

## GRECO-ITALIAN TENSION HAS BEEN RELIEVED

It Is Believed By Decision Of Council Of Ambassadors Yesterday

### NOTE OF GREECE

Italian Ambassador Thought Decision Would Be Acceptable To Rome

Paris, Sept. 7.—The Council of Ambassadors sent a note to the Greek Government today embodying proposals for the settlement of the Greco-Italian controversy. The proposals somewhat modify the demands made upon Greece by Premier Mussolini. While they have not been officially disclosed, it is understood they contain the following terms:

First—The Greek fleet to pay honors to the Italian naval squadron at Piraeus, which shall be accompanied by a British and a French warship. The Greek fleet saluting the inter-Allied flags with 21 guns; the inter-Allied ships to enter port without saluting.

Second—A memorial service to be held in the Catholic church, attended by all the members of the Greek Government. During the service the ships in the harbor will fly their flags at half mast.

Third—Military honors to be paid when the bodies of the victims are placed on board ship.

Fourth—Greece to deposit the sum of 50,000,000 lire as a guarantee for the payment she may be called upon to make.

Fifth—An International Commission presided over by a Japanese shall control the Greek investigation. The text which was sent to the Greek Government at Athens received the unanimous endorsement of the Allied representatives but beyond saying "the council has reached an important, perhaps decisive, stage in the settlement of the conflict," no information with an official stamp was available.

Baron Azevedo, the Italian Ambassador, made no pretence for hiding his satisfaction as he left the meeting this evening. He told the Italian correspondents that the decision likely would find favor in Rome.

## NO COMPLAINT FROM LUCILLE B.

Dominion Marine Dept. Says There Is Difference Between Piracy And Robbery

Ottawa, Ont., Sept. 7.—As far as the Department of Marine and Fisheries is aware no statement has been forwarded to Ottawa complaining of robbery of the Nova Scotia schooner Lucille B. Halifax despatch dated yesterday was to the effect that Mate Powers, of the schooner, had claimed that the Lucille B. during the absence ashore of Captain LeBlanc had been the object of a piratical attack off the coast of Massachusetts; fifteen armed men, it was said, had forced the Lucille B. crew of four to hand over twelve hundred cases of liquor.

It was stated at the Department that a difference was to be drawn between piracy as such, and robbery on the high seas. In the latter case, action would be difficult unless definite information were given as to the identity of the aggressors.

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## SETTLEMENT OF HARD COAL STRIKE NOW EXPECTED

Participants In Negotiation Believe The Mines Will Be Opened In Ten Days

### SAYS GOV. PINCHOT

"No Point In Dispute Now Remaining Will Justify Continuance Of Strike"

Harrisburg, Sept. 7.—All participants in the negotiations believe that a settlement will be effected and anthracite mines, now shut down by Union orders, will be reopened within ten days.

Gov. Pinchot discussing the still unsettled points, declared there is "no point of dispute remaining between the two sides which is in any way likely to justify a continuance of the strike."

Any final agreement, whether reached to-night or later by the Union representatives and the operators policy committee will be subject to approval by a convention of Union delegates from the three U. M. W. districts of the anthracite region. The assembling of such a convention would require at least a week, but John L. Lewis, President of the Miners and other miner officials were certain a contract would be negotiated and that their recommendations would be accepted by the tri-district convention.

Gov. Pinchot's announcement that the Miners' Union representatives had agreed to take a 10 per cent wage increase and abandon their demand for check-off collection of Union dues came at the end of a brief session in which he met again members of the Operators' Policy Committee and the Union officials.

The operators left the capitol without letting the decision be known, but Mr. Lewis and the Governor remained in the office together to tell what had taken place.

The Governor told the assembled newspapermen that "negotiations for drawing up a new wage contract are to proceed after 7 p. m. in my office between the miners' representatives and the operators committee and is confidently expected a complete and prompt agreement upon all details."

Mr. Lewis said the Union order for the suspension of the work still stood. To call off the suspension Mr. Lewis explained there must be a satisfactory contract negotiated between the operators and the Union's Scale Committee, a convention of miners delegates must ratify this and the decision must be conveyed to the local Unions. The earliest date at which mining could be resumed under the program outlined he said, would be a week from Monday and intervening delays would add to the time.

## \$2,500,000 WORTH OF FURS SOLD IN MONTREAL

Montreal, Sept. 7.—Two and a half million dollars worth of furs were auctioned off this week in the four-day September sales of the Canadian Fur Auction Sales Company which ended here this afternoon, according to a statement issued by R. S. Coltart, vice-president of the company.

Over 750,000 furs gathered from all parts of the world were placed on sale. Record prices were secured for Canadian beaver, silver fox and marten pelts.

## BRITISH SUBMARINE HAS BEEN REFLOATED

Hong Kong, Sept. 7.—The British submarine L-9, which sank in the harbor here during the typhoon of August 18 has been refloated.

## JAPAN'S LOSS IN GREAT DISASTER STILL UNKNOWN

One Hundred Foreigners Reported Dead, One Half Being British

### PREMIER'S APPEAL

Loss Of Life Among Canadians And Americans Believed To Have Been Small

London, Sept. 7.—With communication between the devastated earthquake districts of Tokyo and the southern Japanese ports of Kobe and Osaka partially restored by airplanes and road transport along the Takaido route and with the pick of Japan's well trained army divisions, which have been converging on the ruined capital since Sunday exerting discipline to restore order among the hundreds of thousands of homeless, news from Japan begins to give some definite idea of the loss of foreign life. There are approximately 100 dead or reported missing, half of whom are British, but the Japanese Government representatives here are still uninformed as to the number of Japanese who perished through earthquake, fire and deluge. The Foreign Office to-night issued its first official list of British killed and injured, the names having been called by the British Consul at Kobe. The list comprises thirty British subjects who are reported on good authority to have lost their lives; most of them were killed in Yokohama, which, reports continue to indicate, suffered more than Tokyo.

The Kobe Consul explained that the list of casualties was incomplete. Besides the dead it contains the names of a score of British missing and also names of four members of the British Embassy and consular staff, whose whereabouts are unknown.

It seems fairly certain that the loss of life among Canadian and United States residents in Tokyo and Yokohama was small, but no reports have been received concerning the fate of tourists. From 500 to 1,000 globe trotters from America are usually to be found in Yokohama hotels any day during the summer months, waiting for homeward bound boats or to start on tours through Japan.

On Saturday afternoon the Yokohama shops remain open to accommodate curious buyers and the hotels, clubs and the wide Bund fronting on the harbor would be crowded with visitors, who, not familiar with the narrow streets and not knowing the location of the few parks and open spaces in the city, had little chance to escape injury unless after the quake they sought refuge on ships in the harbor before the fire and explosions started.

The world-wide nature of the unprecedented relief efforts attracts attention. Nations from Soviet Russia to South Africa are contributing generously.

The Premier of Japan has issued a public appeal to the population to exert its characteristic self control, insisting that peaceful Koreans must be protected.

In Tokyo General Fukuda has announced that even the extreme Socialists, who had been harried by the police authorities in recent years, deserve protection and assistance as fellow-countrymen. It is believed here that the reports of Korean disturbances in Tokyo have been exaggerated; the accounts of armed risings are considered fantastic, for the only sort of revolt the Koreans ever started, even in their own country, have been half-hearted and non-co-operation demonstrations in Seoul.

Ninety Canadians are accounted for by the cablegram received today by Rev. James Endicott, General Secretary for Foreign Missions.

There were 28 at Kobe while the General Board had 31 workers and their families elsewhere and the Women's Missionary Society had 30 workers.

Rev. Melville M. Whiting, who went the rearing word, went to Japan in 1921 and has been teaching and doing Evangelistic work among 700 boys in the middle school of Kawasani Gakuin College. He is supported by the Young People's Societies of St. Thomas district.

## ATTACKS ON RUM RUNNERS TO BE PROTESTED

Dominion And Nova Scotia Gov'ts. Will Make Joint Representations To U.S.

### SAYS W. J. O'HEARN

Will Ask U.S. To Punish Men Who Attacked Schooner Scott Hankenson

Ottawa, Sept. 7.—(By Canadian Press)—Attacks by United States citizens on Canadian schooners off the coast of the United States are to be made the subject of joint representations by the Dominion and the Province of Nova Scotia to the United States authorities. This was stated this evening by W. J. O'Hearn, K.C., Attorney-General for Nova Scotia.

Mr. O'Hearn said that he had discussed the assaults which have been committed on Canadian vessels recently with the Justice Department here and it was decided to make joint representations with a view to the arrest and punishment of the offenders. He mentioned the attack on the Scott Hankenson, on August 29, specifically. Mr. O'Hearn arrived in Ottawa today after attending the meetings of the Canadian Bar Association at Montreal.

## The Weather

Toronto, Sept. 7.—The disturbance which was in the Upper Mississippi Valley last evening has passed quickly northward to James Bay. Thunder showers have occurred in parts of Ontario, but the weather has been mostly fine throughout Canada.

	Min.	Max.
Vancouver	52	74
Winnipeg	50	70
Toronto	64	78
Ottawa	60	72
Montreal	56	76
Quebec	54	66
St. John	48	68
Halifax	48	70

Forecast.  
Ottawa Valley and Upper St. Lawrence—Southeasterly winds; a few showers, but mostly fair and warm.

In Tokyo was not as large as first reported. Probably 10,000 in uptown Tokyo.

The fate of President Asago was unknown when this message was received. Reports of his death here had prompted the company to cable many queries and to-day's message was in answer to one of these.

British Dead.  
London, Sept. 7.—The list of known British dead in the Japanese earthquake has reached 20, based on private cablegrams received from Kobe, Osaka and Nagasaki.

The safety of several hundred others is reported, messages from missionary headquarters, commercial firms and the British Embassy, but the fate of the remainder of the foreign residents in the devastated districts has not been cleared up.

Destitute refugees continued to pour into Kobe both by land and sea routes, say advices received here and the whole city is devoting itself to the reconstruction work necessary in the rebuilding of Tokyo and Yokohama.

Textiles have kept remarkably firm and Government securities are recovering somewhat. It is also believed the artificial silk manufacturers will benefit materially as a result of the ruinous effect upon the industry for which Yokohama was the principal market.

European Salvationists Safe.  
London, Sept. 7.—General Bramwell Booth, head of the Salvation Army, today received a message from one of his representatives in Japan saying that all European officers of the army in Japan were safe, but that several of the Japanese officers were lost in the disaster. Among them were two of his principal Japanese subordinates, Brigadier-General Sashida and Major Sakai. The Army's headquarters in Tokyo were burned.

Moscow, Sept. 7.—Despatches from Vladivostok to the Pravda say that army airplanes are carrying tons of rice from Osaka to the Tokyo districts. They also report that Odawari, the famous resort, suffered great destruction and that there was large loss of life there from tidal waves.

## IF LEAGUE FAILS EUROPE MAY LOOK FOR WAR

Former British Foreign Secretary Takes Gloomy View Of Greco-Italian Crisis

### LEAGUE ONLY HOPE

Unless It Can Be Used In Crisis There Can Be No Prospect Of Peace

Falldon, England, Sept. 7.—"If the League of Nations is not used in the crisis, such as the present Greco-Italian one, then it would have to be dissolved and Europe would be faced with the old state of things that existed before the war with competition in armaments and preparations for a new war and in the long run a general war far worse than the last," Viscount Grey of Falldon asserted in an address here today.

"In the League of Nations," he said, "we have an instrument by which we can reach a settlement preferable to war. The real interest and securities of ourselves depend upon the League's policy being upheld and in that alone is to be found the prospect of future peace and security. I trust there is enough public opinion to uphold the League policy."

Viscount Grey said that the crisis in foreign affairs was acute owing to what happened between Italy and Greece and that so far as his sympathy was concerned it was with Italy but the crisis which has developed, he added, has transcended all sympathy.

The real redress for the wrong done Italy would be justice after a full inquiry.

## GRIM TRAGEDY AT STE. ADELE, QUE.

Well To Do Farmer Murdered Wife, Then Cut His Throat, Said Jury

Ste. Adele, Terrebonne County, Que., Sept. 7.—(By Can. Press)—A verdict stating that "Mrs. V. Parizeau was murdered by her husband, Xiste Parizeau, and that he committed suicide by cutting his own throat," was returned this afternoon by the jury under Coroner Labelle, of St. Jerome, at Ste. Adele in the case of the above who were found dead at their home early this morning.

Mrs. Parizeau's head had been smashed in with a hammer, while the man's throat, was deeply slashed by a razor.

Witnesses testified that Parizeau had no enemies and that he and his wife had always lived on the most friendly terms. The Coroner also pointed out that the woman had probably been killed six or seven hours before her husband committed suicide, rigor mortis having passed away when he examined her body, while it was still present in that of the man.

Parizeau had not been seen around the village since Tuesday and early when the doors and windows were all found closed, neighbors broke into the house and found the bodies in the bedroom.

Parizeau was Mayor of Ste. Adele last year and was a well-to-do farmer, resident for 20 years in the parish. He was 53 years of age and his wife was 50.

## IRISH CATTLE NOT INFECTED

By Foot And Mouth Disease—Will Be Admitted Into England Again

(Canadian Press Cable)  
London, Sept. 7.—The Ministry of Agriculture announces that exhaustive enquiries in Ireland and in this country have failed to indicate that foot and mouth disease exists among cattle in Ireland.

## MR. MEIGHEN ON CANADA'S NEEDS TODAY

Deflation In Departmental Personnel And Slicing Of General Expenditures

### HEAVY TAXATION

Government's Policy Of Uncertainty Has Produced Business Hesitation

(By Canadian Press)  
Winnipeg, Sept. 7.—"What does Canada need today?" was the question asked here to-night by Hon. Arthur Meighen, Conservative leader in the Dominion Government, addressing a gathering of 500 men and women of the Winnipeg Conservative Club.

"What we need," he said, in answer to his question, "is the slicing by segments of our controllable expenditure. We need deflation in departmental personnel comparable with what has been done in other British countries. We need a definite and final negotiation to all important demands for public works of pre-war period. We want tax rates pared down to the level of early reduced expenditures. We want a clear and definite policy so that business interests will know our fiscal policy rests on the solid rock of principle and not on the shifting sands of dickerling for votes."

The Opposition Leader said he was no pessimist but he took a serious view of the situation. Many people were coming to Canada but he feared more were leaving. There was a feeling of supercaution, timidity if not fear, hesitation, reluctance to invest, and utter absence of expansion and activity. What was the reason?

"Canada," he said, "labored under a burden of taxation unparalleled in any other country so situated. The present Government had exploited every field of taxation. The tax level in Canada must of necessity be high and it is higher than that of the United States but it should be very little higher with proper administration at Ottawa."

"The Sales Tax imposed by this Government," declared Mr. Meighen, "has made the cost of living in Canada 10 per cent higher than in the United States. Is it any wonder there are those who seek asylum elsewhere?"

He charged the Government with uncertainty and hesitation in its tariff policy and declared that its course was determined by "cold calculation of the progressive votes it can buy."

The Liberal party, Mr. Meighen declared had won its victory by sham and sham was written on every page of the Government's record. He believed that 95 per cent of the support the Liberals received in the Prairies at the last election was due to their advocacy of tariff but all of this open advocacy, he said, accompanied by silent assurances" by Sir Lomer Gouin and Mr. King that no interests would be prejudicially affected. The reductions accomplished had been of a minor nature in textiles and agriculture implements "through which no Canadian had saved a dollar" and in non-essentials from France under a new treaty, which was "worse in every respect than the old one it replaced."

In this meantime said Mr. Meighen the Minister of Finance in Parliament had cynically repudiated the tariff policy adopted at a party convention of which he was a member and under which his party had gained power.

He believed the sentiment for real protective tariff in Canada was stronger today than at any time since Confederation.

He explained his attitude towards the Government bill for branch lines of the C. N. R. which was rejected by the Senate at the last session of Parliament. The bill, he said, was a carte blanche to the administration with cost and mileage only estimated. Branch lines always in the past had been recovered in the estimates, but this Government decided on a change of policy. Certain of the lines mentioned were, he said, wholly unnecessary—at least seven of them. Others were not only essential but were vital and among those he mentioned the lines south of Moose Jaw and one in the Okanagan. He sought by amendment to have the money required included in the estimates and voted by Parliament but was unsuccessful.

## C.P.R. EMPLOYEE WAS KILLED IN QUAKE AT YOKOHAMA

Kobe, Sept. 7.—Jack Reed, an employee of the Canadian Pacific Ry. Co. in Yokohama was killed in the earthquake, according to Thomas D. Cochrane, an American survivor who arrived here today.



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That which is built upon esteem can never decay.

CUNARD ANCHOR

Table with shipping schedules for Cunard Anchor, listing routes to Glasgow, London, and other ports with dates and ship names.

CANADIAN GOVERNMENT MERCHANT MARINE, LIMITED.

Table with shipping schedules for Canadian Government Merchant Marine, listing routes to London, Antwerp, and other ports.

MONTCLAIR GOT IN TOO, YESTERDAY

Can. Pacific Vessel Sailed At Ten O'Clock With 360 Passengers

The Canadian Pacific Montclair sailed last evening at 10 o'clock for Liverpool, with 360 passengers on board, including 230 in the cabin, and a considerable quantity of cargo.

MONTCLAIR GOT IN TOO, YESTERDAY

Brought Out Record List For 1923 Season Of Navigation -1,734 On Board

Shattering all previous steamship passenger traffic records made during the 1923 St. Lawrence season, the Canadian Pacific liner SS. Montclair, inward from Liverpool, with 590 cabin and 1,144 third-class passengers, docked last evening at 8:30 o'clock.

FREIGHT SAILINGS

Table with freight sailing schedules, listing routes to London, Liverpool, and other ports.

ISLAND PARK FERRY

On and after 7th September, 1923, without guarantee, will leave Quebec, 6:20, 7:30, 9:15, 11:30 a.m.; 2:15, except Saturday; 2:30 Saturday only; 4:45, except Saturday, 5:20, 6:20 p.m.

SHIPPING MOVEMENTS.

Port of Montreal, Sept. 7.—Arrivals—Manchester Division, Manchester; Canadian Explorer, Antwerp; Vulcan, Liverpool; Milazzo, Palermo. Sailed—Saturia, Glasgow; Seattle Spirit, Hamburg; Manchester Shipper, Manchester; Canadian Forester, Belize.

SHIPPING REPORT

Crane Island—In 1:05 p.m. Linsan; 1:20 p.m. Sinasta. Out 8:30 a.m. Peterston. Cape salmon—In 1:10 p.m. Melita; 10:50 a.m. Canadian Coaster. Out 8 a.m. Wyncote; 11:15 a.m. Edward Pyke 4:12:30 p.m. Turret Court.

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The SS. LABRADOR will sail TUESDAY, September 12th, at 9 A.M. for all North Shore ports as far as Bradore. Freight will be received at SHED, 14, Saturday, September 8th, until noon, and Monday, September 10th, until noon.

SHIPPING NOTES.

Passed up yesterday: SS. Milazzo at 4:30 a.m.; SS. Bothwell at 11:55 a.m.; SS. Sinasta at 4 p.m.; SS. Canadian Coaster at 8:15 p.m.

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SANTAL MIDY advertisement for venereal disease treatment.

J. ALLEYN SAIL TENT AND AWNING MAKER advertisement.

Artistic High Grade Imported China advertisement for Duquet Limitee, featuring tea and coffee cups and saucers.

PROGRESS OF AVIATION PICTURED AT MEET

St. Louis, Sept. 7.—An historical exhibition showing the development of aviation will be a feature of the International Air Races to be held here October 1 to 3.

WELCOME TO OUR READERS.

Visit the Kiosk of 'La Presse,' of Montreal, at the Exhibition Grounds. WHAT JAPANESE NEED AT THE PRESENT TIME Washington, D.C., Sept. 7.—United States Ambassador Woods at Tokio, in an undated despatch sent by wireless via Iwaki to the State Department today listed the commodities most urgently needed for relief work in the devastated areas of Japan.



Ladies: On Monday Next, September 10th and thereafter we shall hold a Fall Fashion Opening

This grand event, always so impatiently awaited by the distinguished customers who honor us with their patronage will this year assume an unusual aspect on account of the festivities of the Eucharistic Congress from Sept. 13th. to 16th. We shall display a number of new creations for ladies and misses and we solicit the honor of a visit convinced that you will be greatly interested. We assure you, ladies, that we shall do better and more than ever before.

