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MOB RULE REIGNS ON LONDON DOCKS; POLICE ARE HELPLESS

Out of Troops Likely to Prove Necessary if Street Traffic is to be Maintained—Soldiers Hold Strikers in Check at Liverpool.

London, August 10.—The neighborhood of the docks was practically under mob rule to-day, with the result that there was such a dwindling of food supplies that the metropolis experienced something akin to what might happen if a hostile foreign force should succeed in interrupting Great Britain's trade routes.

Unless good progress is made to-day in the negotiation looking to a settlement of the strike of dock workers, the calling out of troops seems inevitable as the police are seriously outnumbered and unable to deal with the emergency.

The only quarter where relief was experienced was Billingsgate. There the striking fish porters obtained all they wished, and returned to work to-day. On the other hand hundreds of railway carmen quit this morning, and several stations were practically in a state of siege; strike pickets preventing by force all attempts to handle goods. It was the intention of the strikers to tie up all street traffic unless their demands were conceded within a few hours. Should they be successful London would be perilously near actual famine conditions. The stream of motor traction to-day was hardly half its usual proportions. So short was the supply of petrol that hundreds of motor buses and taxicabs were unable to move a wheel.

The only traffic passing without fear of interference was that of vans carrying hospital stores. These were labelled with big red cross signs with a permit from the strike committee explaining that they must not be interfered with. Until this system of identification was adopted this morning the hospitals felt a shortage of ice and other supplies.

Thousands of tons of fruit, vegetables and provisions are rotting on the wharves and in the railway freight depots. Unless they can be moved soon they threaten to endanger the general health. Among the larger consignments which probably will be a dead loss, is a huge quantity of California fruits aboard the steamer, 'Minnehaha.' The Central Meat and Provision markets are short of supplies and prices have advanced alarmingly.

To-day the temper of the strikers appeared ugly and scenes of violence increased. Throughout the East End clashes were frequent where attempts were made to move waggons. The men would intervene, and brushing aside the inadequate police squads overturn the wagons and scatter their loads in the gutter. Police charges were met every few minutes, but they were not strong enough to have much effect.

Those taking part in the conferences of the Board of Trade which is seeking a settlement, state that they are getting nearer a solution each time they meet, and are determined to sit throughout to-night if there seems to be a possibility of reaching a settlement.

SOLDIERS CHARGE AT LIVERPOOL.

Liverpool, Aug. 10.—Detachments of troops arrived here to-day to assist the police who have been unable to control the rioting strikers. A fusillade of brick bats and stones met the soldiers, but they finally took up strategic positions, and enabled the police through a succession of baton charges to effect a clearance of the provisions and other goods at the central railway station. A baton charge was required with each load of goods that left the place, and the police, at last exhausted, retired, and their places were taken by mounted men.

SERIOUS SITUATION AT LIVERPOOL.

Liverpool, August 10.—The railway strike here has assumed alarming proportions. Not only are the freight trains tied up, but the passenger service is threatened. The deckers refuse to handle goods from the railways, and hundreds of tons of fish, fruit and other perishable freight is rotting. Official quotations on foodstuffs were practically suspended on the produce exchange during the day.

There have been several encounters between the police and the strikers, and men have been drafted from outside districts to assist in maintaining order.

STEAMER FOR MONTREAL DELAYED.

Southampton, August 10.—The steamer 'Ausonia' sailed for Quebec and Montreal yesterday one day behind her schedule. She left 300 tons of cargo, which the dockers refused to handle.

SALVAGE CORPS IS PRAISED

Prompt Action in Carlton Hotel Fire, London, Appreciated by Guests.

LOSS IS $150,000.

Fire Department Declares Hotel Management Delayed in Sending Alarm.

London, August 10.—The loss to the guests at the Carlton Hotel, the two upper floors of which were damaged last evening by a spectacuar fire that drove the occupants of the much patronized hostelry into the street, is not so heavy as had been anticipated. This is particularly true of those who did not attempt to remove any of their belongings during the course of the fire. The guests who deserted their rooms as they were when the flames broke out, found this morning that the salvage corps had done their work so thoroughly that in many cases their baggage, clothing and other possessions even down to toilet articles had been undamaged.

The experience of Ansel Oppenheim, of New York, was typical. Oppenheim was outside the hotel when the alarm was given, and did not attempt to return to his room. He spent the night quietly at another hotel, and when he went to the Carlton this morning, and was taken up to his room he found that articles which he had left on the floor had been carefully placed on the bed which, with his trunks and bags, was covered with tarpaulins. Everything was in perfect order even down to his tooth brush and ten penny pieces which he had left on the bureau. This was on the fourth floor immediately under the spot where the fire burned most fiercely.

James R. Keene got out some of his baggage last evening, and the rest of it this morning. It was little worse for having passed through a fire. The guests highly praise the work of the salvage corps, a body of men maintained by the insurance companies. Upon receiving the alarm practically the whole corps was sent to the Carlton. The different companies were assigned to various floors, and went systematically from room to room, piling up their contents and covering them with tarpaulins.

This morning the corps was busy fetting out carpets and furniture which had been damaged by water. The loss to the hotel is estimated at $150,000, but this is probably an under estimate as all the ceilings and most of the furniture must be replaced.

The fire department places the blame for their delay in getting to the scene of the fire, to the hotel management which tried to put out the blaze when it originated in the elevator shaft in the kitchen quarters on the top floor, with appiances in the house before sending out an alarm. The alarm was sounded at seven o'clock, and by that time the flames shooting up the elevator shaft to the fifth and sixth floors were breaking out through the roof at the corner of the hotel adjoining His Majesty's Theatre.

The hotel management endeavored to belittle the fire, and up to the last moment withheld the fact that Jameson Lee Finney, the actor, had been burned to death in the bathroom adjoining his room on the fifth floor of the annex.

The body of Mr. Finney will be cremated after the inquest, and the ashes will be sent to the United States to be buried beside the grave of his mother who died ast April. This is in fulfillment of a wish expressed by Mr. Finney a short time ago. It appears that he was much broken in spirit by the death of his mother, and subsequently entertained a presentiment of impending evil to himself.

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POPE'S CONDITION.

Pontiff Well Enough To-day to Ratify Consistorial Decisions.

Rome, Aug. 10.—Dr. Petacci and Professor Marchiafava visited the Pope early to-day and found his general condition improved. This was attributed to the removal of the patient from his small bed chamber to more spacious quarters, which, according to the Pontiff's own expression, affords him the feeling of being in the open air. The walls of the room are twenty feet high.

The Pope was somewhat worried to-day over the illness of the sister Rosa, who is suffering from the effects of the unusually hot weath. He asked Dr. Petacci to visit her twice daily. The other two sisters, Anna and Maria and the Pope's niece Gilda are caring for both patients, and frequently went from one to the other throughout the day.

Cardinal Merry del Val, the Papal Secretary of State, who went to his summer residence at Monte Mario late yesterday, returned to-day, not wishing to be long absent from the Vatican while the present condition of the Pope continues.

Despite his illness His Holiness to-day ratified the decision of the Consistorial Congregation presented by the Secretary, Cardinal G. De Lai, appointing the Right Rev. J. J. Keane, now Bishop of Cheyenne, as Archbishop of Dubuque; and the Right Rev. Joseph Schrembs, auxiliary Bishop of Grand Rapids, to be Bishop of the new diocese established at Toledo, which has been detached from the diocese of Cleveland.

Drs. Petacci and Marchiafava held a consultation this afternoon with Dr. Amici. The possible necessity of a slight operation on the patient's knees to hasten relief was discussed, but nothing finally decided. The physicians concluded to have the Pontiff removed from his bed to a comfortable armchair, with the idea that a sitting posture would be easier for him, and help him to regain his strength.

Both Cardinal Merry del Val and Mgr. Bisleti were permitted to visit His Holiness.

GRUESOME EXHIBITION.

Relics of Murder Introduced in Camorrist Trial.

Viterbo, Aug. 10.—To-day's session of the Camorrists' trial was taken up with an examination of objects found on the bodies of the murdered Cuoccolo and his wife. It was a gruesome exhibition and caused a deep impression. Among the exhibits was a piece of cord such as assassins use often to catch their victims about the throat. It was black from age or dirt and blood stains, and was found wrapped up in a shirt that Cuoccolo had worn on the night he was killed. The shirt was heavy with blood. The cord is similar to one found with a complete criminal outfit in a bag carried by Gaetano Amedeo, one of the accused. The prosecution intimated that the cord placed in evidence had been used to bind Cuoccolo.

This being the Day of St. Lawrence the protector saint of Viterbo, the trial was adjourned early.

Referring to the cord, the priest Vitozzi, one of the prisoners, exclaimed: 'St. Lawrence has finally worked a miracle to prove our innocence.'

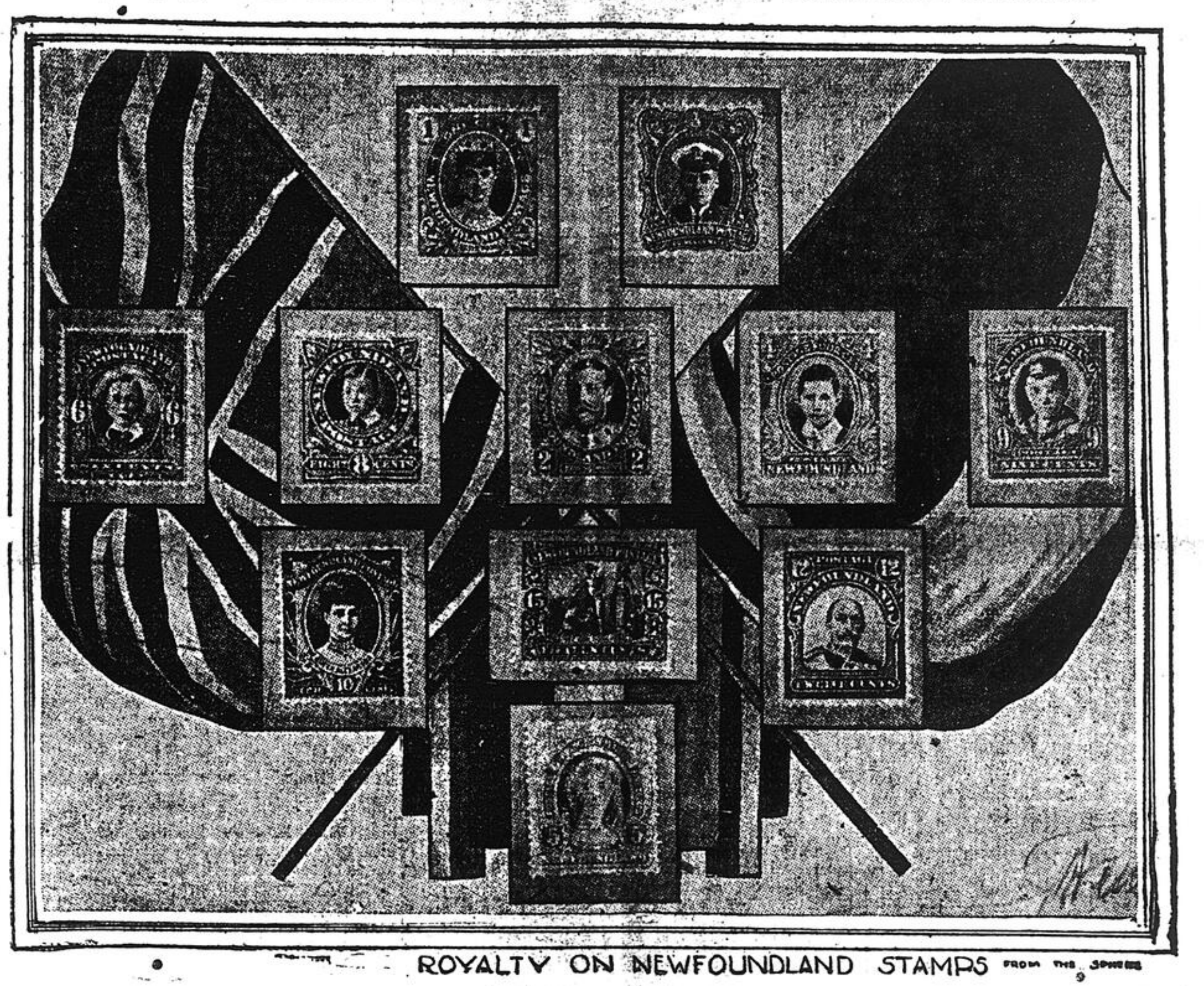
DROWNED FROM ROWBOAT.

Joseph McLaughlin, of Sutton, Nebraska, was drowned to-day at Brewers Mills, by falling from a rowboat. Efforts were made to save him. Once a man had him, but he dragged him under, and he was forced to release his grip. Deceased, aged nineteen, was visiting his uncle, W. Deane, the body has recovered.

WOOL COTTON BILL.

Washington, Aug. 10.—The sub-conference committee in charge of the wool tarriff revision bill failed to reach an agreement to-day. All the conferees will meet to-morrow to again consider the entire tariff situation.

KING, QUEEN AND FAMILY ARE ALL ON COLONIAL STAMPS

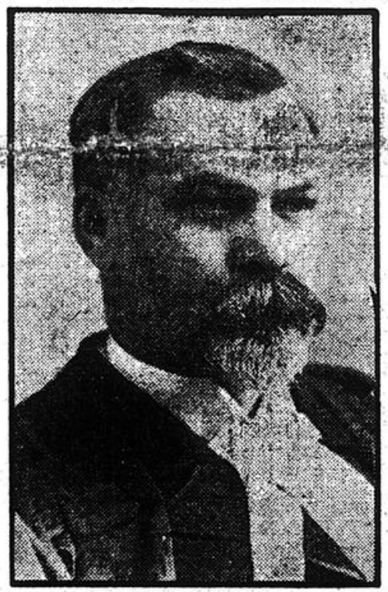

ROYALTY ON NEWFOUNDLAND STAMPS FROM THE SPHERE

In the series of new stamps designed for Newfoundland every member of the royal family, as well as the Duke of Connaught, who is to be Governer General of Canada, has a stamp of his or her own.

TIRELESS JUDGE LEET

Has Been Doing Double Duty in Courts During Vacation Time.

These are strenuous days for Judge Leet, who has been the only magistrate in evidence during the vacation season. For the past two weeks he has opened the Recorder's Court at 9.30 a.m., and after going partly through the business, adjourned to the Arraignment Court, over which he has presided until the cases were disposed of. Then, if it is not too late in the day, which means after twelve, he returns to the Recorder's Court, and often sits as late as 1 o'clock before adjournment for lunch. At 2.15 he is again presiding over the Recorder's Court, and remains until the docket is clear.



JUDGE LEET.

So heavy has been the business that this week, Judge Bazin curtailed his holiday and came back to assist.

His return will prevent a big list of cases accumulating, besides relieving the congestion, which was unavoidable, in spite of the hard work of Judge Leet.

Yesterday, for the first time, Judge Leet postponed a case until to-day because of fatigue, remarking to the lawyer conducting the case, 'I need the rest this time.'

WINNIPEG REGISTRATION.

Much Interest in Election Preparations To-day.

Winnipeg, August 10.—Registration opened in Winnipeg and Brandon to-day under the federal proclamation. Intense interest is being displayed by the Conservatives and Liberals alike. At noon the percentage of registration in both cities was twenty percent in excess of usual registrations in these two cities. Great difficulty is being met with in registering those who are out of the city, not expecting to register until next week.

DEAF MAN RUN OVER.

A defect in his hearing caused the death of John Marcou, aged 76 years, yesterday afternoon. The deceased, who lived with his son, at 2137 Waverly street, was returning home from a shopping expedition, when at the crossing of Fairmount and Clarke streets he was run down by a waggon belonging to the Montreal Biscuit Company.

A verdict of justifiable homicide was returned by the jury, as it was shown he was too deaf to hear the approach of the waggon.

MUST BE DEPORTED.

Mattie Lane was found guilty in the Court of Special Sessions to-day of stealing silverware from the Oxford Hotel. Sentence was suspended until next Tuesday.

Judge Choquet, in passing judgment, said that if the young woman, who has perjured herself in the case, and tried to injure the moral character of the manager of the hotel by falsehood in relation to his business methods, was not deported by next Tuesday she would be sent down for a long time.

RUN DOWN BY TRAIN.

Dennis Charbonneau, St. Dominique street, was run down by a C. P. R. train at Quebec Junction last night, and was taken to the Royal Victoria Hospital suffering with a fracture of the hip and severe contusions on his head and shoulders. His condition this morning was said to be most serious, as he is suffering from shock.

CITY OFFERS TO HELP M.S.R

Sends Letter Tendering Expert Advice in Arranging New Routes.

COMPANY STILL SILENT.

Board of Control Has Written Twice This Week and Received No Reply.

Another letter is being forwarded to the Street Railway Company to-day by the Board of Control asking for a conference on the matters under negotiation between it and the City Council and offering to give the officers of the company all the assistance possible in providing expert advice on the extensions of its lines sought by the city.

The board esnt a letter to the company earlier this week asking for a meeting, but so far no reply was received.

LAID CORNER STONE

Impressive Service at Verdun Presbyterian Church.

Last night the ceremonial corner stone laying of the new Verdun Presbyterian church took place, and a large audience assembled on the platform which had been specially erected, to take part in the service and to watch the proceedings.

The original church was first opened in 1899, by the Rev. W. R. Cruikshanks, M.A., and continued as a mission under St. Matthews until 1910, when it became an augmented charge with an ordained minister. In its early days the services were conducted by R. M. Hanna, Malcolm Campbell, now the minister of First Presbyterian Church, Montreal; Mr. T. P. Drumm, now minister of Campbellton, N.B., and others.

The Rev. J. W. Johnston, M.A., the minister, presided, and led the devotionals, after which a summary of the church's history was submitted by Mr. J. G. Smith, secretary of the building committee.

Although the original church had been doubled in size in 1906, and a vestry added to it, the number of worshippers has increased so rapidly, that last December it was decided to pull down the old building, and erect one capable of seating between four and five hundred people, and a building committee was appointed with Mr. H. C. Bartleet, chairman; Mr. S. R. Jennings, vice-chairman; Mr. James Moffat, treasurer; and Mr. J. G. Smith, secretary.

The new building will cost $14,000, and the church extension committee granted $4,000 toward the desired object; the congregation have promised to subscribe $2,000 inside twelve months from the date the matter was first discussed, and the balance will be raised by subscription.

The corner stone was last night well and truly laid in the name of the Trinity by Mr. James Rodger, president of the extension committee of the Montreal presbytery, who was the recipient of a silver trowel, handed to him by Mr. H. C. Bartleet, chairman of the building committee. In a cavity of the stone was placed the usual box which contained the ashes of a burned mortgage deed on the old church, deposited by Mrs. William Turner, on behalf of the Ladies' Aid Society, together with the historical survey, current newspapers and coins.

At the conclusion of the ceremony, Mr. Rodger and the Rev. John Chisholm, both briefly addressed the gathering, the latter apologizing for the unavoidable absence of the Rev. W. R. Cruikshank, and conveying to the Verdun people the fraternal greetings of Victoria church.

The new church is expected to be completely finished by 1st of November.

RUSSIAN BOY SCOUTS.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 10.—The Emperor Nicholas to-day reviewed 6,000 boys of the play troops from all parts of the Empire. The cabinet ministers were present together with a brilliant representation of society. The play troops are an offshoot of Baden-Powell's boy scouts, and thanks to His Majesty's interest have developed a big movement toward the patriotic education of the young.

CHOLERA SUSPECTS.

Hamburg, Aug. 10.—The captain of the Russian steamer, 'Cordelia,' and his wife were placed in the hospital to-day as suspected cholera cases.

TWO DIED FROM RESULTS OF GASOLINE EXPLOSION

Charles Edward Beaudry, aged 9 years, was burned to death yesterday, and Corinne Legault, aged 19 years, a servant, was fatally injured by the explosion of a lamp filled with methylated spirits. The accident occurred in the kitchen of the country residence at Riviere des Prairies of Mr. J. P. Beaudry, real estate agent, St. James Street, Montreal.

The servant, while preparing an egg for the boy's breakfast, yesterday morning, tried to refill a burning methylated spirit lamp, and an explosion instantly followed, the burning spirits scattering over the boy and her own clothing. Mrs. Beaudry, hearing cries in the kitchen, ran in from the gallery where she found her son and the servant both in flames. Catching hold of the little fellow, on whose body most of the clothes had already been burned, she ran down to the river nearby, and plunged him in. Walter E. Courville, 337 St. James street, who was passing in his automobile, hearing what had occurred, hastened for medical assistance and a priest, to minister the last rites of the church to the dying boy. The doctor did his best by bandaging to ease the agony of the two sufferers, both of whom were conscious. In the meantime, the ambulance of the Notre Dame Hospital had been summoned, and was on the scene of the disaster in the remarkably short time of 37 minutes. At half past twelve it was decided to take both the injured to the hospital. At half past one, while still on the way, the little fellow died. His body was taken to the hospital, and from there to the home of the family on Mance street.

The servant was taken into a ward at the hospital, where it was found that her burns were of a most serious nature, and although hope was held out for her recovery, she died from the shock at 11.30 last night.

STARVING MAN FOUND WORK THEN DROPPED DEAD

Employment came too late to a lonely wanderer who sought employment in the different shops along Bleury street this morning. Tired and forlorn he at last reached the Walsh Cafe, 275 Bleury street, where he made the usual demand for work, when to his surprise the proprietor invited him in and set him to work at odd jobs in the kitchen. No questions were asked by his employer, and the man had worked for an hour or so when suddenly he sank to the floopr, in what at first appeared to be a swoon, but all attempts to revive him were in vain, assistance had came too late, and privation, aided perhaps by the heat had claimed a victim. The morgue waggon was called and the body taken there to await identity, as his name and address are unknown. He was a man of about 45 years of age, steel grey hair, and of moderate build. Dr. McTaggart, who examined the body, said that death had been due to lack of proper nourishment.

CITY MUST SPLIT PROPOSED LOAN INTO THREE PARTS

It has been decided by the city treasurer's department to split the proposed $7,000,000 loan into three special loans and to call for an additional loan of $350,000 for school purposes. Tenders will be advertised for in Montreal, London and Paris.

In making out the specifications for the larger loan proposed, it was discovered that it would not be legal to place it as a unit, for under the law the money had to be borrowed for specific purposes. So it was determined to call for tenders for $1,000,000 for working capital, $1,500,000 for filtration on account of the $5,000,000 loan authorized by the Legislature, and $4,500,000 for general purposes.

The interest is 4 percent, payable in forty years. The tenders are to be all in next Sept. 4.

WILL M'SHANE RUN IN ST. ANN'S WARD?

The latest gossip in the local political field this morning was the announcement that Mr. C. J. Doherty would be opposed in St. Ann's by no less a personality than Mr. James McShane, harbor master of Montreal, formerly Mayor of Montreal and provincial Minister of Public Works. The 'People's Jimmy,' as Mr. McShane was known to everybody, had a great following in those days, and his friends believe that while he has been out of active politics for a few years he has lost none of his enthusiasm. Healthy and hearty yet, in spite of his three and a half score years, Mr. McShane would make a strong fight in St. Ann's, where his power was supreme in times of yore, and his candidature, if proved true, would undoubtedly bring forward astonishing results.

CABINET CHANGES

Orders-in Council Will Likely be Passed To-day—Ministers Meet

Ottawa, Aug. 10.—The Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux and Dr. Beland will likely be sworn in Minister of Marine and Postmaster-General respectively at Murray Bay on Aug. 18. The order-in-council making the cabinet changes will probably go through to-day. The cabinet is meeting twice to-day in an effort to clear the decks for the election.

MEETING AT WINDSOR MILLS.

Windsor Mills, Que., Aug. 10.—Mr. E. W. Tobin, M. P. for Richmond and Wolfe, opened his campaign here last night when he addressed a large meeting in McCabe's Hall. Mr. Tobin was supported by Mr. R. C. Smith, K.C., of Montreal; the Hon. Jacques Bureau, and the Hon. P. S. G. Mackenzie. The Naval Bill and reciprocity were subjects discussed in the afternoon. The same speakers addressed a mass meeting at Richmond.

