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## INDUSTRIAL CONFERENCE AGREED ON MANY MATTERS OF NATIONAL IMPORTANCE

Country-wide Labor Laws—Minimum Wages for Women and Minors—Favor the Promotion of Joint Industrial Councils—Endorse Report Favoring Compulsory Education, Free Speech and Freedom of the Press.

### Special to The Standard.

Ottawa, Ont., Sept. 19.—With one more session to be held before it concludes its labors, the national industrial conference has achieved the following:

- (1) Agreed upon and advised appointment of a royal commission to unify and co-ordinate labor laws of the Dominion and provinces.
- (2) Agreed upon necessity of minimum wage for women and minors and recommend appointment of a royal commission to deal with question of minimum wage for unskilled labor.
- (3) Recommends creation of a bureau in connection with the labor department to provide data and other information to assist in the promotion of joint industrial councils.
- (4) Approves of a speakers' conference, such as was held in England, to deal with the question of proportional representation.
- (5) Recommends appointment of board or boards to investigate questions of state insurance against unemployment, old age, sickness and invalidity and widows pensions.
- (6) Endorsed report of the royal commission on industrial relations favoring compulsory education, free speech and freedom of the press.

The four vital questions: (1) employees' right to organize; (2) recognition of labor unions; (3) collective bargaining; and (4) the eight hour day, remain to be dealt with. In regard to the first three a compromise report is expected, but in respect of the eight hour day issue there is considerable doubt.

Labor has made a determined fight in the open conference for such a concession, but whether its representatives on the sub-committee which is thrashing the problem out behind closed doors have succeeded in carrying the delegates of the employers and the third group with them remains to be seen.

The question of proportional representation and been in the hands of a committee with Sir John Willeson as chairman, and in presenting his report, expressed the belief that the defects in the electoral system of the country were of a technical nature of social and political nature.

The resolution, which was unanimously passed by the committee, follows: "Believing that there are defects in the system of electoral representa-

## Another German Ship Is Acquired By The British

Former Hamburg-American Liner Imperator, One of Largest in World, Is Now a Cunarder.

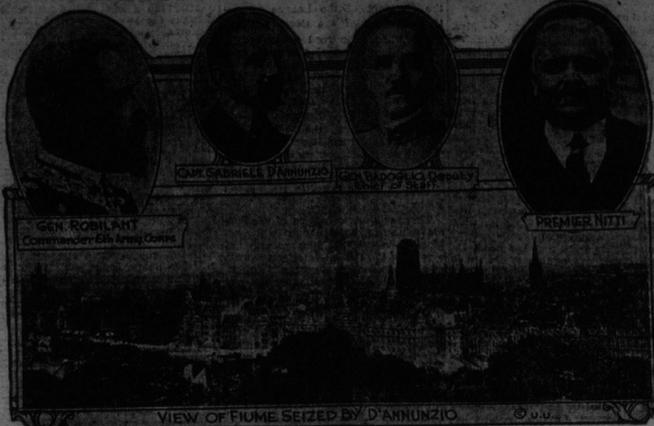
New York, Sept. 19.—Announcement that the former Hamburg-American liner Imperator, one of the largest ships in the world, has been acquired by the Cunard Steamship Company, Limited, from the British Ministry of Shipping was made here tonight. The Imperator which stayed at Hamburg during the war and was used for carrying home American troops after the armistice was signed, is now docked here being refitted for passenger service. She will be used for the Aquitania and Mauritania in providing a weekly service from New York to Cherbourg and Southampton.

## SPANISH PASSENGER STEAMER SANK IN FORTY FEET OF WATER

Reports Reach Key West, Florida, That Ship With Three Hundred Passengers and Crew Went Aground in 'Quicksand at Half Moon Key—Fate of Those on Board Not Learned.

Key West, Florida, Sept. 19.—The Spanish passenger steamer Valbanera, which is nine days overdue and for the safety of which grave fears are entertained. The steamer with several hundred passengers on board arrived off Key West on September 9, when a great tropical hurricane was raging, and being unable to enter port put out to sea to wait for the storm to abate. Patrol wireless calls supposed to come from the Valbanera have several times been picked up here and at Key West, but they were so feeble that the location of the vessel could not be learned. It is suggested that other means of finding the ship being fruitless, by some means of the Spanish steamer

## FAMOUS ITALIAN CITY PLUNGED INTO ANARCHY



Twenty-six thousand Italian troops are now in Fiume, according to the latest advice to the Italian peace delegation in Paris. The British and French troops have left the city, lowering their flags at D'Annunzio's request. The Italians are being reinforced constantly by deserters from the regular organization. It is feared in general conference circles that the Nitti government may fall because of the Premier's denunciation of D'Annunzio. The Supreme Council in Paris decided to let Italy deal with the situation created at Fiume by D'Annunzio's occupation of the city, deeming it purely an internal matter.

## D'ANNUNZIO'S TROOPS STILL CONTROL THE CITY OF FIUME

Policy of Italian General Said to Have Been Endorsed by King Victor Emmanuel—Inter-Allied Force Reported to Be About Two Miles Northwest of the City.

Rome, Sept. 19.—The adoption of a firm policy by General Badoglio in dealing with the Fiume situation was endorsed by King Victor Emmanuel before the general left Rome on his mission to restore order in the Fiume section. The king, however, is receiving the general on the eve of his departure, while recommending firmness on the general's part, expressed the wish that there be no bloodshed. It has been stated here that Gabriel D'Annunzio had informed all Allied countries, including the United States, of his intention to occupy Fiume. According to a recent message the blockade of the town is complete. The national council of Fiume is supplied with foodstuffs for three months. Latest advice from Fiume showed that D'Annunzio's forces were still in control of the city. There have been no advances as to the blockade of the place by Italian naval and military forces but there are reports that Yugoslav troops are concentrating on the frontier between Fiume and the Hinterland. There are indications that people not essential to the defence of the place may be compelled to leave so that the armed force may be able to hold out longer. The inter-allied force, which left Fiume after the arrival of D'Annunzio's troops are reported to be about two miles northwest of the city where they are waiting instructions.

## Robbers Were In Mail Car While Clerks Worked

Reports of Ocean Limited Hold-up Reach Officials in Moncton—One Clerk Beaten and Another Fired at by Robbers.

Special to The Standard. Moncton, Sept. 19.—According to the information received by C. M. R. police officials here the highwaymen who robbed the Ocean Limited train between Lewis and Montserrat Thursday morning obtained about \$40,000, the greater part of which was paper money. The robbers according to the information received here, boarded the mail car at Lewis and were in the car where the mail clerks were at work and paid no attention to the two handia until they found themselves looking into the muzzles of revolvers while the robbers were riding the train. Two of the mail clerks lying on the floor bound and gagged raised their heads to get a look at the desperadoes and see what was going on. One clerk received a knock on the head with the butt of a gun and the other man was fired at, the bullet embedding itself in the floor close to his head.

Key West to search for the Valbanera. Key West, Florida, Sept. 19.—In the quicksand under forty feet of water off Rebecca shoals lighthouse, divers today found the bulk of a steamer believed to be the Spanish passenger liner Valbanera, which has been missing since the eastern portion of the Gulf of Mexico was swept by a hurricane ten days ago. The divers, employed by the Cuban consul here after the wreck was discovered by a United States coastguard vessel, reported that the name Valbanera could be made out clearly, but no traces were found of the 300 passengers and 150 members of the crew reported aboard the Spanish liner when she left Spain for Havana. The steamer was found off the Rebecca Shoals Lighthouse, which is forty miles from here, the divers said, and appeared to be about six thousand tons. The missing Valbanera was of 3,251 tons net. Further investigation, however, is expected to clear beyond all doubt the identity of the wreck, and if it is proven to be the Spanish liner, throw some light on the fate of the 450 persons aboard her.

## Former Leader And Associates Sentenced To Die

Fritz Seidl and Six Others Found Guilty of Murdering Hostages During Soviet Regime—Seven Others to Penal Servitude.

Munich, September 19. (By The A. P.)—Fritz Seidl, the former Spartacist leader and six of his associates were sentenced today to pay the death penalty having been found guilty of the murder of hostages during the Soviet regime. The others sentenced to death were Josef Seidl and Herrmann Sickerhofer, Wild, Purzel and Fehmer. Seven others were sentenced to fifteen year penal servitude as accessories, three were discharged. The prisoners received their sentences calmly and afterwards were removed by a military guard. The trial of Bavarian Communist leaders on the charge of having murdered hostages taken during the uprising of February last opened on September 12. The prisoners were arraigned before the people's court. The indictment against them charged that the hostages were hanged in a cellar and were fed bread and water during their imprisonment, and later murdered. Fritz Seidl and two others said to have been the ring-leaders and to have instigated the murders, but during the trial Seidl testifying in his own behalf asserted that he was compelled by the commander of the firing squad to order the hostages shot. Seidl declared the commander threatened to kill him, if he refused to order the execution. As the trial proceeded Seidl appeared to lose nerve and confessed that he regretted the whole affair. The number of hostages executed has never been stated.

## ST. STEPHEN FAIR SHOWED BALANCE

Special to The Standard. St. Stephen, Sept. 19.—The directors of agricultural society No. 88 meeting was held this evening. Reports revealed a very gratifying financial balance from the big St. Stephen fair held last week. It was voted that for the fair next year the society will hold to its regular date. The second whole week in September from Tuesday 14th to Friday 18th, which brings it immediately following the dates announced for the St. John exhibition.

## Ontario Retail Merchants' Assn. Make A Protest

Forward Same to Government Against Order of Board of Commerce Regarding Retail Profit Fixed on Sugar.

Toronto, Sept. 19.—A protest from the Retail Merchants' Association of Ontario was forwarded today to the Dominion government against the order of the Board of Commerce in fixing one cent a pound as the retail profit on sugar and addressed a request to the attorney general that no prosecutions be undertaken until the business was ten bags per cent. The cost, he said, was \$11.25 and allowed for overhead expenses and lost in weighing, the retailers' business was ten bags a week, would lose about \$60 a month.

## Decorated After He Killed A German General

Capt. D. Wilcox of Royal Engineers Arrived in Boston Yesterday—Is Coming to St. John—Entertained by Hub Officials Today.

Special to The Standard. East Boston, Mass., Sept. 19.—Capt. D. Wilcox of the Royal Engineers, holder of the distinguished conduct medal and the British military cross, was a passenger on the new Anchor liner Elysia, which arrived from Glasgow and is now tied up at East Boston. Capt. Wilcox received his decorations after killing a German general. On July 4, 1916, Capt. Wilcox, then a lieutenant, went over the top with his platoon. In a dugout in German trenches he encountered a burly German officer who later proved to be a general. The German attempted to draw an automatic pistol but Wilcox succeeded in killing him with a bayonet before he could fire. Capt. Wilcox is on his way to Canada on some mission of the English government which he stated it is utterly impossible to touch upon. This visit will take him to the following cities: Halifax, Sydney, Moncton, St. John, Charlottetown, Quebec, Montreal, Ottawa, Toronto, London and Winnipeg.

A two or three day stop is to be made in each city. Much attention is being paid the captain and the press men for interviews has been such that all are now barred from the Elysia by order of the commandant general. It is understood that it is Captain Wilcox's intention to first go to Halifax, thence working his way west after his trip to P. E. I. Such was his statement made this morning at which time he stated that he himself could not yet state the exact schedule or dates. He is to be entertained and honored by the city officials here tomorrow.

## HEAD OF BOARD OF COMMERCE UNDER FIRE BY THE MEMBERS ON BOTH SIDES OF THE HOUSE

The Farmer Members Went After Him for His Recent Statements in Regard to Prohibiting the Export of Agricultural Products and Controlling Farm Prices.

### Special to The Standard.

Ottawa, Ont., Sept. 19.—The House of Commons does not seem to like the methods of the new board of commerce in its vigorous efforts to stop profiteering. Mr. W. F. O'Connor, who last year, was the hero of the opposition, is now being bitterly attacked. He was under fire in the Commons today. However, the criticism was not all confined to the opposition. The farmer members of the government side went after him ho! foot for his recent statements in regard to prohibiting exports of agricultural products and controlling farm prices. They thought he was altogether too talkative.

The debate was on the bill which provides for the salaries of the commission. Most of the afternoon was spent grilling O'Connor. Mr. J. A. Robb described him as "a profiteer himself" for taking an eight thousand dollar salary. Dr. Michael Clark talked of his "economic insanity" for proposing embargoes on exports. E. W. Nesbitt, North Oxford, described him as "a modern swashbuckler." John Best of Dufferin talked of "men who didn't know a hog from a sheep, or potatoes from buckwheat," and H. C. Hocken, Toronto, hinted at "advertising methods."

Mr. O'Connor hails from Halifax and Mr. D. D. MacKenzie, opposition leader, loyal blue-nose that he is, rushed to his defence. He said Mr. O'Connor had not the reputation of "blowing his own horn" in Halifax. Perhaps he had been spoiled by the Ottawa. He thought that board should be given a chance which was also the attitude of Mr. R. L. Richardson and other Unionist members.

One of the most severe critics from the standpoint of the farmers was Mr. Donald Sutherland, South Oxford, he criticized the action of the board in prohibiting the export of hogs. As a result thousands of animals had been shipped to the United States where hides brought higher prices. Discussing recent statements as to the cost of milk, Mr. Sutherland declared that owing to the shortage of feed, milk would undoubtedly command a higher price.

The whole debate seems to reveal the difficulties of controlling and fixing prices in Canada satisfactory to producer and consumer.

## Is Charged With Being Girl "Raffles"

Molly Rosen Confessed She Robbed Fifty Apartments During Past Three Months—Raids Netted \$7,000 in Cash and Jewelry.

New York, Sept. 19.—Charged with being a girl "Raffles," and confessing the police say, that during the past three months she had robbed fifty apartments in the Hunts Point section of the Bronx, Molly Rosen, 16 years old, was held in \$2,500 bail here today for examination next Monday. The girl, according to her alleged confession, said that when she "worked" she averaged three apartment house burglaries a day, and that lately her operations had been on the basis of an eight-hour day and six days a week. Sundays, she said, she "rested," because her mother, to whom she paid \$20 a week, supposed she was employed in a downtown store. Her raids, she said, netted her \$4,000 in cash and \$2,000 worth of jewelry.

## Reservations Are Made Only By Mail

Even if Cleveland Wins All Its Games Chicago Would Win Pennant.

Chicago, Sept. 19.—Requests for reservations for the World series games to be played in Chicago between the Cincinnati Nationals and the Chicago White Sox, today began coming into the local club's headquarters at a rate surpassing any previous World series here. All requests for reserved tickets must be made through the mail. No personal requests are being honored at the Park. The White Sox have to win only one of their remaining seven games to clinch the pennant. Even though Cleveland should win all its remaining games, the finish there would be: Won. Lost. P. C. Chicago . . . . . 88 55 .629 Cincinnati . . . . . 87 59 .602 The reservations are being made for three games, and each applicant is restricted to four tickets for each game.

## TRADES AND LABOR CONGRESS OPENS IN HAMILTON MONDAY

The Thirty-Fifth Annual Convention Next Week is Expected to Prove Most Important in History of Trades Unionism in Canada—Delegates from All Over Dominion.

Hamilton, Ont., Sept. 19.—Following closely on the conclusion of the big industrial conference at Ottawa, the Dominion Trades and Labor Congress will open its thirty-fifth annual convention in this city on Monday next, and in spite of the secessionist aspect of the One Big Union idea, and the disintegrating influence of the Reds, it is expected that the convention will be one of the most important in the history of trades unionism in Canada. President Tom Moore, of Niagara Falls, Ontario, who has been a tower of strength for "Union of Unionists" during the various critical periods of the year, will be chairman of the gathering. Delegates will be present in force from every corner of the Dominion where organized labor is a factor in the industrial activities. The questions of the eight-hour day, right of collective bargaining, immigration amendments and other subjects red hot from the consideration of the Industrial Conference, will have a prominent place in the programme of the Congress. Matters of proportional representation in parliamentary elections, reconstruction, and soldiers' readjustment and possibly soldiers' gratuity, will be brought up for discussion and the policy of organized labor on these important issues will be decided upon. Responsibility for and the effect of the ill-starred strike at Winnipeg will be given considerable consideration. Lessons learned from the metal workers' strikes in various parts of the country will be discussed. The "Canadian Labor Press" declares that "All points to a lively time in the ambitious city." The convention, it is expected, will last all week.



### Fall Neckwear Display

Gentlemen! On the one hand, richness, elegance, riot of color, sumptuous are the words to use in describing the Fall display of Neckwear ready for your eyes and throat.

On the other hand Gloves, good to have on hand at this season.

Gilmour's, 68 King St. Clothing, Tailoring, Furnishings.

### Health Notes

**Typoid.**  
In our country where the seasons are so sharply differentiated into winter, spring, summer and autumn, it has for long been noted that in a very rough way, certain diseases, apparently, have favorite seasons. Thus smallpox, pneumonia, bronchitis, rheumatism and others are of more frequent occurrence in winter and early spring than at any other time.

Summer, late summer with us, is the especial time for intestinal diseases in young children, while the typhoid disease of the end of summer and autumn is, beyond doubt, typhoid fever.

In some of these instances it is not difficult to understand why certain diseases peculiarly affect certain seasons. Smallpox, for example, spreads more rapidly in winter than at other times because of the more crowded conditions of living. The cold weather compels a greater retention indoors of the family, and this contributes to infection one from another. And, again, the cold induces neglect of ventilation, indoor gatherings and recreation, while at this season also the lumber business is in full swing and the consequent intimate association in camps actively predisposes to epidemics of this disease.

Pneumonia and other acute diseases of respiration are favored in their onset by the inclemencies and changes of the winter and spring weather; and the acute diseases of indigestion in summer, both in old and young, are attributed largely by the multiplication of injurious bacteria, owing to combined action of heat and moisture. It is not so easy to determine, however, nor is it nearly half so plain why typhoid should be a disease so peculiarly wedded to the autumn. Whole libraries of books have been written about it, giving more or less lucid explanations of this fact, but none of them are altogether convincing in detail. The reasons and theories advanced are much too technical to enter upon in note like this.