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OCEAN SAILINGS table listing various shipping lines and their routes.

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DOMINION EXPRESS MONEY ORDER advertisement.

FEARFUL OF BURYING AGED WOMAN ALIVE

Orders For Funeral Of Mde. Lafamme Of Rouville Were Cancelled

DOCTORS CALLED Finally They Found Woman Was Dead, And Funeral Proceeded

Montreal, Sept. 7.—All was in readiness in the parish church of St. Jean Baptiste de Rouville, Rouville County, on Thursday for the burial of Mrs. E. Lafamme, of that village, who had died two days previously and preparations for the celebration of a Requiem Mass were completed when doubt was expressed by doctors as to whether she were really dead. No rigor mortis had set in although her heart had ceased beating for two days. The ceremony was accordingly postponed. It was found this morning, however, that decomposition had set in and the funeral arrangements were duly carried out.

WILL CHALLENGE THE COMPETENCY

Of Province Of Manitoba To Import And Sell Liquor To People

Winnipeg, Sept. 7.—Action by interested parties to challenge in the courts the competency of the Province of Manitoba to import and sell liquor under the legislation based upon the favorable vote of the people upon the Moderation League's proposal is foreshadowed by a local paper. It is understood that a demand will be made upon the Dominion Minister of Justice to enforce the law and prevent the importation of liquor into Manitoba by the Provincial Government.

BIG WHEAT CROP ON PRAIRIES

Yield Will Be 452,503,169 Bushels, Says Winnipeg Free Press

Winnipeg, Man., Sept. 7.—A yield of 452,503,169 bushels of wheat from Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta this year is predicted in the twentieth annual crop estimate of the Manitoba Free Press to be published here tomorrow morning.

Alberta leads the Prairie Provinces for production of wheat per acre, according to the estimate with an average yield of 25 bushels from 5,355,061 acres, the average issued by the Dominion Government Statistical Bureau on August 11. The total Alberta wheat yield is estimated at 148,901,525 bushels.

An average of 21 bushels per acre from 12,790,984 acres is predicted in Saskatchewan, with a total yield of 265,110,464 bushels. The total yield in Manitoba where much damage has been caused by rust and sawfly is an average yield of 12 bushels is predicted from 2,915,915 acres the total yield being estimated at 34,990,980 bushels.

The yields of coarse grains for the Prairie Provinces are estimated as follows: Oats, 356,825,295 bushels; barley, 61,540,140 bushels; rye, 24,376,560 bushels and flax 7,193,026 bushels.

GRAND'MERE HAS DIFFICULTIES

Civic Business Stagnation Has Set In, Owing To Resignation Of Ald. Trotter

Grand'Mere, P.Q. Sept. 7.—The regular fortnightly meeting of the City Council scheduled for Wednesday evening with an agenda of important matters for consideration, had to be abandoned, on account of the failure of Mayor Guilford and Alderman O. Lafond, to appear in an appearance. Lately, in addition to the regular meetings, special and extraordinary ones have been convened and held, but since the resignation of Alderman G. Trotter, who was politically associated with these two afore mentioned gentlemen, a civic business stagnation seems to have set in. In fact, resignation has caused a transference of power to the opposition, represented in Alderman W. Grouin and J. O. Pelletier. It is rumored the Citizens' Association are pressing one of their prominent members, and an ex-alderman, to stand for the vacancy created. But to date, nothing has been confirmed, and the opposition, have not made public what their intentions are, nor whom, they are bringing forward as their candidate; presumably waiting until a regular meeting has been held and a nomination date decided upon. History teaches us that many potential storms have brewed in a tea cup; and the whole electorate are now on tenter hooks as to what might, or might not happen when next our civic representatives meet.

The Laurentide Safety First Committee have completed arrangements for a picnic to be held on Sunday. Proceeding by boat up the St. Maurice River to Creek de Peche, where dinner will be cooked and served in the open. The afternoon will be devoted to quidding, swimming and fishing. After supper there will be singing until embarking time for home. The following constitute the committee: Messrs. Thos. Teiler, Geo. Mayhew, J. O. Gellman and John McDonald, the latter acting as chairman.

On Wednesday and Thursday evenings, two very enjoyable corn roasts were held in the woods on the outskirts of the town. The first one was for the bog school girls and the latter one for the boys. The parties being given for a re-union of the girls and boys before leaving their homes for the various schools they are attending in the happy days of their childhood. Mr. J. O. Gellman, our genial bandmaster and the children's beloved "Pop." Impromptu concerts were held on each occasion.

A curious injury befell a Laurentide employee, yesterday. Omer Clairmont, who had finished his tour of duty, was preparing to go home, when in the act of raising his arm to adjust his cap, he dislocated his left shoulder. Some twenty months ago Clairmont rather badly dislocated this shoulder and this incident, is no doubt, a recurrence of the original injury.

Personals. Messrs. Harold Blinco and W. Fowler are leaving tonight to spend the week-end in the Manattwan District, partridge hunting.

Dr. H. A. Bray, Sup't., New York State, Tuberculosis Hospital, Hay Brook, N.Y., is the guest of Dr. B. L. Wyatt, of Third Avenue.

Mr. A. E. Halley and the family of St. James street, motored to Quebec where they spent a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Le Brocq, are spending a few days in Montreal. Mr. Le Brocq, we regret to say, is far from well, and while in the city will consult a specialist.

Miss Stella Lacroix, has returned home after spending a vacation in Montreal and Lachine.

Mrs. J. Gordon Fraser and two little daughters, Betty and Gladys, are the guests of Mrs. Fraser's mother, in Montreal.

Mr. W. N. Dietrich, is spending a holiday in Galt, Ont., visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Hamel are motoring to Montreal, where they will remain a few days.

Miss Iris Le Brocq, of Second Avenue, has returned from a visit to friends in St. Lambert.

Mr. J. A. Raymond of Loretteville, P.Q., is spending a few days in town, the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Omer Bastien.

IRISH FREE STATE POSTAL TREATY

First Was Signed With Canada—Will Become Effective Jan. 1, 1924

Ottawa, Ont., Sept. 7.—(Special to the Chronicle)—To the Postmaster General of Canada has fallen the honor of signing the first Postal Treaty with the Irish Free State. After negotiations extending over several months the terms of a Convention for the direct exchange of Money Orders between Canada and the Irish Free State have been agreed upon, and the document has been signed on behalf of Canada by The Honorable Charles Murphy, Postmaster General. This new Postal Treaty will come into effect on January 1st, 1924.

Although the Free State has had its own Postal Administration since 1st April, 1922, following the date when the Irish Treaty became effective, Money Order business between Canada and Ireland is still being carried on through the British Post Office. Orders drawn in Canada, payable in Ireland, were included in British lists and settlement has been made through the British Post Office for the payment of Orders in Ireland without extra charge for commission. On the other hand, Orders issued in Ireland, payable in Canada, have been treated as British Orders in the settlement of Money Order accounts between Canada and the United Kingdom.

After the end of the present year the Canadian and Irish Postal Administrations will settle Money Order balances between themselves through accounts which will be prepared quarterly; and the conditions under which Money Orders business is to be carried on will be practically the same as those under which Money Orders are now exchanged between Canada and the other important self-governing Dominions, such as Australia, New Zealand and South Africa. There will be no change in the method of obtaining Money Orders that will effect the public in Canada, and the rates of commission will remain unchanged. The maximum amount of each Order shall be one hundred dollars when issued in Canada, and not to exceed forty pounds when issued in Ireland. The amounts of Money Orders drawn in Canada shall be expressed in dollars and in Ireland in sterling money. Orders are to remain payable in each country for twelve months after the expiration of the month of issue.

It is stipulated in the Convention that should it appear at any time that Money Orders are used by mercantile men or others in the Irish Free State, or in Canada, for the transmission of large sums of money the Free State Post Office or the Canadian Post Office, as the case may be, shall have power to suspend, wholly or in part, the issue of Money Orders. This provision is made to prevent remitters taking advantage of sudden changes in rates of exchange which might result in considerable loss to either Administration before the Money Order rates could be adjusted to meet heavy fluctuations.

THE SUDDEN KIND. Crop estimates, like invoices, are subject to change without notice.—Vancouver Province.

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LA TUQUE, QUE., HOCKEY FANS

Held Meeting This Week For Purpose Of Discussing Season's Plans

La Tuque, Sept. 7.—(Special Correspondence)—The scheduled meeting of hockey fans was held at the Community Club on Wednesday, 5th for the purpose of discussing the prospects of hockey for the coming season. The main discussion of the evening centered on the budget, but no decision could be come to owing to the fact that no definite information is on hand with regard to Senior Hockey. The Provincial League is a thing of the past as there are not three teams in prospect to form a League. Chicoutimi is seeking a meeting with La Tuque to discuss ways and means to play hockey, but the power town is so far away both from Quebec, and La Tuque that their inclusion in a League practically means a loss for visiting teams—unless some sort of pool of the gate money could be arranged. There might have been a St. Maurice Valley League this year but for the fact that Grand'Mere is not ready to put a team on the ice this year, but this project has not yet been fully discussed and may yet materialize. An executive committee was elected at the meeting to further the interests of the hockey enthusiasts and is composed of the following gentlemen: Messrs S. Brown, B. Bjornlund, W. Arnott, E. Belleau and G. Braithwaite.

It is to be hoped that La Tuque will see Senior Hockey again this year, as in the past the local team has always been a team to be reckoned with, and last year was a dangerous contender at all times. We are given to understand that the main objection to La Tuque by other towns is that we have no covered rink. This may be a drawback to visiting teams, but after all, if the game is played for the game's sake, such an objection should count for very little. The financial end is the main difficulty. With towns so far apart as Quebec, La Tuque and Chicoutimi, not to mention Three Rivers, who dropped out last season, the travelling expenses are no small item, and generous support has to be accorded the teams to make the League a success financially, but La Tuque has never been backward in its support of the local team.

We had no baseball or football this year, and it will be a pity if there is no senior hockey. It is to be hoped that the gentlemen selected as a Committee will be able to find ways and means to give us senior games and they may rest assured of the heartiest support of all La Tuque hockey fans in their efforts.

Tennis. A mixed doubles tournament will commence on the Community Club courts on Saturday the 8th.

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U.S. TEXT BOOK NOT GOOD FOR

Canadian Educational Work, Say Publishers To Canadian Manufacturers' Ass'n.

Montreal, Sept. 7.—At the initial meeting for the season of the executive of the Montreal branch of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association here today, considerable objection was raised by a member J. J. Harpell to the use of American text books in connection with Canadian educational work, though not employed in the regular curricula of schools and universities. They were, he claimed, being used to a considerable extent in certain parts of Canada. Mr. Harpell declared that these books were very misleading. They contained statements that the principal mineral production of the North American continent was chiefly centered in the United States, ignoring the great silver, gold and cobalt developments in northern and latter being Quebec, the former and latter being the greatest in the world. The Quebec mines produce about three quarters of the world's supply. They had little reference to the immense production of wheat in the Canadian Prairie Provinces. It was decided that the matter should be further considered during the coming season by the Canadian Manufacturers' Association Executive.

found time to put in practice during the week. Mr. J. Jamieson in a practice on Wednesday put 10 consecutive shots into the bull at 500 yards, which constitutes a record for consecutive bulls for La Tuque range. On Thursday A. La Tuque put up a 92 in practice—the best score over the range, 230, 500, 600 yards, this year. Competition between these two members should be keen. Mr. Jamieson is the present holder of the trophy. Mr. Carter is a past holder, so some fun is in store for the marksmen next Sunday.

In past years they have had a chance to pick the winner—this year, it is anybody's game—which makes it considerably more interesting for all concerned. If the present wonderful shooting weather keeps up, the scores should be high over the week-end.

Personals. Messrs. F. X. Lamontagne and Arthur Tremblay are at present in Quebec, as are also His Honor the Mayor and Dr. Bruno Bordeleau. They will act as La Tuque's delegation to the Government in connection with the Lake St. John-Quebec road.

Mr. J. N. Langelier who had been out of town for a few days, returned on Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Fred Wadielch of Windigo, is in town for a few days.

Miss Beatrice Plante has returned to Shawinigan where she is attending the Ursuline Convent.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Boudard and family are spending a few days in Three Rivers.

The Misses Gabrielle and Irma Deslisle of Quebec who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ant. Bellettemille for a few days, have returned home.

Mr. J. A. Cloutier of Shawinigan was a business visitor in town today.

THREE RIVERS ROTARY CLUB

Will Entertain Members Of Manufacturers' Ass'n. At Their Next Meeting

Three Rivers, Sept. 7.—(Special Correspondence)—At the next meeting of the Rotary Club, which will be held on Tuesday next, the Rotarians will have as their official guests the members of the Manufacturers' Association of Three Rivers. It was decided to hold this meeting on Tuesday next, and in order that all members might be able to attend, it was decided to have the dinner at 6 o'clock on the evening, instead of at noon as is the general custom. The manufacturers of the City will attend in a body. Their president Mr. G. E. Aird will speak on the importance of the industries to Three Rivers, and the developments that have taken place during the last few years, and what the future developments are likely to be. It is understood that Mr. Aird will be accompanied by another speaker. There was nothing special on the programme of the Rotarians at their dinner which was held yesterday. The time was taken up, drawing up a general programme for the weekly meetings to be held this fall and winter in order to have a speaker at each meeting, either a member of the club or an outside speaker. The membership committee hope to receive many new members now that the holiday season is over. The Rotarians had as guests Messrs. Laurent and Joseph Morency, of Quebec, Mr. J. Anderson of New York, and Mr. Xavier A. Deslisle of Lowell, Mass. Mr. Edwin R. Weeks, governor of district twenty-eight, to which the Three Rivers Rotary Club belongs will visit Three Rivers on September the 21st. It is very likely that the Ladies will be invited to attend this dinner.

The School Commissioners decided last evening to encourage as much as possible the teaching of music in the schools under their control. For this reason they granted the request of the musical director of the Lasalle Academy asking for a grant for the band of the pupils of the Academy, and the band composed of the old boys of the Academy. For several years in the habit of giving a grant to these bands. In 1917, they were given \$200; in 1918 they were granted \$400; in 1919, 1920 and 1921 this grant was increased to \$500. In 1922 as a measure of economy no grant was given. The Lasalle Academy asked for a grant of \$500 for this year; and requested that this sum be a permanent part of the budget of the School Commissioners. The Commissioners refused to make any promise for the future, and reduced this sum of \$500, to \$400, at the same time the Commissioners voted an annual sum of \$600, to the Lasalle Academy for the teaching of the rudiments of music in the schools under the direction of the Brothers. The Brother Director will choose the professor. In discussing the request of the Lasalle Academy for a grant, one of the Commissioners asked what conditions governed the grant of the City to the Union Musicale Band. It was explained to him that the City paid an annual salary of \$1,200 to the band master, and furnished the free use of a hall, and in return this band gives public concerts and is at the disposal of the City whenever required.

Three of the new Grinder Machines were given a trial today. Their performance was very satisfactory.

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Eight schooners arrived up this week with pulp wood.

DONNAQUONA NEWS ITEMS

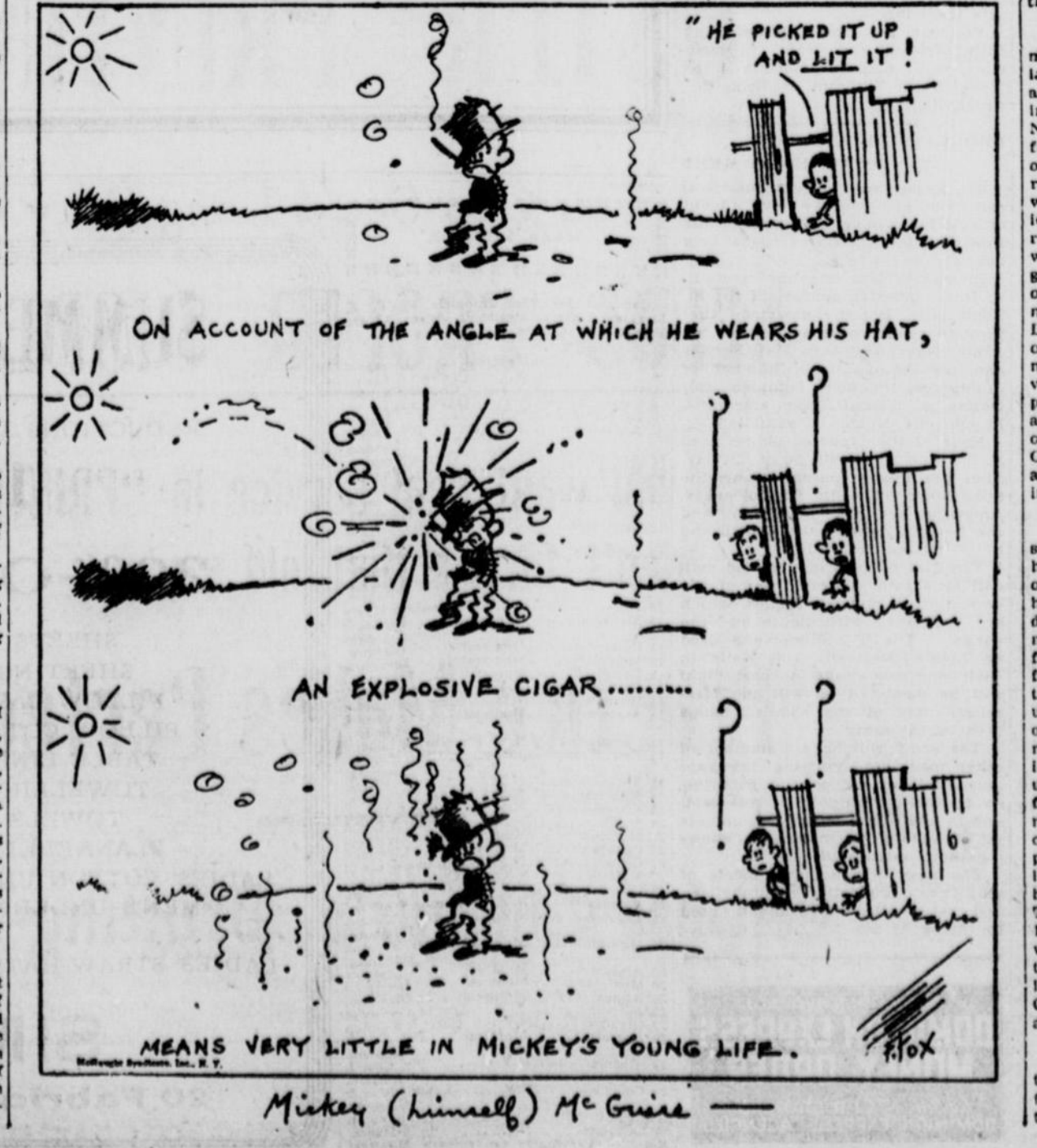
George Raymond Is Rapidly Recovering From Effects Of Accident

Donnacona, Sept. 7.—(Special Correspondence)—Geo. Raymond who was seriously injured about ten days ago by being run over by an auto, is now in a private hospital in Quebec, is rapidly recovering from his serious injuries. His parents hope to have him home soon. Concrete sidewalks have been constructed this summer from St. Agnes St. to Cote St. on the north and from River View Avenue to St. Agnes street on the South. Twelve thousand feet of 9 inch sewer pipe has been laid; Twelve thousand feet of 4 inch water pipe has been laid. The phone and light wires have been placed on separate poles. Tenders have been called for the construction of two semi-detached houses for the Donnacona Paper Co. More will be built in the near future. A dance will be held at the Donnacona Inn, Sept. 14th, dancing will commence at 9 p.m., refreshments will be served at midnight. The services of one of the best orchestras of Quebec has been secured for this occasion. Miss C. Moses of Quebec, is the guest of Mrs. H. McPeak. Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Hill and family spent labor day at River aux Pins. Cliff Thompson and J. A. Beauchemin were visitors at the Exhibition. H. McPeak, who broke a bone in his right arm is back at work. E. S. Root was in Three Rivers week. A Blair is visiting friends in Ottawa. Thos. Smith, manager of the Donnacona Inn was in town Tuesday. F. Cecil McDougall of Montreal, was a guest at the Inn this week. Mrs. L. O. N. MacPherson who has been appointed teacher in the English school has arrived to commence her duties. The following Montrealers have registered at the Inn, N. Manson, V. R. Beattie, Geo. Hanson, W. McGuire, A. H. Lytle. New Mill Notes. Mr. C. Clegg of Bury, England has arrived to install the new Paper Machine for the Wamsley Engineering Co., of England. Three of the new Grinder Machines were given a trial today. Their performance was very satisfactory. The erection of the steel roof trusses over the machine room will be completed this week. Eight schooners arrived up this week with pulp wood.