ONLY TEN DAYS FOR VOTERS' APPEALS.

North Bay, August 10.—Voters' lists in unorganized districts, now being prepared by enumerators, will be allowed only ten days for appeals, as time is so short and lists must be rushed to be in time for the election.

NIPISSING CANDIDATE.

North Bay, August 10.—George Gordon, K.C., M.P., will be the Conservative candidate in Nipissing. The Liberal nomination is still in doubt, and a hot fight is in progress for the honor with A. J. Young, of North Bay, and C. A. McCool, leading. The convention results will be close, but the feeling here is that Young will be the candidate.

NEW LIBERAL HEADQUARTERS.

Toronto, Aug. 10.—The central committee for the Liberal party has been transferred from Ottawa to 36 Toronto street, Toronto, with Mr. F. G. Inwood, Liberal organizer, in charge.

OTTAWA LIBERALS.

Ottawa, Aug. 10.—The Liberal convention last night selected Mr. H. B. McGiverin, the old member, and Ald. J. A. Pinard as their standard-bearers at the general elections. Mr. McGiverin was selected by acclamation, and Ald. Pinard on the first vote.

The political sensation of yesterday was the choosing of the Hon. Mr. Lemieux as the Liberal standard-bearer in Soulanges county. No hint had been given out that such a course would be taken when the Liberal convention opened yesterday at Coteau. Of course it is not known as yet what the Postmaster-General will do in the matter, but the fact in itself is a testimonial rendered to the popularity of the Hon. Mr. Lemieux in the district of Montreal.

SHERBROOKE MEETING.

The Conservatives of Sherbrooke are meeting this afternoon for the purpose of choosing a candidate.

TERREBONNE CANDIDATE.

Mr. Samuel Desjardins has been selected by the Liberals of Terrebonne to oppose Mr. Bruno Nantel, Conservative, the late member.

JOLIETE CONSERVATIVES.

Joliette Conservatives have nominated Mr. J. P. O. Guilbault, notary, Mr. Tellier, the leader of the Conservaties in the Legislative Assembly, was present and with other speakers encouraged the party to hope that success would attend their efforts.

CHICOUTIMI AND SAGUENAY.

The chances at the moment are that there will be three candidates in Chicoutimi and Saguenay, Mr. Girard, the lately unseated member, Mr. B. A. Scott, Conservative, and Mr. Elzear Boivin, Independent.

CONSERVATIVES OPEN CAMPAIGN.

The formal opening of the Conservative campaign in the city will take place this evening, at a meeting which will be held at Conservatives' headquarters, No. 3 Beaver Hall Hill. The organization committee announces as speakers: Messrs. H. B. Ames, C. J. Doherty, J. G. H. Bergeron, Thos. C. Casgrain and L. P. Marechal.

CONVENTION AT CHATEAUGUAY.

The Conservative convention for the county of Chateauguay will be held at Howick on Monday afternoon. Those mentioned in connection with the candidature are Messrs. James Morris and H. Desrosiers. Should the last one be selected, it would destroy the long standing tacit agreement in Chateauguay that the county elects a French-Canadian at Quebec and an English-speaking member at Ottawa.

THREE PROSPECTIVE a CANDIDATES.

The Conservatives of St. Lawrence division will hold their convention on Monday evening. The place of the convention will be announced to-morrow or Saturday. Among the names mentioned as prospective candidates are those of ex-Mayor Ekers, Ald. Robinson, and ex-Ald. Clearihue.

CAPTAIN KILLED.

Fell Off Vessel Eighteen Feet and Fractured Skull.

Kingston, August 10.—As a result of a fall from his vessel last night, Capt. Lewis Morrison, of Sarnia, in command of the steamer 'Acadian,' lost his life. The vessel was at dry dock waiting for a pilot to go to Belleville to load cement for Fort William. He was walking along between docks with Capt James Dougherty, of the schooner 'Keewatin,' when he fell below, a distance of about eighteen feet. His skull was fractured. He only lived for a few minutes. He was about 35 years of age and leaves a widow and two children. The 'Acadian' is owned by the Merchants' Mutual Line. The fall was purely accidental. The remains were sent home to-day.

MAY LOSE LICENSE.

Judge Bazin Takes Stern Measures in Brutality Case.

Paul Lalonde, a saloonkeeper of Point St. Charles, was in court this morning on a charge of assaulting his wife. According to the story of Mr. Garmais, lawyer for the complainant, Lalonde pulled his wife by the hair of the head and threw her down the stairs. Lawyer for the accused asked for a summary trial, which was denied by Judge Bazin, who said 'No, we have so little authority as license commissioners that I want to know all about this case. I will not grant you a summary trial, but I will say this much, if the man is guilty of this charge he will lose his license.

Trial was fixed for to-morrow.

ZIONIST LEADER RETIRES.

David Wolffsohn Relinquishes Office Through Ill-health.

Basle, Switzerand, Aug. 10.—David Wolffssohn, leader of the Zionist movement, since the death of the founder, Theodore Hertzl, has decided to retire because of illhealth. Professor Otto Warburg, of Berlin, may succeed to this office. Herr Wolffssohn presided at the opening of the tenth Zionist conference here yesterday.

HE JUST SMILED

Strange Prisoner Turns Out to Have Wandered From Asylum.

Number 34 on the Recorder's list was a blank in the space allowed for the name of the prisoner. The man could give no name of himself when arrested. He proved to be a young man with a smile for every question put to him. The harsh orders from the policemen who questioned him were answered with the same simple smile of innocent amusement that confronted the questioner when his name was asked.

It was found that he had strayed from the Verdun Hospital and got as far as Lagauchetiere street, where he entered a house, and was making himself at home on the fourth floor. Judge Leet ordered the man, whose name was found to be Watkins, sent to the Arraignment Court, where Judeg Bazin, after hearing the evidence of the prisoner's uncle, ordered his removal to the Verdus institution. When asked by Court if he wanted to go there he said, 'I don't care.'

'NIOBE' GROUNDING.

No Action Has Been Taken Against Commander MacDonald.

Ottawa, August 10.—Questioned this morning as to the report from Halifax to the effect that Commander MacDonald, of the 'Niobe,' would be court-martialled for grounding his ship, and that he had surrendered his sword to Admiral Kingsmill, Mr. Geo. Desbarats deputy minister of the naval branch, said that no such information had been received by him. He remarked that the course to be pursued in regard to the commander would, in all probability, not be decided on until the inquiry into the cause of the accident has been held. Mr. Desbarats also remarked that it is not customary for officers to surrender their swords until they have been found against by court-martial.

ST. LAWRENCE EXTENSION.

Abbe Dubois Suggests Moving Homologated Line.

Abbe Dubois waited on the Board of Control this morning with a proposition to move over the homologated lines of the extension of St. Lawrence boulevard ten or twelve feet to provide two strips of land on each side about 47 or 48 feet in breadth. The present plans contemplated extending the street on a straight line, and this would leave strips on each side, one 63 and the other 33 feet across. The board is considering the proposal.

SUCCESSOR TO CAPT. JONES.

Mr. James Thom, manager of the White Star-Dominion Line, has appointed Captain Jenkins, of Liverpool, as successor to the late Captain Jones as marine superintendent of the White Star-Dominion Line. Mr. Jenkins will take up his new duties to-day.

Captain Jenkins is a native of Liverpool, and held the same position before for the company a few years ago. Since leaving Montreal, Captain Jenkins has been chief officer on the Leyland liner 'Bohemian,' running between Liverpool and Philadelphia.

CORPORAL MORTIMER, OF BISLEY FAME, MAKES POSSIBLE---RESULTS IN STRATHCONA COMPETITION

Conditions for shooting were not very favorable yesterday, when the P. Q. R. A. matches were resumed at Pointe-aux-Trembles, and high scores were not looked for at the 1,000 yards in the Extra series and the Strathcona, which were the first events on the programme yesterday.

There was a nasty 11 o'clock wind, which was troubling the marksmen considerably, and the light was also none too good. Among the prominent visitors to the ranges were Lt.-Col. E. W. Wilson, 12th Brigade; Lt.-Col. E. A. Labelle, 65th Regiment; Lt.-Col. F. W. Fisher, 3rd F.R.C., and Major W. Rodden, 3rd F. R. C.

The Extra Series at 500 yards, shot of Tuesday afternoon, was won by Corporal G. Mortimer, of the 8th R. R. and a member of the Canadian Bisley team, and Gunner J. S. Smyth, of the 2nd C. A., who tied with possible scores of 50, and divided the first and second prize money between them. The following is the result of the Extra Series at 500 yards.

EXTRA SERIES, 500 YARDS.

$9.00—Corp. G. Mortimer, 8th R.R.	50
$9.00—Gnr. J. Smyth, 2nd C.A.	50
$7.00—Pt. A. Parnell, 3rd V.R.C.	49
$3.50—Sgt. Chalmers, 5th R.H.C.	25
$3.50—Capt. Drysdale, 11th Regt.	25
$3.50—Mr. McGregor, L.M.R.A.	25
$3.50—Sgt. H. Peabody, 13th S.L.D.	25
$3.50—Pte. F Porter, 8th R.R.	25
$3.50—Cpl. J. T. Smith, 3rd V.R.C.	25

12 men won $2.00 each.

Cpt. R. Hilrich, 5th R. H. C.	24
Sgt. C. W. McMillan, 8th R. R.	24
Sgt. G. W. Sharp, 2nd C. A.	24
Sapper J. Turnbull, 4th F. C. E.	24
Mr. F. R. Hooker, D. R. A.	24
Mr. W. Pugh, Q. R. C. A.	24
Sgt. W. R. Dunlop, 3rd V.R.C.	24
Major N. R. Moffatt, 13th S.L.D.	24
Capt. V. R. Spearing, 53rd Regt.	24
Cpl. H. Douglas, 5th R.H.C	24
Sgt. R. A. Holland, 3rd V.R.C.	24
Mr. W. J. Kelly, M. L. R. A.	24

TYROS.

10 men won $2.00 each.

Mr. J. Jolicoeur, Q. C. R. A.	24
Pte. G. E. Malone, 8th R. R.	24
Cpl. T. A Reynur, 8th R R	23
Sap. Dalziel, 4th F. C. E.	23
Sap. Geo. Green, 4th F. C. E.	23
Sap. T. Turnbull, 4th F. C. E	23
Sgt T. Niven, 5th R. H. C.	23
Mr. W. R. Damont, R. R. A.	22
Sgt. H. A Peabody, 13th S. L. D.	22
Lieut. P. C Gowen, 8th R R.	22

Green shots. Ten men won $1 each.

Pte. W. G. Cleaver, 5th R.H.C.	21
Mr. J. Atkinons, McGill R.C.	21
Col. J. H. Glithero, 5th R.H.C.	21
Pte. J. B. Neurnan, 3rd V.R.C.	21
Mr. W. Sayers, C.P.R.	21
Pte. W. Lappage, C.O.C.	21
Mjr. C. J. Moffatt, K.R.A.	21
Pte. A. S. Buckle, 8th R.R.	21
Sgt. W. Chalmers, 5th R.H.C.	20
Pte. W. C. Morrison, 5th R.H.C.	20

The results in the Strathcona shoot at 1,000 yrds, which was contested for this morning, are as follows:

Corp. H. Douglas, 5th R.H.C.	31	$20
Mr. R. Moodie, A.R.A.	30	15
Sgt. J. Lytle, 5th R.H.C.	28	12
Pte. J. C. Baldwin, 5th R.H.C.	27	10
Mr. A. Young, Q.C.R.A.	27	7
Lt. P. D. Gowen, 8th R.R.	27	5
Mr. H. Rose, Q.C.R.A.	26	4
Gunner J. Smyth, 2nd C.A.	26	4
Sgt. C. W. Carrie, 8th R.R.	26	4
Pte. W. R. Dunlop, 3rd V.R.C.	26	4
Pte. E. Malone, 8th R.R.	26	4
Mr. W. S. Johnson, M.A.A.A.	25	4
Mr. W. J. Kelley, L.M.R.A.	25	4

$3 each—

Sgt. W. K. Knubley, 3rd V.R.C.	25
Sapper J. Pirrie, 4th F.C.E.	24
Sgt. D. Murray, 5th R.H.C.	24
Cpl. Geo. Mortimer, 8th R.R.	24
Sgt. A. J. McCuskey, 8th R.R.	24
Pte. J. Boa, 5th R.H.C.	24
Mjr. Bruce Payne, 15th F.B.	23
Lt. H. A. Sampson, 53rd.	23
Sapper W. Dalziel, 4th S.C.E.	23
Sergt. C. L. Morrice, 4th F.C.E.	23
Sergt. F. Martin, 8th R.R.	23
Mr. W. W. Creeggan, Q.C.R.A.	22
Mr. W. Ross, Q.C.R.A.	22
Pte. W. Dowker, 1st P.W.F.	22
Pte. F. Fossey, 8th R.R	22
Mr. C. M. Andrews, D.R.A.	22
Sergt. L. Draper, 13th S.L.L.	22
Lieut. D. C. Draper, 13th S.L.D.	22
Sgt. M. J. Quinn, 8th R.R.	21
Sgt. W. Sharp, 3 V.R.C.	21
Pte. A. Parnell, 3rd V.R.C.	21
Bugler G. Carey, 8th R.R.	21
Mr. F. Warner, Q.C.R.A.	21
Q.M.S. J. M. Wallace, P.A.M.C.	21
Corp. J. H. Lavery, 5th R.H.C.	21

RIVALS WILL MEET

Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux Will Surely Meet Mr. Bourassa at St. Hyacinthe

Ottawa, Aug. 9.— There will be a warm time at St. Hyacinthe on Sunday, for Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux and Mr. Henri Bourassa will surely meet on the same platform where a meeting has been called in the interests of Mr. Beauparlant, the Liberal candidate. St. Hyacinthe is the constituency which Mr. Bourassa represents in the Quebec Legislature, and he has announced his intention of being present at the gathering. It was stated on behalf of the Postmaster General this morning that he certainly intends to carry out an agreement already entered into to attend Mr. Beauparlant's meeting, so that it is practically certain now that the Minister and Mr. Bourassa will have an opportunity to thrash out their differences in public.

The Hon. W. S. Fielding will leave for Nova Scotia in time to attend the nomination meeting in Queen's, Shelburne, which is fixed for Wednesday, Aug. 16. Mr. Fielding has no political engagements between now and that date.

CABINET COUNCIL

Ottawa, Aug. 9.—To-day's cabinet council will probably deal with the cabinet changes, although the orders-in-council may not go through till tomorrow. They will in all probability be sent by special messenger to Murray Bay, where Earl Grey will sign them and swear in the ministers. The Hon. L. P. Brodeur was at his office this morning, and goes to the council this afternoon.

MR. TOBIN CHOSE AT SHERBROOKE.

Richmond, Que., August 9.—Mr. E. W. Tobir, M.P., was the unanimous choice of the Liberal Convention held here this morning. This afternoon a meeting will be held to be addressed by the Hon. Jacques Bureau and Senators Mitchell and Lavergne, as well as Mr. Tobin and others. This evening the same speakers will hold a meeting at Windsor Mills.

Sherbrooke, Aug. 9.— The Liberal convention was held at Ayer's Cliff yesterday afternoon, and Mr. C. H. Lovell, the retiring member, was unanimously renominated. Speeches were afterwards made by the candidate and Messrs. Jos. Demers, M.P. for St. Johns; and P. A. Bissonette, M.P.P. for Stanstead.

CITY MAKES OFFER

Move to Purchase Baillargeon Property for Park.

An offer of $19,200 was made to Mr. Baillargeon yesterday for his property, which the city is desirous of adding to Baldwin Park. This proffer is the city's estimated value plus 20 percent. Mr. Baillargeon asked $47,000 for this holding. It is bounded by Fullum, Dufresne and Rachel streets.

POPE NOT SO WELL.

Rome, Aug. 9.—The afternoon report of the Pope's condition was less reassuring than those of the early morning. His temperature while not increased, remains about 100, and the heat of the day, which reached 95 degrees Fahrenheit, exhausted the patient's strength. The most disquieting symptom is the progress of the gout attack, the pains from which have extended from the knee midway to the thigh.

WANT MORE HORSE TROUGHS.

Ex-Ald. H. Markland Molson, president of the society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, asked the Board of Control Tuesday to order the placing of more drinking troughs for horses in the city. Mr. Molson was requested by the Controllers to suggest the places and the design of the troughs in order that an estimate of the cost may be obained.

KEEN EXCITEMENT IN HOUSE OF LORDS; VOTE IS SPECULATIVE

London, Aug. 9.—The Lords' Veto Bill bereft of the frills added by the peers when it was last before in their hands, reappeared in House of Lords this afternoon, but whether it is to be a farewell or only a penultimate appearance cannot be foretold. A counting of heads of the different factions, the 'die hards,' the 'surrenderers,' and the ministerialists has shown the possibility of a vote so surprisingly close that the prophets hesitate to say whether the government will be defeated.

Should the bill be thrown out its next coming to the Upper Chamber will be in the company of a battalion of new barons strong enough to swamp any combination of Unionists.

The House was crowded.

It was the biggest muster of peers since the rejection of the Home Rule Bill in 1893, and Lord Morley was supported by the largest force of Radical peers gathered in the memory of the oldest members. A throng of eager members of the House of Commons crowded the steps around the throne. Peeresses in lightest summer costumes vigorously fanned themselves in a vain attempt to dissipate the overpowering heat. Moving the consideration of the amendments of the House of Commons and the reasons for disagreeing with the Lords amendments, Lord Morley said that the Lansdowne amendment providing for the submission to a referendum of any grave issue before it received royal assent, had raised an inseparable barricade to an agreement between the government and the Unionist majority in the Upper House.

FOLLOWS CANADA'S LAW

London, Aug. 9.—On behalf of the Labor Party, Will Crooks will on Tuesday next introduce in the House of Commons a bill for establishing industrial arbitration courts on the lines of the Canadian act.

Mr. Crooks informs the Canadian Associated Press the bill follows the Canadian legislation closely. In visiting Canada, he said, he thought the arbitration system fine, because it left the worker with the right of striking for what were his rights. In the Canadian system everybody concerned has to show their hand.

ZIONIST CONGRESS.

Five Hundred Delegates in Attendance At Tenth Conference.

Basle, Switzerland, Aug. 9. — The tenth Zionist Congress opened at the City Casino to-day with 500 delegates representing nearly every part of the globe taking part, and some 2,000 spectators in the galleries. David Wolffsohn, of Cologne, the president and chairman of the executive committeed, opened the proceedings. Mr. Wolffsohn, in welcoming the delegates reviewed the immense progress of the Zionist movement since its inception, and despite the great obstacles of the opposition. He declared that it was the ardent desire of the Zionists to become a loyal and useful part of the Ottoman Empire, which throughout history and at present, he said, had been exceedingly kind to the Jews.

The president outlined the work of the Congress, the purpose of which is to strengthen the organization. The delegates received the speech with enthusiasm.

Max Nordau, the writer, followed with an address depicting in the darkest tints the present situation of the Jews in Eastern Europe. Nothing was left for them, he said, but to work out their own salvation, and the Zionist hope is the hope of those Jews who wish to live. Nordau was very optimistic of the possibility of realizing the Zionist ideal.

Nordau was elected president of the Congress, and the first session ended by the adoption of a resolution to give $1,000 to the victims of the recent fire in Constantinople, and the approval of a telegram of condolence to the Turkish Government.

FIRE AT FARNHAM.

Farnham, Que., 9.—Farnham had another fire last night when Rivard's hotel was badly gutted. The fire started in Wentworth's bakery located in the basement. The loss is about five thousand dollars.

WESTMOUNT LIBERALS

Mr. L. A. Rivet Again Chosen as Standard-Bearer.

At a well attended meeting of the Westmount Liberals in the Victoria Hall Tuesday night, Mr. L. A. Rivet, the government candidate, was unanimously chosen to represent that important constituency.

Ex-Mayor Trenholme occupied the chair, and after introducing the candidate asked the meeting for an expression.

MR. L. A. RIVET.

Then Mayor Rutherford, in a complimentary speech, proposed that the Liberals of Westmount nominate Mr. Rivet for a fourth time, and that the gentlemen present pledge them their support.

The motion was seconded by Mr. McPhee and carried unanimously amid great enthusiasm.

Mr. Rivet then addressed the gathering and gave an account of his stewardship, particularly in regard to the securing of a new post-office for Westmount.

Amongst others present were:—Mayor Rutherford, Messrs. Thos. Harling, S. Rutherford, Henry Miles, A. Hutchins, F.W. Hibbard, W. D. Lighthall, J. H. Redfern D. Cameron J. T. R. Laurendeau A McPhee, J. Parsons, G. A. Hand, P. Andrews, D. Harrison, R. McGlaughlin, A. D. Gall and others.

WENT MAD FROM HEAT.

Big Drop in Temperature and Humidity Registered.

Although there has not yet been much of the welcome rain, the heat yesterday has not been anything near that of the last few days. Relief has come, not in the form of rain, but a drop in the mercury, and the humidity has not been so overpowering. Then again a cooling breeze has been blowing, thereby assisting in the reduction of the temperature. Shortly after one o'clock Messrs. Hearne and Harrison's thermometer registered 81 maximum, with minimum for the day of 62.

The reading at McGill observatory at 2.30 showed 80.2, with humidity at 42. At 8 o'clock yesterday morning the thermometer stood at 74 and humidity 60.

Lodarviska Belanger, aged 31 years, died from the effects of a sunstroke, at St. Jean's Asylum, Longue Pointe, Tuesday. Deceased, who was an inmate of the asylum, got out in the sunshine a day or so before his death, and he became a raving maniac from its effects.

The body has been claimed by relatives, and it will be shipped to Louiseville, on the Canadian Pacific Railway, for interment.

OBITUARY.

LIEUT.-COL. THOMAS BOG.

Picton, Ont., Aug. 9. — Lieut.-Col. Thomas Bog, 'Picton's Grand Old Man,' died yesterday, aged 85. Born in Montreal on Dec. 18, 1826, he left Montreal in 1836 to live in Prescott. Here, as an 11-year-old lad he witnessed the battle of the Windmill in the rebellion of 1837-38. Since 1842 Col. Bog's home has been in Picton. In December, 1862, he raised the first company of volunteers which formed a nucleus for the 16th Battalion. In 1865, to quiet the disorders and troubles arising from the St. Alban's Raid, he headed a company of the 16th, and was stationed at Hemmingford, Que., for several months, and was with the battalion during the Fenian Raid in 1866. He retired in 1894, retaining rank after thirty-two years' service. Col. Bog was actively associated with all matters pertaining to the welfare and upbuilding of the town's interests.

THE REV. A. L. GEE.

Toronto, Aug. 9.—The Rev. A. L. Gee, Methodist minister at Simcoe, died yesterday in Muskoka of pneumonia, following a severe general breakdown caused by overwork.

Mr. Gee was 58 years old, and was born in Lincoln County. He entered the Methodist ministry at an early age, and spent all his life in the Hamilton conference, occupving pulpits in Hamilton, St. Catharines, Brantford and Simcoe.

He filled many important posts in the Hamilton conference.

SENATOR FRYE.

Lewiston, Me., Aug. 9. — Williaam Perce Frye, senior United States Senator from Maine, died yesterday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Helen White, at Frye and Main streets, in this city.

THE NEW 'McGILL DAILY.'

The Students' Council of McGill University will this term publish a daily paper along the same lines as the dailies published by the American Universities. McGill's project is particularly ambitious. The local university aims to turn out the largest and most elaborate sheet of its kind in America. The editorial section of the work has been divided into twenty-four departments. The heads of these departments will form a regular editorial staff. Six associate editors and an editor-in-chief will act as supervisers and general organizers. A special feature of the new publication will be the alumni department. An extensive scheme of correspondence with graduate organizations all over the world has already been arranged. It is planned to keep in constant touch with all the 'old boys,' and by so doing stimulate interest in the university. The great medical reunion of this summer with the many events that signalized it, combined with a general spirit of awakened enthusiasm amongst all classes and departments of the university, find their most ample expression in the 'McGill Daily.' Graduates are everywhere responding with generous support, and the paper has every appearance of being eminently successful. McGill enjoys the unique privilege of being the first Canadian university to undertake the publication of a daily paper.