Whatever doubt, however, may attach to the cause of the autumnal prevalence of typhoid, there is none at all as regards the immediate cause of the disease, its mode of propagation and its general course. Its cause is a small vegetable growth, so small as only to be seen by a high-powered microscope, called bacillus which lives principally in liquids more especially water and milk. It can only live, for any length of time in dirty water, that is water polluted with some animal substance and this is one of the greatest reasons for insisting upon the purity of drinking water. It is only very rarely that even polluted water contains this germ, but if the germ does obtain access to such water it will live and multiply to an extraordinary degree for some time and create typhoid in many persons who are susceptible to the disease, and who may drink such water. Milk, on the contrary, does not require to be "dirty" in order to contain typhoid. The writer has personal knowledge of an epidemic of typhoid in milk, in which the milk was of exceptional purity and cleanliness apart from this one germ. It had obtained access to the milk from water used to wash the cans, and which, by some accident, got into the milk, for a short time polluted with typhoid. It is easy to understand why good milk will sustain typhoid germ once it gets into it. Milk abounds with animal material, the better it is the richer it is in this respect, and so the germ nourishes in it. But, after all, typhoid from milk is comparatively rare, because it is so easy to discover the cause. If the milk contains it, cases of the disease will break out in those families using it all at about the same time, and, generally speaking, in those alone for some time, at any rate. This peculiar location of the disease is readily noted by the health authorities, and that milk supply is at once cut off. But it is not water and milk alone that can and do convey typhoid. It has been proven beyond all doubt that the common house fly is capable of carrying the germ on its body, principally on its feet, if it comes into contact with filth containing the germ. This polluted it alights upon food, such as milk, meats, possibly bread, and so on, and thus starts a new focus of the disease. Hence the vitally important duty of the housewife to guard against flies.

But typhoid is frequently conveyed in yet another way. Once a case of this disease appears in a family, though the patient may have contracted it one hundred miles away, it is not a very unusual thing for it to attack one after another of the family at intervals in succession of two or three weeks or a month, and in this way, perhaps a whole winter may be spent with typhoid gradually passing from one to another.

The source of contagion in such an instance is almost always in the hands of the hands of the person nursing the patient. The virus of the disease is transferred from the hands to the food, or perhaps to the mouth, directly. In all such cases, the hands should be immediately washed in soap, and if possible, in running water, each time after having anything to do with the patient. By such simple means, typhoid can be prevented from spreading in a family, from one person to another. Broadly speaking typhoid cannot be contracted from the breath, or through the air, or from ordinary clothing, unless directly soiled with typhoid discharges, or from bedding or transportation vehicles unless under very peculiar and rare circumstances. The poison of typhoid, must, in order to be effective, be swallowed, or so obtain direct access to the intestines, which are the chief seat of this disease. In this disease, above all others, personal cleanliness and the holding of soap and water, and the application of chloride of lime in generous amounts to the discharges of the patient, are the main-stays in the way of prevention of the disease passing from one person to another.

Should anyone desire fuller or more precise information upon this matter of typhoid, a letter to the Department of Health, Fredericton, will elicit it.

### Will Sell Food From Trucks To Cut Living Cost

Mayor Hylan of New York Approves Scheme That Will Save Thousands for Housewives.

New York, Sept. 19.—Mayor Hylan has endorsed a suggestion by a group of leading exporters of foodstuffs by which groceries will be sold in the streets of New York from trucks at from twelve and one-half to forty per cent. lower than the Fair Price Committee's quotations.

This announcement was made last night by Dr. Jonathan G. Day, Commissioner of Public Markets, who said that the Mayor heartily endorsed the idea as an emergency measure. Dr. Day said it was strictly a private enterprise on the part of the exporters, actuated by patriotic motives, to serve the people of New York in an effort to reduce the abnormally high prices of foodstuffs.

Dr. Day said that the city will merely co-operate in the work, that is, by the Mayor instructing the Commissioner of Licenses to issue licenses to the exporters for the trucks used in the sale of food. The licenses will be granted for trucks with no time limitation. The exporters will have from one to five hundred trucks, or whatever number is necessary, said Dr. Day.

The Commissioner said that all details had been worked out and the scheme will be put into effect within ten days or two weeks. Discharged soldiers will be paid at the rate of \$5 a day as salesmen. Trucks will be hired and chauffeurs paid a reasonable compensation. The mobile grocery store will be operated through-out the city particularly in neighborhoods where high prices prevail.

Dr. Day explained that the articles sold will be direct from manufacturer to consumer, and will include general groceries, the surplus from the army food supply and other staple articles. The exporters who have arranged the scheme are trying to induce exporters of eggs, butter and other dairy products to participate in the movement.

Dr. Day said he will make public the correspondence on the subject to-day. This plan on the part of the exporters to serve the people will not interfere with their foreign trade, Dr. Day added.

### Loss May Have Been More Than \$100,000

Train Robbers Said to Have Obtained That Amount from Ocean Limited—Insurance Companies Responsible—Banks Not the Losers.

Quebec, Sept. 19.—According to unofficial news today, the train robbery at Harlakia yesterday morning on the I. C. R. Ocean Limited train, brought the banks close to it not more than \$100,000. Two Quebec banks alone had sent over \$30,000 in the packets which were stolen. But they lose nothing, the insurance people being responsible for the protection of such shipments.

News coming from the district surrounding the scene of the robbery indicate that no trace whatever has been raised of the bandits. According to an interview given by E. Reay, the chief inspector of the railroad car to arrive here last night, the robbers left the train at Montmagny station. Arthur Lamarre, agent at Montmagny, questioned today by the Canadian Press, said he saw nothing of the supposed bandits when the looted train passed his station, and that the first news he had of the robbery was a flash sent over the wires by the operator at L'Islet.

The robbers, according to Reay, jumped off the car on the side opposite the station so that they could easily take to the bush close by and disappear even before the train pulled out of the station.

News-papers and detectives who have been all over the ground report raising not the slightest clue and no trace of men in the neighborhood. Three simultaneous investigations are going on in connection with the crime. The provincial police are busy on the crime with Detectives Trudel, Cummings, Hall and Boucher. The federal police are also looking into the thing with Captain Lavola in charge.

The post office department also has its inspectors busy with S. T. Green at their head here. Already a number of false clues have been nailed down by the detectives, and this morning it seems that there are still less indications than there were yesterday as to the identity and whereabouts of the robbers.

### Canadian Hall of Record As Memorial

Mayor of Vimy Intimates He Has Not Heard Whether Canadian Government Intends to Accept Gift of Sites Offered.

London, Sept. 19. (By C. A. F. cable)—Some time ago the Belgian government presented Canada with a splendid site at the Menin-Gate, Ypres, for the erection of a Canadian Hall of Record as a memorial of Canadians fighting in the Ypres salient. The French government offered sovereignty of Vimy Ridge for the same purpose.

It is learned that the mayor of Vimy has written intimating that while he has been instructed to locate a site for this purpose, he has not yet heard whether the Canadian government intends to accept the gift of the Belgium government and is also unaware if the French government's offer will be accepted.

### Sensation At Labor Convention

M. Merriham, Socialist, in Address in Lyons Said: "Money is Everything, We Must Save Working Class from That Wave of Immorality."

Paris, Sept. 19.—M. Merriham, secretary of the Metal Workers' Union, created a sensation at the Labor Federation convention in Lyons yesterday by denouncing "the wave of immorality which threatens to submerge all classes of societies—the working class more than other."

M. Merriham, who is one of the socialists who conferred with the German Socialists at Zimmerwald, Switzerland, during the war and who formerly was one of the most aggressive labor leaders in France, took the floor to defend the executive committee of the federation against criticisms by the extremists for the fiasco which marked the proposed general strike of July last, he ridiculed the pretensions of extremists of labor organization who talked of such plans as a four hour day and said what organized labor needed was to get to work. "You talk of a revolutionary situation," he said, "but left to itself, the proletariat could accomplish nothing. The war has sharpened all appetites and provoked all sorts of covetousness in all circles, even among the workers. Idealism has foundered under base material pre-occupations. "Money is everything, no one wants anything but money. We must save the working class from that wave of immorality."

M. Merriham's speech made a deep impression on the delegates, which was evidenced in a great ovation as he left the platform.

### Storm Swept Area Of Corpus Christi

Corpus Christi, Texas, Sept. 19.—Through the storm-swept area of Corpus Christi are wide stretches of sand and shell where last Saturday stood homes that made this city of

18,000 a resort of national repute. Fifteen hundred homes stretching along the beach for twenty-three blocks were crushed and hurled away or wrecked by the tidal wave, which reached a depth of 15 feet in some places. Over much of the beach section not an indication of former homes now remain, except here and there a bath tub or part of a brick chimney.

From Star street, where the business section on the beach terminated, to Dan Reid street, every one of the 900 beach homes has been destroyed, most of them beyond trace, while here and there a palm tree, hanging low with its oil-begrimed leaves, marks the spot of some former show place.

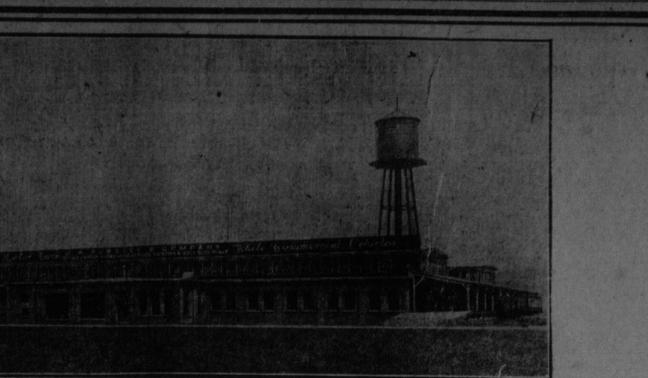
In this section, the Bay line has changed, the water having established a new line varying from fifty to two hundred feet inland from the former position.

Oil from the shattered banks at Port Aransas coats everything that will sustain it, from seaweed washed ashore, furniture in homes somewhat back from the beach and other objects,

to the pelicans along the shore, many so burdened with oil they cannot fly. In the business section the buildings utterly demolished include the city's electric power plant, and until this service is restored, which probably will not be for at least thirty days, there will be no electric lights or street car service.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Kenneth Clawson returned last evening from their wedding trip to Upper Canada and will reside at 14 Elliott Row.

Halifax, Sept. 19.—Alderman James S. Edwards, one of the best known men in the north end of Halifax, died today. Mr. Edwards came to Halifax a good many years ago and established himself in business. He took a marked interest in civic affairs and wrote considerably for the press. A long series of his articles was published under the nom de plume "North End Observer."



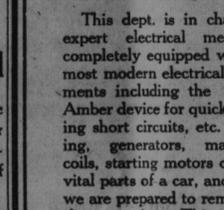
36,000 SQ. FEET OF CONCRETE FLOOR SPACE AND PRACTICALLY FIRE PROOF. TOWER IN BACKGROUND CONTAINS 30,000 GALLONS OF WATER, 65 FT. IN HEIGHT.

## At Your Service

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### STORAGE BATTERY AND ELECTRICAL REPAIR DEPT.

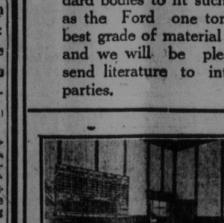
This dept. is in charge of expert electrical men and completely equipped with the most modern electrical instruments including the famous Amber device for quickly finding short circuits, etc. in wiring, generators, magnetos, coils, starting motors or other vital parts of a car, and which we are prepared to remedy on short notice. This dept. is also equipped with a complete battery charging and repair equipment with a full stock of parts for repairing or renewing plates, etc. on all makes of batteries.



A VIEW OF BATTERY ROOM.

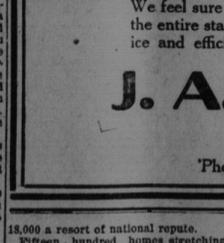
### COMMERCIAL TRUCK BODY-BUILDING PLANT

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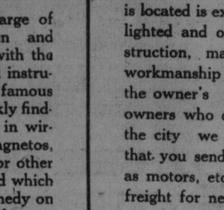


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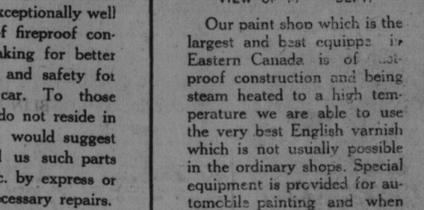
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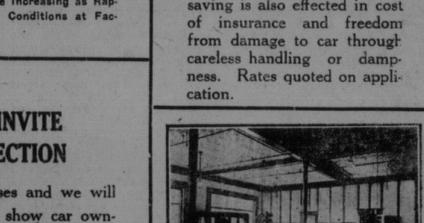
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STORY-CRAFT. — At St. Luke's church, on Wednesday, September 17th, by the Rev. R. F. McKim, Margaret C. Craft to Kenneth C. Story.

### Rumanians Are Taking Everything

In Withdrawal They Are Robbing Women of Jewelry, Confiscating Live Stock and Stripping Country of Locomotives and Cars.

Budapest, Sept. 18.—(By the Associated Press.)—Reports indicate the continued withdrawal of the Rumanians, who are taking with them almost everything movable on which they can lay their hands, including the lines that they have been seizing jewelry from women and children and confiscating livestock, fodder and agricultural implements. What appears to be the gravest aspect of the situation, however, is the great number of locomotives and cars the Rumanians have taken away, practically stripping the country of the means of railway transport. They have also seized an enormous amount of artillery, ammunition, air planes and other material.

### STEEL WORKERS' LETTER TO WILSON

Give Eleven Reasons Why They Could Not Comply With His Request to Postpone Strike Called for Next Monday.

Pittsburg, Pa., Sept. 19.—The steel workers' national committee late last night made public a letter it has drafted and sent to President Wilson giving eleven reasons why it could not comply with his request to postpone the steel workers' strike called for next Monday. The letter also recites the history of the movement to better the conditions of the workers and expresses faith in the president's desire to bring about a conference.

"We regret that for the first time your call upon organized labor cannot meet with favorable response," the letter states. "If delay were no more than delay, even at the cost of loss of membership in our organizations, we would urge the same to the fullest of our ability, notwithstanding the men are armed set for an immediate strike. But delay here means the surrender of all hope."

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Will more people have better homes, food and clothing?

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Do you know just who have been behind this movement all these years, and just what they have expected to gain by it? Why have the church members wanted prohibition? Why have the social workers been so tireless in their efforts? How have business men and employers expected to profit? Strangest of all, why has labor advocated prohibition?

Martha Bensley Bruère, in an illuminating article in October Pictorial Review called "What We May Expect From Prohibition", reveals how each of these groups of people expected to gain a different end!

And what have been the results in our own dry states? Mrs. Bruère tells you these things, and the lights she throws on what is likely to happen are certainly most interesting!

Which of these people will win? Temperance people, social workers, church workers, business men, labor—for each and all, Mrs. Bruère has a definite message!



Who is going to benefit most by prohibition?

## HOW CAN WE MAKE MARRIAGE MORE ATTRACTIVE?

ALL over the world, there is an alarming increase of bachelors. Some say they cannot afford to marry. Others frankly admit they are too selfish. Young women in appalling numbers have no desire for marriage. They prefer economic independence.

Do you know about the so-called "new morality"—that menace to our home and family life? Do you know of the changes—social, legal, political and economic—that must be worked out before marriage can be made easier and more attractive?

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## DOES YOUR HUSBAND TELL YOU EVERYTHING?

OR do you just think he does? He may be like Pelham Madden. And you may be like Mrs. Madden before she found the letter from the other woman in his pocket. Every woman, young or old, can learn a whole lot about managing a man by reading "Happily Married" by Corra Harris, in

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A message from the Queen of Belgium

THE King and Queen of Belgium are soon to be the nation's guests. A special greeting to Pictorial Review's readers accompanies a charming portrait of this dainty Queen, with her signature.

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The alarm clock

DO you know that Kansas spends less money on the health of its babies than it does on the health of its bees?

What do you know about the Conference on Social Morality? What country in Europe has the highest birth-rate and why? Look for "The Alarm Clock" each month.

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Woodstock

Woodstock, Sept. 19.—Miss Pauline Balloch of Cambridge, was the guest of Mrs. J. A. F. Garden this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennett Connell of Shennedy, New York, arrived on Monday to attend the funeral of Mr. Connell's father, Charles W. Connell.

Miss Gustie Murphy of Boston, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Gibson.

Mrs. F. W. McLean of St. John, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Godfrey Newham.

Mrs. T. Carlisle L. Ketchum entertained very enjoyable at the tea hour on Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. J. A. F. Garden entertained at two tables of bridge on Tuesday evening in honor of her guest, Miss Pauline Balloch.

Mr. David Slipp and Mrs. Slipp arrived home on Friday.

Mr. Leonard Macintosh left Monday for Toronto and New York.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Riddett who have been visiting relatives in Boston and Toronto, returned home last week.

Mr. Harry Bailey of the Bank of Montreal, Moncton, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Bailey last week.

Moncton

Moncton, Sept. 19.—Mr. J. F. Sheehan of Boston, is in the city, the guest of Mrs. J. J. McDonald, Bedford street.

Mrs. Harry Twigg, who returned from Halifax, where she had her son, Pte. Harry Twigg, who returned to Canada on the S. S. Cedric.

Misses Jessie and Janet Fleming returned from Boston, where they spent several weeks.

Mr. W. C. Knight leaves shortly on a trip to Vermilion, Los Angeles, and the Coast.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Hawker and Miss Edna Day, have returned from a two weeks' motor trip to New Britain, Conn., the White Mountains, Portland and Calais, Me., St. John and Fredericton.

Mr. W. H. Y. Dunbar, who has been the guest of Mrs. E. Williams, returned to Charlottetown on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Humphrey and Mr. and Mrs. Givran of Boston, has returned from a motor trip to Boston.