LAKE MEGANTIC SOCIAL NEWS

Reunion Of Old Settlers Held In Mr. D. Booth's Bungalow Tuesday

Lake Megantic, Sept. 7.—(Special Correspondence)—The youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. John S. Miller died on Monday, September 3rd at the age of 15 months. The funeral will be held at the Echo Vale Cemetery, and interment in the family burial place. Mr. Jos. Miller from Daquam, Que., is spending a few days with his brother Mr. J. S. Miller at his home in Agnes. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Boyle have moved into town from Spider Lake, and has taken a house on Second Avenue, from Mr. L. P. Villeneuve. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Boyle have moved into town from Spider Lake, and has taken a house on Second Avenue, from Mr. L. P. Villeneuve. Mr. A. J. Billing of New York, who is visiting his sister Mrs. James Patton went to Sherbrooke last week, but will return here again before leaving for home. Our Model School started on Wednesday, with a good attendance and a full staff of competent teachers as follows, Miss Irene M. Chadock of Ayres Cliff, Principal, who arrived here on Monday and is the guest of Mrs. Wm. Boyle on Second Avenue. Miss Muriel R. McKay, of Scotstown, Intermediate teacher, who is the guest of Mrs. John A. McLeod on Lake Avenue, and Miss Helen E. McLeod of Megantic, Primary Teacher. Rev. P. Callis, the Anglican Minister, was a visitor at the school on Wednesday morning. The new Parsonage of St. Barnabas Episcopal Church, will be ready for occupation next week, and is a well built up to date building fittingly decorated throughout and equipped with the latest improvements. Miss Christina McKenzie of Marsboro, was in Gould recently, visiting her uncle Mr. Allan McKenzie. Miss Maude McDonald also of Marsboro, was the guest of Mrs. Angus Matheson in Gould. Mrs. Wm. Budd from Isle Cadeux, is a visitor at present with her mother Mrs. J. R. Macdonald at Echo Vale, for a short time. Mr. and Mrs. Jones and his mother Mrs. L. Jones and his sister Miss Evelyn Jones, who left here last Friday by motor for their home in Waterbury, Conn., arrived there on Sunday. Mrs. Angus McIver accompanied by his sisters Marian and Hattie McIver, and Miss Annie McKay, of Lingwick, motored to Megantic recently, to visit relatives in this vicinity. The following items are from the fourth and fifth ranges of Ditchfield, near here. Mr. D. Booth Jr., sent out invitations to all the first settlers to attend a reunion at his new bungalow last Tuesday. The following were present: Mrs. W. R. Swan, Mrs. Ellis, Mrs. H. Rider, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. A. Veary, Mr. and Mrs. D. Booth, Mrs. W. Stewart, other members of their families were also present. The afternoon was spent in recalling old times. Tea was served with refreshments at 5 p.m., by Miss Lilly Rider, Miss Grace Rider and Miss Mabel Booth, and all spent a very pleasant time, and the meeting closed by singing, Auld Lang Syne. Mr. Booth, Jr., also invited the young people to a party last Thursday night and they all spent a very pleasant evening. Mr. Booth was presented with an address, some firewood and an automobile. Miss Smith of Montreal is spending a holiday with Miss Swan, at the old homestead. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Berridge and Mr. John Berridge motored from Montreal to spend a vacation with Mr. Thos. A. Veary. Mr. Chas. Fletcher and Mr. John Fletcher, who have been at home for haying, which they have finished, have returned to Spencer, Maine, they have a contract for cutting pulpwood. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hopley motored here from Montreal last Friday and will return next Monday, after visiting with Mrs. Sam. Veary, who will remain here for a few days and then return by train to Montreal. Haying is about finished, except a little in some places and is a good crop. Grain looks well everywhere but wants some warm weather to ripen it. Mr. Wm. Simpson arrived here from Montreal to spend a few days with his family at their Bungalow, and make arrangements for their return.



Four Americans from New York met with a rather painful accident last night when their automobile, after striking a telephone pole, fell into the ditch, on the side of the National Highway a short distance from here. Mr. George Gaines, one of the four tourists who was riding on the running board was wounded on the head but not seriously. The others Messrs. R. Corrigan, J. L. Dempsey and J. Riley were slightly cut and scratched by glass. The car, a large Hudson, of the latest and most powerful model was badly damaged, and the Legare garage was obliged to send out a car to bring it in, in order to make the necessary repairs. It was very dark when the accident happened, the road is in good condition, and is perfectly straight. The cause of the accident is not known. Mr. Gaines was treated shortly after the accident and this morning was feeling well again. The Commission of Historical sites, and monuments of Canada have erected a monument at the old Forges, a short distance from here, to commemorate the first industry in our country. This monument is square, and measures five feet across its base, and is twelve feet in height. Old stones from the ruins of the old furnaces were used to build the monument, these old furnaces were used to melt the mineral iron and steel for the building of stoves and many other iron utensils. This monument is in the form of a pyramid, it is situated near the public road, at the bottom of the hill, and is easily noticed by people passing by, who read the following inscription engraved on the brass plate: Forges of St. Maurice. These forges were established in 1730 by Poulain de Francheville, and were the principal industries under the French regime, and continued in operation until the year 1880. Commissioner of Historical sites and Monuments of Canada.

THETFORD MINES PERSONAL NOTES

Thetford Mines, Sept. 7.—(Special Correspondence)—Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Bradshaw returned to their home in Grenville after spending two months with their daughters Mrs. E. O. Bennett and Mrs. Thomas Johnston.

Miss Polly McCallum is visiting friends in Montreal.

Miss Clara Tyrrell has left for Granby, Que., where she intends teaching school for the coming season.

Miss Bertha Johnson of Montreal is visiting Mrs. E. O. Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Wilson of Sherbrooke spent a few days the guests of Mrs. J. F. Pharo.

Mr. S. J. Fitzgerald, President of the Sudbury Diamond Drilling Co., Sudbury, Ont., was in town on business.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Smith and family, have returned home after spending the summer months at their cottage at Trout Lake. Miss Rita and Miss Bertha Hamrick entertained a few of their friends on Monday evening. A very enjoyable evening was spent in cards and dancing.

Many infants are infested by worms which cause great suffering, and if not promptly dealt with may cause constitutional weaknesses difficult to remedy. Miller's Worm Powders will clear the stomach and bowels of worms and will so act upon the system that there will be no recurrence of the trouble. And not only this, but they will repair injuries to the organs that worms cause and restore them to soundness.

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### FOURTEEN MILLIONS LOST.

Canada's bill for damages sustained by reason of forest fires during the past five years averages \$14,500,000 annually. The number of forest fires averaged 5,770 a year and the causes of this shocking display of vandalism were nine times in ten human recklessness. Campers accounted for 24 per cent of all these fires; settlers burning slash started 22 per cent; lightning 10 per cent; and railways 26 per cent. The figure charged to railways is, however, an unfair index of responsibility. In the first place, practically all fires started, or said to be started, from railway lines are instantly reported. This is not true of campers and settlers and lightning fires. Again, the majority of railway fires, being quickly detected, are quickly put out so that as timber-destroyers the railway lines have fallen to a minor position.

The problem of land clearing fires started by settlers and running into the green timber is one of the most aggravated and complex. Settlers in newly developed districts must use fire to clean up the debris and naturally wish to choose hot and dangerous weather when burning conditions are best. This inevitably means that for the clearing of farms Canada has paid a tremendous forfeit in destroyed timber. Much has been done, however, to make the process of land clearing safe by issuing permits for burning and supervising the operation through officers of the Forest Services.

The Canadian Forestry Association has repeatedly pointed out that the wood-using industry of Canada accounts for a national income of 500 million dollars a year and cannot continue indefinitely unless every safeguard is thrown about the limited possessions of the Dominion.

### A NOTEWORTHY SUGGESTION

A noteworthy suggestion was made by Mr. Hughes, American Secretary of State, in addressing the Canadian Bar Association the other day; namely that a permanent body—of similar constitution to the present Joint Waterways Commission, one may presume—be appointed to which all questions arising between Canada and the United States should be referred for examination and report as to facts. Although Mr. Hughes was careful to explain that he spoke unofficially, it is reasonable to suppose that the opinions expressed were of a nature to commend themselves to the administration of which he is an important member and therefore in the nature of "feelers" likely to be seriously followed up, given any encouragement on this side of the boundary.

A body of this kind might do much good and certainly could do no harm although it is hard to see what it could accomplish in regard to such knotty points as a coal or pulpwood embargo, or a tariff war. These are things that unquestionably affect the interests and the good relations of the two countries, yet neither is likely to submit them to joint arbitration with any willingness. On the other hand a dispassionate report as to facts might help each country to better appreciate the position of the other and thereby to mitigate resentment where the interests of one or the other are indirectly prejudiced.

The Ottawa Journal makes the interesting comment that there is "another aspect of the situation." For more than three years, it points out, Canada has been considering the appointment of an Ambassador to Washington. It has been debated, discussed, and financially provided for; but the post has never been filled, and there is reason for believing that because of certain Imperial considerations—considerations that cannot be lightly flouted—it never will be filled. Why should not such a body as Mr. Hughes proposes take the place of an Ambassador? The Journal asks: Its functions would be largely those of an Ambassador; it would avoid objections to an ambassadorship as an impairment of Imperial diplomatic unity; it would remove possible causes of friction, within the Empire; and, because it would be a joint body, with equal representation from both countries—something which the plan for a Minister at Washington did not embrace—it would be much more effective in action.

### THE LEAGUE AT STAKE.

At the present moment the Council of the League of Nations appears to be divided between two counsels regarding the Graeco-Roman crisis. One school of thought would fain engineer some compromise settlement without raising the question of the jurisdiction of the League to act in differences of this kind while another, recognizing that the League is confronted with a decisive test, insists that the jurisdiction of that body must be recognized and accepted. Which course of action will be adopted, remains to be seen, but if the Council contents itself with compromise—and indications point that way—it is practically certain that the whole League of Nations machinery will fall apart, leaving civilization once more at the mercy of the Concert of Europe and the Balance of Power.

Anything short of positive assertion of its international authority by the League will go far towards precipitating another world war and even now, while the Council is temporizing the European States are lining up according to their several interests, in spite of the fact that all of them have subscribed to the Covenant of the League and are thereby bound to respect its rulings. Jugo-Slavia, which has Fiume as a bone of contention to pick with Italy, is aggressive in its championship of Greece and the other Balkan States have taken the same stand for similar reasons. France is torn between anxiety to preserve her dominance over the Little Entente in the Balkans and desire to separate Italy from Great Britain. She is credited with being prepared to promote a "saw-off" whereby Jugo-Slavia will wink at the occupation of Corfu in exchange for concessions at Fiume. Yet France is one of the leading members of the League of Nations. Great Britain has been warned that opposition to Italy's programme will lead to an estrangement, but appears to be firm in her support of the League notwithstanding, to the extent even of employing her fleet to secure the evacuation of Corfu if necessary. From all this it is fairly clear that unless some one backs down the possibilities of conflict are by no means remote.

Just how arbitrary is the Italian stand can be judged from the fact that the murders were committed on territory in dispute between Greece and Albania, the victims being engaged in delimiting a boundary between the two countries. Accordingly it is still unknown whether the assassins are Greeks or Albanians, let alone whether Greece or Albania is ter-

ritorially responsible. Athens, of course, has accepted responsibility, but since she is laying claim to the region of Janina, she could hardly do otherwise without automatically conceding it to Albania. A despatch to the Christian Science Monitor, moreover, credits Adams Furney, head of the British relief work in Corfu, with reporting that about a fortnight ago an Italian cruiser sounded the depths of the waters there and five days later Italian marine officers made charts and took photographs of the eastern part of the island. These events, occurring a week before General Tellini's assassination, are taken to mean that Mussolini has profited by events in Albania to advance his imperialistic policy in this occupation of a key to the Adriatic.

The Monitor, with every justice, observes that "Italy's action is a striking illustration of the distance the nations have travelled since 1918. Idealism was then triumphant. The universal readiness among the allied peoples to sacrifice ease and pleasure and life itself for the sake of a great cause had lifted them outside their normal self-centered routine. They believed that with victory a new era would begin, in which selfish diplomacy would disappear and the adjustment of international problems would be effected by the leading nations taking counsel together and acting from the standpoint of the general well-being of humanity. The ideals of the time were embodied in the League of Nations, which was in its essential nature a piece of machinery for enabling all nations to take counsel together, and which provided legal processes specially designed to prevent nations taking the law into their own hands, as Italy has just done, at least until some preliminary inquiry or investigation had taken place.

"Once the machinery of the peace treaties and the League of Nations was broken down it was inevitable that each nation should begin to act as it thought its own interest required, without much regard to its neighbors. There is no half-way house between running the world on the basis of the co-operation of all nations through some such machinery as that of the League of Nations, and running it as it was run before 1914, with wars and rumors of wars dotting history every few years."

W. D. Robb believes that the West has a great future. That's nothing; so does the West!

It is pleasant to turn from European discords to the better side of human nature disclosed in the world wide relief extended to Japan.

Mussolini may believe himself a "man of destiny," but so were Napoleon and Kaiser Bill. One ended at Elba and the other has reached his inglorious finish at Doorn.

Gossiping about impending Provincial bye-elections, the Montreal Gazette says that certain anonymous Liberals claim to be certain of winning in Richmond and Brome, but admit that Conservative chances are excellent in Yamaska and Abitibi. This may not be far from the truth as far as the other counties are concerned, but when they speak of Abitibi, a colonization district, turning against the Government in a bye-election, either the Gazette or the nameless Liberals are joking.

### A Verse Or Two

CHANGE.

To-day the seas are beating on the shore. The trees are crushed and wounded by the wind. Though yesterday the wave and breeze were kind. We cannot chain our joys, nor bar the door That holds our deep-loved treasures, for the more We strive to fetter beauty do we find Its loveliness is fleeting and assigned To change, which rules and is the conqueror.

Though turmoil may the deep sea's surface fret, Yet fathomless is its tranquillity. Creation's chant is not an echoed voice, Each note is breathed anew and must beget A constant variation, endlessly. Death heralds life, so may the earth rejoice.

—Marian Osborne, in The Canadian Bookman.

### Press Comment

WHY THEY ARE SILENT. (Toronto Globe.)

We notice that quite a few politicians and public officials talk these days of a policy of silence with regard to different happenings. All of which is equivalent to a confession that they do not know what to do.

PIE FOR THE EMPLOYERS. (Detroit News.)

The record of every coal strike since coal strikes became fashionable discloses that after each of these ceremonies, whether an increase in wages is granted or not, the operator cuts another large piece of pie for himself.

WE MUST HAVE SCHOOLS. (Calgary Herald.)

The Alberta public will be more or less patient regarding poor roads or other matters under Government jurisdiction, but not with a condition that leaves any considerable number of the children of this Province without the benefits of primary education.

A SOUND POLICY. (Johannesburg Times.)

The world needs trade recovery more than reparations. In any case there cannot be reparations without trade recovery, and a policy which aims at bleeding Germany to death and making her pay her debts at the same time is obviously impossible. South Africa's interests clearly lie in giving support to Great Britain's policy, which is sound, reasonable and practical.

WHO REALLY WANTS WAR? (Indianapolis News.)

Mr. Harding was right, and he rightly interpreted the feeling of our people, when he said: "We want none of war." Is there a sane man on earth who really wants war? The time is ripe for a great forward movement of civilization, for, as Mr. Harding said, "the reign of international law, with tribunals, instead of battlefields, as courts of last resort." Here is undoubtedly a Harding policy, and as such it will, of course, be recognized by President Coolidge.

WITHIN THE EMPIRE. (The Times.)

The zest of conflict with hardships and dangers which have peopled great spaces of the earth with the inhabitants of these islands, the pride in a common ancestry and traditions, and the sense of law-abiding citizenship characteristic of the race, are all strong bonds of union between its myriad thousands. Within the Empire there is food and work and room and wealth in plenty. It is for the Empire's merchants and manufacturers, no less than for its statesmen, to make them available for all.

## EUROPE FALLING INTO NEW WAR

### Says Anatole France, "First Gentleman Of Letters In Europe"

At the recent dedication of a monument to Jean Jaures, the French Socialist, assassinated by a fanatic Nationalist in 1914 because of his known pacifism, Albert Thomas, Director of the International Labor Office of the League of Nations, read a letter from Anatole France. The octogenarian member of the French Academy—the "Forty Immortals"—this celebrated ironist, historian, red radical, romancer and superb stylist, conceded on every hand to be the "First Gentleman of Letters in Europe," denounced the French Chamber of Deputies and declared that Europe is tottering stupidly into the abyss of a new war. His letter follows:

"As in 1914, we are again on the eve of war. All of the powers that govern France avow this, declare this.

"We were told when the horrors of our last massacre were so prolonged that 'this war will be the last.' They tell us today:

"Let us prepare for war. We shall have on in twenty years, in ten years, perhaps even earlier. We may have it immediately if we leave the Ruhr, which furnishes the German with ammunition."

"I do not know, I do not dare to say that this is impossible. But who is to blame? Have not our statesmen done all in their power to incur, to precipitate, this new war that they prophesy?"

"We have not labored for peace, I tell you, the bourgeoisie cannot, will not, does not know how to make peace.

"The war has never truly ended. You see for yourself that ever since the Armistice we have been at war. What act of hostility can you conceive more characteristic than the occupation of the Ruhr?"

"Our sophists try to convince us that this was an action necessary to save our credit. But do you not believe that a firm and pacific policy of mutual intercourse with a neighboring nation that possesses a larger population, a more highly developed industry, a more extensive commerce than our own, would have brought us more certain and abundant rewards than the armed seizure that is already proving so costly?"

"What have our people become? In what disgraceful slumber have we sunk?"

"We have even lost our sense of self-preservation and leave the conduct of our affairs in the hands of a Chamber of Deputies that hurries us to ruin. And it does this, not by brilliant errors, by aberrations of genius, but by ignorance and stupidity! Are we to leave our fate in its hands indefinitely?"

"Citizens, rouse yourselves; listen to the voice of Jaures. Five years before the war that great man said:

"I have faith in the possibility of a European Peace Congress: I have faith in the possibility of a rapprochement between France, England and Germany."

"Speaking at Lyons on July 25, 1914, on the very eve of the war, Jaures said:

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Putrefiable garbage, kitchen refuse, vegetable matter, etc., must be carted to the east side of 4th Avenue, between the 17th and 18th streets, Limolou. All parties are requested to comply with instructions given by the Guardian of dump.

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BIRTH. KELLEY—To Rev. A. R. and Mrs. Kelley, on Sept. 6, 1923, at 30 Aberdeen street, a daughter.

DIED. TRUDEL—At the Hotel Dieu of the Sacred Heart, on the 7th instant, at the age of 88 years, Mrs. Trudel, widow of the late Pierre Charles Trudel, Knight of the Pontifical Zouaves.

Auditorium. Week commencing Monday: A big programme for the opening of the season: Priscilla Dean in "THE FLAME OF LIFE" Also A Bog Programme of Vaudeville. Ordinary prices.

CITY OF LEVIS. ASSESSORS' OFFICE. Notice is hereby given that on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, the tenth (10th), eleventh (11th), and twelfth (12th) of September instant (1923), from 7.30 p.m. to 11 p.m. on each of the above days, at the City Hall, at Levis, the Board of Assessors will sit to hear and take into consideration the complaints against the assessment roll for 1923-24.

HIGH SCHOOL OF QUEBEC. 30 St. Denis Avenue. Reopen Monday, September 10th. Fees, Preliminary, \$2 per month 1st Form, 3 " " 2nd and 3rd Forms, 4 " " 4th and 5th Forms, 5 " " Twenty free scholarships. Apply Rector, High School of Quebec, between the hours of 9 and 11 Friday and Saturday, Sept. 7 and 8, or by Telephone 2927.

Exhibition Park (Today) Saturday Afternoon. Regular grand stand attractions. HORSE RACES. Special, Five-mile Race. Six entrants. Sunday, Sept. 9th. Celebration of Labor Day programme which was postponed.