FINANCE

STOCK MARKET UNEVENTFUL---PAINT SHARES

There was very little doing in the way of stock market operations. There was scattered trading in a large number of issues, but price movements were immaterial. A number of people, it seems, are holding back for a few days to see whether or not a break will occur.

The following securities of the Sherwin Williams Co., of Can., will be called on Monday, 14th Aug., 40.000 shares com.; 30,000 shares pref.; $3,000,000 bonds, 6 percent due 1st July, 1941, interest payable 1st Jan. and 1st July.

Wall Street, noon.—Few changes of note occurred in the second hour, the market falling into a rut, the monotony of which was relieved by the weakness of Chesapeake and Ohio, which abruptly declined one point and a half. On the Exchange gossip dealt chiefly with politics, the government crop report to be issued later in the day, and the labor situation as applied to the railways. Bonds were steady.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON BOARD.

Steel Corp—75 at 51 3-4, 25 at 51 3-4.
Richelieu—25 at 120 3-4, 50 at 120 3-4, 25 at 120 3-4.
Detroit—25 at 70 3-4, 25 at 70 3-4.
Winnipeg bonds—$1,300 at 80 7-8.
Rio—30 at 122 3-4, 50 at 122 3-4.
Quebec zonds—$1,300 at 80 7-8, $700 at 80 7-10.
Crown Reserve—100 at 321.
Cement Preferred—121 at 81.
Royal Bank—10 at 238.
Twins—5 at 107.
Sao Paulo—10 at 175.
Cotton—25 at 155.
Rio—50 at 112 3-4.
Toronto.—25 at 159

WALL STREET DULL

New York, Aug. 9.—Wall Street.—2 p.m.—Business grew increasingly dull in the afternoon with further declines. Some issues were out of parity with the previous day's low. Southern Pacific, Missouri Pacific and Southern Railway pfd. sold under. The entire list was heavy and traders held off awaiting the government report.

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE PRICES

Reported by W. P. O'Brien, 57 St. Francois Xavierstreet. Tel. Main 111.

	Sellers	Buyers		Sellers	Buyers
Bell Tel.Co.	....	146	Dom. I.& S.	....	....
B.C.Pk.A.A	93	90	" pfd	102¾	102
B.C.Pk.A.B	93	91½	Duluth com	....	....
Can. Con.	....	34½	" pfd	....	....
Can.Pc-Ry.	240	239½	Halifax Ry	....	145
Crown R've	3.25	3.20	Hav.Elec.	96	....
Detroit Elc.	71	70½	" pfd	....	....
D.Coalcom	....	....	Mex.L.& P	88¾	87½
" pfd.	112½	[illegible]	" pfd	....	....
Ill.Trac.pfd	....	....	M.&St.Paul	135¾	135½
Int.Coal.m	55	45	" pfd.	160	150
Int.C.Cpfd	70	63	Mt.L.H.&P	163	162¾
Int.Port.C	....	....	Mont.St.Ry	224	223¾
L.W'ds.com	....	147	New St. Ry.	....	....
" pfd.	....	....	Mont. Steel	....	....
Laur. Paper	230	226	" pfd	....	....
" pfd.	....	....	Mont. Tel.	148	....
Mackay com	....	....	Nipissing	....	....
" pfd	....	73½	Sao Paulo	177½	175½
Nor.Ohio	....	....	Shaw W&P	114¼	113¾
N.S. Steel	97	96	St. John Ry.	....	....
" " pfd.	....	....	Toledo	....	....
N.W. Land	....	51	Toronto	159⅛	159
Ogilvie com	129	125	Tri City pfd	....	....
" pfd.	....	....	Twin City	....	....
Penma's L'd	57½	56	West India	....	....
" pfd	83	80	Winnipeg	....	237½
R.& O. Nav.	121½	121			
BANKS					
B.N.A.	....	150	Nationale	124	....
Commerce	....	209⅝	N.W.Bruns'k	265½	....
Dom.	226	....	N. Scotia	271	269½
East. T.	....	175	Ottawa	....	208
Hamilton	....	....	Quebec	140	137
Hoch'laga	171	170½	Royal	239	228
Imperial	....	....	Standard	....	....
Merch.	198	....	Toronto	214¾	....
Molson	207	206	Union	....	150
Montreal	269	268			
COTTONS					
Can.C.Cot.	....	15	Dom Tex.pf	98	95
D.Tex.com	65	60	Montreal	155	124
BONDS					
Bell Tel. 5	102½	102	Ke'w'n Mfs	....	102
Can.C.Co. 6	....	99½	L. of Woods	110	108½
Can.Con. 6	88	....	Lau.Paper 6	113	111
Cable	....	....	Mag. I. D. 5	....	....
Dom.Coal 5	98	97¼	Mex.E.L. 5	88	86½
Dom.Cot. 6	100¾	....	Mex.L&P 5	....	92
D. I.& S. 5	94	93½	M.L.H&P 4½	99	98½
Halifax T 5	....	101	Sao Paulo 5	....	....
Hav.El.R 5	....	....	St.John R 5	....	....
Mt.St.Ry. 4½	99¾	....	Texti' S.A 6	98½	98
M. Wareh 6	....	....	" " B 6	....	100
N.S.S.&C 5	....	....	" " C 6	95¼	95
N.Sco.C'n 6	....	....	" " D 6	....	....
Ogilvie M 6	....	113½	T.Y'k.Ra 5	....	....
Series B.	113¼	112	Wes. India 5	....	90
Price Bro. 6	....	....	Win. Elec	105	....
Rio de J n 5	100	98¾	Win Hot'l	99¼	97

SHIPPING NEWS.

RIVER TRAFFIC.

The steamer 'Montreal' of the Richelieu & Ontario Navigation Company will in future only call at Batiscan three times a week instead of every day as before. This is the outcome of the vessel's grounding on Monday last just outside Batiscan harbor, where it remained four hours. The company claim that the government should have the harbor properly dredged, and as it has not been done, they say it is not safe for their boats to call there. No damage was done to the 'Montreal' and she is still running regularly between here and Quebec.

Owing to the very hot summer, the company are doing a brisk business with their river craft. All boats leaving Montreal for Quebec or the Saguenay River are, with few exceptions, taking capacity lists. The new steamer 'Saguenay' is being patronized very well, hundreds of people taking the week-end trip to the beautiful Saguenay River by this popular boat. Boats going to the Thousand Islands and Niagara Falls are also doing a brisk business.

VICTORIAN MAKING GOOD RUN.

The Allan liner R.M.S. Victorian, which sailed from Liverpool on Friday night last at 8.30 for Quebec and Montreal, was reported abeam of Point Amour at 6.30 this morning, and is due in Quebec on Thursday evening and Montreal the following day. This trip looks like being a record. The Victorian holds the blue ribbon for the voyage between Liverpool and Montreal.

Among her passengers are Private Clifford, of the Canadian Bisley team, who won the King's prize for Canada at the recent Bisley meet in England, and two of the famous Corinthian football team who are due to play against Montreal on Saturday.

BOUND FOR MONTREAL.

Carrigan Head	Belfast	July 20
Wittekind	Hamburg	July 29
Monarch	Newcastle	July 31
Montreal	Antwerp	Aug. 2
Lake Manitoba	Liverpool	Aug. 2
Montrose	London	Aug. 3
Manchester Importer	Manchester	Aug. 5
Victorian	Liverpool	Aug. 4
Laurentic	Liverpool	Aug. 5
Hesperian	Glasgow	Aug. 6

WASHINGTON CROP REPORT IS OUT TO-DAY

Washington, Aug. 9. — The August crop reports of the United States Department of Agriculture crop reporting board, issued at 2,15 p.m. to-day shows the condition on Aug. 1, and the yield per acre, as indicated by the condition on that date, of the principal farm crops, with the preliminary estimate of the total yield of winter wheat and rye, as follows:—

Corn, condition 69.6 percent, of a normal, compared with 80.1 percent on July 1, 79.3 percent on Aug. 1, 1910, and 81.2 percent, the average for the past ten years on that date; indicated yield per acre, 22.6 bushels, compared with 27.4 bushels, the 1910 final yield, and 27.1 bushels, the average for the last five years.

Winter wheat, preliminary returns indicate a total yield of about 455,149,000 bushels, as compared with 464,044,000 bushels finally estimated last year, and 450,130,000 bushels, the average annual production in the past five years. The yield per acre is about 14.5 bushels compared with 15.8 bushels in 1910, and 15.5 bushels the average for the past five years. The quality is 92.0 percent tgainst 92.6 percent last year.

Spring wheat, condition 59.8 percent of a normal, compared with 73.8 percent, on July 16, 61.0 percent in 1910 and 82.3 percent, the ten year average. Indicated yield per acre, 10.1 bushels, compared with 11.7 bushels in 1910, and 13.5 bushels, the average for the last five years.

All whett, indicated yield per acre 12.8 bushels, compared with 14.1 bushels in 1910, and 14.7 bushels, the five year average.

Stock Exchange Talks

During the past week the stock markets were quite uneven, says Thornton Davidson and Co. The movements in no case were very wide, but small breaks and rallies succeeded each other in such a manner as to scare practically everyone out except the hardened speculator or the holders of stocks on very liberal margins. The market just now is of the character in which money is rapidly lost and won, according to the fortune of the speculator.

There has been a good deal of talk from time to time regarding the scarcity of money. The fact is, however, that rates continue unchanged at 5 1-2 percent. While money is firmly held, there is by no means what could be called a stringency. It is perfectly true that a number of financial concerns are calling loans; but, on the other hand, it is equally true that others are offering loans.

It would be a rather exceptional situation for there to be a marked stringency of money in this market while the supply in London, New York and other places is so plentiful. Some very good judges are not looking forward to such a difficult situation this fall as many appear to anticipate.

IRON MINES CLOSE DOWN.

Halifax, N.S., August 9.—Instructions have been received from Montreal to close down the mines of the Canada Iron Corporation at Torbrook. As the pumps are being taken up, it is probable that work will not be resumed again this season. The reason given for closing the mine is that the industrial depression in the United States, where half the blast furnaces are idle, is reacting upon this country. About one hundred men are thrown out of employment at Torbrook.

NAGEL ON CONDITIONS.

Chicago, August 9.—Secretary Nagel, of department of commerce and labor, says:—'All lines of business seem prosperous. The labor situation is satisfactory. I favor enforcement of Sherman law, but feel that we should have constructive legislation, as well as laws of regulation. Reciprocity with Canada is the thing.'

BERLIN BOURSE AND RATES.

Berlin, Aug. 9. — Unfavorable New York advices caused weakness on the Bourse to-day.

Exchange on London 20 marks 47 pfennigs for cheques.

Money 2½ percent. Private discount rate 3 percent.

PARIS BOURSE AND RATES.

Paris, Aug. 9.—Trading was quiet, but prices were rather heavy on the Bourse to-day.

Closing—Three percent rentes, 94 fr. 85 centimes for the account.

Exchange on London, 25 francs 26 centimes for cheques.

SUB-TREASURY GAIN.

New York, Aug. 9.—Sum treasury gained $306,000 from banks yesterday, making cash net gain since Friday of $1,241.000.

Kaministiquia Power Company, Limited

5%

First Mortgage Thirty Year Gold Bonds

DUE JANUARY 1st, 1937.

This Company owns extensive water power rights granted in perpetuity on the Kaministiquia River in the province of Ontario.

Net earnings of the Company as at October 31, 1910, were $162,543, which added to the estimated profits of the new extension will amount to over three times the entire bond interest.

PRICE ON APPLICATION.

Royal Securities Corporation, Limited
164 St. James Street, Montreal
Toronto Quebec Halifax
London, Eng.

$100,000,000 NEW BONDS FOR ATCHISON RY.

Boston, August 9.—Atchison has decided to create a $100,000,000 convertible bond issue. President Ripley, in communication to shareholders, says: 'Ample provision of this character seems wise, although at this date it is not anticipated that there will be immediate resort to this method of financing.'

Stockholders will, however, at forthcoming annual meeting, October 26, 1911, be asked to approve issue of $100,000,000 convertible bonds, which directors may from time to time issue under such terms and conditions as they themselves deem expedient.

London Consols, Stocks Silver, Money and Rates

London, Aug. 9, 4 p.m.—Consols for money 78 1-8; do. for account, 78 3-16.

C. P. R., 246 7-8; G. T. R., 29.

Bar silver quiet, 24 1-16 d. per ounce.

Mone, one percent.

Discount rates—Short bills, 2 1-2 percent; thre months bills, 2 5-8 to 2 3-4 percent.

TORONTO SALES

Toronto, Aug. 9.—C. P. R., 250 at 240¼; Mackay, 25 at 85; pfd., 10 at 74; Rogers pfd., 15 at 109; Sawyer-Massey pfd., 10 at 92½, 2 at 93; Con. Gas, 1 at 192½; Black Lake pfd., 7 at 20; B. C. Packers 'B', 120 at 92, 211 at 92; Rio, 70 at 112⅞, 177 at 113, 20 at 113¼, 140 at 113; Trethewey, 500 at 75; Nipissing, 50 at 840; Real Estate, 5 at 99¼; City Dairy, 50 at 51⅛; Porto Rico, 25 at 63½, 75 at 63¼, 25 at 63⅜; Porto Rico bonds, $43,000 at 90; Bell Telephone, 10 at 146; Col. Loan, 12 at 71½; Toronto, 14 at 212; Commerce, 30 at 209, 20 at 210; Imperial, 9 at 225½; Dominion, 3 at 225, Traders, 7 at 145; Coniagas, 68 at 680; Russell M. pfd., 5 at 102.

NEW YORK CURB

New York, Aug. 9.—Following were this morning's quotations on the Curb: —Dome Ext., 64 to 65; Butte, 16¾ to 17¾; Rea, 3¾ to ⅞; Holl, 10⅜ to ½; Vipond, 50 to 51; West Dome, 1⅞ to 2; Giroux, 5½ to ¾; Greene, 6¾ to 7; Inspn., 7⅝ to ⅞; Rubber, 24 to 25; Kerr, 5 to ⅛; Foley, 1⅛ to ¼; Rose, 3 15-16 to 4; McK., 1½ to ⅝; Nip, 8⅜ to ½; Porc. Cent., 73 to 75; Por. Northern, 69 to 71; Amn. Tob., 381 to 84; Yukon, 3⅞ to 4.

SUN SHINING ON WHEAT CROP

Winnipeg, August 9.—A hot sun is shining throughout the prairie provinces to-day, which with the crop at the critical stage, is most beneficial, and will have a tendency to allay the black rust rumors. Harvesting will be general in ten days.

MINING MARKET

Following were this morning's sales of mining stocks reported by Gordon and Shorey:—

Chambers, 2000 at 11.
Crown Chart., 1000 at 34.
Silver Cross, 1000 at 3.
Swastika, 1000 at 46.
Deloro, 500 at 23¼.
Silver Leaf, 3000 at 3.
Crown Reserve, 5 at 3.00, 15 at 3.15.
La Rose, 1100 at 4.00, 75 at 3.00, 50 at 3.95.

UNLISTED STOCKS

Following are this morning's sales and quotations of unlisted stocks as reported by W. P. O'Brien:—

	Bid.	Asked.
Belding Paul Com	29	33
Preferred	87	91
Price Bros. Bonds	85¾	86
Lachine 5 p.c. Bonds	102	103
Breweries Pfd	95	96
Bonds	101	103
Can. Power Stock	44	45
Bonds	76	80
Cereal Bonds	96	97
Preferred	76	78
Hillcrest Com	25	35
Preferred	77	80
West Can. Power	52	54
Bonds	87½	89
Mex. North Power Bonds	66	67
Hollinger	1045	1050
Sherwin-Williams Com	35	36
Preferred	87	88
Wayagamack Com	36	36½
Bonds	74½	75½

MORNING SALES.

Mexican Northern Power, 100 at 21⅞.
Sherwin-Williams Common, 2 at 35.
Sherwin-Williams Pfd., 10 at 87.
Canadian Power Stock, 25 at 44½.

Toronto Cobalt Sales

Toronto. August 9.—Morning sales: Bailey, 2,000 at 4; Beaver, 700 at 45, 500 at 44; Hargraves, 500 at 10; Kerr, 175 at 495; Lit. Nip., 200 at 3, 1,000 at 3 1-2; McKinley, 300 at 160; Nip., 10 at 830; Peterson, 4,600 at 8 1-4, 2,500 at 8 3-4, future; Tretheway, 100 at 75; Coronation, 500 at 18, 1,000 at 17; Dome Extension, 1,500 at 69, 200 at 70; 500 at 67, 500 at 62, 500 at 61, 100 at 60; Foley, 100 at 116; Holly, 150 at 1,050, 305 at 1,040, 300 at 1,03, 15 at 1,035; Northern Exploration, 50 at 450; Pearl, 200 at 55; Porcupine Central, 3,500 at 74, 6,000 at 63; Northern, 2,500 at 61; Preston, 1,000 at 31, 2,000 at 30 1-2, 4,000 at 30 1-4, 8,550 at 30, 1,000 at 31, future: Rea, 100 at 387 1-2, 50 at 390, 100 at 373, 100 at 370; Swastika, 1,700 at 46, 200 at 45; Vioond, 400 at 52, 900 at 50, 500 at 49 1-2, 1,000 at 49 3-4.

GRAIN REPORT.

Washington, Aug. 9.—Condition corn, 69.6; spring wheat, 59.8. Total yield winter wheat, 455,149,000.

THE MERCHANTS BANK OF CANADA.

Quarterly Dividend.

NOTICE is hereby given that a dividend of two and one-half percent for the current quarter, being at the rate of ten percent per annum upon the paid-up Capital Stock of this Institution, has been declared, and that the same will be payable at its Banking House in this city, and at its Branches, on and after the 1st day of September next, to Shareholders of record at the close of business on the 15th day of August.

By order of the Board.

E. F. HEBDEN,
General Manager.

Montreal, July 25, 1911.

THE QUEBEC BANK.

Quarterly Dividend

NOTICE is hereby given that a Dividend of one and three-quarters percent upon the paid-up Capital Stock of this Institution has been declared for the current quarter, and that the same will be payable at its Banking House in this City, and at its Branches, on and after Friday, the first day of September next to Shareholders of record on the 16th of August next.

By order of the Board,

B. B. STEVENSON,
General Manager.

Quebec, 20th July, 1911.

WEAKNESS IN OUR BANKING SYSTEM COMMENTED UPON

The New York representative of the Boston 'News Bureau' writes as follows:—'Canada's system of banking seems likely to be subjected this autumn to a severe test of its ability to meet the currency requirements of the country. Already there is serious talk of issue of excess circulation under the law of 1908; and importation of gold have been made from New York to the amount of $2,500,000 within a few days. Importation of gold is not, of course, an indication of weakness, but rather a wise precaution in meeting demands.'

'Hardly the same thing can be said of the issue of emergency notes, because the previous banking law of Canada gave considerable margin for elasticity and emergency circulation authorized in 1908 was largely a consequence of the crisis of 1907. The movement of the crops in the autumn of 1907 developed such a stringency in supply of currency that an issue of notes was made without legal authority, but with sanction of the government and under the guarantee of the Bank of Montreal. Future issues of this character were authorized by the act of July 20, 1908, up to the amount of 15 percent of paid-up capital and reserve funds, in excess of the existing limit of issue up to par of capital.'

'Rather extravagant eulogies of the Canadian system were heard in this country a few years ago, from those who advocated a general power to issue credit notes on the part of the national banks. These apparently call for some qualification in view of the events of the past few years. An interesting argument recently made lays emphasis on the fact that the chief merit of the Canadian system of branch banking is prevention of cash suspension by banks, but that the comparison is less favorable as to bank failures and losses, and that the system has not contributed to the upbuilding of the nation to the same extent as has the national banking system in this country.'

'It is upon the latter point that the Canadian system is perhaps most open to criticism—that the increase in banking capital has not kept pace with the growth of the country. To this fact rather than to the lack of efficiency among the existing banks is apparently due the inadequacy of facilities for circulation which confront the enormous increase in the productive capacity of the northwestern provinces. Those provinces are practically without banks of their own, and they have not been adequately served by the extension of the branches of the old and conservative banks of the eastern provinces, because the latter institutions have not made sufficient increases of capital.'

'Canada differs from the United States in not being a financial centre. From its geographical and economic position it must necessarily lean to a large extent upon the finances of the United States. Hence in times of panic its isolation preserves it from some of the most serious difficulties of the American system. The extent of country and the volume of business with which it has to deal are not such as to apply such severe tests as in this country. It scarcely affords striking proof of its adaptability to rapid agricultural and industrial expansion that there should already be talk of employing the ultimate resources of note issue enacted only to meet conditions of the most severe stress.'

BIG REDUCTION IN LOANS.

The New York 'Financial Bulletin' says: It is reported that a heavy reduction in loans has again been effected, and is a fact the banks statement will probably make a fairly good showing on Saturday. Demands from the interior for money are growing, however. The loss in cash to the sub-treasury thus far this week is not as heavy as it has been.

IMPORTANT DEALS.

New York, Aug. 9.— It is rumored that after the current unsettlement is over it will be found that certain announcements will be given out showing deals of no small significance. The talk of private transfers of stock and control spreads.

WISCONSIN CENTRAL.

The annual meeting of th Wisconsin Central Railway Company will be held in Milwaukee on Oct. 30. The company has declared the usual semi-annual dividend of 2 percent on its preferred stocks, payable on Oct. 2 to stock of record Sept. 14.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

Messrs. J. S. Bache and Company, Bell Telephone Building Montreal, report the following Chicago prices to-day as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
Sept.	93	93	92	92¾
Dec.	97¼	97½	96¾	96¾
May	102⅝	103	101⅞	102¾
Corn—				
Sept.	65	65⅜	64⅝	65
Dec.	62¾	63	62⅜	62⅝
May	65	65⅛	64½	64¾
Oats—				
Sept	42	42¼	41⅝	42
Dec.	44⅝	44¾	44⅛	44⅜
May	47⅝	47¾	46¾	47¼
Pork—				
Sept	1795	1800	1755	1775
Jan.	1675	1675	1652	1665
Lard—				
Sept.	912	912	895	902
Jan.	875	882	857	875
Short Ribs—				
Sept.	950	952	930	937
Jan.	847	847	835	840

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL NEWS AND STOCKS

LONDON STRIKE FELT LOCALLY BY PRODUCE MEN

The local produce fraternity report that the strike of dock men and other labor associations in London, England' is having a decidedly adverse effect upon the cheese and butter export business.

It is quite reasonable that such conditions should cause a lull in the demand, and that apprehension should be felt by British importers. The dealers will, of course, lose more heavily in the cheese department than the butter, as the local demand for the latter is good, while there is no other market large enough to absorb the former.

A leading merchant here said that even if the strike continues, there will probably be a reaction in favor of local exporters. But the outlook is uncertain, and at present discouraging.

THURSDAY MORNING BOARD.

Power, 60 at 162, 125 at 161¼, 80 at 151, 1 at 162, 50 at 160¾, 175 at 160½, 25 at 160¾, 135 at 160¼, 250 at 160⅛, 50 at 160¼, 25 at 160⅛, 270 at 160, 185 at 159¾, 10 at 160, 2 at 159, 50 at 159¾, 5 at 160, 50 at 159¾, 5 at 160, 75 at 159⅝, 100 at 159¼.

Pacific, 75 at 236⅛.

Detroit, 25 at 70¼, 25 at 70, 25 at 69¾, 20 at 69½, 425 at 69¾, 10 at 70, 125 at 69¾, 12 at 70, 25 at 69½, 100 at 69¾.

Quebec Ry., 15 at 58, 100 at 57¾.

Ottawa L. and P., 25 at 142½.

Porto Rico, 50 at 63.

Telephone, 5 at 146.