Mr. J. G. Godfrey left on Monday afternoon on a business trip to Toronto.

Mrs. F. J. White and daughter, Miss Marion White left on Monday for Toronto, where they will remain for her studies at St. Margaret's College.

Mr. Errol Mitchell of Halifax, has arrived in this city to attend the Tweedie-Shannon nuptials.

Campbellton

Campbellton, Sept. 19.—Mr. Geo. G. MacKenzie has returned from a business trip to New York.

Mrs. J. G. MacColl of Moncton is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Adams.

Miss Hazel Myles of Sussex is the guest of Mrs. W. McD. Metcalf.

Mr. E. B. McLatchey has returned to St. John after visiting his parents here.

The Misses Pearson of Montreal are the guests of their sister, Mrs. J. F. Rowley, Methodist parsonage.

Mrs. W. H. Rogers is visiting relatives in Moncton.

Dr. Everett Gray of Milltown is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Gray.

Mr. Harold Mowat spent the week-end in Moncton.

Miss Greta Mettler has returned from St. John where she attended the Key-Tennant wedding, formerly of Campbellton, passed through here on Tuesday morning en route to his home in Fredericton.

Rev. J. P. Rowley was in Moncton on Sunday and occupied the pulpit of the Wesley Memorial church.

Milltown

Milltown, N. B., Sept. 19.—Mrs. John Morrill and daughter, Miss Marjorie Morrill, have returned from a pleasant summer in Montclair, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard McLean of Lewiston, were recent guests of Mrs. McLean's father, Mr. Andrew Mungall.

Miss Constance Maher has returned from Boston and is visiting at her home here.

Rev. Francis Walker of St. John, was a recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Graham.

Rev. J. J. Ryan has arrived from Woodstock to take up his duties as pastor of the Catholic Church here, succeeding Rev. A. W. Moshan.

Walter McParlane left last week to take up his studies at St. Joseph's College, Memramouc.

Miss Mame Burns has returned from a pleasant visit in Boston and vicinity.

Miss Pearl Turley left last week to enter Mount Allison Ladies' College.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Milican of St. John, were guest during the week of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Webber.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Mungall and young son, Robert, of Quebec, were guests of Mrs. Mungall's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Hill during Fair Week.

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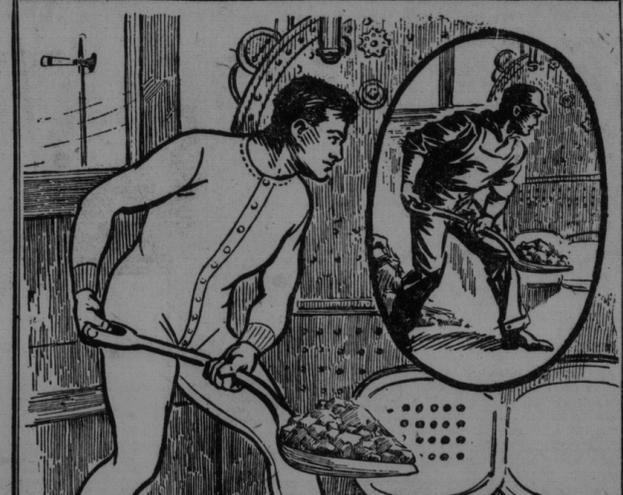
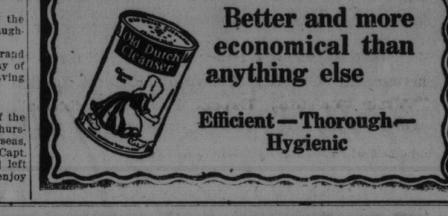
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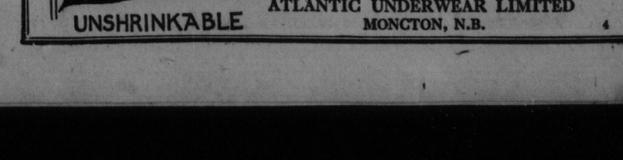


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#### THE PRICE OF MILK.

The Standard has no desire to interfere with the laudable ambition of any man or group of men to earn an honest livelihood, nor to dissuade those who are anxious to enjoy a reasonable profit from their labors. It is not the duty of this paper or of any paper to protect itself into the affairs of others, unless the policy of those others is detrimental to the interests of the people as a whole. Hence, neither The Standard nor any other St. John newspaper has, up to the present, taken position in opposition to the proposed increase in the price of milk, which, according to the announcement of producers and retailers, is to become effective October 1st. The impression entertained by The Standard was that this was merely another of our periodic scares, but apparently the situation is more serious at the present time than it has been in the past, and it is evidently the purpose of those directly concerned to advance the price of milk from 15c. per quart, which is now paid, to 18c. per quart, commencing the first of October. Under these circumstances The Standard is inclined to suggest that this must not be done, and that it will not be done.

The price of food is today controlled by the Canadian Council of Commerce, and on September 18th that council, sitting in Hamilton, issued an order prohibiting milk dealers from asking any higher prices for their products than had prevailed on September 14th. Violation of this regulation subjects the offender to a very serious penalty. At The Standard is correctly informed that the Board of Commerce has made another ruling that without the consent of that Board no prices of any foodstuffs whatever may be advanced hereafter. And for violation of this order similar penalties are imposed.

But the action of the Board is even more far-reaching than this. It has been enlarged to prevent any reduction in supplies which might be occasioned by the fixing of prices. Producers who have been in the habit of furnishing certain quantities of food stuffs at prices prevailing in the past and who, feeling annoyed through the impossibility of securing higher prices, decide to "hold back their goods," render themselves liable to heavy penalties for violations of this order. They must continue to supply foodstuffs in accordance with their usual custom for any attempt on their part to reduce such supplies, to divert their products to other purposes, or to refuse to sell to their accustomed dealers renders them liable to punishment.

The Standard does not know, and does not particularly care, who are responsible for the announcement recently made of the advance in the price of milk in St. John. But if the producers attempt to charge the retailers and the retailers attempt to charge the individual consumers any higher prices than are now being paid, this paper will make it its business to interfere, and will immediately report to the Board of Commerce the introduction of such increased charges with full particulars as to the persons responsible and other necessary evidence in order to bring about conviction. If the upward tendency in the cost of living is to be checked a start must be made and it is utterly absurd for a Court of Commerce to make regulations of country-wide force and at the same time to permit individual violations of such regulations with impunity. The maintenance of present prices may work hardship to some, but it will be for a short time only, as when other lines are affected, costs of production will inevitably come down and the milk dealers who may miss the opportunity of securing additional profits now will undoubtedly enjoy even higher profits later, when the costs of production are influenced by action of this kind along other lines.

#### PROMISE AND PERFORMANCE.

Officials of the Canadian National Railways who were in St. John a few days ago expressed their extreme pleasure in learning that berths had not been allotted for this winter. This they declared, left the city free to handle in a most generous manner the great volume of business they proposed to send in her via their own steamship lines. And definite announcements of that business indicate that eleven boats under Canadian National management will come to St. John during the five and a half winter months. This will impose a terrific strain upon the equipment of our port. At the Long wharf, which is government railway property, are two deep-water berths at which six steamers per month can be accommodated. That wharf would thus be able to handle at least thirty-three sailings during the winter port season, and, as the city possesses only incidental wharves over that wharf, it is gratifying to note that in addition to this accommodation, for thirty-three boats all the rest of the harbor remains available for the overflow from the eleven sailings which the Canadian National contemplate handling through St. John. This is directly in line with the treatment we have received in former years and is exactly what may be anticipated from the Canadian National management in the event of the harbor going under commission. We are asked by those promoting the commission project to trust everything to the Government in the knowledge that we will be given the most generous possible treatment in the administration of the harbor, in the development of necessary works, and in the reduction of rates. All of this must be taken on faith, but even while this advice is being handed out to us, we find the Canadian National diverting seventy-five per cent. of its business to Halifax, over one hundred and sixty-six miles of a longer haul, determined to ignore the ordinary connection for St. John, to disregard the harbor accommodation which we have available, even to let its own terminals stand idle in order that its pet scheme of diverting national traffic to Halifax may be carried out. St. John, however, is not deprived of the opportunity of fair treatment in this important matter. The moment business commences and freight is routed over the long haul to Halifax, the way is opened for an appeal from this city to the Federal Railway Commission, and if we prepare and present the actual facts of the case in a comprehensive manner, it is inevitable that the decision of the Railway Board must be in our favor in order that freight may be carried over the shortest route in the interests of economic transportation and to facilitate the shipment of goods in view of the existing scarcity of equipment.

#### MARITIME UNION.

If the Maritime Board of Trade— which after a lapse of four years has just held a very satisfactory meeting in Moncton—had accomplished nothing else, its resolution in favor of Maritime Union would have more than justified the gathering. Unfortunately, organizations of this nature have earned, and have very generally deserved, the reputation for passing resolutions of this nature and then letting them die. Once the conven- tion comes to an end interest seems to lag, and it is always difficult to get action on the decisions of such conferences. The addresses which were given on this most important subject, the arguments which were advanced, and the prominence of those endorsing the resolution favoring union, all tend to bring this issue more prominently before the people of the Maritime Provinces than ever before, and it will be very unfortunate indeed if after becoming a subject of active discussion, Union is again shelved. A representative from Prince Edward Island interjected into the discussion an opinion that the people of his province, because of disappointment with the results of confederation, should not be expected to favor Maritime Union. If he and his fellow Islanders will look more carefully into the subject they will ascertain that Maritime Union will undoubtedly prove a remedy for many of the evils under which that province now suffers. It cannot get out of Confederation, but it should in all reason adopt policies which will overcome the disappointments it now expresses. No province stands to gain more than Prince Edward Island by such a union, for, as it is today, it can do nothing, but as a part of a united group it will undoubtedly command the influence of our entire representation. Those who attended the Moncton gathering found, as others have realized in former years, that the people of these three eastern provinces have much in common upon which united action is advisable. The more deeply they look into the plan of union the more vividly will they be impressed with its advantages and the more keenly will they appreciate the obstacles which as individual provinces we are now called upon to face and the handicap under which each province is suffering by reason of divided effort. Our resources are dissipated and our influence lost by reason of the fact that we are selfishly, although very naturally, seeking the furtherance of our own pet schemes and that we are unable to view the Maritime situation from the standpoint of the common good. It is sincerely to be hoped that those who at Moncton endorsed the Maritime union resolution will carry out an educational campaign placing before the people of the Maritime Provinces in an intelligent manner the innumerable reasons why Union should be studied until all have become imbued with the knowledge that the plan is to be founded on future success.

#### THE HOSPITAL.

The Globe, quoting The Standard's conclusion on the system of management of the General Public Hospital, wants to know what has become of the nurses' home, additional accompo-

dition, etc. The two are entirely distinct. It is years gone by the hospital had been under a proper system of management there would not now be any question of nurses' home, additional accommodation, etc. These things would have been provided in the ordinary course of administration, that they are not available today is due to the faulty system which we have, and they will continue to be lacking so long as the present divided authority lasts.

#### WHAT THEY SAY

**Too Much State Intervention.**—Chicago Tribune—We are glad to extend that modern conditions do not require a greater degree of state intervention than was necessary when the nation was young. There is no reason to believe that without relieving the consequences the American people are coming more and more of their individual independence and lean on the State. Nowadays the American, instead of thinking what he can do for himself, thinks first of how he can get the State to do something for him. Consciously or not his ideal of the State is that of a benevolent despot.

**Against Railroad Advertising.**—Washington Star—Billboard and roadside advertising have been under criticism for many years. The weight of adverse criticism has increased and many advertisers have taken note of the trend of popular opinion, while public authorities and all persons interested in the sightliness of highways and the preservation of scenery have taken their stand against these forms of advertising. In Pennsylvania the state highway department, which has the largest billboards in the state, is directing that more than 10,000 miles of state roads be stripped of advertising signs of every description.

**New Menace to Feminine Morals.**—New York World—The women of Paris, it seems, are wearing flimsy gowns cut so low that, in the words of the New York editor who reports the fact, they are "going practically nude." English women, according to this observer, are adopting the style and he predicts that it will become popular here. Great wars are commonly followed by fashion revivals which tend to revive the old customs of propriety, and dealers in women's goods, not being moral censors, will probably not interfere in this instance to check the fashion. Fashionable shop windows no doubt will shine more retulently than ever before with gowns that are "dreams of delight and indecorum."

**Is the "Soldier's Vote" for Sale?**—The Review—The various bills before Congress providing a bonus to all soldiers enrolled in our armies are not called for by existing conditions or by any theory of military service. Our armies have been compensated more liberally than in any previous instance in history. For all cases of military service, the plain, more ample provision has been made than ever before. In these proposals for a cash bonus, regardless of need and based simply on the fact of enrollment, it is difficult to see anything but a cash bonus, regardless of the soldier's vote. Let us hope that there is to be no soldier vote to bid for in the sense which such a bid suggests.

**What Germany Wants of the Senate.**—San Francisco Chronicle—Meaningful German writers are pointing themselves in the wholly mistaken belief that the Senate has become a mere tool of the German people. The fact is that no senator has imposed the least fault with the terms imposed upon Germany. Germany carries on her negotiations with which has left the German people with hardly a non-German friend in the world. There is, however, a possibility, which we yet may have a hope, that the course which the Senate is taking may finally result in the molding of a new intelligence, and that the citizens of the future are one of the most serious tasks which can be laid on the shoulders of those responsible for public instruction, we yet may see such a noble pitance to men of whom we are so much. Only very slowly, it would seem, is an adequate view of what education involves making its way in our community. One of the first things we have to do is to recognize that the nation which is going to succeed in our new world is the nation which has properly organized its elementary and secondary education, and which in every respect tries to secure a thoroughly scientific and practical training for its citizens.

**A Five-Shilling Lord Chancellor.**—London Daily Chronicle—Our early Chancellors would have been over a very naturally, seeking the furtherance of their own pet schemes and that we are unable to view the Maritime situation from the standpoint of the common good. It is sincerely to be hoped that those who at Moncton endorsed the Maritime union resolution will carry out an educational campaign placing before the people of the Maritime Provinces in an intelligent manner the innumerable reasons why Union should be studied until all have become imbued with the knowledge that the plan is to be founded on future success.

**The Hospital.**—The Globe, quoting The Standard's conclusion on the system of management of the General Public Hospital, wants to know what has become of the nurses' home, additional accompo-

### Little Benny's Note Book

BY LEE PAPE.

My cousin Artie came over last night, and me and him was playing checkers on the setting room floor and pop was reading the sporting page, and after a while Artie got tired of not being able to beat me and stopped playing, saying, Aw heck, this is a gortis game, this is. I tell you lets wat, lets play modesty, I sed. All rite, how? sed Artie, and I sed, The ideor is to see wich one can say the most modest thing about himself. All rite, you start, sed Artie. Wich I did, saying, I got bigger mussels for my size than any fellow around, but that aint anything, big mussels aint so much, anybody can have big mussels. I wouldnt brag about it, theyre bigger than some fellows with long pania have, but that aint anything. Being Arties tern, and he sed, Its better in aritmetic than anybody in our class, I bet I can add faster than wat the teacher can, but wat that, that aint anything. I dont go around thinking Im better than everybody else just because Im smarter. Being my tern, and I sed Im so good at reading that wat is my tern to read in skool everybody claps as if they was at a tree show, but wat do I care, I can do so many things that I dont think anything of that, that, thats nothing as far as Im concerned. Being Arties tern, and he sed, Im so good looking that wat I have my pictures taken all the gerts want one, and come around and ask and beg till I have to give them each one in self defence, and some artists saw me once and he would of painted me if he hadent of bin so busy, but gosh, wat that means, anybody can be good looking, I dont even talk about it. Being my tern, and I was jest starting, and pop sed, Halt, stop, cease firing, if I wasent so modest myself Id start to brag about how Im going to bump you I heds together till you see stars if you dont both clear out of hear before I can lay hands on you. Wich we did.

#### A BIT OF VERSE

**THE ROAD.**  
My way of life is a winding road,  
A road that wanders yet turns not back,  
Where one should carry as light a load,  
As well may be in a traveller's pick.  
A road that rambles through marsh  
And wastes the preservation of scenery,  
Meadow and waste to the cloudy end,  
But smooth or rugged I find it good,  
For something's always around the bend.

There may be storms in the black  
dolies,  
But Oh! the calms of the valley's  
breast,  
There may be toll on the upward  
miles  
But, Oh! the joy of the mountain's  
crest.  
And here's a thistle and here's a rose,  
And next—whatever the road may  
send,  
For onward ribbons the way I chose  
With something always around the  
bend.  
Then come and travel my road with  
me,  
Through windy passes, in waves of  
foveas,  
Though long and weary the march  
may be,  
The river's blessing shall still be  
ours.

A noonday halt at a crystal well,  
A word and smile with a passing  
friend,  
A song to sing, and a tale to tell,  
And something coming around the  
bend!  
—Arthur Gutterman.

#### A BIT OF FUN

Many a man who toots his own  
horn imagines he is the whole band.  
Sometimes a man remains in the  
bachelor class because he is shy either  
of coin or courage.  
They were showing him the baby  
"Yes, of course!" murmured the sim-  
ple fellow. "And—er—how old is it?"  
"Exactly four months tomorrow,"  
chirped the ecstatic mother.  
"Oh—haw—yes—er—the youngest  
I suppose?" he stammered.

**His Conscientious Objections.**  
A soldier is allowed to "change his  
religion," as it is termed, if he can  
convince his commanding officer that  
he has good reasons. On one occasion  
a man intimated his desire.  
"Now," said the Colonel, "what are  
your reasons?" "Have you consider-  
ation for the convictions of the mat-  
ter?"  
The man intimated that he had.  
"You are denouncing the Colonel,"  
to what denomination do you wish to be  
transferred?"  
"Sold the case-seeking Tommy,"  
I discerned the name, sir, but it's  
them as parades for church half an  
hour later than the others."