PRICE BROTHERS & COMPANY Limited. DIVIDEND NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that a Dividend of one-half of one per cent has been declared payable upon the Capital Stock of the Company for the Quarter ending August 31st, 1923, payable October 1st, 1923, to Shareholders of Record on the 21st September, 1923.

WILL BUILD MUSEUM ON PLAINS OF ABRAHAM. The new provincial museum will be built on the Plains of Abraham, according to a statement made by Premier Taschereau yesterday, subject to the approval of the Battlefields Commission.

How Fat Actress Was Made Slim. Many maggy people now depend entirely upon Marmola Prescription Tablets for reducing and controlling fat. One clever actress tells that the reduced strictly and easily by using this new form of the famous Marmola Prescription, and now, by taking Marmola Prescription Tablets several times a year, keeps her weight just right without weakening diets, dangerous or absurd greases and salves.

Y.M.C.A. CAMP AT LAKE ST. JOSEPH. Camp Director L. H. Lambourne Submits Interesting Report On Season's Outing.

If you had been at the C. N. R. Station (Parent Square) on Wednesday August 15th, about 3.00 o'clock you would have seen a bunch of very Brown and Healthy looking boys, they were the boys just returning from two weeks camping at the Y.M.C.A. Camp at Lake St. Joseph.

The religious side of the camp life was not neglected, the Manhood of the Master being used as a study, the first Sunday we were at camp all the boys went to the Union Church where Rev. J. H. Barnes was the Preacher for the month of August.

Two prizes were offered for the best kept tent during the first week these were won by tent No. 3, J. J. Todd, Capt., and tent No. 4, H. Kell, Capt. The second week one prize was given, this was divided between tents 3 and 4. No. 5 giving them a hard run.

Quite a number of people visited the camp, and everyone said how well the boys kept their tents and how tidy the camp in general was. Mr. Williams did excellent work in keeping the stomachs of the boys full of good, wholesome food, as you know, the way to a Man's heart is through his stomach, what is true of the man is true of the Boy only more so.

OVERSEAS MAILS. British and Foreign Mails will be despatched as follows next week:—Mails containing letters only per SS. "America" via New York, closing at 9.00 p.m. on the 9th instant.

RETAIL MEN WILL WAIT ON HON. LAPONTE.

This Morning Regarding Interpretation Of Manufacturers' Tax Of Six Per Cent.

SMALL CONCERNS. Who Manufacture For Direct Sale To Consumer Should Not Qualify.

An important meeting is scheduled for this morning between a delegation representing the Retail Merchants' Association of the Province of Quebec, and Hon. Ernest Lapointe, Minister of Marine and Fisheries in the Federal Government, regarding the Manufacturers' Tax.

The delegation of retail men, which will be headed by Joe Savard, one of the Provincial Vice-Presidents, and President of the Quebec section, will meet the Minister at ten o'clock in his office, in the Post Office building, and for this session Mr. Mboise Lapointe, of Montreal, Secretary of the Provincial Board, is coming down to Quebec.

MELITA DOCKS WITH HEAVY LIST. 1,594 Passengers Arrived On Board Canadian Pacific Liner Last Evening.

Carrying 1,594 passengers the Canadian Pacific mono-class SS Melita, in command of Capt. E. Landy, from Antwerp and Southampton, arrived at Quebec at 5.40 o'clock last evening.

Among the prominent cabin passengers were Hon. Mr. Justice Hodgins, Mrs. Hodgins and Miss Hodgins, of Toronto; Major-General C. G. Harston, of Salcombe, England; Rev. C. Duncan, Brantford, Ont.; Major R. M. McConnell, Master and Miss McConnell, Montreal; Mr. A. G. Andrews, K.C., Winnipeg; Dr. E. Archibald and Mrs. Archibald, Montreal; Rev. U. R. Mulhorn, editor of the Lutheran Church Organ, Philadelphia, Pa.; Mr. A. Parker, manager of the Ottawa branch of the Bank of Montreal, accompanied by Mrs. Parker, and Mr. R. P. Saunders, Toronto.

BAPTIST CHURCH GRANDE ALLEE. Rev. F. H. Wentworth, Pastor 11 a.m. Subject: "The First Commandment." 3 p.m. Sunday School. 7 p.m. Subject: "The First Dispensation." Strangers Cordially Welcome.

THE EXHIBITION CLOSES TODAY.

Side-Shows And Booths Making Preparations For Get-away Yesterday.

Yesterday, despite the blustery winds and the promise of rain all day, there was quite a crowd that attended the Exhibition now under way at the Exhibition Grounds, and which will come to a close today.

The Exhibition closes today, with the races, etc., a five mile race, which is a feature of the closing day of the Exhibition, being on the bill.

CROP PROSPECT IN THIS PROVINCE. Better Than Average Yield Promised If Sun Does Its Duty.

The Quebec Bureau of Statistics gives us an idea of the crops in the various regions of the Province of Quebec, from the reports sent to it by the official agriculturists of the Government. Information will be found below, which show that on the whole the crop will be a good one, provided the sun comes out and completes the ripening of certain cereals, in the lower part of the Province.

District of Quebec—The harvesting of cereals has just begun which by all appearances will give a good crop; above Quebec as far as Three Rivers, and on the other side of the river as far as Nicolet this yield will be greater than the average.

District of Montreal—About 50 per cent of the crop has been gathered in the region, and the cereals promise an excellent yield. The potatoes are fairly abundant, and the late rains will contribute to make the yield still better.

Eastern Townships—The crops are but slightly advanced in this region but appearances are good with the exception perhaps of wheat and Indian corn. There are plenty of potatoes. Apples also promise a good crop. There are in Broms, Frost and rain have caused blight in oats in certain regions; the pastures are good. A frost on the 24th on the last month caused great damage in kitchen gardens. In the Eastern Townships, as elsewhere, the sun has much to do in the month of September, and is greatly hoped for by the whole population.

LONDON SCOTTISH DETACHMENT OFF ON MONTLAURIER.

War Heroes Spent Day In Quebec Before Sailing For Respective Homes.

NEVER FORGET VISIT. Commander Enthusiastic At Treatment Accorded Them While In Canada.

A detachment of the London Scottish Territorials, in command of Lt. Col. G. J. Hornsby-Wright, D.S.O., arrived in Quebec yesterday to embark upon the Canadian Pacific, 17,000 tons SS. Mont Laurier, which sailed last evening for Liverpool with 360 passengers, including 230 in the cabins.

On their arrival in Quebec, they were met by the Adjutant of the Royal 22nd Regiment, who presented the compliments of Col. Chasse, Commandant of the 22nd, and offered them the hospitality of the Regiment's mess on the Citadel.

The invitation was also extended to the 43 men of the London Scottish ranks on behalf of the Sergeant and men of the 22nd Regiment, with the result that the officers and the men spent the forenoon on the Citadel, where they were royally entertained.

Col. Hornsby-Wright and officers of the London Scottish Regiment, interviewed on board the Mont Laurier, before she sailed, said they would never forget the hospitality extended them during the time of their visit to Canada, and the hospitality of the people of Toronto.

Before the Mont Laurier sailed Col. Hornsby-Wright, officers and men of the London Scottish received a telegram from Col. Borden, Officer Commanding District Number 3 of Toronto, thanking them for their visit to Toronto not only in the name of the Militia Department and the Toronto Scottish Regiment but also in the name of the people of Toronto.

SITE IS CHOSEN FOR NEW HOTEL. Half Million Structure To Be Erected On Old Montcalm Market Site.

Plans have been prepared, and the actual construction of a half million dollar hotel on Montcalm market site has started as soon as definite arrangements have been made to transfer the land from the city of Quebec to the company which has been formed to erect the new hotel.

RETREAT FOR ANGLICAN. ENERGY OPENS MONDAY. The annual retreat for the clergy of the Anglican Diocese of Quebec opens on Monday next at Lennoxville, and it is expected that the priests from all over the diocese will attend.

Yours to Enjoy. "Thank God for Tea! What did the world do without it—how did it exist? I am glad I was not born before Tea." Thus wrote the brilliant Sydney Smith in the early days of the nineteenth century, and countless thousands have echoed his sentiments since.

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NAVAL OFFICERS ENTERTAINED. To Dinner Last Evening By Members Of The Garrison Club.

A complimentary dinner was tendered last evening by the members of the Quebec Garrison Club to the Admiral and officers of the British warships in port, which was presided over by Brig.-Gen. J. P. Landry, C.M.G., President of the Club, who had soaced on his right Admiral Sir Michael Seymour, Bt., K.C.B., M.V.O., Hon. L. A. Taschereau, Capt. James Kenneth Dewar, C.B.E., Col. T. J. Clarke, O.B.E., Flag Commander, the Hon. M. A. Cecil, Col. H. Chasse, D.S.O., M.C., and on his left Hih Honor Sir Charles Fitzpatrick, Com. E. Bruce Gardner, D.S.O., R.N., Sir Richard Turner, V.C., K.C.B., Com. C. E. Ganard, R.N., Sir William Price, Surgeon Com. S. Bradbury, M.B., D.P.H., Col. Canon Scott, C.M.G.

CHURCH NOTICE UNION SERVICES. Sunday, September 9, 1923. St. Andrews Presbyterian Church, 11 a.m. Preacher: Rev. T. B. McCorkindale. The Methodist Church, 7 p.m. Preacher: Rev. Dr. Farquharson. Strangers cordially welcomed.

# EHMKE OF BOSTON TWIRLED NO HIT NO RUN GAME

## CHARITY SHIELD MATCH TODAY

### C.N.R. And Shamrocks Clash This Afternoon In First Round Of Competition

Shamrocks and C. N. R. clash this afternoon in the re-play of the first round of the Competition Proper in the Charity Shield at 2:45 o'clock on the grounds of the Quebec Baseball Park, with Mr. A. Rudd handling the whistle, and a great game is in prospect.

These two teams met a couple of weeks ago, and the result was a 2-2 draw, the Junior Leaguers coming from behind on two occasions to equalize the score. Then the C. N. R. had only nine men in uniform, but particularly strong eleven on the field, and will spare no effort to win today's game, and thus qualify to meet the Empress of France next Thursday.

The Shamrocks, on the other hand, are fully determined to go through the first round successfully, and with colors flying, and then to clash with the seniors next week, and to that end will have their strongest and ablest outfit on hand for the game.

There should be something doing all the time, for both teams are anxious to win, and will spare no effort to do so.

The C. N. R. as follows:—Jordan, goal; Farnam and Arnold, backs; Pont, H. Warner and Taylor, half-backs; Theobald, Bolton, Morton, J. Roberts and Jones, forwards. Reserves, Prizze, Reid and Jacobson.

The Shamrocks will have their usual team in action.

## LEONARD PUT IT OVER MENDELSONN

### Lightweight Champion Outclassed Opponent In Eight Round Bout

Philadelphia, Sept. 7.—Benny Leonard, lightweight champion, tonight received the newspaper decision in an eight round encounter with Johnny Mendelsonn of Milwaukee. Leonard, with seven of the rounds, the fifth being called even. From beginning to end Leonard outclassed his opponent, who, game to the end, was able to land on the champion but rarely and never had Leonard's weight was announced at 138 1/2. Mendelsonn's at 138. The bout was fast and interesting in every round.

Joe Lynch, bantam weight champion, knocked out Eddie Siegel, Brooklyn in the third round. Siegel substituted for Young Montreal, George Chaney, Baltimore, knocked out George Russell, Philadelphia in the second round.

Joe Tiptitz, Philadelphia, won from Andy "Kid" Chaney, Baltimore in the opinion of sports writers, while Jack Burke, Pittsburgh, had the better of Dan O'Dowd, Boston. Both were eight round bouts.

## SENIOR GOLFING TITLE TO LYON

### Lambton Player Retained The Championship And Shaughnessy Cup Yesterday

Montreal, Sept. 7.—(By Can. Press) George S. Lyon, Lambton, retained the championship of the Canadian senior golf association today when he completed the two rounds of 18 holes each in the tournament at the Royal Montreal Golf Club course at Dixie in the fine score of 74, 73, 147. He retains possession of the Shaughnessy cup which goes with the championship. The runner up was G. T. Brown of London, who turned in a gross score of 181.

The Baker Cup a trophy eagerly played for by Class C members of the Association went to E. A. Bernard of the Royal Montreal, with a gross score of 174.

The most noteworthy event of the day's playing, however, was the capture by the Canadian team of the Devonshire trophy from the United States seniors by the respectable margin of 3 points, 18 to 15.

The tournament will be concluded tomorrow when the first individual championship contest of the senior golf association will take place. The contest will be over 36 holes, a medal play and is only open to players with handicaps of 10 or under.

The prize is a cup donated recently by the United States seniors for annual competition among Canadians and themselves.

Quebec scores:—(Class A.) Sir George Garneau, Quebec, 96, 195, 181.

W. A. Homs, Quebec, 100, 196, 162.

## ANOTHER NO HIT NO RUN GAME

### Ehmke Of Boston Held Philadelphia Hitless And Runless—One Man Reached First

Philadelphia, Sept. 7.—Howard Ehmke of the Boston Red Sox received credit for the second no-hit, no-run game pitched in this city during the week when he shut-out the Athletics today 4 to 0.

The game was similar to the performance of Sam Jones of the Yankees last Tuesday in that one man walked and one reached first on an error.

## AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Boston, 4; Philadelphia, 0.
Detroit, 11; Cleveland, 9.
St. Louis, 2; Chicago, 7.
Only games scheduled.

## NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Cincinnati, 1; St. Louis, 5.
Philadelphia, 10; New York, 6.
Brooklyn, 3; Boston, 11.
Chicago, 6; Pittsburgh, 4.

## INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE.

Reading, 7; Jersey City, 6.
Buffalo, 6; Toronto, 7.
Baltimore, 9; Newark, 5.
Rocheater, 6; Syracuse, 1.

## ARAB FEDERATION TO BE DISCUSSED

Jerusalem, Sept. 7.—The proposed federation of Arab states will be discussed at a conference of the Arab rulers to be held at Amman, the capital of Transjordan, in October, it is announced.

Among the potentates who will attend are King Hussein of the Hedjaz, King Feisal of Mesopotamia, the Emir Abdullah of Transjordan, and the Emir Zeid, Prince Lutfallah, Hussein's representative in Europe, will also be invited.

## SIX QUEBEC LADIES WILL BE

### In Qualifying Round Of Canadian Ladies' Closed Golf Championship Match

Montreal, Sept. 7.—(By Canadian Press)—The draw for the qualifying round of the Canadian Ladies' Closed Golf championship to be played over the Dixie course of the Montreal Golf Club on Monday was made today. The match will be eighteen holes a medal play; the draw for Quebec Eastern Ladies follows:—Mrs. H. C. Foy, Quebec, 12; Mrs. A. S. Strachan, Kanawaki, 12; Mrs. F. Handsomebody, Quebec, 15; Mrs. M. K. Rowe, Toronto, 15; Mrs. C. N. de R. Pinnis, Quebec, 28; Mrs. D. McLennan, Royal Montreal, 22; Mrs. A. R. M. Boulton, Quebec, 26; Miss Dorothy Dwyer, Whitlock, 23; Miss Beazy Sharples, Quebec, 34; Miss Edith Johnson, Royal Montreal, 23; Miss Phyllis Bursall, Quebec, 34; Miss L. E. Shell, Lakeview, 36.

## TENNIS SEMI-FINALS POSTPONED

### Downpour Of Rain In Montreal Forced Contestants To Abandon Play

Montreal, Sept. 7.—Play in the semi-finals of the Montreal Cup tennis series, emblematic of the singles championship of the Province of Quebec Lawn Tennis Association was postponed today on account of a downpour of rain which made further play impossible. For a time an attempt was made to go through, but the second set was played under such a heavy rain that play had to be abandoned afterwards.

In today's play C. W. Aikman gave Wilgard F. Crocker, Provincial champion a hard battle in the two sets before the match was called.

Aikman took the first set, 13-11 and Crocker took the second 6-4. Aikman won the first four games of the first set after which the play sea-sawed to the finish. Aikman got away with the first two games in the second set also, the set again being nip and tuck.

E. H. Laframboise the cup holder won the first set of his semi-final with A. S. Cassels, 7-5.

## HUSKIE II. WON SECOND ROUND

### Of Contest For Richardson Cup On Lake Ontario—Had Generous Lead

Toronto, Sept. 7.—Huskie II., of Watertown, N.Y., champion of Lake Ontario, won the second round of the contest for the Richardson Cup, leading Ariel, of Chicago, and Mebleh of Buffalo by a generous quarter of a mile. At the finish Mebleh and Ariel were buffing down the course to the home buoy. Mebleh finished second by inches.

Immediately after the finish of the second round, the third and final race was started. The score now stands one for Ariel of Chicago and one for Huskie.

## OWNER OF TRIOS LODGES PROTEST

### Bettez Claims Three Rivers Team Should Lead Second Half Schedule

Three Rivers, Que., Sept. 7.—Claiming that Empires Bardier and Allaire in order to protect their life and evade the wrath of the crowd had to give decisions in favor of the Quebec team on August 30th, during a double-header played in that city, Mr. Arthur Bettez, owner of the Three Rivers Baseball Club, has given out today for publication an official protest with Jos. Page, president of the Eastern Canadian Baseball League.

The president of the League was also requested to cancel a double-header played in Montreal on August 26 between the Royals and Three Rivers because they were exhibition games.

The protest made it plain that the Three Rivers team should be the leader of the second series and be therefore entitled to play off the post series with Canadians.

George Beaugrand, notary from Montreal, made out the protest which is a lengthy document of three pages.

The protest was turned down late last night. Bettez claims that he has not been given fair play by the League officials.

The two umpires having entered suite before the courts against well-known people who attacked them in Quebec, the affair will be heard again later.

## DERBY WINNER'S OWN BEVERAGE

### Will Accompany Him On Trip To U.S. To Race American Thoroughbreds

London, Sep. 17.—Ben Irish's Derby winner Papyrus will take his own drinking water to the United States with him on his forthcoming trip to meet the best three-year-old in the U. S. in a match race at Belmont Park. This decision was reached after an analysis of a sample of water brought from Belmont Park. The veterinary surgeons decided that, while it was of exceptional purity it was sufficiently different from the water at Newmarket to make it advisable to provide Papyrus with a suitable supply of the latter. Consequently several tanks of his usual beverage will be shipped with the thoroughbred.

New York, Sept. 7.—Several of the leading three-year-old candidates for the honor of representing the United States thoroughbreds in the proposed international race with the English Derby winner, Papyrus, will undergo an official try-out tomorrow in the historic Lawrence Realization of the feature race at Belmont Park.

Leading the list of five entries is Zev, star of the Ranocosa stables, acknowledged three-year-old champion until he went lame recently. Zev, however, apparently has recovered the form that carried it to victory in the Kentucky Derby and will go to the post a heavy favorite. The Greenreeds Stables' pair, Rialto and Untidy, are expected to give Zev keen opposition.

The result of the Lawrence Realization, together with the National Trial Sweepstakes, Sept. 15, will nominate the horse which is to meet Papyrus.

## CANADIAN CHAMPIONSHIPS

### Over One Hundred Entries For Amateur Events To Take Place At Halifax

Halifax, N.S., Sept. 7.—Over one hundred entries have been received for the annual track and field athletic events for the Amateur Championships of Canada to be held at the Wanderers Grounds here on Saturday, Sept. 15. Included in the number are some of the best athletes of North America. They include Cecil Coaffern, North End Athletic Association, Winnipeg, joint holder of the world's record in the hundred yard dash. Hector Phillips, now of Detroit, who represented Canada in the last Olympic games is entered for the long dashes; New York will be represented by Edward Eames, crack jumper of the New York Athletic Club.

## NO DECISION YET IN WILLS CASE

### Rickard Stands To Lose \$50,000 If Dempsey-Firpo Bout Called Off

New York, Sept. 7.—Supreme Court Justice Hagarty late today reserved decision in the action brought by Harry Wills, negro heavyweight contender, seeking an injunction against the Firpo-Dempsey fight at the Polo Grounds, Sept. 14. Wills claims a prior right to let Dempsey fight the heavyweight title.

Attorney William Klein, representing Wills, declared that the state Boxing Commission has acted in a "tyrannical manner" and had not given Wills a fair opportunity to meet Dempsey.

Representatives of the Commission stated that no complaint alleging injustice had been lodged before them by Wills.

Counsel for Promoter Tex Rickard declared that he had spent \$20,000 in preparation for the bout between Dempsey and Firpo and that if the fight did not take place he would lose \$60,000.