Soo Com., 50 at 135, 50 at 134½, 50 at 134¾, 25 at 134½, 25 at 134¼, 75 at 133, 50 at 132, 50 at 133.

Street Ry., 25 at 221, 25 at 220⅛, 50 at 220¼, 25 at 220½, 25 at 220¼, 110 at 220, 25 at 219¾, 25 at 220, 10 at 220¼.

Twin City, 10 at 107.

Mexican, 50 at 86.

Rio, 150 at 112¼, 175 at 112, 25 at 112¼, 25 at 112, 25 at 112⅛, 50 at 112¼, 15 at 112, 25 at 112⅛, 350 at 112, 50 at 112⅛, 50 at 112.

Toronto Ry., 62 at 159, 25 at 158, 25 at 157¾, 75 at 157½, 125 at 157, 25 at 156¾, 75 at 157, 25 at 157¼.

Shawinigan, 60 at 113¾, 50 at 113¼, 25 at 113.

Richelieu, 75 at 120, 50 at 119¾, 100 at 119½, 25 at 120, 50 at 119¾, 120 at 119½, 50 at 119¾, 25 at 119 5-8, 50 at 119½, 225 at 119¼, 10 at 119, 5 at 118 150 at 19, 75 at 118 7-8, 25 at 118¾, 91 at 118½, 4 at 119, 125 at 118½, 125 at 118 5-8, 50 at 119, 50 at 118 7-8, 75 at 118¾.

Sao Paulo, 50 at 174.

Steel Corp., 50 at 51¼, 360 at 51, 10 at 50, 45 at 51, 10 at 51¼, 25 at 50¾, 50 at 50 7-8, 10 at 51, 75 at 50¾, 75 at 51.

Cement pref., 50 at 80¼, 135 at 80, 15 at 80¼.

Crown Res., 900 at 320.

Ogilvie, 10 at 126, 4 at 129.

Coal pref., 5 at 112½.

Woods com., 100 at 148, 5 at 147, 25 at 146¾, 25 at 146½.

Penmans, 30 at 56.

Scotia pref., 5 at 127½.

Asbestos, 150 at 4½.

D. Canners, 20 at 60, 5 at 61.

Scotia, 150 at 95, 10 at 96.

Cement, 300 at 21.

Can. Car, 50 at 65.

Dom. Cot. bonds, $1000 at 100¾.

Steel C. of C. bonds, $500 at 99.

Bank of Montreal, 5 at 269, 48 at 268½

BBank of Commerce, 33 at 209.

E. T. Bank, 6 at 174.

E T. Bank Meeting

At a special meeting of the directors of the Eastern Townships Bank, Mr. H. J. Fuller, president of the Canadian Fairbanks Co., Ltd., and a director of the E. and T. Fairbanks Co. and the Canadian Rand Company, was elected a director to succeed the late S. H. C. Miner.

Sir W. Mackenzie Will Fix Matters at Winnipeg

Winnipeg, Aug. 10.—Sir William Mackenzie will confer with the city on Friday regarding the proposed sale of the Winnipeg Electric Railway holdings to the city.

FLOUR QUOTATIONS.

Manitoba spring wheat patents, firsts, $5.30; seconds, $4.80; Manitoba strong bakers, $4.60; choice winter wheat patents, $4.50 to $4.75; straight rollers, 90 percent., $4.00 to $4.10; straight rollers in bags, $1.75 to $1.85; extras, in bags, $1.60 to $1.65.

NO CHANGE IN HAY.

The market for hay continues firm—No. 1 hay, $14.00 to $14.50; No. 3 extra quality, $12.00 to $13.00; No. 2 ordinary hay, $9.50 to $10.00; No. 3 hay, $8.00 to $8.50; clover, mixed, $10.00 to $7-50.

CONDITION AND SIZE OF CROP IS YET A PROBLEM

Winnipeg, Aug. 10.—Lack of warmth and real steady sunshine is responsible for many late reports to the effect that it will be another two weeks before harvesting is general throughout the west. Cutting has commenced with a vengeance in many districts, but speculation still varies as to the probable average yield, even where cutting is under way.

In several districts it is claimed by crop specialists that cutting will not commence for three weeks or possibly a month, but the concensus of opinion is to the effect that harvest will be in full swing within a fortnight. Rumors and denials of damage to crops continue to flood the city, but all are equally lacking in authenticity. Another big instalment of eastern harvesters are expected within the netx two days.

Earnings of Kingston and Pembroke Railway Were Best in History of Co.

Kingston, Aug. 10.—The annual meeting of shareholders of the Kingston and Pembroke Railway was held here yesterday. It was reported that the past year was the best in the company's history. Extensive improvements were made to the line during the past twelve months, and further work is to be done this year.

The officers of the company were reelected as follows:—President, W. D. Matthews, Toronto; vice-president and general manager, W. R. Baker, Montreal; directors, A. R. Creelman, Montreal; James Oborne, Toronto; H. P. Timmerman, Montreal; W. Harty, J. B. Walkem, Robert Crawford and W. F. Nickle, Kingston.

New York, Aug. 10—Announcement was made by the United States Steel Corporation to-day that the unfilled tonnage on the books of the company on July 31, was 3,584,085 against 3,361,058 tons on the books on June 30.

OPINIONS on the MARKET

Laidlaw & Co.—It is true that the world's requirements of food crops are larger, and that the shortage will tend to increase the cost of living. Nevertheless, the volume of the crops in dollars and cents will be larger, and an enormous cotton crop will compensate in large measure for the shortage elsewhere.

E. & C. Randolph—There was a good market all the way down, but evidently the crop report weakened the speculative situation, as the market during the last half hour did not show the same power of resistance that it did before.

J. S. Bache & Co.—We believe the selling has been entirely overdone, and the prices are much lower than conditions warrant. We look for a decided upturn before the end of the week.

BOLL WORM DEVASTATIONS.

New York, Aug. 10.—Ravages of boll worm are so widespread in the Punjab, India, that unless it can be speedily checked belief is expressed that there may be little or no cotton crop in province this season. Normal crop of Punjab is 250,000 to 300,000 bales of 500 lbs. each.

BRITISH COLUMBIA COPPER.

New York, Aug. 10.— Directors of British Columbia Copper Company at a special meeting yesterday discussed the matter of dividends, but took no action. President Erb said action on the dividend was deferred until the regular August meeting, scheduled for the 23rd. If the quarterly payment is continued, the next disbursement will be due on Sept. 1.

RAIL ORDERS.

New York, Aug. 10.—Carnegie Steel Company reports orders for 1802 tons of bessemer rails, Tennessee Coal and Iron Company reports orders for 1900 tons of open hearth, and Illinois Steel Company orders for 2977 tons bessemer rails. Inquiry is very encouraging. Steel products market is better than at the beginning of current month.

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MANY CHANGES IN THE MAKE-UP OF TOR. ELECT. CO.

Toronto, Aug. 10.—Sweeping changes in the directorate of the Toronto Electric Light Company were made yesterday at the first meeting held since the interests represented by Sir William Mackenzie took control. Sir Henry Pellatt continues as president, but Mr. D. B. Hanna, third vice-president of the Canadian Northern, succeeds Mr. W. D. Matthews as vice-president of the company. Mr. H. H. Macrae retires from the general managership of the company, but becomes second vice-president, this office having been created for him.

The new directors are:—Sir William Mackenzie, Robert J. Fleming, manager of the Toronto Street Railway; D. B. Hanna, Z. A. Lash, general counsel of the Canadian Northern; E. R. Wood, H. H. Macrae, R. C. Brown, and G. A. Morrow. The former directors who remain are Sir Hy. Pellatt, Senator Cox and Frederick Nicholls. One of the old directors, S. F. McKinnon, died last week, while the seven who retire are: W. D. Matthews, H. P. Dwight, W. R. Brock, Thomas Walmsley, L. Goldman, Samuel Trees and Hugh Blain.

LULL IN TRADE IS TEMPORARY SAYS RY. MAGNATE

New York, Aug. 10.—Pres. Jeffery, of Denver & Rio Grande Railroad, after a tour over that road and the Western Pacific, said in Denver:—

'While one is forced to believe that there is a general feeling of uncertainty in commercial life, it cannot be said that the country is suffering from depression; rather, there is a general lull in business, of a temporary character only.

'All over the country business is rather slow. It is evidenced in every line. But this does not mean that there is a financial or a business depression. It means simply a lull in business. I differentiate between those conditions.'

Regarding the commerce commission's long and short haul decision, Pres. Jeffery said: 'I cannot believe that it will have any far-reaching long-lived deleterious effect, as it has been shown that things generally work out for the best in this country, where every one is pushing forward. Doubtless it will have the effect of curtailing, or rather retarding, the purchasing power of the railroads and that will have its effect on business generally.'

More About the Crops

Edmonton, August 10.—Crop conditions are exceedingly promising in Alberta if weather is favorable during August. All grain crops show an exceedingly strong heavy stand, even and well headed, which will turn out heavy yields. If the somewhat too frequent rains which have prevailed throughout July are continued into August, there is some danger that the ripening process may be unduly prolonged in the case of some of the heavier crops.

CHICAGO CATTLE PRICES.

Chicago, Aug. 10.—Cattle receipts estimated at 4000; market strong; beeves, $5.00 to $7.65; Texas steers, $4.50 to $6.25; western steers, $4.10 to $6.40; stockers and feeders, $3.00 to $5.50; cows and heifers, $2.20 to $6.10; calves $5.75 to $8.00.

Hogs receipts estimated at 15,000; market steady; light, $7.20 to $7.80; mixed, $7.00 to $7.80; heavy, $6.85 to $7.70; rough, $6.85 to $7.10; good to choice heavy, $7.10 to $7.70; pigs, $6.00 to $7.65; bulk of sales, $7.25 to $7.65.

Sheep receipts estimated at 12,000; market steady to 10c up; native, $2.25 to $3.75; western, $2.50 to $3.75; yearlings, $3.75 to $4.75; lambs native, at $3.75 to $6.90; western, $4.50 to $7.00.

SUGAR BEET CROPS.

New York, Aug. 10.—Sugar beets are late in developing on account of deficient rainfall in Germany and Austria-Hungary. Soaking rains are needed urgently. Unless relief comes last year's yield of 8,100,000 long tons can under no circumstances be duplicated. The European beet sugar crop two years ago was only 6,137,000 tons.

WOODSTOCK BOARD.

Woodstock, August 10.—Woodstock cheese board met yesterday with a large attendance. Six factories boarded 690 boxes cheese. Bidding was brisk and prices went in an advance of last week. One lot sold at 12 1-8c., two lots at 12 3-16c. and balance was held for the curb and sold at 12 1-4c. A two-dollar fee was fixed for members representing one factory and one dollar extra for each additional factory represented.

CHEESE AND BUTTER.

The cheese market is firm under a fair inquiry, finest western being quoted at 12 1-2c. to 12 3-4c. and easterns at 12 1-8c. to 12 1-4c.

The butter market is steady in tone, with choicest creamery quoted at 23 1-2c. to 24c.

OAT MARKET FIRM.

Oats, No. 2 Canadian western, .42 1-2 to 43c.; extra, No. 1 feed, .42 to 42 1-2c.; No. 3 Canadian western, .41 1-2 to 42c.

TORONTO GRAIN

Toronto, Aug. 10.—Wheat is fluctuating rapidly to-day and the averages of offerings are slightly above yesterday's closing prices. Latest quotations:—Ontario wheat—No. 2 winter, 81c to 82c outside; new, 77c to 78c on cars. Manitoba wheat—No. 1 northern, $1.05; No. 2, $1.03; No. 3, $1.01¾. Oats—Canada western No. 2, 41c; No. 3, 40c at lake ports; Ontario—No. 2 white, 39c to 40c outside, and 42c to 43c on track Toronto. Corn—American No. 2, yellow, 67c c.i.f. Midland. Peas—No. 2, 80c to 82c outside.

Rye—No. 2, 70c to 72c outside. Mill feed—Manitoba bran, $21 in bags; shorts, $23; Ontario bran, $22 in bags; shorts, $23.50. Barley, 65c to 67c outside, for malting, and 55c to 57c for feed. Buckwheat, 50c to 52c outside. Manitoba flour—First patents, $5.10; second patents, $4.60; strong bakers, $4.40. Ontario flour—Winter patents, $3.35 Montreal freights.

TORONTO CATTLE MARKET.

Toronto, Aug. 10—The market is very quiet, especially in good cattle. Common and medium cattle are fairly plentiful, but dealers are not anxious for these classes. Hogs are unchanged.

Export cattle, choice, $6.00 to $6.25; do., medium, $5.65 to $5.90; do., bulls, $4.50 to $5.25; butcher cattle, choice, $5.70 to $6.00; do., medium, $5.40 to $5.65; do., common, $4.75 to $5.25; do., cows, choice, $4.50 to $4.90; do., medium, $3.50 to $4.25; do., common, $2.50 to $3.25; do., canners, $1.00 to $2.00; do., bulls, $3.50 to $5.00; feeding steers, $5.25 to $5.50; stockers, choice, $4.75; do., light, $4.00 to $4.50; milkers, ch., each, $60 to $70; do., common and medium, $25 and $50; springers, $35 to $50; calves, $4.00 to $7.25; sheep, ewes, $3 to $4.25; lambs, $5.75 to $6.50; bucks and culls, 3.00 to $3.50; hogs, fed and watred, $7.70; do., f.o.b., $7.40.

SHIPPING NEWS

INWARD.

Carmonia, arr. New York	Aug.	9
Oceanic, arr. New York	"	9
Uranium, arr. New York	"	9
Neckar, arr. New York	"	9
Arabic, arr. Boston	"	9
Hurona, arr. Quebec	"	9

OUTWARD.

President Lincoln, arr. Cherbourg	Aug.	9
Finland, arr. Antwerp	"	9
Haverford, arr. Queenstown	"	9

The Canadian Northern steamship 'Royal George' left Bristol last night for Quebec and Montreal at 8 p.m., with 121 first, 222 second, and 583 third-class passengers.

LAURENTIC AFTER RECORD.

The Laurentic, of the White Star-Dominion line, was reported yesterday from Belle Isle at 11 a.m. This clips 5 hours off her previous best record, and should she not encounter fog coming up the Gulf, she should reach Montreal on Saturday morning.

THE SAILORS' CONCERT.

The sailors had it all to themselves at the concert at the Catholic Sailors' Club, which was well attended.

Th programme opened with an organ solo by Mr. H. Farroll, SS. Canada; others from the same ship were Messrs. J. O'Neil, R. Ramsay, S. Shaw and P. Laycock. The Tunisian provided Messrs. Collard and Tracy, and A. Cook represented the Lake Erie. Mr. Anderson, of the tug boat, Sir Hugh Allan, delighted all with his baritone songs. Others that sang were Mr. Thomas Dodd and Mrs. Murphy, who rendered 'The Stone at Dan Murphy's Door.' All the contributors were well received. Miss Grace Grant presided ably at the pianoforte.

Next week there will be a special sailors' concert, in which the crew of the SS Laurentic will take a conspicuous part.

THE TUNISIAN'S LIST.

The Tunisian, of the Allan line, which sails to-morrow morning for Liverpool, takes the following saloon passengers: Wm. Agnew, Mrs. Agnew, Mrs. Bruton, Mr. Boyd, Miss Mary Boyd, Mrs. Curren, Miss Curren, Mrs. E. Duggan, Miss E. Denison, the Rev. J. T. Evans, A. W. Fisher, Mrs. Fisher, Mrs. E. Gogarty, Miss Gould, H. S. De Grey, Mrs. De Grey, Mr. De Grey, Mrs. Gagen, Miss E. Gagen, Mr. George Hannah, Miss Jessie K. Hannah, the Rev. H. B. Hunt, Mrs. Hancock, Miss Hambley, Mrs. Hughes, J. N. Henderson, Miss Johnson, Miss Linsdel, Miss L. Mortimore, Mrs. MacBride, Alfred Nichols, Miss Nimmo, Miss Ning, Mrs. Ostler, Miss Mary Peers, R. H. Parsons the Rev. Wm. Stalker, Mrs. Stalker, Miss Stalker, Miss Sherriff, Miss Ford Smith, Miss R. Wyatt Smith, F. F. Stocking, Mrs. Stocking, Mrs. H. Sharpe, Douglas Spencer, the Rev. J. Stevenson, W. H. Hole Toder, Mr. Trotter, Mrs. Trotter, Miss Hilda Towner, Mrs. Brig. Charles Taylor, Miss Hilda Taylor, Hugh Wolfenden, the Hon. J. Wood, Mrs. Wood, A. Whittaker, Mrs. Whittaker, H. J. Williams.

Mr. Geo. Hannah, Miss Jessie K. Hannah.

RECORD PASSENGER LIST.

The Canadian Northern liner Royal Edward, which sailed for Liverpool yesterday morning took just under 200 first class passengers, which is almost a record for this time of year.

INCREASE ELEVATOR SIZE.

Permission has been obtained from the Government by the Harbor Commissioners to add to their new elevator No. 2, now under course of construction. Commissioner Ballantyne said that when the projected improvements had been completed, the new elevator would be able to handle forty thousand bushels an hour inwards, and at the same time despatch sixty thousand bushels outward. Speaking of the complaints which have lately been made in regard to the manner in which grain boats were held up here through lack of elevator space, Mr. L. E. Geoffrion stated yesterday that those responsible for bringing the grain down to Montreal had only themselves to blame if their vessels did not get quick despatch. Every dealer here knew the situation, and if he was silly enough to bring his grain down here by the boat load, knowing that there was no available space, then it was his own fault, and he could not very well blame anyone else."

VESSELS COLLIDE.

Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., Aug. 10.—The steamer 'Kaministiquia' bound up light for Fort William, and the steamer 'Ellwood', were in collision just above the Canadian lock yesterday. The 'Kaministiquia' took a sheer as she left the dock, striking the 'Ellwood' which was tied up at a pier, waiting to lock down. Both vessels were somewhat damaged, but were able to proceed without waiting for repairs.

WHEEL DROPPED OFF.

The steamer 'Gerona' belonging to the Ontario & Quebec Navigation Company, met with an accident while on her trip from Montreal to Toronto. She was proceeding through the Cornwall canal, when one of her wheels came off and was later picked up by the seamer 'Alexandria' and will be brought back to Montreal on Friday.

GULF REPORT.

10.30 A.M.

Cape Salmon, 83.—Clear, west; inward at 4.30 a.m. Manchester Exchange.

Father Point, 160—Clear, west; inward at 11.10 p.m. yesterday Bornu.

Little Metis, 180—Clear, southwest; inward at 8.30 a.m. Chr. Knudsen.

Martin River, 260—Clear, southwest; inward at 7.40 a.m. a 2 masted steamer; 8.15 a.m. Victorian.

Cape Magdalen, 294—Clear, southwest; inward at 7.20 a.m. Monarch; at 6.30 a.m. Batiscan and Kronprins Olav.

Fame Point, 325—Clear, southwest; outward at 7 a.m. Gaspesien; 5 p.m. yesterday a barque and Felix; 3 p.m. Gladstone.

Anticosti—

West Point, 337—Clear, west wind; inward at 10 p.m. yesterday Querida.

Money Point, 584—Cloudy, southwest; outward at 8 a.m. a steamer.

Flat Point, 584—Cloudy, south; inyard at 4.30 a.m. Louisburg; outward at 6.30 p.m. yesterday Wegadesk; 9.00 p.m. Kinmount.

Point Amour, 662—Foggy, west; inward at 2.55 a.m. Laurentic; 5 a.m., Wittekind; 9.20 a.m. 80 miles east Lake Manitoba.

Belle Isle, 723—Cloudy, west; 6 bergs.

Quebec, 139—Arrived down 7.25 a.m. Montreal; outward 6.40 a.m. Carleton; 7 a.m. Omaha.

OBITUARY.

WILLIAM A. DEERING.

New York, August 10.—William Alloway Deering, advertising manager of the New York 'Sun,' is dead at his home here, after a short attack of pneumonia. He was born in Toronto in 1858, and did newspaper work in several Canadian cities before coming to New York.

POLITICAL AUTHOR DEAD.

Berlin, August 10.—Heinrich von Poschinger, the noted political writer and author of many works on the life of Bismarck, died to-day. He was born in Muenchen on August 31, 1845.

WEATHER PLEASES THE WEST.

Winnipeg, August 10.—It is fair and hot all over the West to-day, and the farmers are elated. Harvest will be on in another week generally with this sort of weather.

Pianos To Rent

Pianos rented from $2.00 per month upwards. Six months' rent allowed if purchased. One-price system and easy terms of payment. Sole agency for Steinway and Pianola Pianos. Daily demonstrations at NORDHEIMER'S, Limited, 610-612 St. Catherine street west, corner of Mountain street.

PERSONALS.

The Hon. Clifford Sifton was at the Windsor yesterday.

Mrs. G. I. Campbell is sojourning at 'Hillcrest,' Knowlton.

Dr. Rankine Dawson, of London, is visiting Lady Dawson at Little Metis.

Miss M. Cassils is visiting at Little Metis, the guest of Mrs. W. C. Hodgson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Agnew are sailing by the 'Tunisian' on Friday for England.

Dr. W. E. Nelson and Mrs. Nelson are spending some time at Kennebunk.

Mr. C. H. Egg and Miss Egg are spending a few weeks on the Maine Coast.

Mr. E. F. Hebden has arrived in Vancouver after a tour of the Western Provinces.

Mr. George Hannah and Miss Jessie Hannah are sailing to-morrow for a trip abroad.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Burrell and family will spend a few weeks at St. Gabriel de Brandon.

Mr. and Mrs. I. P. Rexford are guests of the Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Rexford at Knowlton this week.

Dr. W. Grieve Nichol, St. Matthew street, left town last evening for 'Hillcrest,' York Corner, Maine.

Major John T. McBride has gone to St. John, N.B., to attend the banquet to the Hon. J. D. Hazen this evening.

Captain Victor Pelletier, A.D.C. to the Lieutenant-Governor, and Mrs. Pelletier, have gone to Murray Bay.

Miss Robins, of Macdonald College, will spend some time with her sister, Mrs. Burrell, at St. Gabriel de Brandon.

Mr. Alwyn Forneri, of the Standard Bank, is spending his holidays with his father, the Rev. R. S. Forneri, of Kingston.

Mrs. A. W. P. Buchanan is returning from England this week, and will spend the remainder of the season at Murray Bay.

Mrs. P. MacGowan, of Lachine, and Mrs. W. Kelly, of Montreal, are spending a few weeks at Ste. Therese de Blainville, Que.

Mrs. A. D. MacTier, with Miss Adeline and Master Stuart MacTier, arrives home from Great Britain about the end of this month.

Mr. W. Wainwright and his daughters, Miss Wainwright and Miss Gladys Wainwright, who have been visiting in England this summer, are expected home shortly.

Miss Constance Munro, undergraduate at Roosevelt Hospital, New York, is at present on her vacation, and is staying with her father, Dr. Alex. Munro, Dorchester street west.

The wedding was celebrated at Buenos Ayres, Argentine Republic, of Frances Penelope, eldest daughter of the Rev. W. H. Garnham, Cayuga, Ont., to Dr. R. H. Barker, of Buenos Ayres, formerly of Burford, Ont., and a graduate of the University of Buffalo, and also of New York State University. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. E. N. Bauman, of the American M. E. Church.

REAL ESTATE HAPPENINGS

DISPUTE SETTLED.

A settlement has been reached in the dispute between the Dominion Flour Mills Company, Limited, and the city over the erection of the new mills in St. Henry, and to-day a permit was granted. The structure will be erected on St. Ambroise street, and it is to cost $60,000. Mr. J. A. Jamieson is the architect.

BUILDING FOR BISHOP.

Bishop Farthing has obtained a permit for the erection of a $2,500 residence, at the junction of St. Charles and Snowdon avenue, Notre Dame de Grace.

RESIDENCE PERMITS.

Other permits granted were:—Mrs. G. T. Hyde, for a residence, on Westmount avenue, to cost $10,000, and Mr. Antoine Borien, for a house on Sherbrooke street east, to cost $10,000.