**Too Much for Her.**  
It was Sarah Jane's day out, and  
she was comparing notes with Susan,  
from a neighboring house. "So I hear

#### ABE MARTIN



Some o' th' speakers who pretend  
t' be so jealous o' th' Monroe doctrine  
wouldn't last two blocks on th' rear end  
o' a street car knowin' when t' go on  
about your business after shikin'  
hands with someone is a fine thing.  
"You've left that artist's," Susan said.  
"Yes, indeed," remarked Sarah  
Jane. "I couldn't stand the misere-  
able studio you must be very careful  
not to touch the old master. It's  
worth hundreds of pounds," she says.  
Well, that got my temper up proper.  
"Excuse me, ma'am," says I, but I've  
got a young man of my own and I  
don't want an old master, not if he  
is worth millions!"

**Har Cell.**  
The room was full of little girls  
in pink pianos and pigtails. They  
sat in rows at wooden desks, as quiet  
as mice. Over them presided a  
sweet-faced dame, stern withal.  
The lesson concerned coils of the  
reelin' and they had been through the  
entire range, from seraphines to  
sovereigns.

**HARBOR COMMISSION.**  
To the Editor of The Standard:  
Sir,—Permit me through the columns  
of your valuable journal to ask as a  
humble citizen of St. John, in the  
event of our harbor going into the  
hands of a commission, what effect  
would it have on the trade of our port?  
Second, Will the commission spend  
money lavishly on the development of  
our harbor, or be governed by its  
revenue?  
Third, Will the commission impose  
an import and export tax on the  
trade of the port in order to raise  
its revenue?  
These are a few of the questions  
that the public would like to be en-  
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WEDDINGS. Livingston-Harper. Miss Grace Harper, formerly of Shelburne, but for some time past residing with her mother, Mrs. Charles Harper, Moncton, was married to Rev. Grover Livingston, pastor of the Presbyterian church at Grand Mere, Quebec, St. John's Presbyterian church, Moncton, on Thursday.

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Admiralty State They Recognize St. John's Claims. Letter Read at Meeting of Navy League Executive Yesterday Concerning Visit of Warships to This City—Plans for Appeal in October.

A letter from Admiral Benson was read at an executive meeting of the Navy League held yesterday afternoon in the Board of Trade rooms.

The president, Colonel E. T. Sturdee, S. D., who presided yesterday, announced that Commodore A. Emmins, Jarvis, president of the Navy League, is expected to visit St. John the first week in October.

Miss Helen Murphy, Douglas avenue has left on the Governor Dingley to spend her vacation with her father, in Lyon, Mass.

Board of Trade Council Meeting. Pilotage Service to be Organized Here—Employers Asked to Give Returned Men Preference to Fill Vacancies—Other Matters Dealt With.

At a meeting of the Council of the Board of Trade yesterday, the secretary submitted a report on the Maritime Board of Trade meeting at Moncton.

Some of the subjects that were discussed at the Maritime Board were considered in their relation to St. John, and will be followed up.

The Council decided to interest itself in the approaching visit of United States magazine writers to this province, and the secretary was authorized to follow the subject up.

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# STANDARD'S SPORTING SECTION

## Good Racing At The Capital

### Touz Won Third Race of the Week - Nine Wins This Season.

Special to The Standard. Frederickton, N. B., Sept. 19.—Touz won her third race of the week for her owner, W. O. Peavick, of Bathurst, N. B., today, and took a new record of 2:13 1/4 in the first heat. It was her tenth race of the season, nine of which she has won.

Bill Sharon, driven by his owner, Sam J. Boyle, of this city, romped away with the 2:30 trot stake, making a new four-year-old trotting record of 2:30 1/4. He was the first to step the third heat in 2:16 3/4. He was bred and raised here by his owner, who recently refused an offer of \$2,000 for his unbroken trotter from a Boston patron of Billy Fleming, the Bay State circuit driver.

The summary:

2:30 Stake, Trot and Pace, Purse \$400. Touz, ch. m., by Direct Hal (Wilbur)..... 1 3 3 1 1  
 Lake He Sure, by Will Bo Sure (Brickley)..... 2 1 1 2 3  
 Jubilee, b. m. (Ryan)..... 3 2 3 3 ro.  
 Time—2:13 1/2; 2:15 1/4; 2:16 3/4; 2:17 1/4 and 2:19 1/4.

2:30 Trot, Purse \$400.  
 Bill Sharon, ch. s., by Captain Aubrey (Boyle)..... 1 1 1  
 Addie B. b. m. (Carroll)..... 2 2 2  
 Our Peggy, b. m. (Cameron)..... 3 3 3  
 Harvest Hope, b. s. (Sharon)..... 3 4 5  
 Sam McKinney, b. s. (Gero)..... 4 5 4  
 Miss Bired, b. m. (Cox)..... ds.  
 Time—2:17 1/4; 2:18 1/4; 2:16 3/4

## BASEBALL IN THE BIG LEAGUES

**AMERICAN LEAGUE.**  
 Cleveland, 12; Washington, 3.  
 At Washington—Cleveland..... 110000550—12 18 0  
 Washington..... 00001005—3 12 0  
 Basky and O'Neill; Shaw, Harper, Fischer and Ghartry.  
 Philadelphia, 3; St. Louis, 2.  
 At Philadelphia—St. Louis..... 00100001—2 10 3  
 Philadelphia..... 00100002—3 9 1  
 Wright and Collins; Kinney and Walker.  
 New York, 7; Detroit, 0.  
 At New York—Detroit..... 00000000—0 3 2  
 New York..... 04020010—7 14 0  
 Boland, Cunningham and Almsmith; Mogridge and Ruel.  
 Chicago, 3; Boston, 2.  
 At Chicago—Boston..... 02000010—3 10 3  
 Chicago..... 10100000—2 7 1  
 Ciccio and Schaik; Hoyt and Schang.

**NATIONAL LEAGUE.**  
 New York, 4; Pittsburg, 2.  
 At Pittsburg—New York..... 00003010—4 9 1  
 Pittsburg..... 00000000—3 11 0  
 Neff and McCarty; Cooper and Schmidt.  
 Philadelphia, 3; St. Louis, 1.  
 At St. Louis—Philadelphia..... 30000000—3 11 0  
 St. Louis..... 01000000—1 5 1  
 Hogg and Adams; May, Tauro and Clemens.  
 At Chicago—Chicago-Boston, postponed, rain.  
 Only three games scheduled in the National League today.

## LITTLE BITS OF SPORT CHATTER

Sackville is taking senior Rugby for this season. Mount Allison will have a team and the young men of the town are taking of organizing. Sackville could easily support a town organization and judging from the class of material that used to be available there, should be able to put a first-class fifteen in the field.

Over in England Rugby is a great pastime. While being regarded as a purely school and college game, many clubs play the game for its recreation features. Soccer, of course, takes the place of our baseball, but Rugby is popular with a large following.

Jack Kearns has placed a price of \$250,000 on the head of Jack Dempsey, provided England cares to see the world's champion heavy-weight pitted against Joe Beckett, the pride of the British Isles.

Matt Wells, the ex-champion lightweight of England, has sold his farm near Buffalo and has sailed for England. He has not yet retired from the fighting game, but at home he will take on stars who have become fighting since he left that country.

Charlie White and Benny Leonard have been matched to box at Milwaukee some time next month.

Johnny Kilbane received \$5,000 for defeating Frankie Burns in Jersey City the other night.

Arlio Mucks, the Dakota farmer, had only two days' practice before the National championships. He showed lack of training in putting the shot, but in throwing the discus 148 ft. 9 3/4 in. he was the "daddy" of 'em all. He was nearly five feet behind his best shotput record.

Jole Ray's attempt to break Tommy Connors' world's record of 3m. 2 4/5s. for the three-quarters of a mile run on the Travers Island track, Sept. 27, will draw many old-timers, who saw Connors make the record on the same track 24 years ago. This famous path is a five-lap track, and Ray has already run the distance indoors on a smaller track in 3m. 6s. If the conditions are favorable Jole has a good chance to wipe out one of the greatest of running records.

That Tom Kerrigan, Tom McNamara, George Gordon and Mike Brady should fall by the wayside in one day's play in the Professional Golfers' Association's tournament was an outcome that most followers of the game would give long odds could not happen.

The News has been given to understand that a number of private citizens are now endeavoring to have a rink erected this season, and according to our information, the structural work may be commenced at an early date. The gentlemen are reported to have formed a company, and after a few details have been thrashed out may commence operations next week. They are assured of the hearty support of one and all in the town. A rink as a matter of private enterprise will certainly be encouraged.—Amherst News.

## Rain Stopped The Grand Circuit

Two Heats Were All That Could Be Run Before the Storm Broke.

Columbus, Ohio, Sept. 19.—The first postponement of the Grand Circuit meeting occurred this afternoon when pacers in the 2:03 C. T. Dunkle event, were scoring for the word. A heavy rain storm drove them to the barn and most of the programme went over until Saturday.

One heat had been raced in each of the 2:15 pace and the 2:18 trot, prior to the storm.

In the 2:15 pace, which was a heavy betting affair, Clifford Direct selling for \$500 in tickets calling for a total of \$2,200 finished last, and according to the rules of the event raced under the Jones plan, he was ruled out and sent to the barn.

Lou Todd, somewhat of an outsider won the "root" heat of the 2:18 trot.

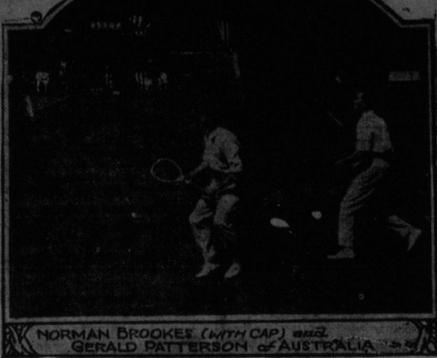
The unfinished programme of today and the entire card of Saturday, the 2:11 pace, the 2:20 trot and the 2:09 trot will be offered tomorrow. Horses will be called at 1:30 in an effort to finish the first week's programme before sunset.

Summary:

2:15 Pace—Purse \$1,000 (Unfinished)  
 Dan J., ch. g. by the Stole (Jump)..... 1  
 The Alrship, b. g. (Cares)..... 2  
 Plucky Dillard, b. h. (Palle)..... 3  
 Baron Brook, b. h. (Shively)..... 4  
 Sister Norris, b. m. (Sturgeon)..... 5  
 Abe Bond, Frank Little, H. T. C. Miss Zolo Sombro, Sheriff Direct and Clifford Direct finished as named.  
 Time 2:06 1/2.

2:18 Trot—Purse \$1,000 (Unfinished)  
 Lou Todd, br. m. by Dr. Todd, (V. Fleming)..... 1  
 Harvest Tide, blk. m. (McDonald)..... 2  
 Hickory Hill, b. g. (Erskine)..... 3  
 Elton, blk. m. (Shively)..... 4  
 Mamie Locke, g. m. (Murphy)..... 5  
 Sammy A. and Black Diamond finished as named.  
 Time 2:11 3/4.

## AUSTRALIANS TRIUMPH ON TENNIS COURTS



NORMAN BROOKES (WITH CAP) AND GERALD PATTERSON OF AUSTRALIA

Major Norman E. Brookes and Gerald Patterson, tennis players extraordinary from far off Australia, defeated the American national champions, William Tilden and Vincent Richards, in a closely fought contest at Longwood, where the tournament drew three thousand spectators from Boston and the surrounding country.

## Satisfied.

I've cooked my meals before an open fire. I've had the joy of green smoke in my face. I've followed for a time my heart's desire. An' now the path to duty I retraced, I've had my little fishin' trip, and go Once more contented to the haunts of men. I'm ready now to hear the whistles blow And see the roofs an' chimneys tops again.

Sydney, N. S., Sept. 18.—A speed of seventy-five miles an hour, believed to be a world's record, was attained on Tuesday by a hydroplane made under the direction of Dr. Alexander Graham Bell and F. W. Baldwin at Dr. Bell's estate, Belmont through (Lockwood). The machine was equipped with two high-powered Liberty motors led for the purpose by the United States Navy Department.

## LOUD EXPLOSIONS.

Two loud explosions in quick succession startled the conductor and motorman on a Prince William street car just before it struck the curve at the foot of King street about one o'clock this morning. The explosions were said to have been caused by torpedoes, which had been placed on the tracks by some joker. They were of the type generally used on the railways. Aside from jarring the nerves of those in the immediate vicinity the torpedoes had no effect. This practice has happened a couple of night this week.

## Maritime Board of Trade Adjourns

Moncton, Sept. 18.—The Maritime Board of Trade which adjourned today decided to meet next year in Amherst. H. J. Logan of Amherst was elected president and Thomas A. Williams of Halifax elected secretary. The invitations for next year's meeting were from St. John and Amherst.

A short discussion on Maritime union opened this morning's programme after which J. T. Hawke, seconded by R. E. Armstrong, St. John, moved a resolution asking that the minister of agriculture and the Canadian National Railway board of directors to take the necessary steps to induce the National Editorial Association of the United States to conduct their excursion next year through the Provinces of Ontario, Quebec, New Brunswick, Prince Edward Island, and Nova Scotia, to Massachusetts, similar to the excursion arranged for the year 1919 in the west. This was unanimously carried.

J. S. Smiley of Amherst, introduced a resolution calling for the endorsement by the board of a scheme for profit sharing between employers and employees. On account of the subject, and the fact that there was not sufficient time to give it the discussion it deserves this matter was laid over until the next meeting.

It was decided to send a delegation to interview the C. N. R. management with reference to some traffic grievances on the P. E. I. Railway in West Prince.

The following finance committee was appointed: Thomas Williams, A. McCurdy, C. W. Robinson and M. Lodge. The carrying out of resolutions passed during the convention was left in the hands of the executive assisted when necessary by members of local boards. A resolution of condolence on the death of the late Capt. Joseph Read, M. P. of P. E. I., was passed and ordered to be forwarded to his son, Capt. John Read.

## Managers Wait On Board of Health

Halifax, Sept. 18.—A delegation of managers of the Halifax theatres waited on the Board of Health yesterday asking that the ban on theatres requiring that children must produce a certificate of successful vaccination before being admitted be raised. J. MacAdam pointed out that the theatres were hit hard last year during the "flu" epidemic and many of them had not yet made up the loss suffered at that time by reason of the fact that the theatres were closed. The theatres were again subjected to much loss by the recent vaccination ban. Halifax was the only city in America which had such a ban in force. In view of the fact that smallpox had been practically wiped out he believed that it would now be possible to lift the ban. The theatre managers had no criticism to offer because of the action of the board in taking the course it had but now that the danger had passed he considered it but fair that the order should be revoked.

These visitors will reach St. John on the noon train from Montreal, spend the afternoon and evening here and cross to Digby by the Empress on the morning of the 15th, and thence go out the woods around Kedgehampton, to spend ten days or more. With them will go Mr. Seymour and others of the C. P. R. staff.

Although the visitors will be here only for a few hours, and those few hours will be more or less occupied in preparations for the woods, their coming is an event St. John should not ignore. Some picnic should be made to bid them welcome, to show them a little of the city and its environs, and to let them know that big game also abounds here. Some of the visitors have international reputations, it might be possible, through the medium of a Canadian Club or other literary club, to address that would be worth while.

The following officers were elected after which the board adjourned: President, H. J. Logan, Amherst; first vice-president, Miles E. Agar, St. John; second vice-president, J. O. Hyndman, Charlottetown; executive Rev. James T. Burchell, Sydney; J. E. Masters, Moncton; E. A. McCurdy, Newswater; Leroy Holmes, Summerside; secretary-treasurer, Thos. Williams, Moncton.

## HUNTING PARTY IS COMING HERE

Famous Writers and Baseball Magnates Forming Hunting Party Will Arrive in St. John Next Month.

A. O. Seymour, C. P. R. general tourist agent is in the city making preparations for a distinguished party of the best kind, who are to spend a few hours here informally on the 14th of October, en route to Nova Scotia, where they are to hunt big game. The party includes some of the best known writers in America today: Irvin S. Cobb and Harry Leon Wilson, of the Saturday Evening Post; Major Roseman Bulger, New York Saturday Evening World; Damon Runyon, syndicate writer and Sporting Editor N. Y. Morning World; Major W. O. McGeehan, Sporting Editor, N. Y. Tribune; Wm. J. Macbeth, syndicate writer with N. Y. Tribune; Frank Stevens, N. Y. National League Baseball Club; and Col. T. L. Huston, baseball magnate and owner of the New York American League Baseball Club.

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## SAGGING GUY WIRE KILLED A WOMAN

Mrs. Eleanor Austin of Barberton, Ohio, While Driving in Auto Caught by Wire and Had Her Neck Broken.

Greenfield, Mass., Sept. 19.—Mrs. Eleanor Austin, aged 34, of Barberton, Ohio, was killed and her husband, A. C. Austin, was slightly injured early today when in passing over Shelburne Mountain on the Mohawk trail, a guy wire of high tension electric transmission system caught their automobile. Mrs. Austin's neck was broken.

Fog obscured a view of the sagging wire which swept both occupants from their car.

## Fredericton Fair A Grand Success

Previous Attendance Records Have Been Passed—Forty Thousand Mark Expected Today—Financial Success is Declared.

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, Sept. 19.—Previous attendance records at the Fredericton exhibition for a six days' show were passed this afternoon, between five and six thousand people having paid admissions to the fair today.

There were 30,642 paid admissions up to today, and if the weather stays fine tomorrow there seems little doubt that the 40,000 mark for attendance will be passed before the show closes tomorrow night.

The financial success of the show was declared today to be assured, and only disappointment in connection with the week has been the failure of the amusement attractions, which unfortunately have been far below the standard of past exhibitions and the cause of much dissatisfaction, however, everybody is hoping that the weather, which tonight is threatening, will not be so bad tomorrow as to prevent the 40,000 mark in paid attendance being reached.

Government House, Ottawa, 1st September 1919.

Dear Sir Herbert,

I am pleased to be the holder of a Canadian War Savings Certificate. I am delighted to find that in Canada you have War Savings Stamps on sale, similar to those we have in England.