Years hence, perhaps, may dawn an age, more fortunate, alas! than we which without hardness will be And gay without frivolity. —Matthew Arnold.

## ROGERS WANTS CONSERVATIVE CONVENTION

### To Rally Conservatives To Service Of Country Now Sorely Harassed

Tax Dangers Defeat Of 1921 Was Due To Unbolting Of Conservative Doors To Enemy

Montreal, Sept. 7.—In a statement issued here today, Hon. Robert Rogers of Winnipeg, strongly urges that a National Conservative Convention should be held as quickly as possible. He declares that never in the history of Canada was there such a clear call for Conservatives to rally to the service of their country as now and that call can, he claims, be only effectively answered through such a convention with representatives from all the provinces of Canada. The big question to be decided is how best to answer the country's call in a way that will save Canada, "from that overwhelming danger of taxation so burdensome that it threatens the very existence of seventy-five per cent of the homes in our country."

The defeat of 1921 was, Mr. Rogers asserts, not the defeat of the Conservative party but of a party that resulted, "when Conservative doors were unbolted to let in the enemy."

He urges the embodiment of policies in a platform that "will not be a chart, but a bond which the Conservative Party will honor in spirit and to the last letter of the word."

## MORE BOXERS IN FIRPO CAMP

### John Lester Johnson And Young Bob Fitzsimmons With Argentine Now

Atlantic City, N.J., Sept. 7.—Luis A. Firpo welcomed two new sparring partners to his camp today.

There were seven rounds of lively sparring in the Dog Park before several hundred persons. John Lester Johnson, a New York negro who broke three of Jack Dempsey's ribs some years ago, when Jack then "just a fighter" made his first bow in New York in the first six-up with Luis. John Lester made the South American step around some. John Lester found the Argentinian's jaw with some stinging lefts and some rights and took one hard in the ribs that hurt him.

Young Bob Fitzsimmons, browned and in excellent physical condition at 185 pounds was next with Firpo. They sparred two rounds. Bob was hard to hit but was hit. Firpo was hit too, but not enough to bother him. Joe McCann boxed two rounds and the session ended in a round with Frank Koebler. Altogether it was the fastest sparring period the Argentinian has had.

## DERBY WINNER'S OWN BEVERAGE

### Will Accompany Him On Trip To U.S. To Race American Thoroughbreds

London, Sep. 17.—Ben Irish's Derby winner Papyrus will take his own drinking water to the United States with him on his forthcoming trip to meet the best three-year-old in the U. S. in a match race at Belmont Park. This decision was reached after an analysis of a sample of water brought from Belmont Park. The veterinary surgeons decided that, while it was of exceptional purity it was sufficiently different from the water at Newmarket to make it advisable to provide Papyrus with a suitable supply of the latter. Consequently several tanks of his usual beverage will be shipped with the thoroughbred.

New York, Sept. 7.—Several of the leading three-year-old candidates for the honor of representing the United States thoroughbreds in the proposed international race with the English Derby winner, Papyrus, will undergo an official try-out tomorrow in the historic Lawrence Realization of the feature race at Belmont Park.

Leading the list of five entries is Zev, star of the Ranocosa stables, acknowledged three-year-old champion until he went lame recently. Zev, however, apparently has recovered the form that carried it to victory in the Kentucky Derby and will go to the post a heavy favorite. The Greenreeds Stables' pair, Rialto and Untidy, are expected to give Zev keen opposition.

The result of the Lawrence Realization, together with the National Trial Sweepstakes, Sept. 15, will nominate the horse which is to meet Papyrus.

## A. D. SHIBLEY RESIGNED POST

### Of Secretary Of Canadian Union Of Municipalities—His Reasons For Doing So

Montreal, Sept. 7.—A. D. Shibley, Secretary-Treasurer of the Union of Canadian Municipalities, has resigned that office. The following statement has been issued here tonight by Mr. Shibley in an interview with the Canadian Press:—

"The reason of my action was the repudiation by the convention of an agreement entered into by the President and myself in respect of the official paper of the Union. This agreement was expressly authorized by last year's Winnipeg convention. The resolution repudiating it was put through in the closing hours of the recent Shawinigan meeting by a group of only nine delegates. I strongly opposed this group all through the convention and nobody was more surprised than myself when I was unanimously re-elected as Secretary-Treasurer. I neither sought nor desired the honor under the circumstances I have mentioned. Hence my resignation."

## GOLF AND HARVESTING

One of the western harvesters has taken his golf club with him and hopes he can find some courses. Let him make his own links. There is plenty of room.—Toronto Globe.

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### UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA

Will Hold Three Conferences To Discuss Large Issues Of Union

Toronto, Sept. 7.—Three conferences of the United Church of Canada have been arranged for at Regina, Moose Jaw and Saskatoon, toward the end of October. The committee has requested the Central Union Committee to supply speakers to bring before these conferences the large issues of the union question. Subsequent meetings will be held at twelve other points in the province, namely Arco, Yorkton, Kamack, Swift Current, Battleford, Wilkie, Mooseomin, Balcarres, Weyburn, Assiniboia, Prince Albert and Rosetown.

Joint sessions of the district meetings and presbyteries are also being provided for early in the autumn to be followed by a general exchange of pulpits.

Rev. E. Endicott, Superintendent of the Methodist Home Missions in Saskatchewan, has been appointed Chairman of the Joint Committee and Rev. Prof. D. S. Dix, of the Presbyterian College, was appointed Secretary. The committee is composed of thirteen Methodists, three Union Church and fifteen Presbyterians. Rev. Dr. Peter Strang, the veteran Superintendent of Presbyterian Home Missions in the Province, was appointed a member of the committee.

### OFFICERS SAVED THE PAY ROLL

Of Montreal Firm From Alleged Hold-Up Men, Who Had Stolen Motor Car

Montreal, Sept. 7.—Between four and five thousand dollars, the payroll of Jenkins Bros., Ltd., valve manufacturers, of this city, was saved from the clutches of four alleged hold-up men here this afternoon when detectives acting on information received from J. H. Webb, manager of the company, arrested the men before they could either resist or escape. The officers kept a close watch on the Molsons Bank branch, where the money for the payroll was to be got. Seeing a large motor car with four men in it getting gradually closer to the two employees carrying the handbag containing the pay money, the detectives suddenly jumped from their car and covered the four men with their revolvers. A search of their car revealed two revolvers. The car was also later found to have been stolen. The men, who will be charged with attempted highway robbery and theft of the car, gave their names as Ferdinand Brisebois, 25; Arthur Francis Rose, 24; A. Lachapelle, 23; and Angelo Cosimo, 25, all of this city.

### "TAPERING OFF" PROCESS NOW ON

Dempsey Boxed Six Fast Rounds With Light Sparring Partners For Speed

Saratoga Springs, N.Y., Sept. 7.—The tapering off process in Jack Dempsey's training grind started today when the world's heavyweight champion boxed six fast rounds with light sparring partners to develop speed and sharpen his judgment of distance.

The champion appeared to be drawn to razor-edge physical perfection, working with all of the dash and speed of a lightweight. When he finished with his sparring partners Dempsey's breathing was normal.

The champion displayed his speed most impressively while engaging Alex Tranditis, a Portland, Oregon middleweight, and Billy Defoe, a featherweight of St. Paul, Defoe, lashing out with lightning lefts every angle but lightning blows from Dempsey at top speed, but found it difficult to land a glove on the champion.

Tranditis ripped into Dempsey from the start, shooting blows from every angle but Dempsey stopped most of them with his gloves or forearms. The champion held his punches in check while boxing Tranditis and Defoe but Ray Newman, the New Jersey light-heavyweight, received a severe pummeling.

The champion favored his left hand in his bag punching, shadow boxing and work with the gloves, indicating to the experts that he expects this weapon to be his most dangerous against Firpo.

### STUDENTS ARE FED, HOUSED AND TAUGHT BY "Y" IN SOFIA

Sofia, Bulgaria, Sept. 7.—The Y. M. C. A. has announced a new course in house-building, electrical engineering and agriculture, to be opened in October for Russian and Bulgarian refugees, of whom there are many thousands in Sofia. In addition to free instruction, the school provides free lodging and board.

In connection with the same organization, many hundreds of students in Sofia and in other parts of Bulgaria have been receiving for the past two years material aid in the form of board, lodging and funds, for the continuance of their academic work, which they had no resources to carry out.

The only fee charged at the school here is the nominal one of 1,000 leva, equivalent to ten dollars, toward the upkeep of the equipment of the institution.

### ONTARIO BLUE SKY LAW IS DEAD LETTER

Toronto, Sept. 7.—That the act relating to the sale of securities, known as the "Blue Sky Law," passed at the last session of the Ontario Legislature will not be brought into effect, was the statement made by Premier Ferguson today.

"We can improve upon the present Companies Act," he added, and "that will be done at the next session of the House."

The failure of the Sale of Securities Act was the appointment of a Commissioner of Securities whose duty it would be to be on the alert for fake stock flotations.

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## MORE GAMES IN TENNIS TOURNAMENT

### Nine Matches Played In Quebec Lawn Tennis Club Tournament Yesterday

Nine matches were played in the Quebec Lawn Tennis Club tournament yesterday, four of them being in the Men's Doubles, three in the Mixed Doubles and one each in the Ladies' and Men's Intermediate Singles.

Eight of the contests were won in straight sets, the only match requiring the third set being in the Men's Doubles when Foy and Hudson after losing the first set to Colley and Love, came back strong and captured the following two sets by scores of 6-1.

The following are the results:

Mixed Doubles.  
Dr. Devarennes and Dr. Devarennes defeated Miss Donohue and G. Hudson 6-3, 6-2.

Mrs. Turcot and J. des R. Teester defeated Miss Lafferty and G. Valierand 6-1, 6-4.

Miss J. Bailhargoon and J. Remillard defeated Miss T. Pelletier and C. Pages 6-2, 7-5.

## Men's Intermediate Singles.

G. Donohue defeated P. Delage 6-4, 6-2.

H. C. Foy and G. Hudson defeated G. Colley and G. Love 5-7, 6-1, 6-1.

Dr. Labrecque and H. Coulobme defeated G. Lavioie and J. des R. Teester 7-5, 6-4.

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R. Hoviver and C. Tachereau defeated H. Coulobme and G. Valierand 6-4, 9-7.

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## THE DRAW FOR TODAY:

11:00 A.M.  
Court No. 2.—Miss J. Tachereau vs. Miss K. Coote.

2:00 P.M.  
Court No. 2.—Colley vs. Lavoie.  
Court No. 3.—Mrs. Turcot and Teester vs. Miss J. Bailhargoon and G. Pages.

4:00 P.M.  
Court No. 4.—Brunet and Love vs. Murphy and Labrecque.

5:00 P.M.  
Court No. 2.—Montminy vs. Coulobme.

4:00 P.M.  
Court No. 2.—Devlin vs. Boisvert.  
Court No. 3.—Miss Tachereau and Murphy vs. Mrs. Beaupre and Lavoie.

4:15 P.M.  
Court No. 4.—Labrecque vs. C. Pages.

5:00 P.M.  
Court No. 1.—Miss Dupre and Miss Donohue vs. Mrs. Carter and Miss Boulanger.

## ADVANCE SALE

New York, Sept. 7.—The advance sale of tickets for the Firpo-Dempsey championship fight at the Polo Grounds next Friday night has amounted to approximately \$800,000 so far. Tex Rickard revealed today, The promoter declared it exceeded the advance sale for any previous title match he has promoted, including the Dempsey-Carpenter fight which established a record "gate" of \$1,600,000 two years ago.

## WELCOME TO OUR READERS.

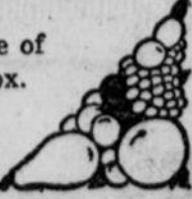
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## TURKEY'S PRESENT PLIGHT; PROBLEMS OF THE FUTURE

If it is a merit in a conversational topic that it should be an occasional one, the subject of Turkey is an inexhaustible and unanswerable of supreme local interest, and also of international importance, we in Constantinople are highly favored in the European clubs of Pera, in the Turkish newspaper offices of Istanbul, on the tennis courts, or anywhere else that men are brought together by business interests or social intercourse, the one outstanding topic to which sooner or later the conversation always comes round is: What are the Turks going to do with their newly won independence? The beauty of the topic is that it cuts across all classes and nationalities with a fine impartiality. You meet optimistic and pessimistic Turks, just as you meet optimistic or pessimistic Britons and Frenchmen and Americans and Greeks. One business man will tell you that he is selling up and leaving for ever a country that is bound to go rapidly to the dogs; another man of equal judgment and experience will declare that the openings were never so many or so favourable as they are to-day if only the Turk is given a moment to recover from the intoxication of his political triumph and is treated in a sympathetic manner.

That there is an immense amount of useful work to be done in Turkey is universally admitted. Ten years of almost continuous war have terribly impoverished the country, and the whole place wears a shabby, gimcrack air. Constantinople is still the ideal subject for the manufacturer of coloured picture postcards. Its skies and waters are still as blue as ever; its minarets gleam as white as ever in the summer sun; there are still the same wonderful tints at sundown when the shadows fall across the sea and the shipping, the arid countryside and the scattered coasts, and the first lights begin to twinkle in houses half-hidden amid the summer foliage. But the enchantment vanishes with too close an inspection. The houses and palaces that looked so picturesque and imposing from across the Straits often have gaping wounds in their wooden sides; a door-handle or a marble step is missing here, a couple of window-panes are wanting there, and everywhere there is work for the painter. These can hardly be consecutive yards of pavement in all Constantinople without a hole large enough in which to put your foot and twist your ankle. The roads are even worse, and must bring in a steady revenue to those whose trade it is to repair the cut tires and broken springs of motor-cars. Open or ill-concealed sewers hint strongly of a vast and sturdy population of drain rats battering a few feet beneath the rugged cobblestones. It is not an unknown thing for Europeans inhabiting houses of a certain age to keep the legs of their beds standing permanently in tins of some disinfectant.

Few Counter-Attractions  
One would not, perhaps, object so much to these inconveniences if the city had counter-balancing attractions to offer. The permanent residents, of course, have their stock amusements such as elsewhere. There is plenty of tennis, and, so long as the forces of occupation remain, of cricket. There is golf of a sort; plenty of bathing, and above all, any amount of sea-fishing and boating. But for the casual visitor Constantinople is very quickly exhausted. When once he has seen a dozen or so mosques, has been to the military museum, and has impatiently rushed through the Bazaar, there is nothing further for him to do. To get to know all the old crannies and architectural relics needs much more time than is at his disposal. There is not a single really attractive open-air garden where he can lounge in the afternoon or evening and listen to good music. Opera is almost unheard of here; such European theatrical performances as are given are of quite second-rate quality; the cinemas are for the most part feeble in the extreme. For a city which has

small hope of progress in this country. The considerations set out above are admittedly those of the professional optimist, and are challenged almost in their entirety by the pessimists, but when one reflects that only a few months ago it was almost impossible to find anyone who confessed to even the faintest hopes for the future of Turkey it is pretty clear that the situation was not as bleak as some disgruntled merchants have painted it, and that it may still be possible for Turkey to satisfy her natural desire to take a hand at least in her own development and also at the same time to provide a remunerative field for foreign enterprise.

SHOULDER STOOP  
CAUSES OLD AGE.  
SAYS PHYSICIAN  
Portsmouth, Sept. 7.—Dr. Peter MacDonald started the British Medical Association conference here by stating that a stoop of the shoulders causes old age—a direct inversion of the popular theory. He said that by following the advice of a layman he threw a score of years from his shoulders. "I was feeling old and decrepit," explained Dr. MacDonald, "when I picked up a book, published by this layman, from a bookstall. I was then a prematurely aged man. "I was the author, and he told me that I was old simply because I stooped. Under the treatment he laid down I threw off my stoop, and in a few weeks I became a different man." Dr. MacDonald is an upright spruce-looking man, with an eyeglass and when he stretched himself to his full height and carefully adjusted his monocle he looked barely

Our portrait is of Mr. MICHAEL T. ROONEY, of 85, Granville Avenue, Long Eaton, England, who writes:—  
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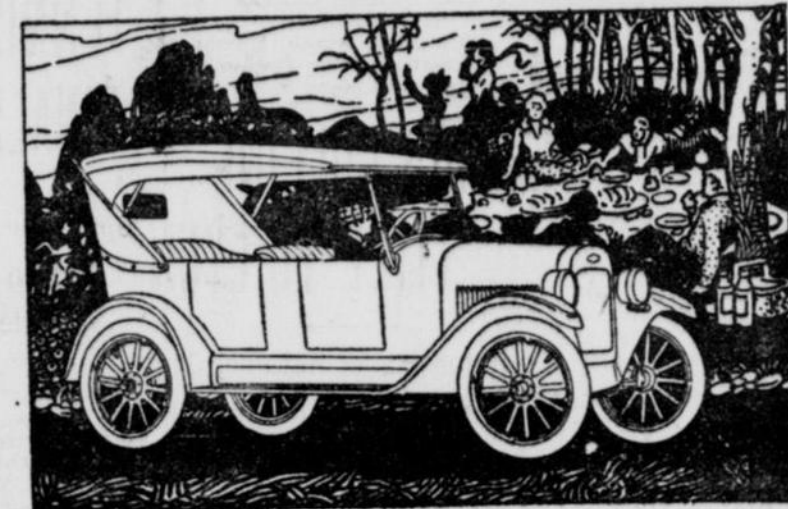
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thirty years of age. "We doctors," he said, "are too prejudiced against laymen who make a study of a certain subject, and often learn more than we do, despite all our knowledge of medicine and surgery. "We have accepted the idea that the stoop of the shoulders and the bend of the neck are inevitably linked up with old age. "I know it will sound unorthodox to you to suggest that old age is brought on by this stoop of the

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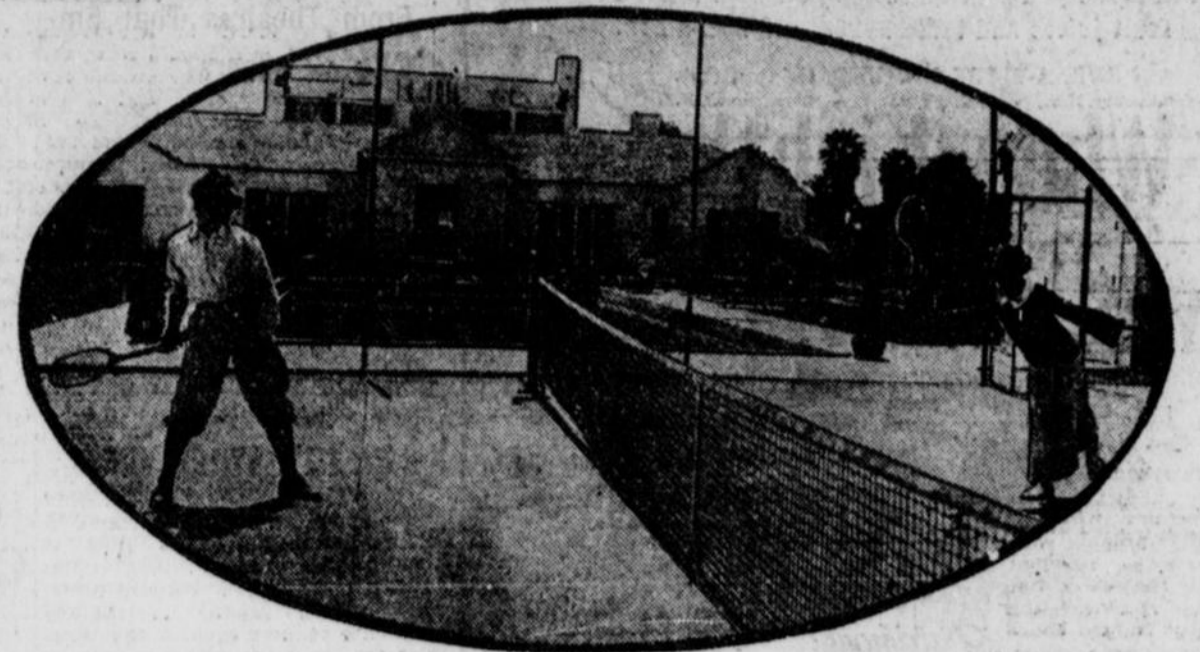
# Horned Kaffir; No More Waiting at Alter; Pre-Historic Cyclist



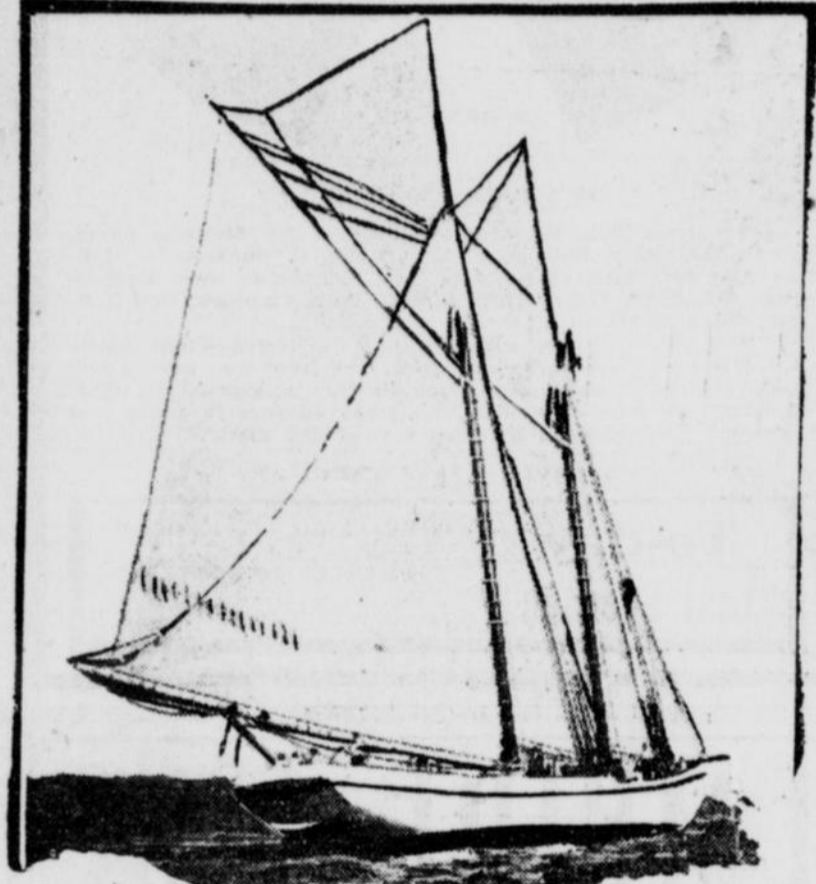
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Orphans and crippled children from institutions in Los Angeles shouted with glee when they were entertained by a party of Indians in full native regalia.