MUST PRODUCE BOY.

Chicago, Aug. 10. —'oYu are at liberty, but you must produce the boy by six o'clock to-night,' the police last night told Philip Mareno, 20 years of age, brother of six-year-old Angelo Mareno, who has been missing from his home since last Saturday.

The demand on Philip Mareno was made after he had been questioned for two hours at the police station. The police had satisfied themselves that a family feud exists in the Mareno family.

Notwithstanding the faith placed by Inspector Revere in the theory that relatives had kidnapped him, detectives were sent to various parts of the city last night to follow up clues.

IS NOT A FUGITIVE.

New York, Aug. 10.—Marius Jean, the Paris manager for the Credit-Foncier Americaine, for whose arrest in connection with that concern a warrant was issued in Paris on Tuesday, is in this city and is making his headquarters at the offices of the company at 27 William street.

On hearing of the warrant against him Marius Jean said he called on the French consul here and told him where he could be found. He declared that he was not a fugitive from justice as he had left France a week before the warrant was issued. He said he came here to realize on the concern's securities, and pay the investors.

FOUND DEAD ON ROAD.

Berlin, Ont., Aug. 10. — George Nichols, aged 34, a baker of New Dundee, was found dead on the road one mile from that place early yesterday. He was returning from German Mills with a load of flour when an accident to his waggon threw him into the ditch, breaking his neck. He was a married man, coming from England a year ago.

DRAMATIC CRICKET DEAD.

San Francisco, Aug. 10. — Peter Robertson, who for many years was dramatic critic on San Francisco papers, and who established a country wide reputation as a poet and originator of the jinks of the Bohemian Club of San Francisco, died at Boles Springs, yesterday, at the age of 64. He was born at Vale of Levan, Scotland, and came to California in 1875.

RUSSIANS VISIT CANADA.

Guelph, Aug. 10.—Wenceglas Kotchetkoff, of Moscow; Dionysius Roodsinsky, of Moscow, and S. Eghis, of St. Petersburg, were in the city yesterday, being on a tour of the country. They are greatly impressed with the possibilities of Canada and the wonderful progress already made, and were much impressed with the Ontario Agricultural College.

WEATHER TRICKY AT POINTE-AUX-TREMBLES

Unfavorable weather conditions greeted the competitors at the opening of the third day of the P. Q. R. A.'s meet at Pointe-aux-Trembles. A tricky wind was blowing, and the marksmen are complaining greatly of the mirage effects which are causing them great trouble in properly locating the targets. The wind is exceedingly gusty, as may be imagined when one of the marksmen this morning made two bullseyes in succession after having changed his range as much as nine points for the second shot.

The sensation of the meet so far has been the shooting of Corp. H. D. Douglas, the crack young marksman of the 5th R. H. C., who is shooting in the most steady form. If he can keep up his present average at the forthcoming meet of the Oominion Rifle Association in Ottawa, which takes place during the next two weeks, there is a strong likelihood of the young Scot making a bold bid for next years' Bisley team from Canada, which is selected from the 20 best shots at the meeting of the Dominion Rifle Association.

To-day the chief competition is the Active Millia and Battalian Mttch, value $485, which will take up the entire day of the competitors, and will not be finished till late.

ASSOCIATION MATCH.

Corp. H. Douglas, of thej 5th R. H. C., won his third match of the meet by capturing the Association match at 600 and 800 yards. The results of the match are as follows:—

$20—Corp. H. D. Douglas, 5 R.H.C.	67
$15—Pte. A. Parnell, 3rd V.R.C.	66
$12—Sgt. W. K. Knubley, 3 V.R.C.	66
$10—Mr. A. H. Taylor, A.R.A.	65
$ 7—Sap. J. Pirrie, 4th F.C.E.	65

Two at $5 each.

Corp. Geo. Mortimer, 8th R.R.	65
Pte. J. Boa, 5th R.H.C.	65

Six at $4.

Mr. W. Pugh, Q.C.R.A.	64
Pte. S. H. McKennedy, 8th R.R.	63
Sgt. M. J. Quinn, 8th R.R.	63
Sgt. W. Mills, 3rd V.R.C.	63
Capt. W. Drysdale, 11th Rgt.	63
Capt. C. K. Fraser, 53rd R.R.A.	63

Thirty-four at $3.

Pte. A. McMillan, 8th R.R.	63
Lt. T. Pugh, C.A.C.	62
Sgt. T. Hogge, P.W.F.	62
Lt. H. A. Sampson, 53rd R.R.	61
Sgt. W. Sharp, 3rd V.R.C.	62
Corp. G. Copping, 9rd V.R.C.	61
Mr. J. Atkinson, McGill R.C.	61
Corp H. Buchanan, 5th R.H.C.	61
Sap. W. Dalgiel, 4th F.C.E.	61
Lt. P. D. Gowen, 8th R.R.	61
Gr. J. W. A. Sharpe, 2nd C.A.	61
Mr. W. J. Kelly, L.M.R.A.	61
Mr. C. A. Wood, Q.C.R.A.	61
Sgt. C L. Morrice, 4th F.C.E.	61
S. S. D. Mackay, 5th R.H.C.	60
Mr. W. R. Dumont, R.R.A.	60
Mr. E. S. Hill, Q.C.R.A.	60
Mr. A. MacGregor, A.R.A.	60
Maj. N. R. Moffatt, 13th S.L.D.	59
Mr. A. E. Swift, A.C.R.A.	59
Gr. J. Smyth 2nd C.A.	59
Sgt. A. J. McCusker, 8th R.R.	59
Sap. J. Turnbull, 4th F.C.E.	59
Pte. E. Malone, 8th R.R.	59
Lt. R. J. McHarg, 8th R.R.	59
Sgt. C. W. Carey, 5th R.H.C.	59
Sgt. Ivory Lytle, 5th R.H.C.	59
Maj. McMartin, 13th S.L.D.	59
Sgt. T. Niven, 5th R.H.C.	58
Sgt. C. W. McMillan, 8th R.R.	58
Mr. E. C. Shaffer, C.P.R.	58
Sgt. P. C. Harmon, 1st P.W.F.	58
Gr. G. H. Sharpe, 2nd C.A.	58
Corp. J. T. Smith, 3rd V.R.C.	58

Tyros—33 at $3.

Q.M.S. J. M. Wallace, P.A.M.C.	58
Pte. J. Ryder, C.V.C.	58
Sgt. J Antle, 4th FC.E.	57
Pte. F. A. Fossie, 8th R.R.	56
Pte. J. Sawder, 1st P.W.F.	56
Mr. L. W. Stevens, R.R.A.	56
Bugler G. Carey, 8th R.R.	56
Pte. J. C. Baldwin, 5th R.H.C.	55
Sgt. H. S. Peabody, 13th S.L.D.	55
Pte. R. A. Holland, 3rd V.R.C.	55
Sgt. A. E. Smith, 5th R.H.C.	54
Lt. A. H. Charles, 4th F.C.E.	54
Sap. G. Green, 4th F.C.E.	54
Corpl. E. W. Dickson, 5th R.H.C.	54
Pte. D. A. Campbell, 3rd V.R.C.	53
Sgt. H. A. Peabody, 13th S.L.D.	53
Mr. M. E. Hastings, B.R.C.	53
Mr. R. W. Martin, G.R.A.	52
Sgt. L. Finnie, 3rd V.R.C.	52
Mr. E. Robertson, A.R.A.	52
Mr. E. Moore, R.R.A.	52
Sgt. H. G. Peittre, 5th R.H.C.	51
Copl. J. H. Lavery, 5th R.H.C.	51
Pte. F. Cook, 1st R.W.F.	51
Sgt. M. H. Murphy, 8th R.R.	51
Lt. H. A. Holden, 13th S.L.D.	51
Mr. R. Struckers, A.R.A.	50
Copl. C. H. Hughes, 3rd V.R.C.	50
Mr. G. T. Keith, G.R.A.	50
Copl. R. Hillrick, 5th R.H.C.	50
Sap. W. P. Simpson, 4th F.C.E.	49
Pte. W. Cleaver, 5th R.H.C.	49
Pte. J. Cluff, 3rd T.R.C.	49

Green Shots—20 at $2.

Corp. T. A. Reynor, 8th R. R.	48
Sgt. L. Draper, 13th S. L. D.	47
Pte. R. S. Morrison, 5th R.H.C.	46
Mr. C. E. A. Harper, G. R. A.	45
Capt. C. J. Moffatt, K.R.A.	44
Pte. F. Stratham, C. O. C.	43
Sgt. D Murray, 5th R H C	42
Pte Whappage, C. O. C.	41
Pte. H. McKinney, 5th R. H. C.	41
Pte. W. Lamont, 5th R. H. C.	41
Gunner F. Marchant, 2nd C. A.	39
Capt. M. C. Copeland, 11th Regt.	38
Sgt. W. Chalmers, 5th R. H. C.	35
L.-Cpl. J. H. Glithero, 5th R.H.C.	35
Sgt. C J. Earley, 5th R H. C.	34
Mr. F. Farnsworth, C. P. R.	34
Mr. W. Sayers, C. P. R.	34
Cpl. J. Cassidy, 5th R H C	32
Pte. A. S. Buckle, 8th R.R.	29
Pte. E. P. Scott, 3rd V. R. C.	28

TEAMS.

$20.00—3rd V. R. C.	313
$15.00—5th R. H. C., 1st team	299
$10.00—8th R. R.	295
Q. C. R. A.	295

TYRO TEAMS.

$12.00—8th R. R.	241
$10.00—4th F. C. E. 1st team	239
$ 8.00—3rd V. R. C.	224
$ 6.00—5th R. H. C., 1st team	207

STEEL WITNESS DENIES.

Washington, August 10.—George W. Perkins, director of the United States Steel Corporation, testifying before the house steel trust investigating committee to-day, created a stir when he jumped to his feet and branded as false a charge that the panic of 1907 had been started to ruin certain banks.

Representative Bartlett asked Mr. Perkins whether such was not the case, and the New York financier was on his feet in a second, saying: 'Such a charge is absolutely false. There is not a scintilla of truth in it.'

The governments separation of the Standard Oil Company into thirty-three parts, Mr. Perkins declared, was certainly a warning to corporations. He suggested that something should be done to relieve the present condition under which, he continued, corporations could not continue to exist.

DOG CAUSED RUNAWAY.

St. Mary's, Ont., Aug. 10.—While driving home from St. Mary's, Mr. and Mrs. McVey and Miss Cameron, of Devizes, met with an accident. The mad rush of a dog frightened the horse, which ran away, bumping over a ditch and crashing through a wire fence. The buggy was completed demolishel, and in the smash Mrs. McVey's arm was broken, while Mr. McVey and Miss Cameron escaped very luckily with a number of painful wounds and a bad shaking up.

SAVED BOY'S LIFE.

Cobalt, August 10.—James Cornel, engineer at the fire station at Cobalt Lake, saved the life of Theodore Barkel, a newsboy, yesterday afternoon by diving into the lake after him. Barkel was playing on the bank and fell into deep water. Cornell had difficulty in reaching land as the boy grasped him round the neck. This is the second time in two months that Cornell has saved a child from drowning at the same spot.

UNITED SHOE INQUIRY.

Boston, Aug. 10.—The investigation of the business methods of the United Shoe Machinery Company, which controls many patented machines in shoe factories of Canada, Great Britain and the United States, has not been completed by the federal authorities. The grand jury, which was summoned in July to hear the evidence, presented by the federal officials, is still in session, and a report is not expected beore next week.

AUTOIST KILLED.

Rochester, N.Y., Aug. 10.—Frank H. Whillock, of the firm of Whillock Brothers, merchants of this city, was killed last night at Scottsville, in an automobile accident caused by the bursting of a tire. H ewas thrown out on his head. Four other occupants of the car escaped.

WASHOUT AT SCHREIBER.

North Bay, August 9.—C. P. R. trains are again running on schedule time after trouble for several days, caused by a washout at Schreiber, making long delays to freight and passenger traffic. Passengers were transferred around to trains each side of the washout, but a delay of many hours resulted.

CORONATION HALL CASE.

Enquete proceedings in the case of Sinclair brothers and Millman, the owners of Coronation Hall, where A. Lebrovitch lost his life, were on the docket for to-day and on account of the Crown Prosecutor being not ready to go o nwit hthe hearing Judge Bazin set the case for peremptory trial tomorrow at ten o'clock.

DEATH AMONGST THE CREES.

The Rev. Edward Paupanakis Passes Away After Years of Faithful Service.

(From a Correspondent.)

Many of those who have the best interests of the native races of Canada at heart will read with sorrow of the death of the Rev. Edward Paupanakis of Norway House. For over 20 years the faithful friend of the Indian, his death creates a gap amongst the missionaries of the Methodist Church that it will be hard to fill. Those who had the opportunity of hearing him preach could not help being influenced by the fervency of his speech and by the eloquence of his diction, in Cree he could hold his audience spellbound, whilst he had a fine mastery of English. Converted under the ministry of the late Egerton Young, he was early used as a lay preacher and won the respect of the officials of the Hudson Bay Company, by the faithful way in which he discharged his duties whilst in their employ. Ordained by the late Dr. Sutherland, Secretary of the Methodist Church, he lived to see churches built at different points in the Cree Reserve. In his younger days he travelled much, carrying the Gospel message to his less fortunate brethren.

In his early days he won the respect of the company for his faithful service; in his old age he won their respect for his consistent and manly Christian life.

He was known amongst the people as Edward, and also amongst the whites. He outlived all his brothers, being in his 71st year when death overtook him. He had gone to Norway House with the intention of holding services for the people fishing at Warren Landing, when he was seiezd with an attack of peritonitis; a messenger was immediately despatched and the factor of the H. B. C. placed a Tug at the service of his wife, and did all that was possible to get medical aid, but to no purpose, and he died on Wednesday, July 26th.

The remains were conveyed to Rossville Mission and placed in the church, where he had preached so often on the Thursday, just 24 hours after we had received the first news of his illness, Mr. C. C. Sinclair and his staff at the Fort did all in their power to help his widow in her trouble, kindly placing Tug at the disposal of the Funeral Committee, coming over and personally superintending the transport of the remains to the little cemetery to the west of the Fort. This was greatly appreciated, as it was blowing a gale over the lake at the time. In the absence of the Rev. J. A. Lously, who was away on a missionary trip of inspection, the burial service was conducted by the native Christian leaders. William Moare, the chief, Jacob York and Thoms Belton, in solemn eloquence, paying a last tribute to their departed friend. Mr. Blackford responded for the Government in the abseince of the agent, Mr. C. C. Calverley, who was away paying Treaty, pointing out in a few brief, but well chosen words how the deceased won the respect of all by his honesty of purpose, and his genuine and unselfish work on behalf of his people. Willing hands tastefully and appropriately decorated the church, the service in English being taken by Mr. H. F. Wildgoose, who spoke from 2 Tim. iv., 7-8, and in a few well chosen words summed up the lessons and the Inspiration to be gained from such a life. Mrs. (Rev.) J. A. Lousley ably conducted the musical part of the service both on the day of the funeral and the Sunday following. The Methodist Church is the poorer and not only it, but the Dominion, as a whole, can ill-afford to lose such citizens as the one we laid under the sod on July 28th, 1911.

MAN-LIKE MONKEY COMING.

Charlie the First, a chimpanzee, will come to town with the Barnum and Bailey circus. He is the greatest bicycle rider, roller skater and acrobat in the world. He gives a performance all by himself on one of the stages. He eats with knife and fork and wears the clothes of a man. He can shave himself.

THE PLAZA

Free Auto Excursions.

Every afternoon, at 2.30, I run an Auto Excursion to the Plaza from 517 St. Catherine Street West FREE for people who want to see this much talked of property. The location and prices of Lots will please you. Call, write or phone for an appointment.

C. C. COTTRELL

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**11 8.30 a.m. Emp of Britain, Can Pacific.
11 9.00 a.m. St. Louis, American.
11 6.15 p.m. Oceanic, White Star.
**12 12.30 p.m. Canada. W. S. Dominion

*Letters may be posted up to 6.15 p.m.; other matter should be posted before 5.00 p.m.

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Letters for the above mails may be posted at Station 'B' up to within 15 minutes, and at Station 'C' up to within 30 minutes of the above mentioned hours of closing.

*Matter for Registration closes at 5.30 p.m.

*Letters for Registration should be posted three-quarters of hour before closing of mail.

A VETERAN EDITOR.

Mr. James on His Thirty-fourth Year as Proprietor of the 'Statesman.'

With the issue of the 'Canadian Statesman' of Bowmanville, Ont., for August 3rd., Mr. M. A. James entered upon his 34th year as its editor, publisher and proprietor. Mr. James assumed the proprietorship on August 1st, 1878, when he succeeded the late editor, Mr. W. R. Climie, who had published the 'Canadian Statesman' for over a quarter of a century, and to this day Mr. James has continued in uninterrupted possession of the paper.

During his editorship of 33 years, Mr. James has seen many wonderful and far-reaching changes take place, not only in the territory in which he is so well-known and highly esteemed, but also throughout the entire Dominion. In his own district the schoolboys of thirty-three years ago have grown up, many of them have entered the political arena, have written M.P. or M.P.P. after their name, and have dropped out.

Bowmanville itself has altered not a little in the 33 years in which Mr. James has seen it pass through times good and bad, successful and unsuccessful, hard and easy. Civic improvements have placed the town at least on a level with others of its size throughout the Province. Modern sidewalks have been laid, new churches and schools have been built, industries have come in and settled in the town and vicinity, electric lights have replaced the old style coal oil system of illumination, and transportation facilities have been added which place the town at once in the forefront of those of its size as a manufacturing centre.

The greatest change, however, according to Mr. James has only occurred within the past two years, and his own description of the matter is so interesting that it is best to let him speak for himself, which he does in his retrospect as follows:—

'We have seen thirteen licensed hotels and liquor stores with their terrible output of degraded men; we have seen several hotel keepers with members of their families go down to early graves through drink, and, thank goodness! we have seen the town for the past two years under local option with a splendid business being done and many families happy, prosperous and living in comfortable homes, who knew the hardship of a drunkard's home under license; we have seen commercial men scurrying round town in an endeavor to get out of town by late trains rather than stay in the noisy, ill-kept, licensed hotels, but now the scene is changed. Two well-kept, clean, orderly home-like temperance hotels—the pride of the town have taken their place, and travelling men come to them to enjoy a quiet night's rest and sleep.'

The 'Statesman' to-day is a vigorous, well-edited weekly newspaper, which leads public opinion rather than follows it, and its editor is one of the most respected journalists in Ontario.

GUILTY OF FRAUD.

F. M. McKeown and W. H. McBeth New York, Convicted at Ottawa.

Ottawa, August 10.—The case against F. M. McKeown and W. H. McBeth, charged with securing money from the Traders' Bank under false pretences, came up before Judge Mactavish in the County Court yesterday and the men were found guilty. Sentence was deferred.

LACK OF FIRST AID FATAL.

Three Rivers, Que., August 10.—A young man by the name of Brosseau, employed by the Wayagamack Pulp & Paper Company, was drowned at the island shortly after noon yesterday. He had gone in bathing with a companion, who did his utmost to save him. When Brosseau was taken out of the water he was still breathing faintly, but those about him evidently had not the slightest knowledge as to what should be done under the circumstances and the young fellow expired shortly after. He was about nineteen years of age, and a resident of this city.

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THURSDAY, AUGUST 10, 1911.

The 'Witness' has shown that in 1891 the Macdonald Government dissolved Parliament on the question of reciprocity with the United States, and that Sir John issued a now famous manifesto favoring it. Our readers, Conservative and Liberal alike, will read with interest the following address to his constituents by Sir John Thompson, then Minister of Justice in the Macdonald Government, as an additional proof, if any were needed, that Mr. Borden was suffering from mental aberration when he declared that reciprocity would reverse the policy of this country for the past forty years. The address reads:

> At the election which will take place on the 5th day of March, I will be a candidate for re-election as a member of the House of Commons for the County of Antigonish.
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> The government, of which I am a member, is appealing to the country with a policy which we believe will be heartily endorsed by a great majority of the electors. We have made to the Government of the United States, through the Government of Great Britain, proposals for reciprocity in trade, which we have good reason to believe will result in an arrangement by which the markets of the United States will be reopened to the products which our people desire most to send there.
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> A fair measure of reciprocity is what we desire, and we have no doubt that that can be obtained without undue sacrifices.
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> I respectfully ask your support and votes, and I pledge myself to serve the best interests of the country, if I should be honored by a renewal of the confidence which was reposed in me at the last elections, and for which I shall be forever grateful. I remain, gentlemen, your obedient servant.
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> JOHN D. THOMPSON.
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> Antigonish, Feb. 24, 1891.

And, as will be seen, that is only twenty years ago. The Conservative party was elected on the reciprocity cry. It remained in power until 1896, and it never ceased to beseech our neighbors for reciprocity until the time it was turned out. And that is only fifteen years ago.

The chief object of becoming mayor of Montreal would appear to be that one may spend a large part of one's term abroad flourishing the title of his office, and doing such nominal services for the city as will give the magnate a claim for travelling expenses. We have a system by which the duties of mayor outside of those of controller are borne by the aldermen in turn. When an alderman becomes acting mayor it seems needful for him to cast about, and see if he also cannot make a foreign progress in the name and at the expense of the city. The present acting mayor has certainly found a most felicitous occasion for disporting his honors abroad with his tail on, as the Highland Chiefs used to call their entourage of Dhuniwassals, the tail in this case being Mr. Bauset, the assistant city clerk. The occasion was a visit to congratulate the mayor of that city on not having been killed, and to read him in the Japanese mode, a poetical eulogium on his great writing. Mr. Gauvin should surely take a tour of other municipal high places before he returns. Are there not other aldermen who would be greatly pleased to preside in his absence? Indeed, why should we not have an alternate acting mayor to send off somewhere else with the good wishes of his fellow aldermen. What does the city need with a mayor any way? we are liable to ask. If a mayor is a necessary part of our civic economy let us elect one next time who can give us his time, and will take some other part of his life for flourishing abroad.

The 'London Daily Mail' has been discussing the question whether Great Britain is under-peered. It applies to the question some queer phases of what Lord Lansdowne's great ancestor, Sir William Petty, would have called political arithmetic. There were no censuses in his day, and he had to use all sorts of curious methods to come at the facts of national sociology. The 'Mail' has shown how much greater progress Great Britain has made in many other ways than it has made in the peerage. Take, for instance, the most ready comparison, peer and beer. Beer is the special ward and protegé of the peers, who are for the most part brewers and public house owners through the acquirement of brewery stocks. There has been of late years, as is well known, a very general collapse of values of brewery stocks, the result of reckless mergering and over capitalization. The buyers of these stocks, who included pretty much all the upper classes, induced Mr. Balfour, without any mandate from the people whatever, to give their public house perpetual licenses. This perpetuity the Liberals, when they come into power tried to limit to fourteen years, but of course the House of beer Peers vetoed this bill. Well, it seems that in spite of the collapse of the beer stocks, and in spite of the fact that for some years the drinking of the people has greatly diminished, it remains true that the output of the British breweries is to-day about five times what it was a hundred and fifty years ago, while there has been no equal increase in the peerage; so that whereas in 1760 there was one peer to every million gallons of beer there is now only one peer to every two million gallons of beer. Now is that fair? Is the government not bound to keep the peerage up with the beerage? Are the four or five hundred proposed new peers one peer too many to represent such a portentous amount of beer?