I wish the War Savings campaign every success.

I remain yours sincerely, Edward P.

Sir Herbert B. Ames, Chairman, National War Savings Committee, Ottawa.

Facsimile of the letter sent to the Chairman of the National War Savings Committee by His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, at the time he purchased in Ottawa a Canadian War Savings Certificate containing the full number of ten War Savings Stamps.

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**THE TOU**

You could not be so very tough Chippewa, Wisconsin. But Buzz Werner managed magnificently with limited means at hand. Before he was nineteen months were wearing the same against him, and brothers the masters. Buzz Werner not only today—he looked tough.

His name was not really Buzz. His mother called him Ernie, and she alone in all Chippewa was unaware that her son was the town tough. But even she sometimes mildly demonstrated with him for being who she called kind of wild. If Buzz's name was lost in the dim mists of the boyhood, the origin and cause of his nickname were apparent after two minutes' conversation with him. Buzz Werner was called Buzz not because he talked too much, but because he was a braggart. He buzzed!

By the time Buzz was fourteen he was stealing brass from the yards. The big paper mounds in the field and selling it to the junk man. At nineteen he was running with the Kearney girl.

Twenty-five years hence Chippewa will have learned to trace the Kearney girl type as a disease and a public nuisance. Which she was. The Kearney girl ran wild in Chippewa. Chippewa was the main business of her life for a hundred years and to come. The Kearney girl was beautiful idiot, with a lovely oval face and limpid, rather wise, blue eyes and fair, the hair, and a long all neck. The Kearney girl was forever running up and down Grand avenue which was the main business street. She would trail up and down from the old armory to the postoffice, and back again. When she turned off in the Homestead street on Outagamie Street there always slunk after her some stoop-shouldered, furtive, loopy youth. But he never was seen with her on Grand avenue. She had been up before old Judge Colt for some nasty business or other. Old Judge Colt meted out justice according to lights. This nymph was never taken a fancy to by Buzz Werner. He looked very black for his future.

The strange part of it was that the girl possessed little attraction for Buzz. It was she who maces all the decent stock. Buzz had sprung from the squalid unwholesomeness of the girl repelled him, though he was not aware that this was so. Buzz's gang would meet down town on Saturday night, very moist as to hair and clean as to face. They would lounge on the corner of Grand and Outagamie, in front of Schroeder's brightly lighted drugstore, watching the girl's go by.

This corner, or Donovan's, or shack, was their club, their rendezvous. Here they recounted their exploits, bragged of their intempest, and their girls, flexed their muscles, show their strength. And all through their talk there occurred again and again a certain name whose name was mon to their kind. Their remarks were prefaced and interlarded with concluded with it, so that it was longer an oath than a blasphemy. "Je's, I was sore at 'm. I told where to get off at. Nobody can do to me like that. Je's, I should a got!"

If Buzz's family could have been him in his talk with his street-companions they would not have envied their ears. A monthly party in company is often silent in its own home, and Buzz was no exception.

If the Werner family had been of folk they would, perhaps, have been rowed in one of those rabbit-warren tenements that line block after block of city streets. But your smiling laboring man is likely to own his two-story frame house, with a garage patch in the back and a cement walk leading up to the front porch, and the porch on Sundays. The Werner had this, no thanks to Pa Werner; thanks to Buzz, surely; and little Minnie Werner, who clerked in a grocery store and tried to dress like a Hatton, whose father owned the biggest pulp and paper mill in Fox River Valley. No, the house and the porch, the porch and the cement walk, and the pork roast all had their origin in Ma Werner's tireless energy in Ma Werner's thrift; in her patience and unremitting toil; her nimble fingers and bent back, her shapeless ure, and unbounded and unexpected (verbally), that is love for her children. An expert stone mason trade, Pa Werner could be depended on only when he was not drinking, when he was not on strike, or when he had not quarreled with the foreman an anarchist; Pa—dissatisfied with things as they were, but with no power for improving them.

It was in May, a fine warm Sunday, that Mr. Werner, looking up from the garden patch where she was sitting, a man's old battered felt hat, saw Buzz pointing homeward, cutting across lots from Bates street his dinner pail glinting in the sun. It was four o'clock in the afternoon. As Buzz espied her his gait became a swagger. At sight of that swagger Ma knew. She dropped her spade, plodded heavily through the front turned earth to the back porch. Buzz turned in at the walk.

"What's the matter, Ernest? ain't sick, are you?"

"Naw."

He took the back steps at a bound and slammed the kitchen door behind him. Ma Werner followed hesitantly. Buzz was banging his hat up behind the kitchen door. He turned a scowl as his mother entered.

She abandoned pretense. "Ernest, your pail'll be awful messy. You'll get Buzz carrying on the last time." "Let him. He ain't worked five days himself this month."

Buzz turned toward the inside of the stairway toward the bed in the hallway. But his mother followed.









**Shediac**

Shediac, N. B., Sept. 19.—Mrs. Hockin and little daughter, Kathryn, after some time spent at the home of Mrs. A. J. Tait, left town this week for St. John, then to Fredericton and Toronto. After a short stay in the latter city, they will proceed to Vancouver to spend the coming year, with relatives, later on returning to Chatham where Mrs. Hockin will resume her work in the Mission Field. At the close of his discourse in the Methodist Church Sunday evening, Rev. Dr. Weddell in earnest and complimentary terms referred to the grand work being done by Mrs. Hockin in her chosen vocation and he expressed the wishes of the congregation that she and her daughter, might ultimately have a safe journey back to the Foreign Field, after their thorough had expired.

The weather has continued to be cold and damp. Nearly all the shore cottages are closed, and the good old summer time is practically over. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Harrison, Ottawa, and little son, after some time spent at the Walden, left town this week for Moncton.

Mr. and Mrs. Scarborough and children left town this week for their home in St. John.

A number of our citizens are suffering from heavy colds and tonsillitis.

Mrs. W. Mason and little son, John, have been spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Hutchings in Montreal. They expect to sail in the near future for England to visit relatives. Mr. Mason left town this week to visit them previous to their departure.

Mrs. R. C. Tait expects to leave town this week to visit her daughter, Mrs. G. E. O'Brien of Toronto.

Mrs. Robert LeBlanc after the summer spent with relatives in Shediac, will leave town this week to reside in Cambridge, Mass. She will be accompanied by her brother, Mr. Ambrose Lavigne.

Miss Hattie DeWitt has had a severe attack of tonsillitis.

Mrs. Clark Elliott, Sussex, spent the past few days at the home of her mother, Mrs. S. Macdonald.

Mr. Jas. E. White went to St. John on Monday.

Among visitors in town on Monday, were Miss Grace Harper of Moncton, accompanied by her guests, Mrs. John Talbot and Miss Flossie Talbot, Bernville. They were guests of Mrs. D. S. Harper, Sackville street.

Neq and Bob White, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. E. White, have returned to studies in Halifax.

Miss Jean Macdonald and Miss Margaret Belliveau have returned to studies in Halifax, at Mr. St. Vincent.

Master John Black, Sackville, is the guest of the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Clark.

Miss Doris Drillo, Dorchester, spent the week-end at the home of I. R. G. Conductor and Mrs. John Talbot.

Mrs. H. W. Murray and Miss Margaret Murray were in Moncton this week.

Mrs. Glynn, who in the near future, is returning to New York, is at present the guest of Mrs. L. J. Belliveau, Main street, East. On Tuesday, Mrs. Jas. E. White had as motor guests to Moncton, Mrs. Belliveau, Mrs. Glynn and the Misses Bessie and Mollie Lawton.

Miss Desmond of New Glasgow, is in town to be in charge of Mrs. Richard's Millinery Department.

Miss Bourque of Moncton is at the head of Mrs. E. S. Williams's Millinery Department, Main street.

Canon Sisson of Moncton and other visiting clergymen of the Anglican church, were present this week at a meeting of the Shediac Denary.

Very successful Millinery Openings were held this week when on Monday and Tuesday afternoons, Mrs. E. S. Williams and Mrs. N. Leiger, displayed a stylish line of hats in the reading and up-to-date designs of the season hats of beaver, velvet and plush were in evidence. Feathers, leather-trimming and touches of fur, being shown. Among the popular head wear, is the sailor shown in felt, velvet and beaver. On Friday and Saturday afternoons, Mrs. Alvina Richard will show a Millinery Opening at her Main street place of business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Macdonald, Mrs. E. R. Macdonald and Mrs. W. A. Flowers are motoring in Nova Scotia.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Tait and children were motorists to New Glasgow this week and guests of Mrs. W. F. Fraser. Dr. returning they were accompanied by Miss Eleanor Tait, who has been spending some time with her sister, Mrs. Fraser.

A pleasant social event of the week took place on Wednesday afternoon, when from 4 to 6, Mrs. Avarid White was hostess at tea in honor of Miss Bessie Wortman, who in the near future is to be one of the principals in an event of interest to take place in St. John. On this pleasant occasion the hostess had as her aides Mrs. H. W. Murray, who presided over the tea cups, while Miss Elsie Jardine served the guests. The floral decorations were pink and white asters.

Guests present included Miss Wortman, Mrs. Paul Robitoux, the Misses Lawton, Miss Jardine, Miss Evans, Miss M. Harper, Miss E. Melanson, Miss Weddell and Miss Mary Welton.

Relatives and friends of Dr. and Mrs. M. A. Oulton of Shediac, late of overseas, recently tendered them a reception at the home of the Doctor's brother, Mr. Fred Oulton of Joliette. The popular couple were the recipients of an address and a presentation of a handsome chair, from the family connection. A very pleasant time was spent and the Doctor in pleasing remarks thanked his relatives and kind friends for the honor done Mrs. Oulton and himself. Musical selections were rendered by a number of the guests, and a well prepared luncheon was served. The Doctor and his wife have many friends here and elsewhere, who are giving them a warm welcome home, and will be glad to learn of the pleasant occasion tendered them in Joliette.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith, Mr. Dean Smith, Mrs. D. S. Harper and the Misses Harper are in Moncton today to be present at the marriage of Miss Grace Harper, daughter of the late Charles Harper of Shediac to Rev. Grover Livingstone of Grand Mere, N. B.

**Rexton**

Rexton, Sept. 19.—Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Garson and son, Kenneth, have gone to Toronto where the latter will attend college.

W. F. Buckley, W. W. Cumming and J. A. Wathen of Harcourt, were recent visitors to Rexton.

Sch. Dwina, Capt. Fraser, sailed today for Charlottetown.

Miss Emma McDonald has returned to Douglasfield after having visited her sister, Mrs. W. A. Martin.

Capt. Solery and Lee Fraser spent Sunday in Moncton.

James Glendenning and his sister, Miss Glendenning of Shediac, were in Jardineville, Sunday attending the funeral of the late Mrs. Stothart, Thomas and Duncan Stothart were also in Jardineville on the same and errand.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Crank of Montreal, are visiting friends in Rexton.

Mrs. Michael Billoreau of Coogan, spent Sunday in Rexton, visiting her mother, Mrs. John Arsenau, who is recovering from an attack of pleurisy.

Mrs. Green has returned to her home in St. John after a pleasant visit to her daughter, Mrs. G. E. Jones, Mrs. J. H. Irving of Buctouche, is visiting her former home here.

Mrs. William Roach and daughter, Miss Alberta Roach of Main River, visited Rexton, Monday.

Mrs. C. P. Simpson and little daughter, Ruth, of Montreal, have returned home after visiting Miss Lovell Burns.

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Miss Joan Clarke of the J. B. Irving and Mrs. Jarvis Osborne of Penobscot were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Wallace enroute home from their wedding journey.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Gaudin spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Wm. H. Venning and Mr. Venning, Smith's Creek.

C. H. Jones left on Tuesday for Fredericton, where he will attend the exhibition.

Mrs. Percy Manchester, St. John, is the guest of Mrs. John Manchester, and Miss Manchester.

Mrs. Harry Thompson and Mrs. Mabel Strong are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Secord.

Miss Lillian Thompson has returned to St. John to resume her duties as stenographer, after a pleasant week's holidays at her home here.

W. T. Burgess was a visitor to St. John on Thursday and Richmond.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Leake, spent Sunday at Belleisle, guests of Mrs. Leake's sister, Mrs. Fred McQuin and Mr. McQuin.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bell and children were Sunday guests of Mrs. Bell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. McParlane, Roachville.

Miss Liza Murray, Penobscot, was a guest of Mrs. Kingston Doherty this week.

Mr. R. W. Thompson, St. John, was a week-end guest of his mother, Mrs. Havelock Wilcox and Mr. Wilcox.

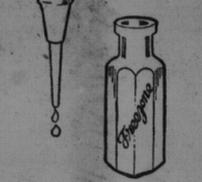


On the occasion of her eighth birthday, the little ones enjoyed a very pleasant time. Those present were Catherine and Joan Girvan, Mamie and Della Cormier, Jessie Durant, Alice Martin, Margery Savage, Helen Olsen, Grace Foster, Jean and Marion Gardner, Eva Daigle, Rita Hutchinson, Georgie Callender. The Misses Barrow, of New York are visiting Miss Marjory Jardine at Indian Rock. Mrs. Woods of Douglastown, is visiting Miss Scott.

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## Motto: Kindly Deed Weekly Chat

Dear Boys and Girls:—

How many of you are noticing change about the nature world, especially during the last few days. Among the vegetable and flower beds there has certainly been an unwelcome guest for the many leaves and blooms are hanging their heads just as if they were dispirited. After their month of effort and successful growth, some comes mischief and dashed away their hopes. How many know the mischievous visitor. Yes, surely you do, Jack Frost is paying some flying visits here and there whispering to all the green and bloom that he is making short stops now, but will be later and when he has had a slight touch and brief stay was enough to transform many a garden though a few days ago I noticed a bed of squashes looking very healthy and majestic more the weeping willow tree. I just imagined I could hear their murmurings of displeasure as they had all been snipped for being unsightly, but indeed they were trying hard to complete their summer's work when their saucy guest interfered.

The snows I have seen do not look quite so ridiculous as the squashes, they have the wilted filled appearance and show signs of having been "snipped" too. As for our little friends, the birds—how they have scampered! They remind me of people who lock their doors when a visitor arrives whom they are not anxious to entertain, only the birds do not lock their doors they just leave the empty houses and fly away when they think Jack Frost is coming to call. Take notice of any birds flying about and wait some late they stay with us. The same day when you have a chance to take a look about the woods and what changes Mother Nature is making there. It is so interesting to watch the autumn coloring as it continually changes until it finally disappears.

I expect many of you will have joy today when you see that the contest season has arrived after pleasing so many of our chums who preferred having our contests after the holidays. I will expect every one of you to take a great interest in this our first St. John Standard contest. We are in store for you for I hope to have an entirely new idea for our next contest, that is if this one is really successful. You may notice your letter in with your drawing, especially those who have not written lately. I go like the letters as much if not more than the drawings. Be sure to state if you are a brand new member, so I can enroll you on our birthday and membership book. Hoping to receive some very neat drawings, I know how well you can do when you try.

With heaps of good wishes to all the kiddies,

UNCLE DIK.

## Birthday Greetings

Hearty greetings are extended the following boys and girls whose birthdays fall within the week, which commences today:

Grace Hawkes, Coal Creek.  
Greta Crothers, Millstream.  
Omar Wilnot, Lower Coverdale.  
Edith B. Wright, Montic.  
Floyd Cleveland, Alma.  
Sadie Porter, St. Andrews.  
Reginald White, Harvey Bank.  
Dorothy Augherston, Woodstock.  
Mildred Milburn, Hopewell Cape.  
Constance Parker, St. Andrews.  
Charles Vanstone, St. Stephen.  
Helen Gough, Jacksonville.  
Clara Bent, Belleisle, N. S.  
Ira Brien, Moss Glen.  
Stasia Dorman, Duke St.  
Harvey L. MacMackin, Rothessy.  
Clifton Clark, Hartland.  
Pauline Granville, Cumberland B.  
Hansha McCullough, Summerside.  
G. E. Island.

Greta Crowthers, Millstream.  
Arthur Belliveau, Moncton.  
Cecil Nickerson, Hibernia.  
Edward Ritchie, Yarmouth, N. S.  
Olive Stanning, Greenwich Hill.  
Bernice Sommerville, Union St.  
Jessie McLean, West Jet.  
Arthur Osborne, Sydney St.  
Roberta A. Perry.  
Doris Martin, St. James St.  
Mollie Richardson, Rollingdam.  
Willie McKenzie, Victoria Lane.  
Harry O. Craft, St. Stephen.

"Do you know, old man, I don't spend so much money now as I did when I was at school."  
"How's that?"  
"Well, I don't have it to spend."

## Moving Picture Funnies

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# MAGAZINE FEATURES

## Simple Letters of A Simple Fello

By the author of "Dere Mable."

Dere Mable.—Some day if I get to be a millionaire I'll give you the place I ate with Uncle Charlie last night. Some day, that is, when you're not feelin' very hungry. Uncle Charlie had a couple of pieces visit him from Cadaver. Oh, he told me they was nice girls but they lived in Cadaver all their lives. The only thing they was bound they'd improve while they was in town was their time. Both of em wanted to see some high life. He had no doubt that they would look anything but that want high. He was goin' to get 'em out of their steln the if he had to mortgage his business. Me an Angus

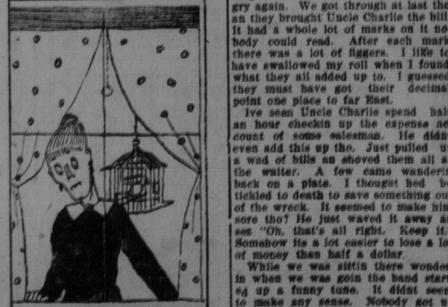


A water here with a pencil and pad.

was along in case they felt a dance comin' on. They called for us in a taxi-cab. Mr. Hedger, the landlady, has a stiff neck today from tryin' to see who was in it. She's a changed woman. She forgot to ask us at breakfast when we was goin' to pay last week's board bill. Uncle Charlie pocket-book must have had a homorage yesterday. The mint we pulled up in front of the eatin' place a fello came runnin' up an opened the door. It looked like he was waitin' for us. Uncle Charlie gave him a quarter. I thought doors might be his weak spot. So today I opened the office door for him five times. Instead of givin' me a \$1.50 as he should he sent "What's the matter with you? In not a criddle."