Priscilla Dean, screen star, shows friend husband how to play tennis at their new home in Beverley Hills.



The photograph shows the schooner Henry Ford, which was the favorite in the fishermen's race off Gloucester recently.



This horned kaffir is well known in South Africa. The horn develops from quite a tiny growth in boyhood, until early youth, when it assumes its present gruesome proportions.



Circular coats have won the favor of many women. This one not only shows the circular bottom, but also the latest in flowing sleeves.



This is all that is left of a miners' bar-room in Alaska. It is an effigy, designed by nature, of the late John Barleycorn.



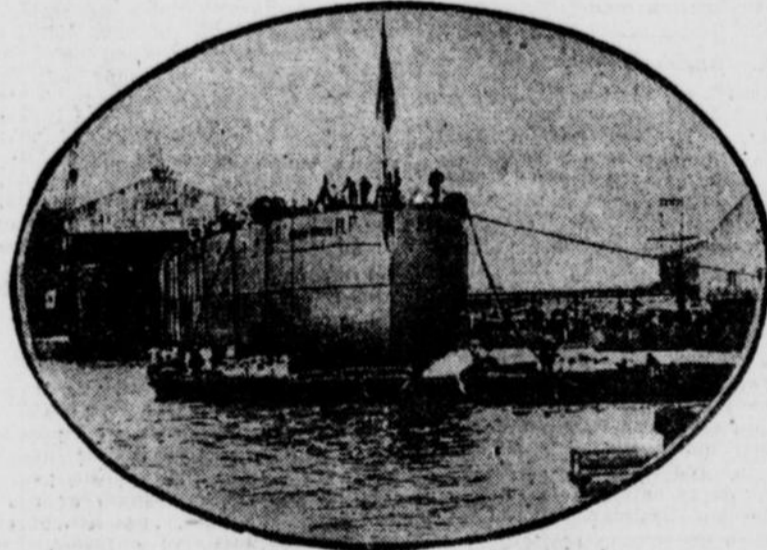
Miss Aloha Hall of Vancouver and Miss Amahuaca Norden have set out from Paris on another lap of their journey around the world to win a prize offered by a club in Atlanta, Georgia.



Sir Thomas Lipton, genial Irish sportsman, and the trophy cup he has donated for the fishing schooner race which recently took place at Gloucester, Mass.



Allister McCormick, prominent young Chicagoan, will not be found waiting at the altar again for Mary Landen Baker, society belle, if his reported engagement is true.



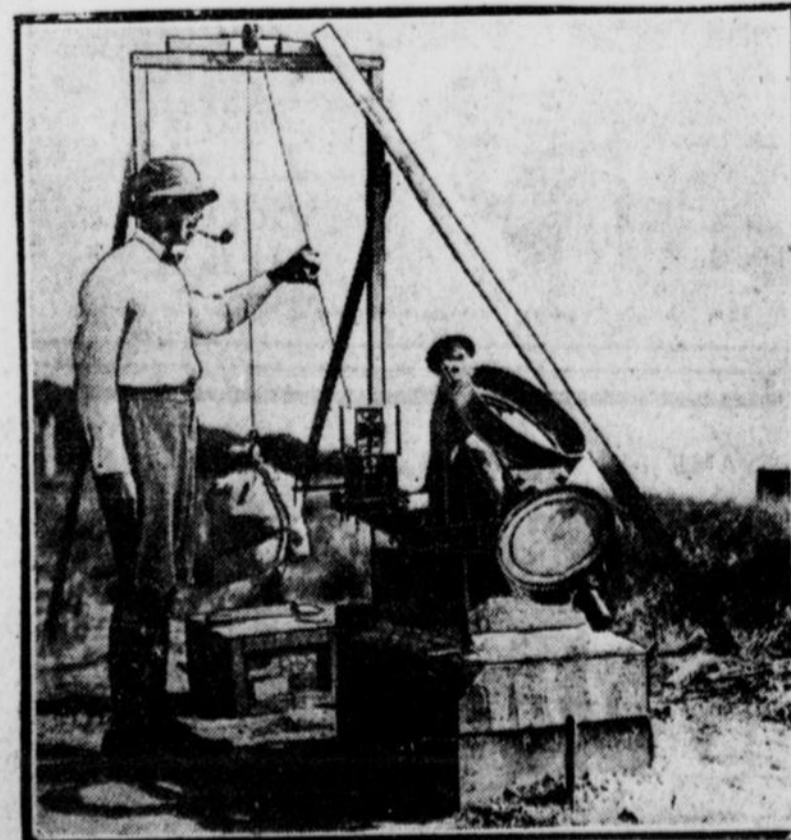
France has launched the first armed cruiser she has built since the end of the world war. It is a ship of 8,000 tons and is capable of attaining a speed of thirty-five knots an hour.



Once the ruler of palaces, the celebrated Princess Vilma Lwoff-Parlaghy of Hungary now listens to the shout of bailiffs outside her New York home.



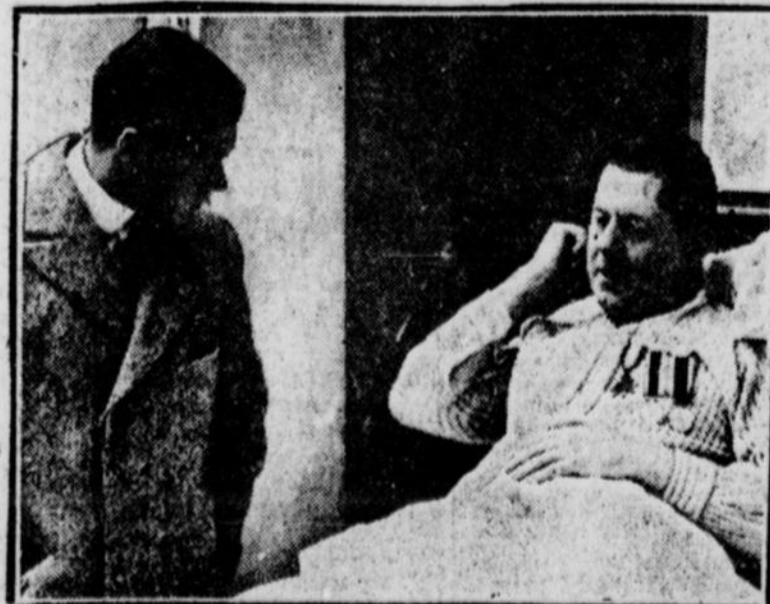
Miss Lorraine Bunch has been chosen as "Miss Washington of 1923" and will represent the capital at the national beauty contest at Atlantic City.



Many scientists have been arriving in Los Angeles to make elaborate preparations to photograph the eclipse of the sun. One of the instruments used is shown above.



This youngster built his own boat in a novel design, particularly to get out on the River Thames to witness the Ditton regatta.



A wounded war hero interests the prince with a war story at the Ellerslie Home for paralysed soldiers and sailors at Nottingham.



This pre-historic bicycle won first prize at a hospital carnival in London, England. The rider need not fear of being arrested for speeding.



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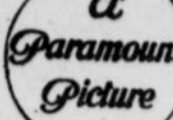
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PICKETED THREE MOVIE HOUSES

People Urged To Stay Away From Theatres That Employed Strangers

Six men, parading in front of three theatres, the Classic, Empire and Canadian, with a placard apiece, upon which was printed, in French "Stay away from this theatre. Our own Quebecers have been thrown out to employ strangers. Buy at home and employ at home", were arrested last evening, and conveyed to the Central Police Station, where they were later released on bail, and will appear before the Recorder this morning.

It appears that this is in retaliation for the action taken by Mr. Beaumont controller of the three theatres named, when he was given a month by the Union of Operators and Musicians to sign a Union contract. Instead of signing a contract, he is alleged to have discharged every Union employee in the three theatres, and the picketing of the movie-houses was the result.

RADIO PROGRAMMES

Schenectady, N.Y., September 9—Eastern Standard Time. 10:00 a.m.—Service of St. George's Episcopal Church, Schenectady, N.Y.

Organ prelude, "Prelude in E Flat" Lemmens.

Professional hymn, "New Every Morning is the Love." Venite, Anglican Chant. Psalms, Ninth Morning. Te Deum, Festival Te Deum in A. . . . . Whitney

Benedictus, Anglican Chant. Kneeling Hymn, "Our Blest Redeemer" Helen Stevens.

Hymn before sermon, "Still with Thee, O My God" Sermon by Rev. B. W. R. Taylor, D.D., D.C.L.

Offertory anthem, "Seek Ye the Lord" Incidental solo, W. E. Edwards. Recessional hymn, "The Son of God Goes Forth to War." Organ postlude, "Postlude in E Flat Major" . . . . . Rinck Helen Stevens.

6:30 p.m.—Service of St. George's Episcopal Church, Schenectady, N.Y.

Prelude, "Impromptu in D Flat" . . . . . Parkhurst Helen Stevens.

Professional Hymn, "Hark, Hark, My Soul" Choral Service. Psalm. Magnificat and Nunc Dimittis Vincent

Kneeling Hymn, "Father, What'er of Earthly Bliss" Hymn before sermon, "He Leadeth Me" O Blessed Thought" Sermon by Rev. B. W. R. Taylor, D.D., D.C.L.

Offertory anthem, "Angels Ever Bright and Fair" . . . . . Handel Incidental solo, Mrs. Roy McCreedy Recessional Hymn, "The Day is Past and Over" Postlude, "Festal March" . . . . . King Helen Stevens.

H.M.S. CALCUTTA LEFT FOR ENGLAND

YESTERDAY The British cruiser Calcutta, flagship of the British North Atlantic squadron, which docked here on Thursday afternoon, arriving from Montreal, slipped away yesterday at noon for England, where she will be laid up for a month and reconditioned, her officers and crew getting thirty days leave.

The Vice-Admiral of the squadron, Sir Michael Clive-Seymour, has transferred his flag to the Cape town, which is now the flagship of the squadron, while the Admiral is taking up his quarters there now.

Mayor Samson paid an official visit to the Admiral yesterday morning, and invited himself and the bluejackets, in the name of the city and the Exhibition Commissioners, to visit the Exhibition yesterday as the guests of the city.

The Calcutta, after being reconconditioned, will join the other units of the fleet, the flagship Capetown and the Constance, at the West Indies station.

C. N. R. BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETS HERE END OF SEPT.

According to an announcement made by Col. O. E. Talbot, one of the directors of the Canadian National Railways, the next meeting of the Board will be held in Quebec on September 24.

Among the matters to be taken up will be the construction of a new station on Parent Square to meet the increased traffic business from and to this city.

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LARGE WAREHOUSE FOR LIQUOR BOARD

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Thirty-five thousand square feet of property situated at the corner of St. Andrew and Dalhousie streets, will be purchased by the Provincial Government for the construction of a general warehouse for the Quebec Liquor Commission. The land belongs to the C. P. R. and C. M. R. and both companies, it was stated yesterday are willing to accept \$2.50 a foot for it.

Plans are being prepared for the new building and as soon as those plans have been accepted by the Public Works Department preparations will be made for the actual construction of the warehouse.

Chronicle Files 100 Years Ago

Arrived. The following Officers of His Majesty's Royal Artillery came passengers in the Transport William Harris which arrived yesterday from Cork—Major J. Wallis and Mercer, Lieutenants Foynter, Foot, Warren, Hare and Smith. Surgeon Kobby and Asst. Surgeon Hallan.

Launched. On Saturday morning last a fine brig called the Mary Anne, of upwards of 200 tons, was launched from Mr. Finch's ship yard at St. Roch's.

Chronicle Files 25 Years Ago

Masonic Grand Lodge. We understand that the jurisdiction of the Grand Masonic Lodge of Lower Canada has, by patent lately received, been divided. The Hon. William McGillivray is appointed Grand Master for the District of Montreal, and Claude Denechand, Esq., Grand Master for the District of Quebec and Three Rivers.

Died. Died on Saturday last, Louis Horatio Liniere, youngest son of the Honorable T. P. J. Taschereau.

Omdurman.

London, Sept. 7.—The British War Office has received a despatch from General Sir Herbert Kitchener, the Commander of the Anglo-Egyptian forces, dated from Omdurman on Monday last, saying that over five hundred Arabs, mounted on camels, were despatched after the fugitive Khalifa Abdullah that morning. The general added that the Dervish leader was reported to be moving with much speed and that some of his wives had been dropped along the road followed by him. The Sirdar said: "Officers have been counting the Dervish bodies on the field and report the total number of dead found at about 19,500. From the number of wounded who have crawled to the river and town, it is estimated that about 16,000 were wounded. Besides the above, between 300 and 400 Dervishes were killed in Omdurman when the town was taken. I have as prisoners between 3,000 and 4,000 fighting men."

Anglers Return.

The most successful fall fishing seen here for many years is now well under way in the Lake St. John country. Quananiche up to seven pounds in weight have been lately taken by Col. Haggard, in the Lake St. John District. Mr. A. W. Reed, who returned last night from the Metabetchouan Fish and game Club's limits on Lake Kiskisick reports excellent fishing there.

Messrs. Gordon E. Wallace, Durand, Gordon W. Burnham, Irving Atwood and Chris Strobel, members of the Triton Fish and Game Club, returned here yesterday from their limits, with two caribou shot on the 2nd September, and report very large catches of trout in the Moise and Batican Rivers.

MANY ATTEND FUNERAL OF JOSEPH BURROWS.

A large gathering of relatives and friends attended the funeral of the late Joseph Burrows yesterday. The funeral service was held in St. Patrick's church and was conducted by Rev. Father S. J. Grogan, C.S.S.R., cousin of the deceased, assisted by Fathers Maguire and O'Hara, C.S.S.R. as deacon and sub-deacon respectively.

At the conclusion of the religious service the body was taken to St. Patrick's cemetery where interment took place. Rev. Father O'Hara, Grogan, Maguire and McCormick were present at the grave side.

The late Mr. Burrows who died suddenly on Monday last, is survived by his father and mother and two sisters, Mrs. A. Dakaube of Montreal and Miss A. Burrows.

WILL UNVEIL MEMORIAL TABLET AT CATHEDRAL.

The Memorial Tablet erected in the centre vestibule of the Cathedral of the Holy Trinity, in memory of those members of the Parish who lost their lives whilst on active service during the Great War, will be unveiled to-morrow morning, at 10.45 o'clock, by Lieut.-General Sir Richard Turner, V.C., who was a divisional commander during the war. The dedication service will be conducted by the Right Reverend the Lord Bishop of Quebec.

WELCOME TO OUR READERS.

Visit the Kiosk of "La Presse," of Montreal, at the Exhibition Grounds.

Correspondence

THE A. B. C. OF THE PULPWOOD EMBARGO

Editor, Quebec Chronicle: Sir,—In view of the grave national situation in connection with our forest resources and the many foolish and wilfully misleading statements that are being circulated regarding the pulpwood embargo, I feel it incumbent on me to summarize conditions.

My main contention is that what wood it may be necessary to cut in Canada shall be manufactured in Canada so that not only Canadians may receive the full benefit of their own resources, but that the wood shall be manufactured at or as near as possible to the district where it was produced, so that the farmer on whose land it was cut may not only have a market nearby for his wood, but also have a mill built and a town developed that will provide a home market for his farm produce as well as furnish extra work for himself and family.

Is there a man or woman in the whole Dominion of Canada who will say it would not be better for the country to manufacture pulpwood at home, thereby leaving \$50 in the country for every cord of wood cut, instead of exporting it and bringing in only the \$15 per cord which is now being obtained? No one would be permanently injured by an embargo. The moment it is applied, the Americans have frankly told us a considerable portion of their mills in the United States will be put out of business. This means that these mills will be forced to move to Canada. It takes less than a year's time to build a pulp mill and with the same number of mills operating there would be just as great a demand for the farmer's wood and just as much competition for the purchase of pulpwood. Just as high prices would be paid, in fact, a greater demand would arise as with the advent of new mills there would be greater conservation practised by the pulp and paper companies on their own holdings and larger purchases made of farmers' wood.

The influx of new mills would not take a matter of two or three years but would begin immediately as the supply of sawmill paper in the U. S. must be maintained and it they cannot ship the raw wood across the line to be manufactured in their own country, they will not only be forced immediately to move their mills to Canada, but they will be only too glad of the opportunity afforded to manufacture their pulp or paper so near home, rather than be forced to move to the Pacific Coast where they would have to ship the manufactured product three thousand miles to the great consuming centers. Practically all the machinery from existing mills could be moved to Canada and their water powers in the U. S. sold for other purposes at a sufficiently high figure to enable them to acquire new sites in the Dominion and sufficient left to more than pay the cost of the erection of new mills in this country so that no one in the transaction would be injured and what is of first importance to us, Canadians immeasurably benefited thereby.

In any sections of Canada not served by water power, the wood can be utilized by the rection of sulphite, sulphate or soda pulp mills, none of which require any water power for their operation. In all the short-sighted and silly arguments advanced against the embargo, the public good is entirely lost sight of as completely as if such a thing as the public be damaged, or in other words, it is simply a case of the public be damned, and only the interests of a few foreign exploiters is to be considered. When the so-called selfish interest of the Canadian pulp and paper industry is referred to, the important fact is also lost sight of that without this industry Canada would be practically bankrupt today as this industry is one of the financial bulwarks of Canada. The wood using industry is now on an equal with agriculture as a revenue producer, and without it not only would thousands of employees and whole cities and towns and farming communities be put out of business, but our newspapers would be forced to import high priced newspaper paper. It has been stated that we have "vast wooded areas in Canada yet which will become just as accessible as the northern clay-belt is today." In reply to this fallacy, I will simply refer the writer to the report and map of the James Bay Survey made in 1922 by the Government of Ontario which conclusively shows these so-called "vast wooded areas" of the north to be but a myth consisting largely of either burns, muskeg or green, with the small patches of green wood so scattered or remote as to be not only inaccessible to operation but to fire protection as well, and is fire is ravaging that country unchecked, what wood is now left there will very soon have disappeared in smoke. With this vast area eliminated our supply is restricted to the comparatively narrow strip of wooded country that is open to the timber trade of everyone, and this is the supply that is not only being depleted by pests and all the elements, including our increasing fire scourge, but is supplying 104 Canadian mills with their raw material, and is also being exported in sufficient quantities to keep in operation 44 American mills of a capacity of one hundred tons of newspaper each per day, in addition to a countless number of saw mills, millions of railway ties and mine props, millions of telegraph and telephone poles, fence posts, and several million cords of firewood.