When a well informed judgment, such as the future will supply, is brought to bear on the history of our province, nothing of a material sort will appear more regrettable than the way in which our natural resources have been wasted. In those days it will be accounted the height of folly for any government to have permanently alienated any natural resource. Lease it, men will say, for a term of years long enough for the lessees to realize upon whatever plant they may invest in, but lose the ownership—never. It is said that in Alberta nothing that the government controls can be bought at any price. Those who know the facts in some of the provinces will not be satisfied with talking about waste; they will reprobate the licentious squandering of some of the most valuable of these resources in party or personal interest. The future observer will say if the administrations who did this did not know the value of what they were giving away they ought to have known. It is pleasant to see the change for the better that has come over our own province in this matter. Great water powers are no longer to be granted to political friends as they used to be, or even sold for a song as the Shawinigan falls, one of the finest powers in the world was sold in this very century. What is left to the province from this game of grab is henceforth to be in no case given away, but is to be leased for ninety-nine years. That, one might say, is all the same as selling, so far as any one now is concerned. It, however, retains ownership rights, which can be enforced in many ways for the protection of the property. The government should not be satisfied with this good resolution with regard to the remnant of its resources. It has governmental rights over those that have been alienated, and these could probably be exercised in such a way as would make their possessors not unwilling to exchange their freehold for such a leasehold as has been resolved on.

A REASONABLE EXPECTATION.

Opponents of reciprocity preach from the text that because Canada's exports of foodstuffs to the United States have been comparatively small of recent years, therefore the United States market is of little value to Canadian farmers. But our exports of foodstuffs to the United States, while not so large as our exports of foodstuffs to Great Britain, are still large when compared with those to other countries. The trade and navigation returns show that our sales of the products of the farm in the United States for the fiscal year of 1910 exceeded by nearly fifty percent those made in all other markets in the world except that of Great Britain. Those sales amounted indeed to nearly nineteen million dollars. If a similar market, or one half as great, could be opened in Australia, South Africa, or the West Indies, the proposal would at once be made to increase the sum expended on steamship subsidies as a means of bringing about such development. But, as the Toronto 'Sun' rightly says, the wonder really is that we have any export trade with the United States at all in view of the difficulties standing in the way. 'Every Canadian horse, aside from pure bred animals, now crossing the border must pay toll to the United States Government to the extent of one-fourth its value in doing so. Every beef bullock sent from an Ontario farm to Buffalo is taxed 27 1-2 percent before sale is permitted. Not a bushel of Canadian buckwheat can be sold in the American market save on payment of a duty of 15 cents per bushel. Potatoes and peas pay 25 cents per bushel, barley 30 cents, and beans 45 cents per bushel. The tax on cheese and butter is 6 cents per lb. in each case.' These are only specimens of the barriers now interposed between the Canadian farmer and the United States consumer, and our Toronto contemporary predicts that when reciprocity shall sweep these barriers away the sales of Canadian farm products in the United States will be doubled if not trebled. And that is only a reasonable expectation. The result of this increased trade would not only be whatever improvement in price might cause our products to take a new direction, but a very considerable increase of production in the products thus rendered steadily saleable.

Figures in excessive quantity as an aid to argument and the enforcement of truth are apt to weary even the earnest, but taken in small doses they are most effective. The most effective figures we have seen in relation to the benefits to be anticipated from reciprocity are those relating to cream. When the United States duty on cream was five cents a pound no Canadian cream entered the United States, but when, by a remarkable sleep of the schedule-makers, it was in 1909 reduced to five cents a gallon in the eleven months ending with May last $1,693,000 worth of Canadian cream was sold there. A contemporary adds to this that, in 1896, when quarantine regulations as well as duty barred access to the United States, Canada only shipped sixteen hundred and forty-six cattle to the United States market; while in 1899, as a consequence of the removal of the quarantine restrictions alone, nearly ninety-three thousand cattle were shipped from this country to our neighbors.

MR. BOURASSA.

(Toronto 'Sun.')

The 'Sun' had long a kindly regard for Mr. Bourassa, because it accepted without question his high professions of disinterested public service. It was glad of his co-operation in the struggle against the naval bill, and it was disposed to condone as the outcome of youth and a warm temper, his championship of the extreme pretensions of the French-Canadian Nationalists to extend beyond the limits of Quebec the dualism of race and language, and so condemn Canada to a lasting and intolerable discord. It believed that his professed zeal for the French-Canadian would lead him to support reciprocity as a beneficent measure of trade reform, tending to check an exodus which has carried one-half of the French-Canadian race into the United States. The 'Sun' asked him to aid this cause, and he publicly replied in short that reciprocity would clearly have some advantages, but that it was a large question, which required careful study, and that it ought to be referred to the people.

Later, in his public speeches, he treated reciprocity lightly, giving it but passing notice, and devoting all his attention to the navy. At Fraserville, he told his hearers that reciprocity was an important question, but it ought not to make them forget the navy. He hoped that the Canadian electors would be bold and intelligent enough to make it understood that it is not for a pocketful of potatoes that they would consent to sell their votes and sacrifice the autonomy of their country. He did not believe, he said, that reciprocity would magke the habitants rich over night, and he believed that the navy interested them more, because it came to snatch away their money, and it menaced the peace of their country.

That was before the House was forced to dissolve to take, as Mr. Bourassa had demanded, the opinion of the people on the issue of reciprocity. As soon as it was referred to the people, he issued a manifesto protesting that not only reciprocity, but also the administrative record of the government, the alleged scandals, the navy, imperialism, and autonomy be voted on at the pending election, and that the electors rally about Mr. Monk.

It will occur to any one that parliament having been forced to dissolve to test the popular opinion of reciprocity, there is no possible way of learning what the popular opinion is, but by voting only on the sole issue of reciprocity. And many will be readily persuaded that having forced an election on reciprocity, it is not keeping faith with the public to seek to hide that issue or force others into its place. The 'Sun's' view is that, later, there will be amyle opportunity to deal effectively with the other issues, while this is the last opportunity of reciprocity. The navy and autonomy will keep.

Those who have followed Mr. Bourassa's career with interest would be glad to hear him explain away, what appears to be his ready, if not eager, acquiescence in the amazing plan now being worked out to yoke together in docile concert under the rod of protection two such irreconcilable enemies as the ultra French Catholic of Quebec and the ultra Protestant of Ontario.

WEST STILL BOOMING.

(From a Correspondent.)

Kerobert, Sask., Aug. 5.—There has been a feeling of uneasiness thoughout many parts of the west by reason of the continued showery and wet weather. The wheat growth as a result has been rapid nad strong, but the fear has been that the harvest will be delayed too near the frost line. The nights have been remarkably cool, which have added to the unrest. Now, however, the weather has become warm and fine, and with the strong growth indications point to a record harvest. Farmers are asking for help, and a much larger than ever before contingent of harvest helpers will be needed.

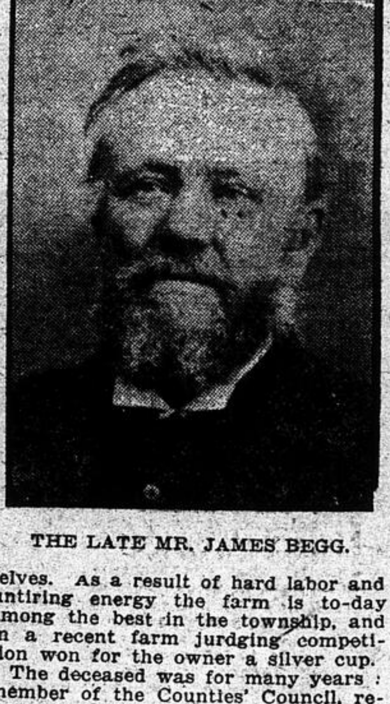
New towns are springing up all over the west, and an interesting feature apart from the sound of the hammer and saw is the large array of agricultural implements in the hands of agencies not yet housed. Small towns of four and five hundred people have as many as four agencies. A noticeable feature of two of the newspapers in the towns, large nad small, is the space given to the real estate business. In many places it has been seriously overdone, though there are instances where large money is being continually made.

The reciprocity issue maintains its interest. Mr. Borden in his western visit was well received, but failed to grip his audiences. Though a courteous gentleman, he is not a commanding politician. Apart from an unpopular platform, he lacks the magnetism to swing the sturdy and intelligent westerners into line. There is [illegible] doubt that at the polls the vote will be very strongly in favor of reciprocity, though a longer study would yet greatly increase this verdict.

GRAVEL HILL.

Death of Mr. James Begg, of Roxburgh Township.

Death came with shocking suddenness to a much respected and prominent citizen of Roxborough Township, Jas. Begg, of Gravel Hill, who died last Friday morning Carlsbad Springs, where he and Mrs. Begg were spending a few days. Mr. Begg was born in Roxborough township on August 10, 1841. On June 2, 1870, at Cornwall, he married Miss Lucy Campbell, also of Roxborough Township, and they moved to their farm at Gravel Hill, which at that time was covered with timber, and settled down to hew out a home for themselves. As a result of hard labor and untiring energy the farm is to-day among the best in the township, and in a recent farm jurdging competition won for the owner a silver cup.



THE LATE MR. JAMES BEGG.

The deceased was for many years member of the Counties' Council, representing Roxborough. Being one of the most highly respected citizens of the county, and one of its most reliable men, whose good judgment was proverbial, he held many other positions of public trust—a Justice of the Peace for several years, an elder of the Presbyterian church of the Gravel Hill, president of the Stormont Farmers' Institute, president of the Stormont Liberal Association, and for 14 years representative of the Glengarry Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance Company. In politics he was one of the staunchest of Liberals. He was also a member of the Independent Order of Foresters.

Mr. Begg is survived by his wife, three sons and four daughters—Nelson and Stewart Begg, Gravel Hill; Angus Begg, Chicago, Ill.; Mrs. Geo. Norman, Gravel Hill; Mrs. E. A. McEwen and Mrs. H. S. McEwen, Warina, and Miss Muriel Begg, at home; 15 grand children; also by two brothers and four sisters—A. V. Begg, Moose Creek four sisters — A. V. Begg, Moose Creek; J. M. Begg, Avonmore; Mrs. W. Morley, Standish, Mich.; Mrs. Angus Grant, Moose Creek; Mrs. D. Forbes, Dominionville, and Mrs. Robert Crawford, Gravel Hill.

The funeral service was held at the house on Sunday afternoon, August 6, by the Rev. Geo. Weir, of Glencoe, a former pastor of Mr. Begg, assisted by the Rev. S. M. McPhee of Avonmore and Mr. McCuaig, Gravel Hill. The text of the funeral sermon was John vi., 68—'I to the hills,' etc. Interment took place at the Presbyterian cemetery in the Sixth Concession, Roxborough.

The pall bearers were six nephews—A. Crawford, A. K. Campbell, R. McIntosh, Wilbert Begg, Bergin Tinkess and Henry Grant.

Among the floral tributes weer a pillow from the family and a spray from Mr. and Mrs. E. A. McEwen.

Among those present from a distance were Col. R. Smith, ex-M.P., J. McMartin, P. E. Campbell, C. W. Young, G. R. Phillips, D. B. Maclennan, K.C. and Dr. W. A. Munro, Cornwall; Mrs Taylor, Montreal; A. H. Forbes, Chesterville; Mr. and Mrs. W. McLeod, Goldfield; Elgin Montgomery, South Mountain; Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Begg Chicago, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McMillan, Finch.

HUDSON HEIGHTS REGATTA.

Will be Held on Saturday Next, August 12th.

The annual regatta of the Hudson Heights Boating Club will be held on Saturday next. The programme and list of officers are as follows:

1. Pony punt, children under 9 years.
2. Double scull, girls under 13 years.
3. Single scull, open. For cup donated by Mr. Geo. Darling to be competed for annually.
4. Double scull, boys under 13 years.
5. Tandem canoe, lady and gentleman. Club.
6. Double scull, boy and girl under 14 years.
7. Single canoe, open.
8. Double scull, girls under 16 years.
9. Seven paddle flat bottomed boat. Open.
10. Double scull, lady and gentleman.
11. Tandem canoe. Open.
12. Double scull, ladies.
13. Tandem canoe, boys under 16 years.
14. Double scull. Open.
15. Tandem canoe, ladies.
16. Four paddle canoe. Open.
17. Double scull, boy and girl under 16 years.
18. Hurry scurry. Club.

Open events for members of Hudson and Hudson Heights Boating Club.

Regatta committee—O. W. G. Dettmers (chairman), W. G. Kent, R. A. Carter, E. C. Hutchison, W. Matthews, W. H. Nolan, E. S. Jacques.

Judges — J. E. H. Paddon, E. G. O'Connor, G. W. Wood, E. S. Jacques, A. C. Hutchison, E. A. Mumford, John Barret.

Referee—O. W. G. Dettmers.

Starter—W. E. J. Luther.

Assistant starter—W. Matthews.

Clerks of the course—J. Bonner, R. A. Carter, Prof. N. N. Evans, E. C. Hutchison.

Platform committee—W. G. Kent, R. S. Coltart, W. H. Nolan, W. W. Williamson.

N.B.—The 'annual regatta dance' will be held in the boat house commencing at 8.30 p.m.

PLUNGED THROUGH BRIDGE.

Ottawa, August 10.—Hugh Alexander, of Stittsville, had a narrow escape from death, and a 13-ton road roller lies in eight feet of water in Rickey's Creek, a tributary of the Rideau, on the Nepean side, near Manotick, as the result of the collapse of a bridge.

SMALL FRUIT CROP.

Hamilton, August 10.—Government Inspector Lewis, who has investigated conditions in the Niagara fruit belt, says that contrary to expectations the fruit crop will be small as a result of the damage done by the 'yellow curl' and San Jose scale.

HORTICULTURAL ASSOCIATION.

Canadian Organization Urges Parcel Post System.

Ottawa, August 10.—The annual convention of the Canadian Horticultural Association opened yesterday afternoon, President J. Connon, of Brampton, in the chair.

Mr. Connon referred to the fact that the Dominion Government had contributed a large amount towards the beautifying of Ottawa, and he expressed the opinion that the rest of Canada did not begrudge the sum so contributed, as the work of beautifying the capital found favor throughout the length and breadth of the Dominion. President Connon, in the course of his annual address, advocated the adoption of the parcels post system. He also urged that an effort be made to obtain substantial grants from the different provincial governments for the establishment of florists' departments in connection with the provincial experimental farms. He said that the association should discuss reciprocity, but solely from the standpoint as to whether it would be beneficial to the trade if applied to floral products. He advocated the election of provincial vice-presidents.

Secretary W. C. Hall, of Montreal, in his annual report, referred to the fact that the proposed amendment to the tariff regarding florists' products had been held up, but he intimated that the situation was by no means a discouraging one and he felt the wants of the florists would be attended to in due time.

PREPARING FOR NEW STATION

Grand Trunk Are Rushing Work Of Demolition.

The work of demolishing the old Lalonde Hotel, a portion of the property facing Chaboillez Square, which was purchased by the Grand Trunk Railway for the extension of the station is proceeding apace, and it is anticipated that before long the difficulties which have been holding up the work will be removed. An official of the Grand Trunk to-day informed a 'Witness' reporter that every effort was being made to settle the difficulties in order to proceed with the new station with all speed.

The business of the Grand Trunk has increased enormously during the last few years, and Bonaventure is far too small to adequately deal with the traffic.

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR IN SESSION

Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., August 9.—As representatives from preceptories from coast to coast, over 600 Knight Templar are assembling here as delegates to the convention of the Grand Priory of Canada. The city has been gaily decorated with bunting. The steamer, 'Alberta,' arrived at noon yesterday with over two hundred. Last night there was a dance, reception and water fete, at which over 1,000 were present. This afternoon there will be a street parade. Among the visitors is the drill team of the Detroit Preceptory, which is composed of wealthy men, and is reputed to be the best drilled team on the continent. The ladies accompanying the delegates will be taken for a sail on the St. Mary's River while the priory is in session. Never in the history of the 'Soo' have illuminations been carried out on so lavish a scale.

STOLEN RIDE FATAL.

New York, Aug. 9.— The battered bodies of two young boys about fifteen years of age, who had evidently stolen a ride here to see the city, were found on a roof of one of the cars of the Pacific Coast Express which came in this morning. The lads were probably killed as the train passed through a tunnel. Their features were badly mangled, and they have not been identified.

Syracuse, N.Y., Aug. 9.—The bodies of the boys found on top of a train in New York this morning are believed to be those of Robert Crossy and Mortimer Hunt, of this city. They disappeared yesterday, and it is believed that they had been planning for some time to visit New York, starting out last night without letting any one know of their intentions.

SHOT BY INTRUDER.

Toronto, Aug. 10. — Charles Thom, nineteen years old, clerk at F. P. Sandersons' drug store, 207 Roncesvalles Ave., was shot through the hand and wounded about the head at one o'clock this morning, in his apartments upstairs over the store. The police found evidence of a desperate struggle. The intruder although seen running away, made good his escape, but left behind his coat and a flashlight. The only thing in the coat pocket was a package of straw hat cleaner, purchased in the drug store earlier in the evening.

When the detectives interviewed Thom he declared he had no recollection of how he received his wounds.

LAST CONCERT TO-NIGHT.

The Enville Hall Band, which has been appearing at the Arena, this week, will conclude their engagement with this evening's concert, having decided to sail for home on the 'Empress of Britain,' from Quebec, to-morrow. While their concerts have been of a high order of merit they have been most unfortunate in coming to Montreal in the very warmest of weather, and the attendance has not been of the proportions that it otherwise would. It was for these reasons that a decision to curtail their stay was arrived at. The members of the band have had a pleasant time while in Canada, and have seen much that has impressed them.

BOYS' FARM FIRE.

Cleveland, Ohio, Aug. 9.—Fire broke out in the power plant of the Boys' Farm, the Cleveland municipal correction institution for boys, near Hudson, Ohio, at an early hour to-day. The flames spread fast and destroyed the big building housing the power plant and commissary and storage departments, and the Adams Cottage. The one hundred and thirty boys of the institution manfully fought the flames with the meagre institution apparatus. The loss will probably amount to $75,000.

MUST PRODUCE BOOKS.

Washington, Aug. 9. — The Steel Trust investigation committee at an early session to-day decided not to press at this time questions of campaign contributions in connection with George W. Perkins, of New York, a director of the United States Steel Corporation, who was yesterday threatened with contempt proceedings before the House of Representatives. The committee decided to require the steel corporation to produce the books of subsidiary companies.

PRESS CABLE RATES.

(Canadian Associated Press.)

London, Aug. 8.—Mr. H. L. Samuel, the Postmaster-General, says he is communicating with the cable companies anent the reduction of press rates between the United Kingdom and the overseas dominions.

DETAILS OF INCREASE.

City Hall Salary Advances Now Complete.

Additional details of the salary increases voted by the City Council this week show that 28 fire department captains and 28 fire lieutenants have been granted $50 and $25 a year more each with the design of placing them on an equal salary basis with police officers of the same rank.

Police captains are paid $900 per annum with an extra allowance of [illegible] for house rent. The fire captains will now draw $1,150 a year, while the fire lieutenants will be paid a slightly larger salary than police lieutenants because the former are longer on duty.

The following are some of the important increases granted:—Mr. A. St. Pierre, junior attorney, $350; Mr. Oscar Lavallee, of the law department, $300; Messrs. J. H. Damphouse, and J. A. Jarry, and W. H. Butler, $200 per annum; Mr. Mainville, secretary of the law department, $100; Mr. S. Casavan, assistant controller, $800; Mr. C. Amireault, engineer, $200, and Mr. H. C. Stanton, supply officer, $400.

Dr. L. A. Lacombe, Dr. J. A. Dauth, and Dr. J. E. Laberge, medical inspectors for schools, have received advances of $250 each to $1,075 a year. This brings their salaries, upon a level with the other inspectors. The majority of the clerks who have been voted advances of $50 and $100 are attached to the finance department at the City Hall.

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR.

Two Montrealers Among Officers Elected.

Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., August 10.—In the distribution of honors by the Grand Prior of the Knights Templar in convention here yesterday afternoon, the following officers were elected: Wm. P. Ryrie, supreme grand master, and J. W. Ebber Payne was elected grand marshal; Charles F. Mansell was elected grand treasurer, all of these grand officers being from Toronto. Others elected were: Philip D. Gordon, Montreal, deputy grand master; Will H. Whyte, Montreal, grand chancellor; T. D. Ross, Sault Ste. Marie, grand constable, and Geo. Parsons, of Sarnia, grand registrar. While the sir knights were in session the ladies accompanying the delegates were taken for a boat ride up the St. Mary's River, and they were afforded a glimpse of Lake Superior. Yesterday afternoon there was a grand parade, in which there were over 700 sir knights.

ARE TELEPHONES DANGEROUS?

Dr. Louis Laberge, chief medical health officer, yesterday received a letter from the Bell Telephone Company declaring that contrary to the published opinion of the medical man, no dangers of infection from the mouthpieces of the telephone instruments exist; or if any do exist, they are so slight as to be hardly worth noticing. Citations from the works of medical writers are given to prove that the dangers of infection from telephones are not to be feared.

BANK CROOK RECOGNIZED.

Chicago, August 10.—Captain W. Evans, of the Chicago Bureau of Identification, yesterday recognized a photograph of a man now under arrest in Stockholm, Sweden, for complicity in the theft of 31,000 crowns in a bank there, as that of William Burke, a Chicagoan, who has been arrested in many cities for bank robberies. He gave his name as Stockholm as 'James William Taylor,' and is held there with a man giving his name as Alfred Duprey, who claims to be from Montreal.

DEATH OF MRS. KERR.

A cable received in Quebec from [illegible] announces the death of Mr. Walter Raleigh Kerr's mother, [illegible], widow of the Hon. Walter Raleigh Kerr, son of Lord Robert, youngest son of the Marquis of Lothian, and daughter of the late Chief Justice James Crawford Wilson, of Renfrew, Scotland.

DYNAMITE EXPLODED.

Toledo, Ohio, Aug. 9.— An explosion of dynamite being used in blasting rock this morning at the White Rock plant of the Kelley Island Lime and Transport Company, near Clay Centre, killed John Peli and injured seven men, some of whom may die.

CHURCH APPRAISERS STONED.

Lisbon, August 10.—The population of the village of Licela yesterday attacked the Government appraisers, who are making an inventory of church property in Portugal. Stones and billets of wood were hurled at the appraisers and the military had to be called out to suppress the disorders.

THE WEATHER

FINE AND WARM.

Probs.—Fine and warm to-day and on Friday.

Toronto, Aug. 10.—Cool weather has prevailed in Saskatchewan and Alberta, with night temperatures of 36 in some localities, while in Manitoba it has been moderately warm. From the lake region to the Maritime Provinces the weather has been fair and warm, but some showers have occurred in Northern Ontario.

FORECASTS:

Lower Lakes and Georgian Bay—Moderate winds, fair and warm to-day; and some local showers or thunderstorms during the night or on Friday.

Ottawa and Upper St. Lawrence—Fine and warm to-day and on Friday.

Lower St. Lawrence and Gulf—Fresh westerly winds, fine and warm to-day and on Friday.

Superior—Moderate to fresh easterly to northerly winds, partly fair, but some local showers or thunderstorms, chiefly at night or on Friday.

Manitoba—Fair to-day and on Friday; Friday, warmer.

Saskatchewan and Alberta—Fair with a little higher temperature today and on Friday.

Maritime—Moderate westerly winds, fair and warm to-day and on Friday.

TEMPERATURES.

	8 a.m. to-day.	Highest yesterday.	Lowest during night.
MONTREAL	72	80	66
Victoria	50	70	50
Calgary	38	60	36
Winnipeg	54	72	50
Sault Ste. Marie	56	72	48
Parry Sound	76	82	56
Toronto	76	82	68
Kingston	72	76	70
Ottawa	64	82	62
Quebec	70	80	64
St. John, N.B.	60	66	58
Halifax	70	76	66
St. John's, Nfld.	62	66	52
Detroit	70	86	66
New York	74	82	68
London, England	66, fair, N.W.		
Paris, France	74, clear, N.E.		

Washington, Aug. 10.—Forecast: Eastern New York—Fair to-night, cooler in north and central portions; Friday, unsettled and somewhat cooler, probably local showers; light to moderate winds, mostly northeast.

New England—Generally fair to-night and on Friday; somewhat cooler, except southeast Maine; moderate northwest to north winds.

Western New York—Showers late to-night or on Friday, somewhat cooler in north and weste portion.

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LACROSSE TEAMS WERE BUSY IN WORK-OUT GAMES YESTERDAY

The Three Local Senior Clubs Will be in Action on Saturday Next—Winged Wheel Going Strong.

