sturdee, Munro, Ingleton, Tucker, Rev. R. A. Armstrong, Fairweather, Kingswell, Popham, Stubbs, Jones and Longworthy. C. E. Macmichael will referee.

## JOHNSON AND SAM LANGFORD ARE MATCHED

Boston, August 29.—Sam Langford, negro heavyweight, is to meet Jack Johnson, heavyweight champion of the world, in a bout for the title in Paris, December 20. Arrangements for the match were completed by cable today, according to Joe Woodman, manager of Langford.

The bout is to be of 20 rounds and will be staged in the Cirque de Paris, under the direction of Theodore Vienno. Langford is guaranteed a lump sum and a percentage of the receipts for his appearance, Woodman says.

The Boston heavyweight was defeated by Johnson seven years ago and has been seeking a bout with the champion since. Johnson's reported need of money and the fact that the proposed bouts with white men in Paris and London have been frowned upon are the reasons, in Woodman's opinion, that resulted in the match being made.

## INTERESTING HORSE RACING AT HOULTON YESTERDAY

Houlton, Me., August 29.—The unfinished race was won in slow time by the bay mare, Lady Bell, driven by C. Dugan, Queen Mary being second, Ada Todd third. The matinee race went to Mr. George, with the pacer Garry A. Jennett, a good looking trotter by Colombo, bred by E. H. Greeley, of Ellsworth, won second premium.

Agnes W., 2.18 3-4, bay mare by Wilken, won the 2.21 class, after dropping the first heat to Muster Hill. Patchen Brady picked up third money and Fanny M., (2.22 1-4), the big trotter owned by C. H. Rideout, Houlton, landed fourth in a field of pacers. This was a good showing for the mare.

The 2.18 pacing stake was a very interesting race to watch. George Reed, from Fort Fairfield, landed the black gelding, Thomas S. (2.15 1-4), like a grand circuit driver, winning handily, but the horses were close enough to make the finish interesting. At the end of the second heat Tommy Raymond and Mike Gerow stood alike. The third heat would decide who got third and who fourth. Mike dropped in behind, Tommy pulled out at the seven-eights pole. From that point to the wire the two drivers did some very smooth driving, but the gray was too much for the black, Tommy winning over Mike by more than an open length.

The races were all over at 4.30. The summary:

**2.30 Stake.**

Finish of 2.30 stake: Lady Bell, 1st; Queen Mary, 2nd; Ada Todd, 3rd. Time, 2.25.

**Matinee Race.**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Garry A., blk h (George) | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Jennett, blk m (Verd) | 2 | 3 | 2 |
| Minnie Briague, b m (Rideout) | 3 | 2 | 3 |
| Aguinaldo, b h (Donnelly) | 4 | 4 | 4 |
| Ben Wilken, b h (Hamilton) | 5 | 5 | 5 |

Time—2.30, 2.31 1-2, 2.29 1-4.

**2.18 Pace.**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Thomas S., blk g (Reed) | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Miss Lightfoot, b m (Kyle) | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| James K., gr g (Raymond) | 4 | 3 | 3 |
| Ariole Todd, blk g (Gerow) | 3 | 4 | 4 |

Time—2.16 1-2, 2.16 1-4, 2.18 3-4.

**2.21 Class—Mixed—Purse $300.**

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Agnes H., b m (Davis) | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Mustey Hill, b h (Holmes) | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| Patchen Lady, blk m (Raymond) | 3 | 3 | 4 | 4 |
| Fanny M., b m (Rideout) | 7 | 4 | 3 | 3 |
| Hard Luck, b h (Parker) | 4 | 7 | 5 | ro |
| Brown Bread, brg (Jamieson) | 6 | 6 | 6 | ro |
| Trinity Bells, br h (George) | 5 | 5 | ro | |

Time—2.19 1-4, 2.21, 2.20 1-4, 2.21 1-2.

## CHAS. O'BRIEN SIGNED BY WHITE SOX

Word was received yesterday by Charles O'Brien that Comiskey, the manager of the Chicago White Sox, had purchased him, and O'Brien expects to leave St. John on Tuesday next for Chicago to join the White Sox squad. In procuring O'Brien the White Sox manager is procuring about the fastest third baseman that has ever been seen on a diamond in the East. He has been playing the third sack for the Marathon baseball team for the past two seasons, and has been counted as being one of the best players in the New Brunswick and Maine League. His fielding of extremely difficult balls has mostly been clean and in many cases of such a sensational manner that it won him well merited applause from the fans. He is a good stick artist and is well acquainted with baseball in its many stages. As a popular young man and a gentleman there is none better than Obey O'Brien, and all the harm his many friends wish him is that he will make good with the big league manager. He is a young athletic player with plenty of experience and will undoubtedly be seen playing among the big ones next season.

**MOOSEPATH RACES MONDAY.**

There is every prospects of a good afternoon's sport on the old Moosepath Park track on Monday when the St. John Driving Club will hold races. There is a good number of horses entered for the different events and the heats will undoubtedly be closely contested.

## PLAYERS TRADED OR PURCHASED

Cincinnati, August 29.—Exclusive of those players obtained by major league clubs from minor league teams through optional agreements, two hundred and two players have either been traded or purchased by minor league teams from each other, or from minor league teams during the last year, according to a list handed down by the National Baseball Commission today. A large majority of these represent purchases from the minor leagues, some of the players not having yet reported to their teams. All trades or sales from August 20, 1912, are included.

The American league carried off the honors, 110 players coming to them during the last year, while an even 100 either entered the ranks of the National League or will when the details or trades will have been consummated.

The Boston Nationals lead in men obtained. Twenty-three players new to the Boston National team have been contracted for during the above-mentioned period. Cincinnati comes next with twenty-one. Detroit is third with nineteen, while the others are as follows:

Cleveland 17, New York Americans 15, Pittsburg 14, St. Louis Nationals 14, Chicago Americans 14, St. Louis Americans 12, Boston Americans 11, Washington 11, Chicago Nationals 10, Brooklyn 10, New York Nationals 4, Philadelphia Nationals 4, and Philadelphia Americans 2.

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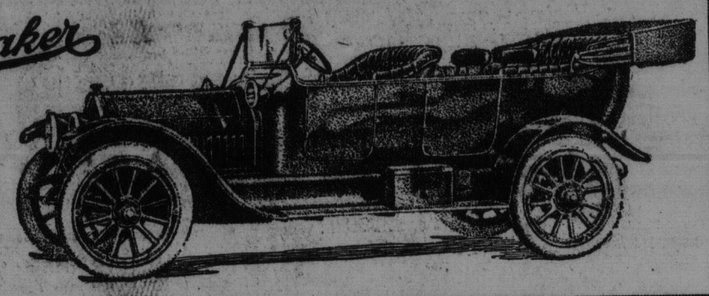

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