If the facts published are not sufficient to convince the conservative, there are many more equally convincing and much more alarming still, that are ready for the public if it becomes necessary in order to awaken those who are apparently asleep. FRANK J. D. BARNJUM, Montreal, Sept. 7, 1923.

LIBERALS HOLD MEETING IN LISLET ON SUNDAY

A Liberal rally will be held on Sunday at Lislet in the County of the same name. The principal speakers at the meeting which is to take place at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, will be Hon. Ernest Lapointe, Minister of Marine and Fisheries, Hon. J. E. Caron, Minister of Agriculture, Alme Deschamps, M.P., F. Fafard, M.P., Aurele Leclerc, M.L.A., and E. Theriault, M.L.A.

SILLERY AND WATERWORKS

No Decision Reached At Meeting Of Committee Last Evening In City Hall

A short meeting of the Waterworks Committee was held last evening at the City Hall, when the question of a waterworks for Sillery came up once more. The city had already ascertained that Sillery used 105,000 gallons of water a day, and they had proposed a rate of 15c per thousand gallons of water. Last night the delegation offered the city \$1/2c per thousand gallons of water, but no decision was reached at the session.

The delegation was composed of Messrs. Rene Dupont, T. E. Rousseau, Aurele Leclerc, Ernest Roy, Paul Joncas and A. B. Normandin.

PERCE PEOPLE SAW LORD BYNG

Governor General And Consort Entertained While Making Brief Stay There

His Excellency the Governor General and Lady Byng of Vimy have had the opportunity of visiting at length the majority of the Provinces of Canada, and of admiring the works of nature from Quebec to Yukon, but they have never before had the opportunity of contemplating the marvels of the Gaspeian coast and the famous Perce Rock.

This occasion was given them on Wednesday last by Hon. Senator L. O. L'Esperance, of this city, at Perce, where he is spending the summer, when he tendered them a superb reception at his summer residence.

Their Excellencies arrived at Perce on Wednesday afternoon, on board the Lady Grey, and while the steamer was yet a mile from the coast, the Vice-Regal party were met by Senator L'Esperance, Mayor Donohue, Sheriff Turro and Dr. Gagnon. The distinguished visitors transferred from the Lady Grey to Senator L'Esperance's yacht, when they were conveyed to the landing stage, escorted by a flotilla of other guests, cruisers and boats, all gayly decorated.

Immediately upon landing Baron and Lady Byng paid tribute to the soldier dead of Perce, who laid down their lives on the field of battle, and whose names are on a bronze plate, placed near the Elison Hotel. Afterwards their Excellencies shook hands with some twenty returned men, who had been invited to be present.

The party then made their way in the direction of the South Beach Hotel, which the Senator has reserved for them. All of the population of Perce had gathered at that place to do homage to the representative of the King, and to tender him a magnificent welcome. Addresses of welcome were delivered in both English and French to the Vice-Regal guests, and His Excellency the Governor General replied in both languages, speaking in such a manner that his words went right into the hearts of the people who were listening to him.

The Vice-Regal guests then shook hands with everybody present, and after this ceremony, a splendid reception was tendered the Governor General and his consort by Senator L'Esperance.

Their Excellencies could count in advance of the attachment of the people of Perce, but during their brief sojourn in Gaspé, it might be said that the old commander of the Canadian forces in France, scored a complete conquest over the population, who will remember for many a long day the stay in their midst of His Excellency the Governor General of Canada, and Lady Byng.

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### Empire Food Policy; Need Of Price Stability

(From an Australian Correspondent) What principles really underlie a sound agricultural policy? The first essential for this or for any other country is to make farming profitable. The condition of the agriculturist himself and of all agricultural labour is dependent upon the achievement of this preliminary aim. Stated in general terms, a sound agricultural policy is one that affords to the producer sufficient remuneration to induce him to continue and to expand production, and at the same time provides the consumer with goods at a price which will enable him to live well, and to produce manufactured goods in quantities at a price to compete in the open markets. The larger the sales of manufactured goods, the greater the consumption of food products.

In the interests of both the producer and the consumer alike, fluctuation of prices is generally detrimental. Fluctuations only benefit the speculative middleman. When the prices soar, the producer rarely receives the full value of the increase, but the consumer invariably has to pay it. A severe fall in wholesale prices is very rarely fully reflected in the retail price to the consumer, but is always completely met by the producer.

It would, therefore, seem that a policy that could substitute stability of prices for the present fluctuation could be demonstrated to be in the interest of both the producer and the consumer.

Sir T. H. Middleton, late Assistant Secretary of the Board of Agriculture, in his brilliant memorandum on Recent Development of German Agriculture (Cd. 3305, 1917), sums up the position in the following way:— The main value of the tariff policy to German agriculture was the sense of security which it created in the farmer. It was the conviction that he was essential to the community, and that the community would not permit his land to go out of cultivation rather than the prospect of receiving an extra two marks per hundred kilos, for his wheat after the year 1906 that stirred the German agriculturist of the new century to make an effort; and, it may be added, it was the knowledge that his grain was not wanted, and that his fellow countryman did not depend upon his exertions that led the British farmer, at this same period, to cut down expenses and reduce, or at least fail to increase, the productivity of his land.

A tariff policy for the encouragement of Empire agriculture may be possible in this country, but there are other methods by which some security from the unfair competition of foreign countries can be obtained.

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### NATIONAL PURCHASE BOARD

A policy far more attractive to the liberal-minded than any fiscal form of solution would be one based on the deliberate stabilization of price of essential food-stuffs on a basis satisfactory to both consumer and producer. Practical stabilization could be carried into effect by a comparatively simple system. It is generally realized that any scheme to make farming profitable entails some form of authority to regulate and, when necessary, to restrict foreign imports. It seems probable that the control of supplies from foreign countries could be managed in such a way as largely to eliminate fluctuation without having to apply any regulations to the produce of Britain or of the Dominions. Every effort should be made to induce the British farmer to cooperate and to produce and market on a sound economic basis, but it would not be necessary to interfere with his marketing.

The Dominion Government would be asked to organize their export trade to Great Britain in foodstuffs and agricultural products and to concentrate the whole volume in the hands of a single co-operative exporting agency which should handle the whole of each Dominion's exports to Britain. If possible the Dominion exporting agencies should be federated.

The operations of so great a federated organization would in itself considerably reduce the cost of placing foodstuffs, &c., on these markets. It would further control the sale of Dominion produce in Britain, employing the normal channels of trade in so far as these channels gave useful and economic services, but cutting out all speculative trading.

As already stated, the foreign supplies of most of the essential foodstuffs are sufficiently large to allow an effective control of their entire volume to dominate the market as regards price. A national Purchase Board should, therefore, be formed to buy all the foreign produce which it was considered necessary to import.

The Board would consist of Government, consumer, and agricultural representatives. The Dominion exporting agencies would be required to work in close liaison with the National Purchase Board.

**THE JUST PRICE** A far-sighted policy would be needed, the Board should be prepared to buy in seasons of plenty to store for seasons of dearth with the definite object of avoiding conditions which would cause fluctuations of value. Very interesting suggestions in this direction have been put forward by Mr. E. M. H. Lloyd in his recently published book on "Stabilization." The whole purpose of the suggested scheme would be the attainment of the just price in the interest of both the consumer and the producer.

The Purchase Board should, in addition to the powers already suggested for it, be required to exercise a constant watch on the whole sale and retail prices of foodstuffs.

Such reports as that of the Linnithgow Committee on Fruit and Vegetables indicate the urgent need for a permanent body empowered to watch the interests of both producer and consumer and to give to the wholesome air of widespread publicity.

The success of any agricultural policy, based upon the idea of the just price or on stabilization, must depend, in the long run, upon its being able to return to the producer a satisfactory remuneration for his expenditure of labor and capital, and yet to provide the consumer with goods at a price which would be no greater than the average price obtaining under the present lack of system.

Any agricultural policy that resulted in an increase in the cost of necessary foodstuffs would place the industrial interests of this country at a disadvantage in the markets of the world. It is, therefore, of great importance to examine a proposal of this nature to see whether there is any reasonable chance of securing the producer's interest without in any way sacrificing that of the consumer and, through the consumer, that of industry. The elimination of fluctuation would certainly be all to the good from the point of view of the consumer. The fact that the consumer never fully benefits from a falling market has already been commented upon, but success will largely depend upon the elimination of the undue profits of middlemen and retailers.

Sir Charles Fielding in his book entitled "Food" estimates that the net profit on bread, meat, and milk alone amount to £175,000,000 per annum. These figures indicate that there is a large margin to work upon, and that if the utilization of middlemen was limited to actual economic services, a considerable reduction in price to the consumer might be hoped for, while still giving to the producer a sufficient profit.

So far as the retailer is concerned, the interim reports of the Linnithgow Committee have demonstrated how wide a field there is for reduction of costs in the retail trade. To obtain the full benefits for the whole community for any practicable agricultural policy it will be necessary to induce the retailer to return to the basis of a large turnover and small profits, and thus get rid of the exorbitant tax he now levies upon the consuming public.

If any scheme can be devised which will give a satisfactory solution of the agricultural problems that face the English farmer and also the producers in the self-governing Dominions, and at the same time can stabilize prices for the consumer on a basis that would not be above the average at present obtaining in this country, one might look for substantial relief for the present unemployment problems. Stable prices would confer the great social advantage of giving a constant instead of a fluctuating basis for wages contracts. Increasing prosperity in agriculture in England and the Dominions would absorb a proportion of the unemployed directly. Agriculture would require much larger quantities of manufactured goods and price stabilization would, it is hoped, increase the purchasing power of wages by the avoidance of fluctuations, which, as already stated, are



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never fully reflected in retail prices when on the down grade, but are invariably fully passed on when ascending, thus enabling British industry to compete on more favorable terms in the markets of the world.

### G.A.R. VETS TO SEE MODERN WARFARE IN GREAT SHAM BATTLE.

Milwaukee, Sept. 7.—In sharp contrast to the now obsolete methods of warfare which remain so vividly in the minds of the veterans of the Grand Army of the Republic, a huge and spectacular sham battle in which all of the modern implements of both land and naval warfare will be employed, is to be presented as one of the entertainment features at the 57th Annual Encampment of the organization here, September 7-9.

This will be the second time that Milwaukee has been so honored, for many veterans still recall the good times they had in this city 34 years ago. Nearly 20,000 of the veterans visited Des Moines during the 1922 encampment.

A minimum of 35,000 persons will attend the encampment, according to James H. Williamson, executive secretary in charge of arrangements. The local committee, however, had made preparations to house 50,000 persons during the week, every available accommodation in the city being utilized. The colored population of the city has arranged through the Urban League to entertain the colored veterans.

The sham battle will be staged in the natural amphitheatre on the Lake Michigan front. Participating in it will be a contingent from the Great Lakes naval training station, with their hydroplanes, bombing planes, sub-chasers and other modern naval paraphernalia; several detachments from the United States Army, and a large force of Wisconsin Guardsmen.

### SONGS OF LONG AGO.

Winnipeg Tribune

A week or so ago I was writing about the songs and dance tunes that were in vogue a generation or more ago. I gave a list compiled by one of my respected readers. Since that article was published, I have received several letters containing lists of songs and music once popular. G. H. S. of this city, sends the following titles: "Sweet Violets," "Little Annie Rooney," "Down Went McGinty," "Sweet Maria," "After the Ball Was Over," "Two Little Girls in Blue," "Oh, Listen to the Band," "The Letter That I Longed for Never Came," "When the Moon Played Peek a Boo," "Twinkling Stars," "My Mother's Name 'Twas Mary," "Peek a Boo, I See You Hiding There," "Razzie Dazzie," "In the Good Old Summer Time," "Peggy O'Moore," "The Wedding of the Chinese and the Coon," "Dearie, My Dearie," "Mary O'Grady," "Mr. Charles Hardy, a Norwood reader, sends the following list of old-time songs: "Tommy Make Room for Your Uncle," "Over the Garden Wall," "The Anchor's Weighed," "My Grandfather's Clock," "Wait Till the Clouds Roll By, Jennie," "White Wings, They Never Grow Weary," "In a Body Meet a Body," "Champagne Charlie Is My Name," "Tis But a Little Faded Flower," "A lady reader of Whyteford sends the following list of dance tunes: "Bonnie Laddie, Highland Laddie," "Roy's Wife of Aldevalloch," "Cameron's Got His Wife Again," "Coming Through the Rye," "Buy a Broom Waltz," "Whistle O'er the Lave O'," "Speed the Plough," "Flowers of Edinboro," "Fishers' Hornpipe," "Royal Charlie," "Mulligan Guards," "The White Cockade," "Bonnie Dundee," "Johnnie Cope," "Pop Goes the Weasel," "Dixie Land," "Tulloch Gorum."

Another reader, who wishes to be nameless, writes the following interesting letter: "Mention of one of your favorite songs, 'Ta-ra-boom-de-ay'—some thing like that reminds me of the occasion when I last heard it played—no sung. It was at a morning service and the minister did not see eye to eye in musical matters. The organist ventured the hackneyed illustration that the minister did not know 'Old Hundred' from 'God Save the Queen'—this was twenty-five years ago.

The next Sunday came. The offertory period arrived and in slow style the organist played 'Ta-ra-boom-de-ay.' "The minister didn't know whether the music was by Shuckpepper, Soussa, Schubert or Schmidt, but he remarked that it was a soothing melody." See what time does. Only a few are able to follow the Dupres and the Lemaire in



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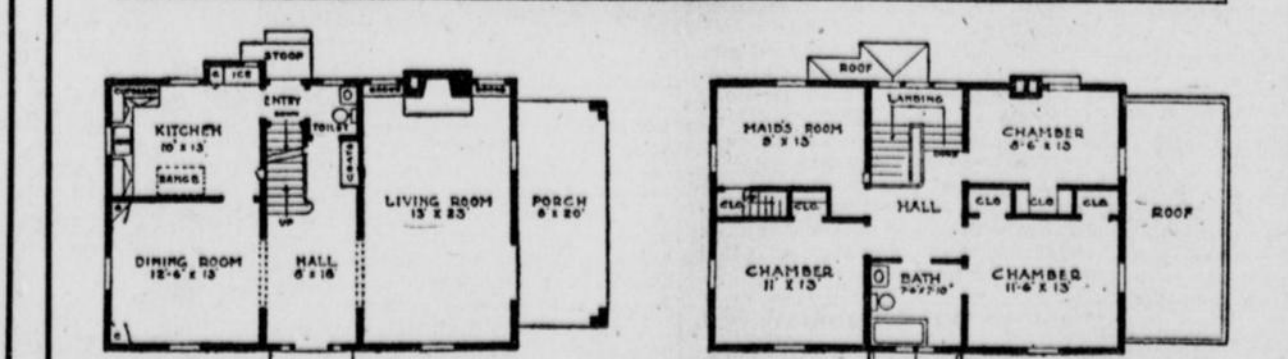
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## N. Y. PRICE MOVEMENTS WERE IRREGULAR, BUT LIST AS WHOLE SHOWED RATHER FIRM TONE

### U.S. Steel Common, Baldwin And Studebaker Closed Fractionally Lower—Trading Was Largely Speculative Affair With Pool Operations Again Evident

New York, Sept. 7.—Price movements in today's stock market were irregular and generally inoperative, as a whole exhibited a firm tone. Trading was largely a speculative affair with pool operations again evident in a number of specialties.

Revelation of speculative interest in the railroad shares, which were reactionary yesterday on reports of a decrease in net income in July as compared with June was one of the day's features.

Southern Railway was particularly active on reports that the net earnings of the first eight months would cover the fixed charges and the preferred dividend for the entire year, the stock closing 1 3/4 points higher at 41 1/8. Net gains in other issues were limited to fractions.

U.S. Steel Common, Baldwin, Studebaker, American Can, and Bethlehem steel, often referred to as "pivot stocks," closed fractionally lower. Houston Oil advanced 2 1/4 points, but most of the other shares in that group were heavy.

Some of the outstanding strong spots were Liggett and Myers up 3/4; General Electric up 2 3/8; Woolworth and Postum Cereal, up 2 to 3 1/2 points. Davidson Chemical flopped back 1 1/4 points to 47.

Call money opened at 5 per cent, but softened to 4 1/2 before the close. This money continued on a 5 1/2 per cent. basis for all maturities.

The commercial paper market remained quiet and firm. The feature of the foreign exchange market was a drop in German marks to 1 3/4 a million followed by a mysterious jump to 4 1/2 cents. The gain was not maintained. Demand sterling sold nearly a cent higher at 44.52 5/8 and Italian Lire improved nearly 6 points to 4.41 1/2. French and Belgian francs gained slightly. The Japanese rate was slightly reactionary on declaration of a 30 days moratorium in the stricken area.

Total sales 514,000 shares.

20 industrials averaged 92.54; net loss 162.

High 1923, 108.88; low 88.91.

20 railroads averaged 79.93; net gain 38.

High 1923, 90.63; low 76.78.

Indications that large sums of money are still available for investment were seen by local bankers today in the quick absorption of the \$20,000,000 Union Pacific long term issue of five per cent. bonds following the prompt over-subscription of the \$55,000,000 Argentine short term issue yesterday.

Listed bonds on the N.Y. stock exchange showed mixed price changes, most unimportant. Austrian 7s closed more than a point higher after touching a new low at 85.

U.S. Government bonds held steady.

Railroad liens moved up in sympathy with the stock prices.

Fluctuations in the industrial and public utility groups were narrow and irregular.

(By BARRY & McMANAMY.)

Stocks.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Amn Car & Fdy	164 1/4	164 1/4	164 1/4	164 1/4
Amn Loco	74 3/4	74 3/4	73 3/4	73 3/4
Baltimore & Ohio	49 3/4	57 1/4	49 3/4	50 1/4
Baldwin Loco	124	125	123 1/4	124
C P R	142 1/4	143 1/4	142 1/4	142 1/4
Great Northern pfd	58	59 1/4	58	58 3/4
Lehigh Valley	91 1/4	92	91 1/4	92
Missouri Pacific pfd	12 1/4	12 1/4	12 1/4	12 1/4
New Haven	100	100 1/4	100	100 1/4
N Y Central	75 1/4	75 1/4	74 1/4	75 1/4
Reading	23 1/4	24	23 1/4	23 1/4
Southern Pacific	88	88 1/4	88	88 1/4
Southern Railway	32 1/4	32 1/4	32 1/4	32 1/4
St. Paul pfd	27 1/4	30 1/4	27 1/4	29
Union Pacific	130 1/4	132 1/4	130 1/4	131 1/4
Bethlehem Steel	54 1/4	54 1/4	53 1/4	54
Crucible Steel	67 1/4	67 1/4	66 1/4	66 1/4
Gulf States Steel	89	89 1/4	87 1/4	87 1/4
Midvale	27 1/4	27 1/4	27 1/4	27 1/4
Republic Steel	50 1/4	50 1/4	49 1/4	49 1/4
U S Steel Corp.	92 1/4	93 1/4	92 1/4	92 1/4
Vanadium	33 1/4	34	33 1/4	33 1/4
Anaconda Copper	40 1/4	40 1/4	40 1/4	40 1/4
Butte & Superior	15 1/4	15 1/4	15 1/4	15 1/4
Great Northern Ore	12 1/4	12 1/4	12 1/4	12 1/4
Nickel	58 1/4	59	58	59
Smelters Ref.	35	35	34	34
Amn Boch Magneto	44 1/4	44 1/4	43 1/4	44 1/4
Allis-Chalmers	15 1/4	16	15 1/4	15 1/4
General Motors	9 1/4	9 1/4	9 1/4	9 1/4
Pierce Arrow	105 1/4	105 1/4	105 1/4	105 1/4
Studebaker	61 1/4	61 1/4	60 1/4	60 1/4
Westinghouse	59 1/4	60 1/4	59 1/4	59 1/4
Willis-Overland	19 1/4	20	19 1/4	20
California Petroleum	34 1/4	34 1/4	34 1/4	34
General Amphak	28 1/4	28 1/4	27 1/4	27 1/4
Mariand Oil	58 1/4	59 1/4	57 1/4	58 1/4
Fan American Oil	34 1/4	34 1/4	34 1/4	34 1/4
Pacific Oil	23 1/4	23 1/4	23 1/4	23 1/4
Phillips Petroleum	20 1/4	20 1/4	20 1/4	20 1/4
Standard Oil	41 1/4	41 1/4	41 1/4	41 1/4

MISCELLANEOUS:

Atlantic Gulf	16 1/4	16 1/4	15 1/4	15 1/4
American Can	99	99	98 1/4	98 1/4
Amn Int'l Corp.	19 1/4	20 1/4	19 1/4	20 1/4
Amn Sugar Refinery	65 1/4	65 1/4	65 1/4	65 1/4
Amn Woollens	87 1/4	87 1/4	86 1/4	86 1/4
Central Leather	19 1/4	19 1/4	19 1/4	19 1/4
Cuban-American Sugar	28	28	27 1/4	27 1/4
Davison Chemical	49 1/4	50 1/4	47	47
Int Marine pfd.	27	27	26 1/4	26 1/4
U S Ind Alcohol	54 1/4	55 1/4	54 1/4	55 1/4
U S Rubber	44 1/4	45 1/4	43 1/4	43 1/4

Foreign Exchange (By L. G. Beaubien & Co.)