CORNWALL AND TORONTO

Will be Places of Interest For Those Connected With the Montreal and National Clubs—Both Fixtures Affect Destination of Championship—Shamrock-Toronto Match.

The M. A. A. A. ground at Westmount presented a busy scene last evening, the occasion being the final general workout of the lacrosse team prior to their struggle with the Cornwall team in the Factory Town on Saturday afternoon next. With the exception of George Finlayson, who has recently suffered a bereavement in his family, the entire squad of regular was at work, and all the spare men were also in evidence with the exception of Milloy. After a hard practice, followed by a strenuous rub-down, the trainer expressed himself as satisfied with the team's condition, and, outside of possibly a light work-out this afternoon in the sun the team will rest till they line up for the match. There will possibly be one or two changes in the personnel, but nothing definitely has been decided as yet. Albert Date, the veteran coach, is well up to playing form, and is ready to jump into the game should necessity arise. A large crowd of M. A. A. A. supporters will accompany the team to Cornwall on Saturday afternoon as they realize the importance of the match and the hot struggle which is sure to ensue. The championship is at stake!

The interest in the Shamrock-Toronto match is quite keen, despite the fact that the championship is not likely to be affected by the result. Barney Dunphy, the old Shamrock trainer and coach, will be heard directing the assault on his old team, and in addition, Percy Quinn, now an official of the Toronto team, and formerly goalkeeper for the Shamrocks, will also be anxious for a defeat for the Irishmen. The situation is a unique one, but circumstances, even in the lacrosse world, alter cases. The Shamrocks are working hard to score a victory on their own campus this Saturday, and had a fine workout last night.

Nationals went through a stiff practice last night and are in good shape for their strenuous encounter with the Tecumsehs in the Queen City on Saturday afternoon. Their full team is in good shape, and they expect to line up with the same twelve which defeated the Capitals last Saturday.

The Toronto 'Globe' says: The hardest game that the Indians will have at the Island the balance of the season will probably be their match next Saturday with the champion Nationals. The Frenchmen have only lost two games, and a victory will make them contenders for the flag. They have always made the Braves hustle at the Point, and there is little doubt but that they will do so on this occasion. As Montreal are playing in Cornwall on the same day, the championship might be settled right at this time. A defeat for the former and a win for the Tecumsehs will come pretty close to settling the ultimate disposition of the Solman cup. The Indians expect to have Green back on the defence, and will be in perfect fettle for the contest.

CRICKET NEWS

The semi-final for the League Cup will be played on Saturday next, the teams engaged being Lachine vs. C. P.R. Angus at Lachine, and McGill vs. Verdun at McGill campus. The former match is generally regarded as more or less of a gift for Lachine, who have been exceptionally lucky this season in the matter of having games played on their own ground. That they are a good team goes without saying, since, although they have had one or two narrow squeaks, they have hitherto escaped defeat.

The Verdun-McGill match would seem to promise a much closer game, for while McGill have been strengthened lately by the return of Baber, who did so well for them a couple of seasons ago, Verdun, on their showing against Lachine last Saturday, are a team that cannot be despised.

The umpires appointed by the league for Saturday's matches are Messrs. R. Barclay and J. Booth for the Lachine vs. C. P. R. game, and Messrs. J. E. Cox and I. Furnivall for the McGill vs. Verdun game. In the final cup match, which will be played on Labor Day, the umpires will be Messrs. J. Booth and H. Purvis. League delegates are asked to remind their umpires of the obligations which they have incurred.

CORINTHIANS WON.

Defeated a Team at Hamilton by Six Goals to Three.

Hamilton, Ont., Aug. 10.—The touring Corinthians soccer team last evening defeated a team picked from Hamilton clubs by 6 to 3 before a crowd of about 2,000. It was a very fine exhibition. The visitors had much the better of the play and bombarded the Hamilton goal, which was defended by Crompton, whose phenomenal work kept the score down.

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SWIMMING CHAMPIONSHIPS.

Montreal Will Be Well Represented At Ottawa on Saturday.

Montreal will be well represented at the swimming championships to be held in Ottawa on Saturday, for both the M.S.C. and the M.A.A.A. are sending a strong delegation to the capital to represent them.

There will be competition from the M.A.A.A. in every event, and from the members of the St. Helen's Island bath in two of the three championship events.

Geo. Hodgson, the star of the M. A. A. A. tank, may go to the championships, but in the capacity of an onlooker only, as he has decided to do no more competitive swimming this summer.

M.S.C. is particularly anxious to retain the title of relay champions, won last year, and in order to retain their full strength the club is passing up the 100 yards event, which would take one man from the relay team, who would probably do no better than second or third. On the other hand, the M.A.A.A. has not yet picked the relay team, but will certainly enter the event.

The Montreal men will take part in the events as follows:

440 yards—M. Ross (M. S. C.), J. Cains and R. T. Logan (M. A. A. A.).

100 yards—R. T. Logan, Lawrence Earl, Paul Earl and Geo. Draper (all M.A.A.A.).

50 yards—A. A. Mackay, L. Earl and Geo. Draper (M.A.A.A.).

Diving—N. Cameron, A. Cameron, P. Cameron and J. Dovia (M.A.A.A.).

Although not entered in the diving, John Lyons, the man who won honors for the island club last Saturday in Halifax, will probably go to Ottawa with the rest of the team to give a diving exhibition from a specially constructed thirty-foot tower.

ATHLETIC VENUE DISAPPEARS.

T. A. A. A. Grounds to be Sacrificed to the Builder.

Quebec, Aug. 10.—The disappearance of T.A.A.A. grounds in Quebec seems to be an accomplished fact. It is proposed to erect on the site a handsome villa, and work has already been started. The T.A.A.A. grounds were sold by the Provincial Government to the Quebec Athletic Grounds Association, represented by Walter John Ray, president, and Frank M. Macnaughton, secretary on the 8th of February, 1901, for the sum of $15,000.

The approximate area of the ground is 279,500 feet, and in 1898 the same grounds were leased to the same company for a period of fifteen years, in consideration of a rental payment of $1 a year. During that period, however, the grounds were purchased. The disappearance of the grounds will deprive Quebec of its famous playground, and one on which many a famous game has been played.

ROYALS PYROTECHNIC DISPLAY AT BALTIMORE YESTERDAY

Had Good Lead up to the Eighth Innings When Dubuc Took an Aero Flight.

WARD MILLER HURT.

Rochester Lost—Toronto Won One, Lost One—Buffalo Got Tighter Hold on Fourth Position—Ball Notes and News From All Centres.

Baltimore, Md., Aug. 10.—The Orioles jumped on Dubuc in the eight inning yesterday, knocked him out of the box; bumped Carroll so hard, that he could not get a man out, and then landed on Burke often enough to drive nine runs over the plate. Those, with three made in the second session, gave Baltimore the third straight game of the series by the score of 12—7.

The game was a nightmare in many ways, for the Birds fielded very poorly, making six errors behind Frock. There were three pretty double plays, however, and some good hitting by Hanford, Yeager, Gandil, Egan, Henline and Corcoran. Hanford landed a triple, a double and two singles out of four times up, while Egan hit for a homer. Henline got four singles, two coming in the inning in which the game was put on ice by Baltimore.

Montreal scored in the second on a single to right by Gandil, a sacrifice by Demmitt and a triple to right field fence by Hanford. Purtell's sacrifice fly scored Hanford.

Baltimore scored three in the same period on a single by Corcoran, a wild throw by Dubuc and a wild pitch by the twirler. Walsh, after walking, scored when Egan hit for the circuit.

The Orioles did not score again, and Dubuc pitched steadily until the eighth, but in the fourth Montreal sent one over on Gandil's single to right, a fielder's choice, an error by Parent, a bunt down the third base line by Hanford and Roth's sacrifice fly.

In the sixth Montreal scored two more. Demmitt walked, took second on Egan's wild throw, went to third on Hanford's second safe bunt, and scored on Roth's second sacrifice fly. Purtell's single to left and Walsh's error permitted Hanford to score.

In the eighth two more Royals crossed the pan. Demmitt singled to right and stole second from where he scored on Hanford's two-bagger to right. Hanford stole third and scored when Byers, who had replaced Egan behind the bat, made a wild peg.

Then came the swat-fest. Henline started with a single, Rath walked, Seymour doubled, Schmidt was an infield out, Corcoran singled and Parent walked. Then Dubuc was shown the gate. Carroll relieved, and Walsh singled. Byers walked, and Vickers, who had relieved Frock in the seventh, went to bat with the score tied and three men on. He singled, sending in two men. Henline got his second single of the inning, and Carrol was yanked. Burke was hit for a double by Rath, and Seymour walked, but Corcoran and Schmidt fanned.

In the last chance, with one down, Yeager singled and took second on Parent's wild throw to first. Gandil went out to Schmidt, by an eye-lash. Demmitt and Hanford walked, but Roth failed, going out, Rath to Schmidt.

Miller strained his leg running to first base and retired.

Score:—

BALTIMORE.

	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Henline, r.f.	5	2	4	1	0	0
Rath, 2b.	3	1	1	1	3	0
Seymour, c.f	4	1	1	3	0	0
Schmidt, 1b.	5	0	0	14	0	0
Corcoran, 3b.	4	2	3	0	3	1
Parent, s.s.	3	1	0	1	6	2
Walsh, l.f.	3	2	1	3	2	1
Egan, c.	2	1	1	3	1	1
Byers, c.	0	1	0	0	0	0
Frock, p.	2	0	0	1	0	0
Vickers, p.	1	1	1	0	0	0
xMaisel	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	32	12	12	27	15	5

MONTREAL.

	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
French, 2b.	5	0	1	0	0	0
Miller, c.f.	1	0	0	0	0	0
Nattress, r.f.	5	0	1	1	0	0
Yeager, 3b.	5	0	3	2	0	0
Gandil, 1b.	5	2	2	10	0	0
Demmitt, l.f.	2	2	1	0	0	0
Hanford, c.f.	4	3	4	1	0	0
Roth, c.	2	0	0	7	1	0
Purtell, s.s.	3	0	1	3	1	0
Dubuc, p.	4	0	0	0	5	1
Carroll, p.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Burke, p.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	36	7	13	24	7	1

xBatted for Frock in seventh.

Score by innings:—

Baltimore . . . . . . 0 3 0 0 0 0 0 9 x—12
Montreal . . . . . . 0 2 0 1 2 0 2 0— 7

Summary:—Two-base hits, Yeager, Hanford, Seymour; three-base hit, Corcoran; home run, Egan; sacrifice hit, Rath 2; stolen bases, Rath, Walsh, Henline, Demmitt, Hanford; double plays, Frock to Parent to Schmidt, Hanford to Purtell, Walsh to Corcoran to Egan; base on balls, off Frock, 2; off Dubuc, 4; off Carroll, 1; off Burke, 1; off Vickers, 1; struck out, by Frock, 2; by Dubuc, 4; by Burke, 2; wild pitch, Dubuc, Burke; left on bases, Baltimore, 5; Montreal, 5; first base on errors, Montreal 1. Time, 1.42. Umpires, Doyle and Byron.

Toronto, Aug. 10.—Toronto and Newark divided honors in yesterday's double-header, Toronto taking the first with a 5 to 2 score, while Newark shut out the Leafs in the second, 7 to 0.

In the first game Toronto knocked Smith out of the box, in the fourth inning, and went after Boice nearly as bad. Lush, for the Torontos, held the Indians safe all the way.

McGinley, for Toronto, in the second game, was hit for 10 hits in 4 innings, which counted 7 runs, while Tesreau held them to 3 scattered bingles for the rest of the game.

Shontz held his opponents under all the way, scoring a shut-out with 3 scattered hits. Scores:—

Score by innings:—

Newark . . . . 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 0—2
Toronto . . . . 1 0 1 2 1 0 0 0 x—5

Summary:—Home run, Shaw; two-base hit, Dalton; sacrifice hit, Bradley; stolen bases, Agler, O'Hara; double play, Smith to Jordan; struck out by C. Smith, 1; Boice, 1; Lush, 1; bases on balls, off C. Smith, 2; Boice, 3; Lush, 4; left on bases, Newark, 7; Toronto, 7; wild pitches, Lush, Boice.

Score by innings—

Newark . . . . . . 5 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—7
Toronto . . . . . . 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0

Summary—Three base hits, Agler and Louden; two base hit, Jordan; stolen base, Shaw; double plays, McGinley to Fitzpatrick to Jordan; Tesreau to Smith to Jordan; struck out, by McGinley 2, by Tesreau 1, by Shonts 2; bases on balls, off Tesreau 2, off Shontz 4; first base on errors, Toronto 1; left on bases, Newark 4, Toronto 8; umpires, Guthrie and Murray; time, 1.45; attendance, 4,316.

ROCHESTER LOST.

Jersey City, N.J., Aug. 10. — Jack Ryan's Skeeters pulled yesterday's game with Rochester out of the fire through a 9th inning rally which yielded a pair of runs, giving the residents the victory 2 to 1. Justus and Hughes had a sharp battle in the box(the home twirler limiting the leaders to two lone hits, while Hughes was found for five, three of the hits being bunched in the last inning for the winning tally.

Score by innings—

Rochester . . . . . 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0—1
Jersey City . . . . 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2—2

Summary—Bases on errors, Rochester 3, Jersey City 1; left on bases, Rochester 3, Jersey City 6; bases on balls, off Justus 3; struck out, by Justus 1, by Hughes 6; 2 base hit, Breen; sacrifice hits, Gettman, Spencer; stolen bases, Dolan; double plays, Breen and Abstein; Roach, Breen and Abstein; hit by the pitcher, by Justus 1, by Hughes 2; umpires, Halligan and Killen; time, 1.35.

PROVIDENCE DEFEATED.

Providence, R.I., Aug. 10.—Brennan pitched a brilliant game for Buffalo yesterday, and defeated Providence 4 to 1. Brennan held the Greys to three scattered hits, and was splendidly backed up. Pierce was wild, but effective when he got over it, and the three runs corralled in the third were the result of two scratch hits inside the diamond, and a clean drive.

Score by innings—

Buffalo . . . . . . 0 0 3 1 0 0 0 0 0—4
Providence . . . . 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—1

Summary—Sacrifice hits, Atz, White, Peterson; stolen bases, Phelan, Anderson, Sharp, Truesdale, Starr; base on balls, off Pierce 5, off Brennan 1; bases on errors, Providence 1, Buffalo 1; left on bases, Providence 5, Buffalo 9; and struck out, by Pierce 4, by Bedient 2; by Brennan 5; hit by pitcher, by Pierce 1, by Brennan 1; double plays, Rock to Atz to Tarleton; time, 1.56; umpires, Hart and Kerin.

EASTERN LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Rochester	68	38	.642
Toronto	68	42	.618
Baltimore	65	40	.619
Buffalo	49	53	.480
Montreal	46	55	.455
Jersey City	42	57	.424
Newark	40	65	.3[illegible]
Providence	39	67	.368

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Pittsburg	61	38	.616
Chicago	59	37	.615
New York	58	40	.593
Philadelphia	56	43	.566
St. Louis	56	44	.560
Cincinnati	45	53	.459
Brooklyn	38	61	.384
Boston	22	79	.218

GIANTS HIT HARD.

Chicago, Aug. 10.—New York batted Chicago's pitchers all over the field yesterday, and romped home with ease, winning a one sided game 16 to 5. Score:

R.H.E.
Chicago . . 0 0 2 0 1 1 0 0 1— 5 7 4
New York . 0 0 3 2 0 6 4 1 0—16 18 3

Bateries— Ruelbach, Richter, McIntyre, Archer and Needham; Marquard, Crandall, Myers and Wilson.

PITTSBURG WON AGAIN.

Pittsburg, Aug. 10—Pittsburg yesterday defeated Philadelphia in a ten inning game, the score being 7 to 6. Pittsburg had a comfortable lead until the 8th inning, when Camnitz went to pieces Philadelphia scoring three runs and tieing the score. Camnitz and Alexander were retired, Steele and Chalmers taking their places. Pittsburg won in the 10th inning by scoring two runs on three hits, a base on balls and a balk. Score:

R.H.E.
Pittsburg . . . . . . 3001100002—7 12 3
Philadelphia . . . . 0200000301—6 10 1

Bateries—Camnitz, Steel and Gibson; Alexander, Chalmers and Madden.

CINCINNATI WON.

Cincinnati, Aug. 10.—Cincinnati made it three straight from Boston yesterday, and won their 7th straight victory by a score of 5 to 3. Griffin's bases on balls proved costly, most of them resulting in runs. Manager Tenney was ordered off the field by Umpire Rigler for disputing a decision. Score:

R.H.E.
Boston . . . . 0 2 0 0 0 1 0 0 0—3 8 2
Cincinnati . 2 0 0 0 1 0 0 2 x—5 5 1

Batteries—Griffin and Rariden; and Fromme, Smith and Clarke.

ST. LOUIS WON.

St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 10.—Errors in the first and third innings enabled St. Louis to win from Brooklyn yesterday 4 to 3. The visitors scored two in the 8th on a pass and a home run, two singles and a stolen base brought them another in the ninth.

R.H.E.
St. Louis . . 1 0 1 0 0 0 1 1 x—4 7 0
Brooklyn . . 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 1—3 8 2

Bateries—Geyer and Bliss; Rucker, Burke and Erwin.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

New York, Aug. 10.—Detroit won the fourth game of the series with the Highlanders yesterday by falling on Ford for four runs in the 7th. The game was won by a score of 8 to 3, and makes an even split with the Tigers so far. Cree hit a single, home run and a triple in his first three times up, and was robbed of another extra base hit in the 8th when Jones, by a sensational jumping catch, pulled his drive off the fence. Cobb hit a single and a triple and scored two of the Tigers' runs.

R.H.E.
Detroit . . . 1 0 0 1 0 0 4 0 2—8 13 1
New York . 1 0 1 0 0 0 1 0 0—3 7 5

Donovan and Stanage; Ford, Quinn, and Sweeney, Blair.

Washington, Aug. 10.— Washington defeated St. Louis again yesterday 5 to 4. With the score a tie in the 8th, Gessler hit the ball over the right field fence for a home run.

R.H.E.
Wash. . . . 3 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 x—5 7 3
St. Louis . . 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 2 0—4 7 2

Becker and Street; Powell and Stephens.

Boston, Aug. 10.—Boston was in a position several times to win yesterday, but the deciding hit was lacking and Cleveland won 8 to 5.

R.H.E.
Boston . . . . 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 3 0—5 9 2
Cleveland . . 0 0 0 1 0 3 2 2 0—8 11 0

Nagel, Hall and Nunamaker; Krapp, Kaler and Fisher.

Philadelphia, Pa., Aug. 10.—In a ahrd hitting game here yesterday the Athletics defeated Chicago 9 to 7, it being the former's fourth straight victory over their opponents. Young was driven off the rubber in the second inning when the home team made four hits, including a double and a triple in a row, and Hovlik was also hit hard. Coombs was taken out of the game in the ninth inning, Danforth being sent to the rescue for the third afternoon in succession.

R.H.E.
Chicago . . 0 0 1 0 0 2 2 0 2—7 14 0
Phila. . . . 0 4 3 0 1 0 0 1 x—9 14 1

Young, Hovlik and Payne Kreitz; and Coombs, Danforth and Thomas.

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Philadelphia	67	35	.657
Detroit	66	38	.635
Boston	54	51	.514
New York	53	51	.510
Cleveland	53	53	.500
Chicago	50	52	.490
Washington	41	63	.394
St. Louis	31	72	.301

CANADIAN BASEBALL LEAGUE.

At London—

R.H.E.
London . . . 0 0 0 4 1 0 0 0 x—5 6 3
Guelph . . . . 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0—1 6 3

Greene and McWhirter; Mason and Speer. Umpire, Graney.

At Brantford—

R.H.E.
Berlin . . . . 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—2 2 0
Brantford . 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 2 3

Mueller and Dunn; Tasker and Conlay; Umpire, Johnson.

At Hamilton—

R.H.E.
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Keating and Barton; Campeau and Welch.

PILES Dr. Chase's Ointment is a certain and guaranteed cure for each and every form of itching, bleeding and protruding piles. See testimonials in the press and ask your neighbors about it. You can use it and get your money back if not satisfied. 60c, at all dealers or EDMANSON, BATES & Co., Toronto.

DR. CHASE'S OINTMENT.

DIAMOND FLASHES

Manager McCafferty is recuperating at a summer resort, just outside of New York.

Showing of nine games below the half and half average is nothing to base a hope on leading the second division.

The Royals will have to go some to keep above the .500 mark, and that is about what Buffalo will finish at. At present Miller is the latest to fall under the injury column of laid-up-for-repairs members of the local team. Whatever prospects there were of finishing as strong as last year, they are slowly disappearing by injuries to the team, which is a proof of the saying you never can tell what will happen.

Dubuc is going along as in the early season, finishing a splendid game by going to the bad in one inning. John seems to have the habit of all good artists this year, that of allowing the opposing team to do all the damage in one inning. Every day now you can read of Mathewson, or Ford, being removed as the feling comes on 'that this is the inning,' and out they come. This tactic of yanking out as soon as the signs show a rally by the opposition is being worked to the limit. How many games are saved by it would be interesting to know.

AUTO. AND AERO. CLUB.

Billy Knipper Will Make an Effort to Wrest Title From Bob Burman.

Billy Knipper, who will make an effort to wrest the title of champion from Bob Burman at Delorimier Park on the 19th and 20th, will arrive here Monday for training. He has written for particulars as to when he will be allowed on the course, and he will give the event more time than any race he has been in for some time.

With the 200 horse-power Mercedes running in great shape, he is sure to be a formidable foe for the great Burman, and every inch of the way will be fought hard and consistently.

The track will be put in shape the latter part of this week in order to be ready when Knipper arrives with his big car. The course will be oiled in the most dangerous spots to lay the dust, enabling the drivers to see all of the time in the race, and every other precaution for safety will be made.

'My Mercedes is running better than ever before,' writes Knipper, 'and when I meet Burman at Delorimier Park on the 19th and 20th of this month he will not only be forced to beat me driving, but he will also have to have his car in the best running order.

'I hope to catch him when he isn't in the best condition, and then watch the fur fly. He has never had a walk-away race with me yet, and conditions have never been as much in my favor as they are at Delorimier Park on the 19th and 20th.'

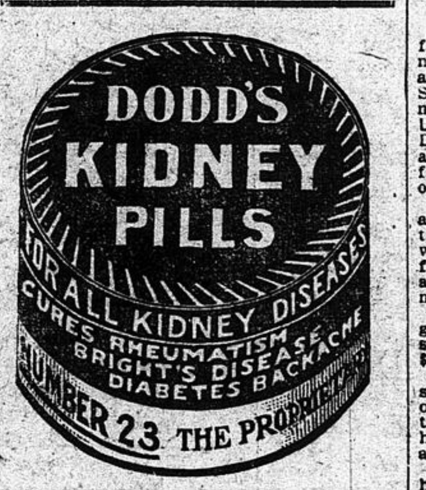
Burman will make a trial with his 'Blitzen' Benz to lower his own world's dirt track record both before and after his race with Knipper, and the local fans are assured to see the speed king in a series of thrills that they will remember for some time.

ONTARIO RIFLE MEET.

Ottawa, Aug. 9.—About twenty-five riflemen will leave Ottawa on Sunday afternoon to shoot in the Ontario Rifle Association matches at Toronto next week. There will be teams of eight men each from the Governor-General's Foot Guards, the 43rd Regiment and all the other corps will also be represented.

Seabright, N.J., August 10.—By a margin of two strokes, Alec Smith, the Wykagyl professional, regained the championship of the Eastern Professional Golfers' Association at the Rumson Country Club yesterday. He made the 36 holes in 151, getting 77 for the morning round and 74 for the afternoon, thereby winning first prize, $125 and a medal.

The struggle for second place resulted in a tie between James Thomson, of Philadelphia, and Gilbert Nicholls, of Wilmington, the metropolitan open title holder, with totals of 153. They split $145. Jack Dowling, of Scarsdale, came in with a card of 154, getting fourth money, $50.