There was a lot of people standin' around the dinin' room door. It looked like they might be waitin' for a table. He told us we were in luck cause Harry the head waiter was a great friend of his. Like as not he'd let us right in.

Uncle Charlie pushed through the crowd like a policeman tryin' to find out who was really hurt. When he got to the head waiter he sez "Hello Harry. How's the water?" The head waiter just looked at Uncle Charlie. Uncle Charlie pretended he was talkin' to somebody at one of the tables near the door. He told us Harry was awful busy, but we'd get in a minute. It made me feel like one time I went out to the zoo to watch em feed the animals. I never saw a bunch eat so much so slow. It would have been a great sight for old man Flecher. At last another head waiter came to the door. That fello certainly had brains. He just gave one look at us an sez "Five" which was just the number



Tryin' to see who was in it.

there was. He took us in an eat us at a little table about the size of your mother's sewin' stand. One good point an all there would have been room for your elbows.

Whoever had been eatin' at the table before us could have liked their dinin' much. They left most of it on the table cloth. Uncle Charlie didn't seem to mind spots the except when he was home. He sez we was lucky to get such a nice table right near the music. If wed been any nearer the fello with the long hair accident have stretched it out without rannin' it into our soup.

A waiter came along after a while with a clean table cloth. He put it on over the dirty one without dis-turbin' a fork. It reminded me of the time I was in the hospital an they changed the bed without havin' me get up. Afterwards I counted 6 table cloths. I was thinkin' how much time a fello save by changin' his shirts like that an puttin' the whole bunch in the wash at the end of the week. The high waiter was eatin' along with a hilly fella. I never saw so many things to eat in forin language. Uncle Charlie looked it over a while an sez there wasn't anything there he liked. Granted he had any idea what it was all about I felt awful sorry for his wife. She must have had a time eatin' the market.

I accident make any sense out of it so I sez I thought it would be better if Uncle Charlie ordered the stuff for everybody. He sez leave it to him an had pork us out a nice dinner. There was a waiter there with a pencil an pad. He must have had an

## Just Folks

by Edgar A. Guest

**THE LOVELY DANCER.**  
Now Clarence Filbert Pettijohn is one the girls go with out. He's very glad to dance with him while other men must sit 'em out. He knows the latest fancy steps, he has a graceful form and slim. The fox trot and the angel glide are just like meat and drink to him.

But Walter Watson has a style that takes the pleasure from a waltz. He steps upon his partner's feet and has a lot of other faults; He has no ear for music and no foot to fit the ways of grace. And when he takes a lady's arm he almost yanks it out of place.

When Walter asks them for a dance, the girls arrange their tucks and bits. Anq smile and say that they're enured and tell him dainty little bits; But Clarence Filbert Pettijohn can claim the fustest on the floor, And when the dance is over she will sweetly sign and wish for more.

If life were just a ballroom, then wed hear from Clarence Pettijohn. The laurel leaves of victory his manly brow would rest upon. But when the orchestra departs and silenced are the hulla stränge And day returns with all its tasks, the awkward Walter's doing things.

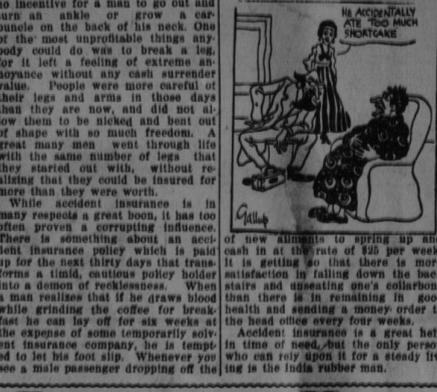
Oh, girls who love the dreamy dances and like to glide on flying feet, Beware when you step upon your feet and wish for an angry giant. May be the man that's worth your while, although he hasn't learned to dance.

## Rann-Dom Reels

**ACCIDENT INSURANCE**  
Accident insurance is a successful method of converting a sprained ankle into real money. It is the only method known by which a man can fall down an elevator shaft and receive his reward in this life.

Government experts have shown by careful estimates that prior to the introduction of the habit of paying people for getting hurt accidents were few and far apart. There was no incentive for a man to go out and turn an ankle or frost a carbuncle on the back of his neck. One of the most unprofitable things anybody could do was to break a leg. For it left a feeling of extreme annoyance without any cash surrender value. People were more careful of their legs and arms in those days than they are now, and did not allow them to be nicked and bent out of shape with so much freedom. A great many men went through life with the same number of legs that they started out with, without realizing that they could be insured for more than they were worth.

While accident insurance is in many respects a great boon, it has too often proven a corrupting influence. There is something about an accident insurance policy which is paid up for the next thirty days that transforms a timid, cautious policy holder into a demon of recklessness. When a man realizes that if he draws blood while grinding the coffee for breakfast he can lay off for six weeks at the expense of some temporary policy insurance company, he is tempted to let his foot slip. Whenever you see a male passenger dropping off the



## BRAD'S BIT-O' VERSE

**FARM LONGINGS.**  
How oft I long for childhood days, upon the dear old farm; how oft I turn with backward gaze to scenes of youth and charm; I wipe my weeping eyes, and say: "To see again the fields of hay, to hear the pipe and rooster's bray, I'd give my worldly love. There must be something in the air, this bright and happy day that beckons me from scenes of care and calls me far away. If I could see the dear old spot and play around the humble cot, I'd give my Main street corner lot and half my weekly pay, and horses' laugh, I'd give a dollar bill. Alas, alas, they come not back, those happy days of yore; I lost them somewhere down the track they will return no more. I'm wiser than the little boy who greeted them with shouts of joy; but for youth's gold without alloy, I'd give my worldly love. There must be something in the air, this bright and happy day that beckons me from scenes of care and calls me far away. If I could see the dear old spot and play around the humble cot, I'd give my Main street corner lot and half my weekly pay, and horses' laugh, I'd give a dollar bill."

—Clem Bradshaw.

## AN OLD BOOK FOR THE NEW TIMES.

By William T. Ellis.  
The International Sunday School Lesson for September 21 is "The Holy Scriptures," Psalm 117:1-14; 118: 5-10; 87; 124; 125; 117:10-12; 2 Timothy 3:14-17; Hebrews 1:12.

Escaping from Russia, at the end of 1917, across the North Sea from Bergen to Aberdeen. Two other Americans were making the same voyage, and one of them gave me the book. It was a book for reading the Bible. The submarine menace was its height. Our path lay across the worst of waters. The Bible dispatch book in which we rode was presumably a special objective of the U-boats. But, despite the two destroyers which guarded us all the way, our chances of being sunk were not wholly negligible. Therefore my American fellow-traveler, not normally a religious man, took to Bible-reading and prayer. He was driven to devotion by stark fear.

His companion jeered. I, too, sneered. Neither heaven nor earth can have much respect for such a sudden accession of fright-born religious interest. Still, the incident recalls the profound historical fact that the civilization of this western continent has been shaped by the Bible. The greatest of our forefathers, accepted as their supreme law, America is not founded upon Plymouth Rock so much as on what Quakers call an "impressible rock of Holy Scriptures."

Times are strangely troubled just now; there is no shorter, surer way of going through them safely and soundly than by following the clear directions laid down in the inspired pages of Holy Writ. If all the people who read these books upon social problems, books upon current events, books upon the things that make plain God's will and the things that are right, were to take to reading the Bible, the world would be a more just and more peaceful place. For the nearer we come to the mind of God the closer we get to the welfare of man.

**Our Nation's Reck Foundation.**  
Next year is the three hundredth anniversary of the landing of the Pilgrim Fathers; and the occasion recalls the profound historical fact that the civilization of this western continent has been shaped by the Bible. The greatest of our forefathers, accepted as their supreme law, America is not founded upon Plymouth Rock so much as on what Quakers call an "impressible rock of Holy Scriptures."

**SEVEN SENTENCE SERMONS.**  
Chance never helps the men who do not work.—Sophocles.

Good order is the foundation of all good things.—Burke.

I bow before the noble mind That freely some great wrong forgives. Yet nobler is the one forgiven Who bears the burden well and lives.

—A. A. Proctor.

The infallible recipe for happiness is to do good; and the infallible recipe for doing good is to abide in Christ.—Henry Drummond.

For whatsoever shall be ashamed of me and of my words in this adulterous and sinful generation, the Son of man also shall be ashamed of him, when he cometh in the glory of his Father with the holy angels.—Mark 8:38.

Build thee more stately mansions, O my soul, As the swift seasons roll! Leave thy low-vaulted past! Let each new temple, nobler than the last, Shut thee from heaven with a dome more vast, Till thou exhalst at length at free, Leaving thine outgrown shell by life's unresting sea.

—Oliver Wendell Holmes.

To be what we are, and to become what we are capable of becoming, is the only end of life.—Robert Louis Stevenson.

**Rabbit's Feet Or Bibles.**  
As some men carry a rabbit's foot for luck, so others carry a Bible in their house or in their trunk. It is a matter of superstition. My friend Robert read his Bible some while ago. He is a tall man. This attitude of fetish-worship, as applied to the Bible, is not rare. Ignorant awe, rather than intelligent awe, marks some people's attitude toward the Book that was written to be read and to be understood.

Never so clearly as now have I been reading the Book of Exodus with renewed interest. I have been reading the Book of Exodus with renewed interest. I have been reading the Book of Exodus with renewed interest. I have been reading the Book of Exodus with renewed interest.

## Hampton

Hampton, Sept. 18.—Mrs. and Mrs. Robert DeLong have returned from their honeymoon trip, and after spending a few days at Hampton, have taken up their residence at Gordon street, Moncton.

Mrs. and Mrs. H. O. Marr were guests at Wayside Inn for a day last week.

Mrs. George McAvity and party motored from St. John and were guests at Wayside Inn last Saturday.

Mrs. Ralph Huxton is a guest of her mother, Mrs. J. Crandall.

On Tuesday evening the young people of Hampton enjoyed a "corn-boll" at Belleisle.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelsoe and son of Boston, who have been visiting friends at Hampton, returned home last week.

Mr. H. E. Faries and son Lorne, have returned home after a pleasant visit to Ottawa and Toronto.

Miss Augusta Westmore of Bloomsfield, spent the day at Hampton on Monday.

Mrs. Palmer of St. John, spent the weekend with her sister, Miss K. Parlett.

Mr. and Mrs. George DeLong have returned from their honeymoon trip and will reside at Highfield Farm.

Mrs. J. E. Irvine returned from Sussex on Friday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilkinson have returned from an auto trip to Campbellton and other towns in the province.

Mrs. John Thompson is this week a guest at Wayside Inn.

Mr. Wilbur Giegey is at home this week, having been called on account of the death of his brother, Mr. Percy Giegey.

Miss Schofield spent Sunday at Lakeside, the guest of Miss Catherine Mealy.

The Ladies' Aid of the Methodist Church held an enjoyable picnic on Wednesday at the residence of Mrs. Dingle.

Mrs. F. E. Whelpley of Moncton, is a guest of her sister, Mrs. N. M. Barnes, Linden Heights.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Harper and party motored from Sussex on Sunday and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hallett.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Howard of Lower Mass., are visiting Mrs. Howard's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Pluvelling, Linden Heights.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. D. Oily.

Miss Minnie Travis returned from St. John on Monday.

Mr. Howard Campbell is in Montreal this week on a short business trip.

The Baptist Missionary Aid Society held their monthly meeting on Wednesday last at the home of Mrs. Arthur Shultz.

On Tuesday evening Miss Wedderburn gave an enjoyable dance at her home, Hampton Village.

Lieut. Neil Morrison, son of Dr. and Mrs. W. S. Morrison has returned home. Lieut. Morrison has been the front since 1915, and his many friends are glad to see him.

On Monday evening the I. O. O. F., Hampton Court Chapter gave an enjoyable picnic at the Court House. A large number of ladies and gentlemen were present and about \$50.00 were realized. The ladies in charge of the refreshments were Mrs. Parise, Mrs. M. J. Conway and Mrs. C. J. Forre-stall.

**Church Claims**  
Estate of Priest Valued At \$179,000

Pastor of St. Stanislaus claims Late Mgr. Strzok Owed \$302,000.

New York, Sept. 18.—Recent disclosures by the Rev. Ignatius J. Brady also becoming pastor of St. Stanislaus Catholic Church of St. Stanislaus, Bishop and Martyr, at No. 70 Seventh avenue, led yesterday to a petition to the state's chief justice for the revocation of letters of administration granted to Julian P. Strzok upon the estate of his brother-in-law, Mgr. John H. Strzok, who had been in charge of the church almost a quarter of a century.

Upon assuming charge of the church after the death of Mgr. Strzok on December 7 last the present pastor states he learned that his predecessor was indebted to the church in the amount of \$302,000.

After the death of Mgr. Strzok his brother Julian, who acted as book-keeper at the rectory, is alleged to have taken from a safe containing property worth \$179,000, against which a claim is lodged by the church. According to the Rev. Andrew Crag assistant pastor, who makes an affidavit to the effect, Julian took possession of \$88,000 in United States gold certificates, \$76,000 worth of Russian rubles, \$18,000 in Liberty bonds, a cross studded with diamonds valued at \$5,000, and a diamond studded watch at \$1,000.

Father Crag said in his affidavit that Julian announced his intention to apply for appointment as administrator of the monsignor's estate, but that he would disclose the assets were in excess of \$200,000 without divulging real value.

At the time Father Crag believed the safe's contents really belonged to the monsignor and made no protest against the removal. The property was transferred to two safe deposit boxes, and some time after Julian alleged to have discovered that his brother-in-law in which the value of dead priest's estate was estimated at \$180,000.

Notwithstanding the existence of what Julian is said by Father Crag to have concealed that fact when appointed administrator on a ground that the monsignor had a wife, Father Crag asserted Julian handled the church books so would appear that any indebtedness against the monsignor had been wiped out.

Julian told me he would show how to manipulate the church books. He struck false balances and failed to make the proper entries of cash receipts in the books," continues the affidavit. "He knew that the securities were valuable which he now holds in his name beyond either the estate of Mgr. John H. Strzok or the Church of St. Stanislaus, Bishop and Martyr."

Beyond vouching the information that documentary proof in the handwriting of Mgr. Strzok would establish his indebtedness to the church no other explanation of the indebtedness was incurred was offered.

Both Are Expensive.

Blake—"Of course, they are nice, but I have had a lot of trouble with them."

Jinks—"With a sigh—"Yes, they are."

Blake—"Cost a heap of money."

Jinks—"You're right, they do cost."

Blake—"That's the first expense on my mind—but the upkeep is ribal."

Jinks—"Don't I know it?"

Blake—"Always something wrong with the blamed things, and there is nobody but a specialist who can tell what it is."

Jinks—"That is true."

Blake—"Still, after you've had or two of them you couldn't get along without them."

Jinks (brightening)—"That's what I think. People envy you, too."

Blake—"Yes; still, it's an endless carry keeping them clean, and the shining, and petrol and tires are ing up."

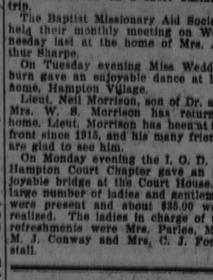
Jinks—"Petrol and tires? Go heavens! don't accept a substitute for talking about babies, not more."

How the Body is Nourished.

The bodily process known as assimilation is well explained in the words: "As the blood, in its circulation, approaches any organ, the portions that are appropriate for the organ feed its attractive force, of it, and leaving the others, mix with the substance of the tissue, are changed into its own true proper nature."

How important it is that the blood should be pure and rich, not loaded with worms and useless matter! Blood's Sarsaparilla purifies and enriches the blood, and does all it is possible for medicine to do in the way of perfecting assimilation, building up the whole system. With blood's Sarsaparilla, insist on having the medicine in its original form, substitute also life it.

**THE CHEERFUL CHERUB**  
I get paid for being cheerful But I've got to take a rest. I've been grinning for so long now It's a treat to feel depressed.



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**OBITUARY**  
Mrs. Robert St. John, 37, — 7 many friends of Mrs. Robert St. John, who died on Saturday at 130 a. m. at the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. J. Forre-stall, deceased was 74 years of age and a former resident in Moncton where she was a member of Ladies' Union. She was an enthusiastic worker in the Frances Willard Lodge, and was also a member of Women's Institute. Deceased was many years a member of the P. E. Baptist Church. She was married 55 years, having celebrated their golden wedding 55 years ago, and survived by her husband, one daughter, Mrs. Clifford Weaver, one son, Walter, a sister, Mrs. James Brov-Stewart, and a brother, Wellington Cook, of Hamilton, Ont.