New York: premium	2 9-16%
London: pound sterling	\$4.52 3/4 \$4.64
Berlin: mark	0.0000002-15
Copenhagen: crown	1.820 1.865
Stockholm: crown	2.252 2.217
Paris: franc	0.0556 0.0573
Rome: lira	0.0430 1-2 0.0411
Rotterdam: crown	3.924 4.024
Brussels: franc	0.0456 0.0471
Geneva: franc	1.798 1-2 1.847
Vienna: crown	0.00000150
Athens: drachma	0.1819 0.1661
Christiana: crown	1.1327 1.1367
Madrid: peseta	0.1337 0.1367
Rio-de-Janeiro: milreis	0.0079 0.0079

Gov't. Bond Yields (Compiled by L. G. Beaubien & Co.)

Free From Usual Income Tax	
Victory Bonds 5 1-2 p. c.	
1925	4.88%
1926	4.79
1927	4.75
1928	4.72
War Loans 5 per cent	
1925	4.74
1926	4.78
1927	4.75
Victory Bonds 5 1-2 per cent Subject to Income Tax	
1924	4.77
1925	5.10
Renewal Bonds 5 1-2 Per Cent.	
1927	5.10
1928	5.15

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## Daily Gossip On Leading Stocks

An amalgamation of the large asbestos companies of the province now appears to be in the wind; and it is likely that before the year is out some definite progress will be made to that end.

It seems that some such step is not only advisable, but absolutely necessary, to save the situation—some uniform plan must be adopted in order to compete with growing strength and competition of Rhodesia, South Africa, Russia, and other parts now coming to the fore in asbestos mining. It is said that the gravity of the situation has been felt for some time, and that all the large companies of the province realize the need for such a merger and are ready and anxious to effect it, so long as a satisfactory basis can be found for the formation. Otherwise, the New York market already reporting in quantity from Africa, Russia and elsewhere, will be lost to the Canadian trade.

Most of the companies have their head offices in Montreal and are largely directed by Montreal men. The shares of the two companies which head the list are on the Montreal Stock Exchange—the Asbestos Corporation of Canada, Limited, and the Black Lake Asbestos and Chrome Company, Limited, which holding company also controls Asbestos Mines, Limited. It is likely that the Consolidated Asbestos, Limited, and the Federal Asbestos Company will also be in the merger as well as others.

Just how far negotiations in regard to the merger have progressed is impossible to state at present, but it is likely that the Provincial Minister of Mines will soon be appealed to in connection with the matter, if such a move has not already been made.

"Steel and equipment companies in Canada are enjoying substantially active operating conditions at the present time. Construction and building, which continues on a considerable scale throughout the country, and the large requirements of the railways, who are spending a good deal on rehabilitation and extension of lines and rolling stock, have swelled unfilled orders. All the large steel plants are busy and preparations are being made for the new orders as soon as those being filled at the present time, are completed," says the Financial Editor of the Toronto Mail and Empire.

"Following labor troubles, the steel plants at Sydney are active again. The Steel Company of Canada has large orders booked ahead, while the Algoma Steel Corporation will be busy for months to come. Tension of lines and rolling stock, have swelled unfilled orders. All the large steel plants are busy and preparations are being made for the new orders as soon as those being filled at the present time, are completed," says the Financial Editor of the Toronto Mail and Empire.

"Chicago Tribune says in part:—'A good many wheat traders are inclined to be friendly to the buying side as prices in Chicago are lower than in the Southwest or Northwest. Prices are too low as compared with Winter wheat in the Southwest and with Spring wheat in the Northwest.'

"The Winter wheat movement is expected to decrease and Spring wheat movement to increase. 'Maintenance of good cash premiums for wheat in all markets is creating an uneasy feeling and in some quarters there is less disposition to sell short.'

"Most of the commission house opinions on wheat and corn last night were rather pessimistic." Canadian automobile plants are reported to be operating at capacity and some manufacturers are expecting an increasing market. Sentiment in the metal market is decidedly hopeful as to the immediate future.

Local clearings, as reported by the Montreal Clearing House for the week ending September 6th, total \$90,980,588, as against \$75,568,575 for the same week last year. This compares with \$85,840,098 for the same week in 1921.

Molson's Bank has just appeared at 150. This is a very considerable recovery from a recent loss. At its present figure, the issue shows an advance of 5 points over yesterday's closing sale. Union Bank and Hochelaga are the only other bank stocks to be traded in and are both unchanged at 112, and 146 respectively. Steamships, preferred is strong advancing 7-8 to 48.

Other stocks showed in board are: Abitibi up 1-2 at 63 1-2; Brompton, unchanged at 42 1-4; Power unchanged at 122; Price Bros. up 5-8 at 42 5-8; Spanish Preferred down 1-8 at 98 7-8; Mackay unchanged at 112 1-2.

Mr. E. W. Beatty, President of the Canadian Pacific Railway, accompanied by a group of the directors of that corporation, will start from Montreal today on an important tour of inspection of the lines between Montreal and the Pacific Coast.

## SPANISH COMMON GAINED 2 1/2, MAKING GREATEST GAIN OF DAY; MAPLE LEAF MILLING OFF TO 42

### Trading Was Quiet With General Tendency To Firm Prices—41 Stocks Appeared, 11 Gaining And 3 Losing—Trading In Bonds Was Featureless

Montreal, Sept. 7.—In its first appearance on the Board of the local stock exchange since last April, Maple Leaf Milling common stock sold down 77 points in a board lot sale at the new low level of 42 here today. The decline has not been altogether unlooked for, since it has come out recently on the Toronto stock exchange at about the same price and it is generally attributed to rumors which seem to have some foundation that the company will pass its common dividend.

Otherwise there was a general tendency towards higher levels in today's extremely quiet trading on the local exchange, with the paper issues in the limelight. Forty-one stocks appeared of which eleven in broken lots only. Spanish Common was the most active stock and closed at 92 1-8, for the great gain of the day, one of 2 1-8 points. Brompton was second up 3-8 at 43; Brazilian came third and gained 1-8 at 42 7-8.

Other price changes included nadian Car. off two points to the new low level of 23; Dum. Bridge up a point; Dominion Textile up 1-2; Illinois Traction up 1-2; Laurentide off 5-8; Montreal Power up 1-4; Shawinigan up 1-4; and Spanish preferred up 2.

Total sales, listed, 3,622. Trading in listed bonds on the local stock exchange today, was small in volume and without special feature. Total sales, \$84,600.

(By L. G. BEAUBIEN & CO.)

Stocks.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Abitibi Power	63	63 1/2	63	63 1/2
Asbestos Corp pfd.	73	73	73	73
Bell Telephone	125	125	124 1/4	124 1/4
Brazilian Traction	42 1/8	42 1/8	42 1/8	42 1/8
British Empire Steel, 1st pfd.	18	18	18	18
British Empire Steel, 2nd pfd.	42 1/4	42 1/4	42 1/4	42 1/4
Brompton Pulp	43	43	42 1/4	42 1/4
Can Car & Fdy.	33	33	33	33
Can Cement	84 1/4	84 1/4	84 1/4	84 1/4
Can Cement pfd	103	103	103	103
Can General Electric	101	101	101	101
Can SS Limer pfd	48	48	48	48
Cons Smelting	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Dom Bridge	64	64	64	64
Dom Textile	65	65	65	65
Howard Smith pfd.	101	101	101	101
Mackay Co.	111	111 1/4	111	111 1/4
Montreal Power	122	122 1/4	122	122 1/4
National Breweries	49 1/4	49 1/4	49 1/4	49 1/4
Quebec Railway	18	18	18	18
Quebec Railway Bonds	81	81	80 1/4	80 1/4
Shawinigan Railway	117	117	117	117
Spanish River	99	99	99	99
Spanish River pfd.	99	101	99	101
St Lawrence Flour	50 1/4	50 1/4	50 1/4	50 1/4
Winnipeg Railway	32	32	32	32
Winnipeg Railway pfd.	85 1/4	85 1/4	85 1/4	85 1/4

BANKS:

Commerce	191	191	191	191
Montreal	235	235 1/4	235	235 1/4
Molson	161	161	160 1/4	160 1/4
Royal	218 1/2	218 1/2	218 1/2	218 1/2
Union	112	112	112	112

Cotton Market

New York, Sept. 7.—Cotton futures closed strong, closing bids—

January 26.06; March 26.12; May 26.13-15c; October 26.54; 57c; December 26.37-40c. Spot closed quiet. Middlings uplands 27.80c.

THE ONTARIO MINING MARKET (Closing Quotations on Montreal Mining Exchange) (By E. L. Hardy & Co.)

Beatty	10	10 1/4
Atlas	05	05 1/4
Argonaut Gold	67	67 1/4
Algonquin	05	05 1/4
Baldwin	06 1/4	06 1/4
Beaver Cons.	31 1/4	32 1/4
Bigwood	07	07 1/4
Buckingham	07 1/4	07 1/4
Castle Trethewey	24	24 1/4
Chaput-Hughes	05 1/4	05 1/4
Clifton	17 1/4	18
Coniasas	2.35	2.50
Cons Wes. Dome	25 1/4	26
Crown Reserve	59 1/4	60
Davidson Cons.	04 1/4	05 1/4
Dome Mines	36.81	37.14
Dominion Kirkland	01 1/4	01 1/4
Gold Reef	02 1/4	02 1/4
Gold Dale	52 1/4	54
Hattie Gold M. Ltd.	11	11 1/4
Hollinger Cons.	11.55	11.70
Huntton Kirk G. M.	09	10
Inspiration	08	09
Keely	1.70	1.80
Keora	09	09 1/4
Kirkland Lake	3.11	3.16 1/4
Lake Shore M. Ltd.	3.30	3.50
La Rose	29	30
Lorrain	17	17 1/4
McIntyre	16.50	16.60
Moneta	17 1/4	18
Montreal Ontario	35	40
McKim Dar Savare	15	16
Mining Cor of Can.	2.50	2.58
Nipissing	5.54	5.75
Newray Mines Ltd.	44 1/4	45
Peterston Lake	09 1/4	10
Porc Crown	10	12
Preston East Dome	11 1/4	12
Temiskaming	36 1/4	37
Tyck-Hu-ghee	1.14	1.15
Vipond Cons.	70	71
Vickers	30	31
Wasapika	05 1/4	06
Wright Hargreaves	3.10	3.20
West Tree	05 1/4	05 1/4
Wakenda	05	05 1/4
Weclauer	09 1/4	10
Matachewan Grul	38	38 1/4

THE TORONTO PRODUCE MARKET

Toronto, Sept. 7.—Manitoba wheat No. 1 Northern \$1.24 1-2. American corn No. 2 yellow \$1.08. Ontario oats, wheat, peas, barley, buckwheat and rye, nominal. Manitoba flour, first patent \$6.90; second patent \$6.40. Ontario flour 90 per cent patent Montreal \$4.60 to \$4.70; Toronto \$4.50 to \$4.60, bulk seaboard \$4.50. Millfeed, bran, \$28.00; shorts \$31.00; middlings \$37.00; good feed flour per bag \$2.10. Hay extra No. 1 timothy \$14.00. No. 2 timothy \$13.50; No. 3 timothy \$12.50; mixed \$11.00 to \$12.00. Straw carlots \$9.00.

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Constantinople, Aug. 5 (By Mail)—Eunuchs of this city, who constitute the guardians of the harems, have formed a mutual benefit society. This action is due to the straits into which many eunuchs have been thrown by the abolition of the palace harem, as well as by increasing poverty among upper-class Turks.

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Selecting china is a most fascinating pleasure if one has a plump pocketbook to call upon when it comes time to count the cost. While the old and better known wares are always at standard prices—the finer the ware the higher the price—still there are simple and charming things to be had between the high-priced dishes and those of "open stock" at low prices. Taste and moderate means may travel hand-in-hand if we know how to buy and are not carried away with that which is beyond our means.

So-called "craft china," done by the smaller shops, is attracting a great deal of attention. We find it in sets for salad, fish, dessert or tea services, and there are no two exactly alike, which makes it charmingly individual.

One of the pretty tea-sets seen in a delicate azure blue with dull gold borders. The insides of the cups were done with single corn flowers and leaves that were "spiky" and gray-green. The effect was old and unusual. Another charming set was in soft rose pink with a very narrow black border on the plates and saucers. The handles were black. Inside these cups, a pattern of tiny rosebuds and green leaves looked like a bit of old-fashioned chintz.

The peasant patterns that have become familiar to us in embroideries figure on some of the dishes. One set, for instance, is cream white French china with a narrow black border. Inside and toward the center of the plate is a wreath of nasturtiums in varied colorings while a wreath of the same flowers encircles the cups.

Polka-dotted china is new and not bad in a tea-set. The ground of the dishes is a soft tan. The polka-dots are gold, the border is gold, and right in the middle of the plate, and at either side of the cups sits a single flower—in this case a pink poppy.

An odd fancy was discovered in a tea-set of black china. A gold border and inner line on the plates and tiny pink roses scattered over a surface about an inch apart. The effect was unusual and quite attractive.

A set of fish-dishes was done in delicate sea-green with a white border. The plates were octagonal in shape, and in the center of each was a fish done in white like the border. In the center of the dish-platter was a fish medallion also done in white. This medallion was repeated at the four sides.

There is a fancy just now for using plain cream-white Dresden plates with open-work borders for service plates. The twelve-inch size is preferred, and they are attractive for this use, especially when a silver platter and vegetable-dishes are also used. On a table furnished in this way, ray-colored Dresden birds are attractive embroidered in the centerpieces. Or a Wedgwood vase with a flower rack may be used in old-blue or gray coloring for a floral centerpiece.

China fruit baskets and elaborate comports are again being used. This is a china revival. In colorful Spanish and Italian wares these comports are charming for centerpieces with candlesticks to match. Or candlesticks of polychrome may be ornamented in fruit designs. If the latter are used they should be of the same general style as the dish.

Church News

ROMAN CATHOLIC. NOTRE DAME DE QUEBEC. (Seminary Chapel.) Low Masses at 5:30, 6:00, 7:00, 8:00, 9:00, 10:00, and Grand Mass at 11:00 a.m. NOTRE DAME DE QUEBEC. (Lower Town.) Low Masses at 6:00, 7:00, 8:00 and 9:00 a.m. ST. JEAN BAPTISTE CHURCH Low Mass at 5:30, 6:15, 7, 8:30 and 9:30 a.m., Grand Mass at 10:30 a.m.; Vespers at 7 p.m. ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH. (McMahon Street) Low Mass 7:30; High, 10:30 a.m.; Children's Mass at 9 a.m.; Benediction at 7:30 p.m. ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH (Grande Allee.) Low Mass at 7:30 and 10:30 a.m.; Children's Mass at 9 a.m.; Benediction at 4:30 p.m. NOTRE DAME DU CHEMIN (St. Eoy Road) Low Mass at 6, 7, and 8:15 a.m.; Solemn Mass and Sermon at 9:15 a.m.; Grand Mass and Sermon at 10:30 a.m.; Vespers and Benediction at 7 p.m. ST. COEUR DE MARIE. Low Mass at 6:15, 7:15, 8:30 and 9:30 a.m.; Mass at 10:30 a.m.; Vespers at 7:15 p.m. ANGLICAN. CATHEDRAL OF THE HOLY TRINITY. Holy Communion 7 and 8 a.m.; Gael. 9:30 a.m.; Unveiling of Memorial Tablet, 10:45 a.m.; Morning Prayer and Holy Communion 11 o'clock; Sunday School, 2:45 p.m.; Catechising, 3:30 p.m.; Finlay Home 5 p.m.; Evening Service, 7 o'clock. ST. MATTHEW'S CHURCH (St. John Street) Holy Communion 7:30 a.m.; Matins 10:30 o'clock; Choral Eucharist, 11 o'clock; Sunday School, 2:45 p.m.; Children's service, 3:40 p.m.; Choral Evensong, 7 o'clock.

Social and Personal Premier Tachereau will leave tomorrow for Montreal. Mr. F. J. Gosselin, of Chicoutimi, is a guest at the Chateau. Miss Josephine Bédard of New York is registered at the Chateau. Mrs. J. J. Codville, of Ottawa, is in town, registered at the Chateau. Mrs. L. St. Martin is in town from Montreal, a guest at the Chateau. Hon. Adair and Mrs. Adair are leaving today for the summer. Mr. E. W. Tobin, M.P., was in town yesterday a guest at the Chateau. Miss Naomi Teague of this city is visiting her mother and sister at the Chateau. Mr. and Mrs. Horace Tessier of Montreal, are in town guests at the Chateau. Mr. and Mrs. Hector Tessier of Montreal, are in the city, staying at the Chateau. Mrs. Hughes Fortier has returned to Quebec, after spending a few days in town. Mrs. J. L. Darnell and Mr. T. H. Darnell, of New York are staying at the Chateau. Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Charlton, of Saint-Amand, P.E.I., are in town, staying at the Chateau. Master Gerard Auld has left for Loyola College, Montreal, where he will pursue his studies. Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Rendil and Miss Rendil of Reading, Pa., are staying at the Chateau. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Deschamps have left for Montreal, where they will take up their future residence. Mrs. Henri des Rivieres and family have returned from Beauport, where they spent the summer. Miss A. M. Desjardins of St. Philippe de Neri, is in town the guest of her uncle, Mr. H. R. de St. Victor. Mr. and Mrs. J. C. King of Montreal, are in town, visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Doodridge, Aberdeen street. Miss Charlotte Langlois is spending a few days at Rivière du Loup, the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Antonio Langlois. Dr. and Mrs. J. D. DuChene have returned to town after spending the summer at their camp, at St. Siméon as Charlevoix. Mr. and Mrs. Henri Pouliot and family have returned to town from Lake St. Joseph, where they spent the summer. Miss Leda Alain has returned from Lével, where she spent some time, the guest of Miss Blanche Délaite. Miss Blanche Fessler of Three Rivers, is spending some time in town, the guest of Mrs. Gustave Fessler, Grande Allee. Mrs. I. O. Blake, Mrs. Octave Blake and Miss Jeannette Blake of North Hallow, Que., are among the guests staying at the Chateau. Mrs. John Eberle, of New York is spending a couple of months in town, the guest of her sisters, the Misses Rochon, Maple Avenue. Mrs. F. A. Gendron has returned

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PRINCE TO LIVE QUIETLY ON HIS CANADIAN RANCH. Calgary, Alta., Sept. 7.—When the Prince of Wales visits his ranch near High River, Alta., this fall, he will travel from England in an unofficial capacity as the Duke of Cornwall, according to W. L. Carlyle, manager of the establishment, who has recently returned from England. The prince will stay here quietly several weeks, and then return direct to London. The ranch of the Prince is one of the foremost livestock breeding establishments in western Canada. He bought it four years ago on his last visit and since then has stocked it with a large number of thoroughbred horses, Shortcorn cattle, Shropshire sheep and Dartmoor ponies. These animals have been selected from King George's own breeding establishments and represent some of the best blood in the world. The Prince's purpose in establishing the ranch was to raise the standards of livestock in western Canada. As a step in this direction he already has held several

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