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**MONTREAL SALES**

(McDougall and Cowan.)  
 Morning.  
 Montreal, Friday, Sept. 19.—  
 Vic Loan 1922-14,000 @ 100 1/4, 100 @ 100 1/4.  
 Vic Loan 1921-1,000 @ 102 1/2, 500 @ 102.  
 Vic Loan 1907-1,000 @ 104 1/2.  
 Steamships Com-207 @ 62, 25 @ 61, 30 @ 62 1/2.  
 Steamships Pfd-25 @ 84.  
 Brazilian-125 @ 50 1/2, 25 @ 50 5/8, 50 @ 50 1/2.  
 Dom Tex-25 @ 119 1/4.  
 Can Cem Pfd-25 @ 101.  
 Can Cem Com-85 @ 71 1/2, 40 @ 70, 130 @ 71, 600 @ 71 1/2, 125 @ 71 5/8, 100 @ 72 1/2, 25 @ 72 1/2, 75 @ 72 1/2, 100 @ 72 1/2, 25 @ 72 5/8.  
 Dom Iron Pfd-3 @ 98.  
 Power-3 @ 113.  
 1902 Vic Loan-11,000 @ 104, 1,000 @ 103 1/2.  
 Steel Can Com-160 @ 68.  
 Vic Loan 1922-1,000 @ 100 1/4, 500 @ 100 1/4, 1,000 @ 100 1/4.  
 Dom Iron Com-140 @ 67 1/2, 365 @ 67 1/2, 390 @ 67, 50 @ 67 1/2, 50 @ 67 1/2.  
 Shawinigan-5 @ 121 1/2, 10 @ 121 1/2.  
 Ont Steel-30 @ 35 1/2, 30 @ 35, 25 @ 35 1/2, 40 @ 35.  
 1901 War Loan-300 @ 98 1/2.  
 Can Car Com-100 @ 42, 100 @ 42 1/2, 400 @ 42 1/2, 100 @ 42, 100 @ 42 1/2.  
 1907 War Loan-1,000 @ 100 1/4.  
 Can Car Pfd-45 @ 101 1/2.  
 Detroit United-5 @ 99 1/2, 20 @ 100.  
 Tooke's Pfd-35 @ 92.  
 Tooke's Com-260 @ 58, 125 @ 60, 60 @ 59 1/2, 105 @ 58 1/2, 25 @ 59.  
 Laur Pulp-50 @ 223 1/2.  
 Riordan-25 @ 141 1/2.  
 McDonalds-20 @ 93 1/2.  
 Wayagamack-100 @ 64 1/2.  
 Quebec Bonds-3,000 @ 63.  
 Atlantic Sug Com-330 @ 58, 10 @ 58 1/2.  
 Abithi-15 @ 94, 25 @ 95, 25 @ 95.  
 Tuck Pfd-15 @ 91.  
 Glass Com-145 @ 61.  
 Bromp-95 @ 62, 75 @ 62 1/2.  
 Span Riv Pfd-25 @ 48, 100 @ 47 1/2, 105 @ 47 1/2, 100 @ 47.  
 Union Pac-122 @ 113, 110 @ 112 1/2, 30 @ 112.  
 Tuckets-75 @ 46, 200 @ 47 1/2, 60 @ 47 1/2, 50 @ 47 1/2, 10 @ 47 1/2, 48, 25 @ 44 1/2, 150 @ 48 1/2, 75 @ 48 1/2, 150 @ 49 1/2, 50 @ 49 1/2, 75 @ 49 1/2, 250 @ 50.  
 Ames Pfd 2d-160 @ 108, 105 @ 106 1/2, 25 @ 105 1/2, 135 @ 105.  
 Ames Holden Com-960 @ 76, 135 @ 75 1/2, 210 @ 75, 150 @ 74 1/2, 10 @ 74 1/2, 130 @ 75, 25 @ 75 1/2, 50 @ 72, 50 @ 72 1/2, 25 @ 72 1/2, 100 @ 75 1/2, 75 @ 75 1/2.  
 Fenman's Ltd-125 @ 90 1/2.  
 Afternoon.  
 Vic Loan 1922-3,000 @ 100 1/4, 1,000 @ 100 1/4.  
 Vic Loan 1923-3,000 @ 100, 1,000 @ 100 1/4.  
 Cem Pfd-25 @ 101.  
 Vic Loan 1923-5,500 @ 103 1/2, 1,200 @ 104.  
 Shaw-25 @ 122.  
 Montreal Power-375 @ 91 1/2, 25 @ 91 1/2.  
 Ont Steel-25 @ 38.  
 Dom Iron Com-390 @ 67 1/2, 150 @ 68.  
 Detroit-10 @ 100.  
 Can Car Com-19 @ 42 1/2, 295 @ 42.  
 Tooke's Pfd-100 @ 92 1/2.  
 Tooke's Com-245 @ 58.  
 Laur Power-25 @ 74 1/2, 25 @ 75 1/2.  
 Laur Pulp-50 @ 223 1/2.  
 Riordan-25 @ 141.  
 Wayagamack-100 @ 65 1/2, 100 @ 65 1/2.  
 Quebec Bds-200 @ 63.  
 Atlantic Sug Com-190 @ 58 1/2, 95 @ 58 1/2, 75 @ 59, 125 @ 59 1/2.  
 Glass Com-25 @ 61.  
 Span Riv Pfd-465 @ 112, 60 @ 111 1/2.  
 Tuckets-75 @ 50 1/2, 25 @ 50 1/2, 50 @ 49 1/2, 50 @ 50 1/2, 60 @ 50 1/2.  
 Brompton-100 @ 62, 50 @ 62 1/2, 60 @ 62 1/2.  
 Fenman's-5 @ 100.  
 Ames Holden Pfd-45 @ 105, 100 @ 105 1/2.  
 Ames Holden Com-100 @ 76, 150 @ 75 1/2, 150 @ 75 1/2, 25 @ 74 1/2, Can Cem Com-660 @ 73 1/2, 190 @ 72 1/2, 10 @ 72 1/2.

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**TRADING ACTIVE WITH STRONG TONE THROUGHOUT LIST**

(Furnished by McDougall & Cowan.)  
 Montreal, Que., Sept. 19.—Trading today was very active, with a strong tone throughout the list. Even in late trading, when New York turned weak, the majority of the market was firm, with some stocks making a high point as the close. Fluctuations in Ames were erratic. In the morning it opened at 75 and declined abruptly to 70; it then sold up to 76, closing at 74 1/2. The preferred was strong at 106 ex-dividend, and only closed fractionally off this price. Tuckets was also active, and from the opening at 46 advanced to 50 1/2, closing at 50. Connet has been quiet for some time, but today became active and advanced 3 1/2 points from the opening price of 70. It was offered down to 71 1/4 at the close. Abithi was the strongest of the papers, going up five points to 98 and closed there. Laurentide was better at 223 1/2, and Wray steady at 66. Spanish securities were weaker; the selling was on public expectation that something would have been done yesterday in regard to the back dividend on the preferred stock. The meeting, however, was most satisfactory and it was not the intention to pay off these dividends until the new note issue was made. There was a good demand for the Steel stocks. Iron, in the late trading, advanced to 68, and Steel of Canada was up a point from the morning at 69.

**N. Y. QUOTATIONS**  
 (McDougall and Cowan.)

Open	High	Low	Close
Am Beet Sug	86 1/2	88 1/2	86 1/2
Am Car Pfd	122 1/2	133	127 1/2
Am Car Com	107 1/2	108 1/2	105 1/2
Am Sug	129	130 1/2	129
Am Smet	75 1/2	76	75 1/2
Am Steel Pfd	39 1/2	39 1/2	38 1/2
Am Steel Com	114 1/2	114	114
Am Tele	99	98	98 1/2
Anacosta	66 1/2	66 1/2	66 1/2
All and L Pfd	123	123	123
Am Car	58 1/2	59 1/2	56 1/2
Am Linsag	76 1/2	76 1/2	76 1/2
Atchison	99	99	99
Balt and Ohio	99	99	99
Bald Loco	129 1/2	132 1/2	128 1/2
Both Steel	95 1/2	96	95 1/2
Brook Rap Tr	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
Butte and P	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
C F I	43 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2
Ches and Ohio	87	87	87
Chino	41 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2
Cent Leath	98 1/2	99 1/2	98 1/2
Cruc Steel	182 1/2	185 1/2	181
Eric Com	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2
Gen Corp	84 1/2	84 1/2	84 1/2
Good Rub	78	78 1/2	78 1/2
Gen Elect	164 1/2	164 1/2	164 1/2
Gen Motors	238	239 1/2	237
Gr Nor Ore	42	42 1/2	42 1/2
Indus Alcohol	132 1/2	132 1/2	132 1/2
Inter Agricul	26	26	26
Inspira Cop	58 1/2	58 1/2	58 1/2
Kenneb Cop	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
Lehigh Val	48 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2
Mer Mar Pfd	116 1/2	116 1/2	117 1/2
Met Pfd	209	211 1/2	206 1/2
Midvale Steel	50	50 1/2	49 1/2
Miss Par	27 1/2	27 1/2	27
NY NH and H	31 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2
N Y Cent	72 1/2	72 1/2	71 1/2
Nor and Wt	99	99	98 1/2
Nor Par	86 1/2	86 1/2	86 1/2
Nat Lead	79 1/2	79 1/2	79 1/2
Penn	43	43 1/2	43 1/2
Press Stl Car	94	94 1/2	93 1/2
Reading Com	78 1/2	78 1/2	78 1/2
Repub Steel	89 1/2	89 1/2	89 1/2
Royal Dutch	94 1/2	94 1/2	94 1/2
St Paul	41 1/2	41 1/2	41
Sou Pac	100	100 1/2	99 1/2
Sou Rail	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
Studebaker	115	116 1/2	113 1/2
U S Rib	112 1/2	112 1/2	112 1/2
U S S Com	102 1/2	103 1/2	101 1/2
U S Rib	112 1/2	112 1/2	112 1/2
Utah Cop	81 1/2	82 1/2	81 1/2
Westinghouse	54 1/2	54 1/2	53 1/2

**CHICAGO PRICES**  
 (McDougall and Cowan.)

Chicago, Ill., Sept. 19.—Corn, No. 2 mixed, 1.48 to 1.48 1/2.  
 Oats, No. 2 white, 68 1/2 to 69 1/2;  
 No. 2, white, 68 1/4 to 68 1/2.  
 Barley, 1.15 to 1.12.  
 Timothy, 85c to 11.60.  
 Clover, nominal.  
 Pork, nominal.

**NEWS FROM PARIS**

Paris, Sept. 19.—Prince Peial of Hedjaz, arrived last night at Marseilles and left immediately for London. It is reported he will cross France without stopping.  
 Paris, Sept. 19.—The Chamber of Deputies is expected to ratify the Treaty with Germany tomorrow night or Saturday at the very latest. Premier Clemenceau will speak tomorrow, considerable importance being attached to his address.

**NEW YORK MARKET MOVED SLUGGISHLY WITH UNDERTONE**

Yesterday's Market Received With Apparent Indifference News That Labor Leaders Had Ordered General Strike of Steel Workers.  
 New York, Sept. 19.—Apart from the frequent pauses and the heavy selling movement at the close, today's stock market received with apparent indifference the news that the labor leaders had ordered a general strike of steel workers.  
 Reports and gossip current in the financial district hinted that joint action might yet be taken by representatives of capital and labor to postpone or defer indefinitely the proposed walk-out, but these were not credited in most quarters. Prices were irregular at the outset, soon developing moderate heaviness, but reversals were almost immediately overdone when it was found that stocks were not pressed for sale.  
 For the balance of the session until the final half of the hour the market moved sluggish, but with a confident undertone, the so-called "strike" stocks holding firm when not comparatively strong.  
 The late reversal was coincident with rumors that the president of the American Federation of Labor had decided to lend his unequalled endorsement to the steel unions, having failed to change the attitude of the United States Steel Corporation. U. S. Steel moved within a narrow area most of the time, but made its low record of the week toward the end, declining to 101 1/2, a loss of 1 3/8. Allied shares, which had been one to three points higher with equipments, reacted in the same extent, and tobacco, shippings and food issues, early features of strength, yielded under the fairly extensive liquidation.  
 Sales, 775,000 shares.  
 The market for Liberty bonds was again active and strong, second 4 1/2's making a substantial gain with the "Y" 4-1's. Reports that the government was buying in some of these bonds, which had been one to three points higher with equipments, reacted in the same extent, and tobacco, shippings and food issues, early features of strength, yielded under the fairly extensive liquidation.  
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**VOLUME OF TRADE WILL BE MUCH LESS THAN THE AVERAGE**

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 New York, Sept. 19.—The volume of trading will be rather less than the average for this week. An apparently authentic report that the effect of the fact that President Wilson had made vigorous efforts to persuade Judge Gary to see the union committee. If such efforts were made, they have so far been without visible effect. The impending strike was almost the sole subject of interest in the Street, which continues to look forward to a successful fight for the open shop on the part of the companies. The afternoon brought forth practically nothing in the way of definite news on the strike situation.  
 Sales, 776,900.  
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**BOSTON POLICE STRIKE MATTER**

Boston, Sept. 19.—Balloting on the question of supporting the striking policemen here, continued today among local unions. The bridge tenders' union, one of several locals which voted last night, was announced as favoring a strike. The linemen's union voted to refer the entire matter to the executive board. Other unions made no announcement of their action.  
 A hurry call for ambulances from a police station in the Roxbury district where about one hundred state guardsmen are housed, caused a flurry of excitement early today. It developed that one of the guardsmen had accidentally discharged a gun, and six of the soldiers received gunshot wounds in the legs. They were taken to the city hospital where their injuries were reported slight.

**MONTREAL MARKETS**  
 (McDougall and Cowan.)

Ames Holden Com.	Bid.	Ask.
Ames Holden Pfd.	106 1/2	106 1/2
Brazilian L. H. and P.	50 1/2	50 1/2
Canada Car	43 1/2	43 1/2
Canada Cement Pfd.	101	101
Can Cotton	90 1/2	90 1/2
Crown Royal	142	142
Detroit United	99 1/2	99 1/2
Dom. Bridge	102	102 1/2
Dom. Iron Pfd.	88	88
Dom. Iron Com.	118 1/2	118 1/2
Dom. Tex. Com.	119	120
Laurentide Paper Co.	223	223 1/2
Macdonald Com.	34 1/2	34 1/2
Mc. L. H. and Power	81 1/2	81 1/2
Ogilvie	258	260
Pennam's Limited	100	100
Repub Steel	89 1/2	89 1/2
Shaw and P.	122	122
Spanish River Com.	47 1/2	47 1/2
Spanish River Pfd.	111 1/2	112
Stout Rail	24 1/2	24 1/2
Toronto Ralls	69 1/2	69 1/2
Tuckets Tobacco	49 1/2	50

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N. Y. - Cherbourg, Southampton  
MAURETANIA ..... Oct. 28  
MAURETANIA ..... Nov. 18  
N. Y. - Plymouth, Havre, London.  
SAXONIA ..... Oct. 11  
SAXONIA ..... Nov. 18

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leaves St. John Tuesdays, 10 a.m., for  
Grand Manan, via the same ports.  
Wednesdays leave Grand Manan, 5  
a.m., for St. Stephen, via intermediate  
ports, returning Thursdays.  
Fridays, leave Grand Manan, 6:00  
a.m., for St. John direct, returning  
2:30 same day.  
Saturdays, leave Grand Manan, 7:30  
a.m., for St. Andrews, via intermedi-  
ate ports, returning Saturdays.  
SCOTT D. GUPTILL,  
Manager.

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ST. JOHN AND BOSTON  
Resumption of Service  
The S.S. "Governor Dingley" will  
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lantic time).  
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Fare \$9.00. State rooms \$2.50 and up.  
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Limited  
TIME TABLE  
On and after June 1st, 1918, a  
steamer of this company leaves St.  
John every Saturday, 7:30 a.m., (day-  
light time), for Black's Harbor, call-  
ing at Dipper Harbor and Beaver  
Harbor.  
Leaves Black's Harbor Monday,  
two hours of high water, for St. An-  
drews, calling at Lord's Cove, Rich-  
ardson, L'Anse au Loup, Back Bay,  
Leaves St. Andrews Monday evening  
or Tuesday morning, according to  
the tide, for St. George, Back Bay  
and Black's Harbor.  
Leaves Black's Harbor Wednesday  
on the tide for Dipper Harbor, call-  
ing at Beaver Harbor.  
Leaves Dipper Harbor for St. John  
8 a.m. Thursday.  
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ager Lewis Connors.  
This company will not be responsi-  
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About every three weeks.  
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### LATE SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

**PORT OF ST. JOHN.**  
Sept. 20, 1919.  
Arrived Friday.  
Gas scho Whiteaway, 15, Koltou,  
Eastport.  
Constwise—Star Empress, 612, Mc-  
Donald, Digby; Glenholme, 125,  
Moore Holmes, Windsor; Robert G.  
Cann, 115, Peters, Westport; Kings  
Daniel, 29, Milton, Apple River;  
Grand Manan, 179, Hersey, North  
Head; schr Abbie Veras, 96, Tibbotts,  
Parrboro; Escudet, 43, Lawson,  
Black's Harbor.

Cleared.  
Gas scho Whiteaway, 15, Koltou,  
Eastport.  
Constwise—Star Empress, 612, Mc-  
Donald, Digby; Glenholme, 125, Moore  
Holmes, Windsor; Robert G. Cann,  
115, Peters, Westport; Kings Daniel,  
29, Milton, Apple River; Grand  
Manan, 179, Hersey, North Head;  
schr Abbie Veras, 96, Tibbotts, Mil-  
ton, Apple River; G. S. Irma, 31,  
Thomson, Westport.

Made Her Port.  
The schooner Lucy Evelyn, which  
sailed from this port for the  
lumber trade, made the port of Liver-  
pool last Wednesday.

West Away Light.  
The S. S. Yaqui, which brought a  
small cargo of refined sugar here,  
sailed in ballast for New York Thurs-  
day night.

In Fishing Trade.  
The coastal schooner Continental  
has been engaged for the past two  
weeks in carrying herrings from this  
port to Eastport, Maine.

Brought Light Lumber Cargo.  
The schooner Abbie Veras arrived  
in port yesterday with a cargo of  
60,000 feet of spruce deals, consigned  
to Dunfield and Co.

Chicagoets Sails Today.  
The R. M. S. P. Chicagoets sails this

morning at seven o'clock for Halifax  
en route to the West Indies.  
Cuban Vessels Expected.  
The S. S. Orlando and the S. S.  
Maurice, two Cuban vessels in the tropic  
trade, are expected here any day  
with full cargoes of sugar from Ha-  
vana.

Incas Due Today.  
The small steamer Inca is due here  
today with a cargo of raw sugar from  
Sanjo Domingo.

Resume Bermuda Service.  
The Furness, Withy Company will  
resume the New York-Bermuda ser-  
vice on December 1, with the 12,000  
ton Bermuda and another liner will  
also be added to the service.  
Expect to Start Line.  
The American port of New Orleans  
expects to have sufficient ships al-  
located to it by the Shipping Board Con-  
trol this winter to start a line to Eu-  
ropean ports, including Hamburg.

"Granville" For Sale.  
The steamer Granville, which form-  
erly plied between this port and An-  
napolis and which recently returned  
damaged from a Labrador cruise, is  
now being offered for sale.

Large Lumber Cargo.  
The last tonnage here for 1919, 1,544  
tons, of Farsund, Norway, Capt. C.  
F. Fredrikson, from Bridgeport  
bound to Buenos Ayres with a cargo  
of spruce lumber and scandinavian  
consisting of 1,482,000 feet, shipped by  
the Davidson Lumber Company, was  
towed to the river by the Enter-  
prise on Monday last and anchored  
at LaHave to await a favorable chance  
to sail—Halifax Herald.

### Stipulations In The Peace Treaty

Paris, Sept. 18.—The Temps today  
outlines what it says are the principal  
military and economic stipulations  
contained in the peace treaty which is  
to be presented to Bulgaria. These  
include abolition of obligatory mili-  
tary service and the maintenance of a  
police force which shall not exceed  
20,000 men. The customs officers,  
gendarmes and police agents will  
aggregate 10,000.  
Arms and munitions exceeding the  
quantity which Bulgaria may retain  
under the treaty shall be placed at  
points indicated by the Allies. An  
inter-Allied commission will super-  
vise the execution of the military,  
naval and aeronautic provisions of  
the compact.  
Bulgaria must return all valuable  
objects and documents stolen from  
the Allies and deliver up to military  
courts of the Allies persons guilty  
of acts contrary to the laws of war.  
Finally, Bulgaria must pay an in-  
demnities of 2,250,000,000 francs, which  
must be turned over within a speci-  
fied number of years.

### AGREED TO RETURN MATERIALS SEIZED

Vienna, Sept. 18.—A Budapest de-  
spatch says that as a result of the  
efforts of the inter-Allied Military  
Mission, the Romanians have agreed  
to return the materials seized by  
them in Hungary and abide by the  
decision of the peace conference re-  
garding distribution. This is not con-  
firmed from any other source.

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solutely new, of recent construction  
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Two—Vertical type 35 ft. p. 48"  
dia. 9'-0" high, 125 lbs. w. p.  
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p. 48" dia. 15'-0" long, 125 lbs. w. p.  
One—Portable type on skids, 45 ft.  
p. 48" dia. 14'-0" long, 125 lbs. w. p.  
One—H. R. T. type, 60 ft. p. 54"  
dia. 14'-0" long, 125 lbs. w. p.  
Boilers of other sizes and de-  
signs can be built to order very  
promptly, regarding which we  
solicit correspondence.  
D. H. WATERBURY,  
Supt. Dominion Buildings, N. B.  
St. John, N. B.

### NOTICE TO MARINERS.

Notice is hereby given that the  
light on Quaco Ledge sea and whist-  
ling buoy is not burning. Will be re-  
lighted as soon as possible.  
J. C. CHESELEY,  
Agent Marine and Fisheries Dept.  
St. John, N. B., Sept. 19, 1919.

### CATARRH and DISCHARGES

**SANTAL MIDY**  
Relieved in 24 Hours  
Each Cap-  
sule 100 mg.  
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AROUND THE CITY  
FAIR AND WARMER

BACK AT WORK  
Night Deskman Thomas of the Central Police Station, was back at work last evening after an absence of several days on account of sickness.

WELCOME HOME  
The Welcome Home sign was alight last evening in the Union Station train shed. C. N. R. Policeman Pierce found the sign in bloom and started inquiries for the reason. He found a gentleman, who had turned it on to see what it looked like.

MOOSE MEAT PLENTIFUL  
Moose meat was quite plentiful in the local market yesterday. The price, however, has not varied since the opening of the season. Steak was retailing yesterday for forty cents a pound.

A NEW APPOINTMENT  
H. J. Culligan of Culligan, Kestigoucha County, has been appointed Police Inspector of the C. G. Railways with headquarters at Newcastle. Mr. Culligan had been in the service, before going overseas, with headquarters at Campbellton, and was considered a thorough and capable officer.

DOORKEEPER'S CIRCLE MET.  
A meeting of the Doorkeeper's Circle of the King's Daughters was held at the home of the President, Mrs. L. A. McAlpine yesterday afternoon. Plans for the holding of a sale and afternoon tea at the end of October were discussed and various arrangements for this entertainment made.

CONSIDERABLE COMPLAINT.  
A motor cycle, with two passengers, both men, tore down Main street toward Paradise Row at a terrific clip last night, missing several pedestrians by a margin and almost colliding with an approaching team. There has been considerable complaint of late regarding the speeding on this North End thoroughfare.

MAY BE EXPORTED.  
Wheat flour, bran and shorts may be exported in retail quantities, provided a customs entry is made, and bread may be imported and exported without license. This announcement has been made by the department of customs following some confusion that was created by the recent embargo placed on wheat exports.

LOVE'S YOUNG DREAM.  
Though the evenings are cool, they furnish the sure test for the reality of love's young dream. The casual flirt has disappeared from the park benches but still remains those who are planning on fighting the housing problem of St. John. Two such couples, enveloped in happy dreams and each other's arms, gave demonstrations on King Square last night.

RAILWAY EXTENSION.  
Workmen started yesterday on a new C. N. R. branch line at Courtenay Bay to afford greater yardage at that point. The new track will start at the foot of Duke street and run as far as the Imperial Oil Company's works, a distance of 1,850 feet, and parallel to the present branch line. The present project was decided upon about a year ago, but building was postponed for one reason or another until the present.

WAS SECOND.  
Miss M. Muriel Corkery, Douglas Avenue, who was the only lady in the class of thirteen at the recent preliminary examinations for law students, conducted at Fredericton, was second on the list with an excellent average of 83. Miss Corkery has been the efficient cashier for the Eastern Trust Company, 111 Prince William street, for several years. Jack Nicholson, son of Dr. Nicholson, Newcastle, led the class, with an average of 88.

RETURNING TO CANADA.  
Cables received at Halifax indicate that there is a possibility of Lord Beaverbrook, returning to Canada and that he may sail from England before the end of the month. It will be remembered that Lord Beaverbrook had to cut his Canadian visit very short owing to the sudden illness of his daughter in England, but before leaving he promised to return at the earliest possible moment. Lord Beaverbrook plans to take a holiday during his stay at Halifax.

A PORPOISE AT MONCTON.  
Moncton Transcript: A rather novel sight is being witnessed by men working around the river front here. For the past few days a large porpoise about fifteen feet in length has come up the Peticodiac river, with the tide, returning with the tide a short time afterwards. It was an sight as usual Thursday, when a number of spectators were at the wharf to witness the sight. As yet no effort has been made to capture the big fish.

BY AUTO TO THE FAIR.  
Among the auto parties at Fredericton for the exhibition are H. Coody, C. Coody, Mrs. J. E. Coody, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Herragh of St. John; Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Malby, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Williston, of St. John; P. T. Brown, D. M. McAllister, E. M. Beatty, E. B. Robb, Charles O. Morris of St. John; D. C. King of New York, and J. H. King of Moncton; Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hargrove, of New York; Mrs. A. Plimpton, of St. John; Dr. and Mrs. P. B. Hurd and Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Murray of Waterville, Me., all of whom were guests at the Queen Hotel—The Gleaser.

ST. JOHN MEN ELECTED.  
The Miramichi Council of Knights of Columbus, Chatham, at their meeting, Tuesday night, elected the following officers for the ensuing term:—Geo. M. McDade, Grand Knight; D. S. Jackson, Deputy Grand Knight; G. P. Hickey, Chancellor; W. J. Duncan, Recorder; W. A. Skidd, Fin. Secretary; A. P. Harriman, Treasurer; John A. Graham, Advocate; T. H. Fitzpatrick, Inside Guard; Benoit Desnoes, Outside Guard; John Ward, Warden; G. T. O'Brien, Trustee.  
Messrs. McDade and Ward are former residents of St. John.

Interesting Cases  
In Police Court

Show Man Fined and Revolver Taken from Him — Girl Sent to Home of Good Shepherd — Men Charged With Taking Money from Farmer.

There were interesting doings in the police court yesterday. Fourteen cases were called on for trial, and several violations of the vehicle law were dealt with.

Roy Vassilich of the Williams Shows was charged with having firearms in his possession without the necessary permit. He acknowledged the charge and was fined \$10 and his revolver, to the number of fourteen, were retained by the police.

At the close of this case C. A. Worrell stepped inside the cell and asked the magistrate to be allowed to speak. He said that he had informed the police commissioner of the violation of the law in connection with these revolvers early in the week and nothing had been done till now.

Magistrate Ritchie: "The case is closed and the man has been fined." Turning to the chief of police Mr. Worrell said: "You are not worth \$500 a year." Mr. Worrell then left the court.

A girl charged with vagrancy was sent to the Home of the Good Shepherd. An owner of a horse was asked to leave a deposit for his appearance in court this morning on a charge of allowing his horse to wander on the public street.

Arthur Thomas, aged 19, of Bull Moose Hill, Kings County, told the police magistrate yesterday the story of how he was relieved of more than two hundred dollars by several pleasant mannered gentlemen, whom he had met in the street. He accused two men, who gave their names as Peter St. Cyr and Lewis Herman, of being members of the party. Both appeared in court, having been arrested Thursday evening, and were remanded until Monday morning. R. L. Gerow, who appeared for the prisoners, asked if bail or a deposit would be accepted for their appearance and the magistrate demanded \$5,000.

Several citizens reported under the motor vehicles act were before the court and their cases dealt with.

Much Pleased  
With Proceedings

St. John Delegates to Maritime Board of Trade Convention Believe it Will Lead to Considerable Revival in Maritime Interests.

The St. John delegation who attended the meeting of the Maritime Board of Trade at Moncton were much pleased with the proceedings, and believe it will lead to a considerable revival of effort to promote the common interests of the three provinces. Apart from the business proceedings they had reason to be pleased with the entertainment provided by the Moncton Board. The St. John delegation was larger than that from Halifax, but both Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island were well represented.

Mr. Armstrong, secretary of the local Board of Trade, said yesterday that Moncton was a very enterprising city with many evidences of prosperity, and he thought St. John could learn a few things from its methods of doing things. A communal question, Moncton seemed to have a well developed civic spirit, he added. New buildings were going up, and streets were being paved. All the citizens seemed to be proud of their city, and had great faith in its future. At present they claimed a population of 15,000 and taking in some small communities on the outskirts would add a couple more thousands.

Mr. Armstrong said the proposition regarding the electrification of a section of the I. C. R. attracted great interest. Delegates were seized with the importance of the railway problem in the Maritime Provinces, and in order to secure proper consideration from the Federal Government to the claims of these provinces to public improvements.

HEALTH WORKER  
OF Y. W. C. A. HERE

Miss Harcourt, a Speaker on Matter of Health Education, Was in St. John Yesterday.  
A visitor in St. John yesterday was Miss Harcourt of Toronto. Miss Harcourt is the Assistant National Secretary of the Board of Health Education of the Dominion Council of the Young Women's Christian Association and is very enthusiastic over the work of her department. She will be present at the Y. W. C. A. Convention to be held in October in St. John, and has offered to address any societies or gatherings of girls on matters of health. Miss Harcourt is at present visiting at Lakeside, N. B. Dr. Anna Young of P. E. Island is in charge of this Board of Health Education at Toronto with Dr. Margaret Paterson as assistant.

Musical Club  
May Be Formed  
In St. John

Number of Singers and Music Lovers Met Yesterday Afternoon to Discuss Project — Sunday Concert Planned.

A meeting, the object of which was to discuss the holding of Sunday concerts of sacred and high-class music, was held yesterday afternoon in the Board of Trade rooms. W. Frank Hatheway presided, and there was a good attendance of many of those prominent in musical circles.

After discussion as to the best way of organizing, it was decided to form a committee of the members, who will find out the possibilities of membership and the available talent in the city and report at a meeting to be held next week.

Those chosen for this committee were: Mrs. Kent Scovill, Mrs. A. C. D. Wilson, Miss Louise Knight, Miss Pauline Biederman, M. C. Ewing, Walter Golding, Louis LeLachance.

It is proposed to hold the concerts in the Imperial Theatre, and for the first season, St. John musicians and singers will furnish the talent. If the plans work out, weekday concerts will also be given, and next year famous singers and musicians brought to St. John from the large centres, so that all may benefit by the hearing and enjoyment of the finest music which can be provided.

Those present yesterday were an enthusiastic over the scheme, and hope to have further details to give at the next meeting.

The Voters' List  
Has Nothing To  
Do With Taxes

An Erroneous Impression Among Women That Placing Their Names on the Revised List Means Taxation—Time to Register is Short.

It has been brought to the notice of The Standard that many women in the City of St. John think that if they go to the assessors' office and have their names put on the voters' list that that will necessitate the paying of taxes.

It should be clearly understood that this revised voters' list is for provincial matters and has nothing whatever to do with city taxes. A woman must be twenty-one, a resident of the province for six months and a British subject, those are all the qualifications necessary. It has nothing to do with questions of property ownership or income but is merely the right, possessed by women, of registering their names as voters in the province and therefore to the city of residence.

To gain this right, all women who are not on the assessors' list, which was merely taken for convenience, should make it a point to see that their names is down on the revised list so that when the time comes to come up for settlement the right to vote will be unquestioned. The time for registering ends October 5th so it would be best to act quickly.

Arrested For  
Robbing Mails

Boy Named Lewin Richie Locked up in Gagetown Jail—Bags Cut and Mail Removed at Queenstown.

Another tangle with the mails is in jail. A few days a mail courier on the route between Gagetown and Westfield stopped at Queenstown to change horses, and when he was ready to start again he noticed that one of the mail bags had been cut, and subsequently it was found some packages of mail had been removed. The inspector at St. John was notified, and as a result of his investigation a young boy named Lewin Richie has been arrested and lodged in the jail at Gagetown.

VALLEY RAILWAY  
TRAIN SERVICE

Premier Foster said last night that there was no announcement to be made concerning the commencement of the train service on the Valley Railway.

What The Navy  
League Means

Head Office in Report Gives Some Interesting Facts Regarding the Nelson Day Campaign—What the League Means to Canada.

The following is part of the report of the Publicity Committee of the Nelson Day campaign sent out from the head office in Toronto: "In considering the plans to raise \$500,000 for the forthcoming work of the Navy League of Canada, we have had to take into account several facts which are more or less obvious.

"One is that the interest of the public at the present time, is by no means strong as regards Canada's responsibility on the sea. We have also to consider that the interest in patriotic movements, as such, has suffered as a result of the passing of the war.

"It is our past experience in such campaigns as this, that although the ultimate objects to be obtained may be many and varied, it is essential, in order to give a clear impression to the public, to definitely emphasize the most appealing phase of the work and let that carry the features which do not have such strong appeal to the general public.

The Central Theme. "Of the many branches of work to be undertaken by the Navy League, the training of Canadian boys for the sea offers the greatest popular appeal. From the patriotic standpoint our boys should be given the opportunity to emulate the glorious example of British seamen. Their inherent love of the sea must be recognized, and the necessary years of training can only be effected through the medium of such an institution as the Boys' Naval Brigade.

"From the economic point of view, it needs small argument to show that just as surely as Canadian ships must be available to transport Canadian goods to the markets of the world, so must the ships be manned by Canadians and not as has been the case in the past—dependent on other than Canadian seamen.

"The vital factor in Canada's future prosperity must be her exports, and with the exception of these goods which we send to our neighbors in the South, every dollar's worth of Canada's exports must be transported by sea. Hence Canada's future rests on the sea, and it is imperative that action should be taken now to insure in future years trained Canadian seamen to man our vessels.

"We have only to look back on the years that have just passed to appreciate the tremendous part played by trained British seamen.

"The outcome of the great struggle would have been extremely dubious but for the marvelous work and self-sacrifice of British seamen, and we have only to recall the numerous deeds of heroism associated with Canadian sailors on the Atlantic, to realize the vital necessity for making an increasing number of such seamen available for the needs of Canada and the Empire.

"Around this central theme we can produce and enlarge on the necessity for relief work to our Canadian and British seamen and their dependents, and the great need for homes in our ports as places of rest and entertainment for incoming seamen in order that they may escape the evil and so often beset them when on shore."

S.S. CARONIA IS  
DUE AT HALIFAX

Has on Board 2,761 Chinese Coolies Who Have Been Attached to Labor Battalions in Europe.

The S. S. Caronia is due at Halifax this afternoon with 2,761 Chinese coolies who have been attached to labor battalions in Europe. They will be sent in bond to Vancouver and then to C. P. R. men for shipment. It is possible that some of the coolies may be seen at this port as there are upwards of 100,000 to be transported from France and England and the winter port here will be open before that number is dispersed. The shipment expected today is the first.

GOING-OUT-OF-BUSINESS SALE

At Thos. Hatty's, 307 Brussels St., commencing Tuesday, 16th, and continuing until all is sold, \$15,000.00 worth of goods at a sacrifice. Store open from 9 a. m. until 11 p. m.

NEW FALL SUITS.

Another shipment of those beautiful Velour Suits that so many people have been waiting for has arrived at F. A. Dykeman & Co's. They are the same price as before, \$42.50, and this lot consists of Brown, Navy, Taupe, Green and Burgundy. These suits are most artistically trimmed, lined with broadcloth flowered lining, and are made from a good quality of Wool. They fit perfect and are worth at today's prices at least one-quarter more than they are being sold for.

ARLINGTON ORCHESTRA  
COMING TO THE UNIQUE

Probably never have a more capable and popular band of players appeared in a local picture house than the Arlington Orchestra, which two years ago played several months at the Unique Theatre. The Unique management announces with pleasure that the Arlington have again been procured, and will open an engagement of indefinite length, beginning Tuesday at tomorrow next.

Miss A. Kathleen Woods, of Welsford, desires to thank friends for assistance given in St. John Standard Competition, and to remind all that a few more votes are needed to make her a sure automobile winner. Contest closes Sept. 27.

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