DEPARTMENT OF RAILWAYS AND CANALS

INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY.

Passenger Station, Truro. Nova Scot

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tender for Truro Station," will be received at this office until 12 o'clock noon, on Friday, the 25th August, 1911, for the construction of a stone Passenger Station at Truro, Nova Scotia.

Plans, specifications and form of contract to be entered into may be seen and full information obtained on and after 10th August, 1911, at the office of the Chief Engineer, of the Department of Railways and Canals, Ottawa, and at the office of the Chief Engineer of the Intercolonial Railway at Moncton, N.B., or at the office of the Board of Trade, Halifax.

Parties tendering will be required to accept the fair wages schedule prepared or to be prepared by the Department of Labor, which schedule will form part of the contract.

Contractors are requested to bear in mind that tenders will not be considered, unless made strictly in accordance with the printed forms, and in the case of firms, unless there are attached the actual signature, the nature of the occupation, and place of residence of each member of the firm.

An accepted bank cheque for the sum of $10,000.00 made payable to the order of the Minister of Railways and Canals must accompany each tender, which sum will be forfeited if the party tendering declines entering into contract for the work, at the rates stated in the offer submitted.

The cheque thus sent in will be returned to the respective contractors whose tenders are not accepted.

The cheque of the successful tenderer will be held as security, or part security, for the due fulfilment of the contract to be entered into.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

By order, L. K. JONES,
Secretary.
Department of Railways and Canals,
Ottawa, August 4th, 1911.

Newspapers inserting this advertisement without authority from the Department will not be paid for it.

Diarrhoea, Dysentery, Summer Complaint, Colic, Pains or Cramps in the Stomach, Cholera Morbus, Cholera Infantum and all Looseness of the Bowels

Dr. FOWLER'S EXT-OF WILD STRAWBERRY

May be Rapidly and Effectually Cured by the Use of that Old and Sterling Remedy

DR. FOWLER'S EXTRACT OF WILD STRAWBERRY

It has a reputation of over 65 years' standing and never fails to either relieve or cure.

Do not be imposed on by any unscrupulous dealer who wishes to substitute the so-called Strawberry Compounds for "Dr. Fowler's," as these no-name, no-reputation substitutes may be dangerous to your health.

Was So Bad With Summer Complaint He Passed Blood.

Mrs. Stanley Brant, Deseronto, Ont., writes:—"My little boy, Stanley, 1½ years old took the Summer Complaint and got so bad as to pass blood. I tried everything I was told would be good for it but to no avail until, at last, I tried Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, and I am glad to say I only gave him a few doses of it before he was cured."

The original is manufactured only by THE T. MILBURN CO., Limited TORONTO, ONT.

PRICE - 35 CENTS

Get Allan's SPARKLING KOLA

This is a Delicious Non-Alcoholic Beverage, possessing the strength-sustaining properties of the Kola Nut.

TRY IT!

ROBERT ALLAN

Tel. Main 1784. 86 Dorchester St. West.

LAKESIDE DELIVERY EVERY FRIDAY

Orders must be in on Thursday not later than 6 p.m.

Mc.LAREN'S D.K BALATA NONE BETTER

Buyers of *BALATA BELTING* Look for this Stamp—It means Guaranteed.

Made for us to Strict Specifications, Extensive Stock All Sizes. Belts made Endless on Short Notice.

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RUPTURE CURED

B. Lindman, Esq., Montreal:—

Dear Sir,—I have been using your Truss about a year and it has given me good satisfaction. I feel that I am healed up, and wear it now as a safeguard.

J. A. TESKEY,
Appleton, Ont.

Call or write for particulars. Consultations free.

B. LINDMAN, Reg'd.
16 McGill College Ave., Montreal

Synopsis of Canadian North-West Land Regulations.

Any person who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years old, may homestead a quarter section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. The applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-Agency for the District. Entry by proxy may be made at any agency, on certain conditions, by father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister of intending homesteader.

Duties.—Six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres solely owned and occupied by him or by his father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister.

In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter-section alongside his homestead. Price $3.00 per acre.

Duties.—Must reside upon the homestead or pre-emption six months in each of six years from date of homestead entry (including the time required to earn homestead patent) and cultivate fifty acres extra.

A homesteader who has exhausted his homestead right and cannot obtain a pre-emption may enter for a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price, $3.00 per acre. Duties.—Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate fifty acres and erect a house worth $300.00.

W. W. CORY.
Deputy of the Minister of the Interior.
N.B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.

Department of Railways & Canals, Canada

QUEBEC BRIDGE.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tender for Removal of old Bridge material," will be received at this office until 16 o'clock, on Monday, the 21st August, 1911, for the removal of unused material delivered on the ground intended for use in connection with the construction of the old Quebec Bridge.

Specifications, forms of tender and full information can be obtained on and after this date, at the office of the Secretary of the Department of Railways and Canals, Ottawa, at the office of the Chairman and Chief Engineer of the Board of Engineers of the Quebec Bridge, Canadian Express Building, Montreal, and at their office Board of Trade Building, Quebec.

An accepted bank cheque for the sum of $13,000.00, made payable to the order of the Minister of Railways and Canals must accompany each tender, which sum will be forfeited if the party tendering declines entering into contract for the work, at the rates stated in the offer submitted.

The cheque thus sent in will be returned to the respective contractors whose tenders are not accepted.

The cheque of the successful tenderer will be held as security, or part security, for the due fulfilment of the contract to be entered into.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

By order, L. K. JONES,
Secretary.
Department of Railways and Canals,
Ottawa, 5th August, 1911.

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We Have Received **CANADIAN DAILY JOURNALS** AND **SCRIBBLING DIARIES** For 1912.

MORTON, PHILLIPS & CO.
Stationers, Blank Book Makers and Printers,
115-117 NOTRE DAME STREET WEST,
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ARONSON & RUTENBERG,
PAWNBROKERS,
No. 115 Craig Street W.,
Money to lend on Diamonds Watches, Jewellery, Clothing and Dry Goods. Furs stored during summer months.
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Valuations made. Jobbing promptly attended to.
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Province of Quebec,
District of Montreal.

SUPERIOR COURT.

No. 361.

Dame Agnes Whitewood, of the City and District of Montreal, wife common as to property of Joseph Henry Bradner, of the same place, furrier, and duly authorized a ester en justice, Plaintiff, vs. Joseph Henry Bradner, of the City and District of Montreal, furrier, Defendant.

An action for separation as to property has this day been instituted by the plaintiff against the defendant.

Montreal, 5th July, 1911.

W. M. COUPER,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVAL SERVICE

A competitive examination will be held in November next at the examination centres of the Civil Service Commission for the entry of Naval Cadets for the Naval Service of Canada; there will be 25 vacancies.

Candidates must be between the ages of 14 and 16 years on the 1st of January next; must be British subjects and must have resided, or their parents must have resided in Canada for two years immediately preceding the examination; short periods of absence abroad for purpose of education to be considered as residence.

Successful candidates will join the Royal Naval College at Halifax in January next; the course at the College is two years and the cost to parents, including board, lodging, uniform and all expenses, is approximately $400 for the first year and $250 for the second year.

On passing out of College, Cadets will be rated Midshipmen, and will receive pay at the rate of $2 per diem.

Parents of intending candidates should make application to the Secretary Civil Service Commission, Ottawa, before 15th October next.

Further information can be obtained on application to the Secretary, Department of Naval Service, Ottawa.

Unauthorized publication of this notice will not be paid for.

G. J. DESBARATS,
Deputy Minister of the Naval Service.
Department of the Naval Service.
Ottawa, August 1st, 1911.

REPORTS COTTON BILL.

Washington, Aug. 9. — The Senate Finance Committee to-day decided to report adversely the House Cotton tariff revision bill. The bill will go to the Senate to-morrow.

The John Murphy Company Limited

We Close
On Saturday at
1 P.M.

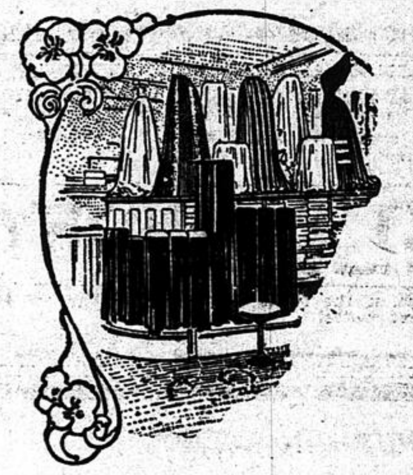
The John Murphy Company Limited

"Murphy's" Weekly List of Friday Specials

Murphy's Black Silks at Friday Prices

A Rich Black Louisine Silk of Jet Black Dye, for Dresses, Blouses, etc. We have a limited quantity to sell. The regular price is $1.10.
Friday per yard........ **.59**

(Silk Department, First Floor.)



Dress Goods Department

Offers a special all wool serge in Navy, Cream, and Black only. This is 42 inches wide, and is extra special value at per yard.......... **.49**

(Dress Department, First Floor.)

26 Dresses, Friday $1.49

26 only Summer Dresses, made of Print and some of Gingham, very neat style with Dutch Collar effect. Friday's Clearing Price.. **$1.49**

Silk Lisle Stockings for Children

240 pairs only Children's Silk Lisle Stockings; .25 quality.
Friday ....**3** pairs for **.50**

Children's very fine rib elastic Stockings with double knee and spliced heel and toe, in stainless black. Sizes 6 to 8½.
Friday ....**3** pairs for **.50**

A Hosiery Opportunity

1800 Pairs of Women's "Silkoline" or Mercerized Stockings. Friday, 3 pairs for .73

Women's Silkoline or Mercerized Stockings, made with double top, and strong spliced heel and toe, guaranteed fast color and stainless, with a good bright finish.

They come in a black, and a new light tan; sizes 8½ to 10. This stocking will wear and look well.
Friday's Special Price........................**3** pairs for **.73**

.25 Boxes of Lotus Nail Enamel, .15

"Lotus" *Nail Enamel in cake form*, Cuticle Softener, or Brittle Nail Cure.
Regular .25 a box, for.......................... **.15**
"Mum" takes the odor from perspiration. It may be had at our Toilet and Sundries Department for per jar................. **.35**
"Sigma" Deodorizing Violet Talcum, per tin............. **.35**

New Fall Suits From New York

Our Advance Showing of New York's newest Fall Suits is calling forth a lot of comments favorable to the styles and colors.

We think you will be pleased with these Models. The skirts still retain the straight lines, and the coats are beautifully tailored and have the mannish appearance.

(See Window and Department Display.)

LEATHER GOODS ODDMENTS

In our Leather Goods Department Friday will be a table of Oddments of leather goods. Priced at each................. **.25**

A Table of Odd Belts and Beltings, various odd belts and odd lengths of beltings. On a table in the Belt Department.
Friday at each........... **.10**

Specials from the Hosiery Department---
CHILDREN'S STOCKINGS

Children's colored Stockings that sell in the regular way at .18 and .25 per pair. Sizes 6 to 8½.
Friday morning per pair................................ **.08**

AT THE CIRCULATING LIBRARY

If you would have a good interesting and humorous book for week-end reading, try *"The Woman Haters,"* by Joseph C. Lincoln.

Some Rare Offerings From The Mantle Department

We have a few odd lines of Skirts, Dresses, Petticoats, etc., that must be cleared at once; they are all this season's goods, and will not last long at the prices we are asking on Friday:

10 only Women's Linen Suits and Dresses. Regular $55.00 to $85.00. Friday's Clearing Price......**$19.50**
54 only Black Silk Petticoats. Regular selling price $5.00. Friday's Clearing Price...............**$2.95**
9 only White Linen Coats. Regular $6.50 and $8.50. Friday's Clearing Price.................**$2.95**
19 only Pretty Flowered Muslin Kimonos. Regular $1.10. Friday's Clearing Price................. **.85**
9 only Pink Repp Skirts in a neat pleated style. Friday's Clearing Price.................**$1.00**
14 only Gingham Petticoats made with deep flounce of tucks and sheering. Regular $1.25. Friday's Clearing Price................. **.69**

Murphy's "Dollar Leather Cape"

We have received a large shipment of *"The Dollar Leather Cape,"* in Tan, Grey, White and Black. This is the best Leather Glove in Canada sold at per pair.........................**$1.00**
Sizes 5½ to 7½.

The John Murphy Company Limited

LONG WHITE SILK GLOVES ARE SCARCE

We have 800 Pairs to sell on Friday, at Per Pair, .79

We have received a shipment of Long Silk Gloves, which has been delayed in transit. As these are very scarce at the present time, we do not expect them to last long.
800 pairs only of Women's Long White Silk Gloves, 22 inches in length, Mousquetaire wrist, two dome fasteners, with double tipped fingers; made of good quality silk. This maker's gloves are cut on the principle of kid gloves and, for that reason, fit well. Friday's price per pair............ **.79**

('Phone Orders Filled.)

Embroidery Loom Ends At Friday Prices

This is part of a Special 10,000-yard purchase, and comprises all the newest designs in Swiss Embroidered Edgings, Insertions and Beadings in various widths, and values ranging up to .90 per yard.
Friday's Clearing Price........................... **.15**

(Embroidery Department, Main Floor.)

A Waist Sale of Extraordinary Values

New Fall Waists That Are Worth $4.95, $5.50, $6.50, $7.50 & $10 Friday, $2.98

You will hardly believe it, but it's a fact.

We have 100 New Fall Waists. Each Waist is a perfect Model. They are made with the new Kimono sleeve and round high fitting neck. Waists made of Crepe de Chine, Silk Net, Figured Foulard, in the new Oriental designs, Chiffons, and Crepe de Meteors. There is a large variety of colorings in combination effects; some very fine black nets heavily trimmed with silk embroidery, nets with metallic trimming, Chiffon heavily embroidered and many other styles. These are new Fall Waists, and are worth $4.95, $5.00, $6.50, $7.50, $8.50 and $10.00.
Friday **$2.98**

(See Window Display on St. Catherine Street.)

Wash Goods

3000 yards Dress Muslin, 28 inches wide, in all the up-to-date colors and designs and every shade, to clear 3000 yards, worth regular .12½, .15 and .25; Friday.............................. **.10**

(First Floor.)

Maids' Aprons Priced for Quick Selling

300 only Maids' Aprons, made of fine quality White Muslin, with deep frill, bib and bretelles, nicely finished with embroidery and tucks. Worth .50; Firday........... **.35**, or **3** for **$1.00**
10 dozen Maids' Bows. Regular .10; Friday........ **.05**

(Phone orders for above receive prompt attention.)

Odd and Broken Lines of Seasonable Silks. Regular .65, .75 and .85. Friday, - - .39

1085 yards of good quality Silks suitable for Dresses, Blouses, Skirts, etc., for the present wear. This lot includes Rich Colored Broches, Merve, Striped Chiffon, Taffetas in a large range of colorings.
Regular .65, .75 and .85; Friday per yard............ **.39**

(Silk Department, First Floor.)

Women's Stockings

169 Odd Pairs of Women's Cotton and Lisle Stocking, garter top, absolutely fast and stainless. Special heel and toe.
Friday's Clearing Price per pair.................... **.15**

Imported Dresden Ribbon 4½ in. Wide

Regular .29 Value. Friday, .19

Our Ribbon Buyer, who has just returned from St. Etienne, could secure only 1512 yards of this beautiful Dresden Ribbon to sell at this low price.

It is 4½ inches wide, and has a white ground with a very pretty design, that is quite new, and would sell in the regular way at .29;
Friday's Special Price.............................. **.19**

(Ribbon Department, Main Floor.)

.25 and .35 Swiss Embroidered Dutch Collars Friday, - - - .15

1200 only Pretty Dutch Collars, just the thing for this hot weather. They are made of fine Swiss Embroidery in about eight different designs. They are all new goods, and would sell at .25 and .35;
Friday's Price each ...... **.15**

Mail or 'Phone orders filled; you take no risk, as we guarantee satisfaction.

Children's Dresses

These pretty Dresses for children are in the Kimono style, linen color and others in Sailor style in blue and white check with blue facings. For children from 2 to 5 years. Regular value $1.25 and $1.50.
Friday............... **.89**

Paris has contributed her first offering to us of Model Hats for the Fall Season. They are now on exhibition in our New Millinery Salon, on the Second Floor.

In the Boot Department

300 pairs of Ladies' Boots in Patent Colt, Vici Kid, and Gun Metal, all in the New Fall Styles, New York and Military Heels.
All sizes 2½ to 7. Special.....................**$1.99**

$1.50 Hair Brushes for $1.19

Genuine ebony back brushes with thirteen rows of pure bristles.
Regular value $1.50. On Sale Friday each.........**$1.19**

LINENS AND STAPLES

100 dozen Table Napkins, all Linen, size 22 inches, handsome bordered designs. Regular value $1.75 a dozen.
On Sale Friday per dozen...................**$1.43**
1000 yards Crash Roller Towelling, 17½ inches wide, all pure Linen, red border. Regular value .12½ and .15 a yard.
Friday............. **.09½**
1000 yards best quality Canadian Longcloth, 36 inches wide, no dressing, fine even weave. Regular value .18 per yard.
Friday................ **.13**

CONTAINS NO ALUM
THE WHITEST, LIGHTEST
MAGIC BAKING POWDER
NEW STYLE LABEL
MADE IN CANADA
PURE THAT'S SURE
MAGIC BAKING POWDER

CROPS IN DECLINE

United States Yield is Officially Reported as Poorest Since 1901.

Washington, D.C., August 10.—A tremendous decline in the condition of crops, general throughout the country and traceable to drought the intense heat, occurred during the last month, as indicated by official figures and estimates made yesterday in the monthly crop report of the Department of Agriculture. The report yesterday is the worst, as to general crop conditions, that the department has issued for any single month since 1901.

The area most seriously affected extends from New York and Pennsylvania westward to the Rocky Mountains, embracing all of the great corn, wheat and hay producing states in the country. In the Southern States, with the exception of Virginia and North Carolina, ample rains served to maintain generally favorable conditions throughout the past month. These conditions thus far continue to be favorable.

Conditions in the Pacific Northwestern States are regarded as excellent, although during July that territory suffered from a brief but excessively hot period.

The total production of the principal crops for 1911, as indicated by their condition on August 1, is as follows:

Crop.	1910.	1911.
	Bushels.	Bushels.
Corn	2,620,221,400	3,125,968,000
Wheat, winter	455,149,000	464,044,000
Wheat, spring	209,645,700	231,399,000
All wheat	664,794,700	695,443,000
Oats	817,800,000	1,126,765,000
Barley	139,352,400	162,227,000
Rye	,30,677,000	33.039,000
Potatoes	249.893,000	338,811,000
Buckwheat	14,498,000	17,239,000
Tobacco, lbs. ..	600,588,000	984,439,000
Flaxseed	22,899,000	14,116,000
Rice, lbs.	23,076,000	24,510,000
Hay, tons	49,129,000	60,978,000

GIRL TELLS PITIFUL STORY.

Charges Parents With Inhuman Treatment.

Toronto, August 10.—Magistrates Cruickshank and Rowntree reserved judgment until August 11 in the charges preferred against Thomas Dennis and his wife, of York township, of abusing their nine-year-old daughter. In her evidence the little girl yesterday said that her stepmother tied her to the bedpost and lashed her naked body with a whip. She tore a toe nail from the child's foot by tramping on it, according to the little girl. An officer of the Girls' Home said that the child had behaved well since she had been admitted to the institution. The parents denied the charges, but were remanded on $200 bail.

USE POOR BREAD
If you like it yourself.
But save the little children by giving them
JAMES M. AIRD'S BREAD

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SELF-RAISING FLOUR
AT ALL GROCERS.
BRODIE & HARVIE, MONTREAL.

OPPOSE ARBITRATION

Ratification of Treaties in United States Senate May Require Changes.

Washington, D.C., August 10.—Friends of the British and French arbitration treaties in the Senate have reached the conclusion that it will be necessary to amend the conventions in order to get favorable action upon them. This conclusion is the result of the consideration of the documents by the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations, which has taken them up in vigorous fashion.

After two prolonged sittings the committee adjourned late yesterday to meet again Saturday.

No effort was made to have the treaties reported, and it became extremely doubtful to some of the friends of the administration whether such a course would be wise at the present time, owing to objections to some features of the agreement as they now appear.

Especial objection was made at both sittings to the provision submitting questions of difference to the joint high commission of injury, but fault also was found with the provision in the French treaty authorizing ratification by that government in accordance with the procedure required by the laws of France, and with the condition in the British treaty that matters affecting dependencies of Great Britain shall be submitted to the governments of such dependencies.

OPPOSE TREATY WITH GERMANY.

Boston, August 10.—The executive board of the Massachusetts branch, American Federation of Labor, voted to stand with the District of Columbia Central Labor Union in opposition to the proposed arbitration treaty between the United States and Germany, and adopted resolutions to this effect yesterday. The board concurred in the statement of the District of Columbia C. L. U. that 'the arbitration between the United States and Great Britain was brought about by a change in the terms of the Anglo-Japanese alliance, and that the change was admittedly made to facilitate a treaty of arbitration between the United States and Japan which would bring us face to face with the menace of coolie labor.'

MONTREAL'S TRIBUTE.

City Sends Appreciation in Rhyme to Mayor Gaynor, of New York.

New York, Aug. 10.—A big loving cup was presented to Mayor Gaynor at the City Hall yesterday to mark the first anniversary of the attempt made to assassinate him on the deck of the 'Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse,' when about to leave for Europe last summer.

Over 500 prominent persons attended the ceremony in the flag-draped aldermanic chamber. There were hundreds of congratulatory messages from mayors and dignitaries of other cities, and many speeches were made.

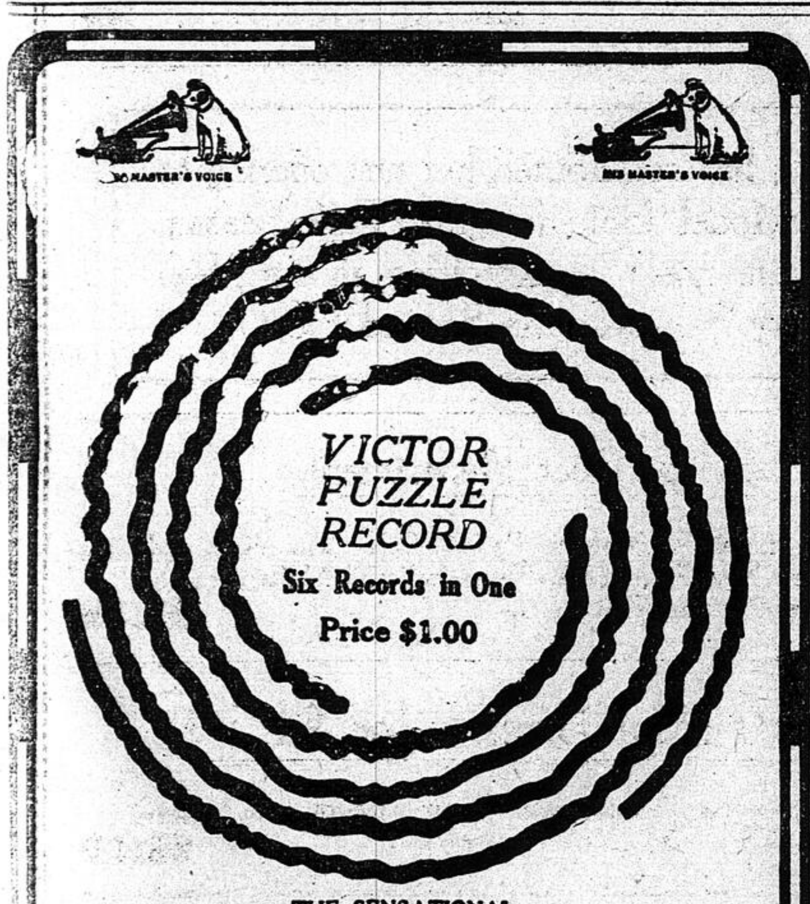
The cup preesnted stands eighteen inches tall, is profusely decorated and is of solid silver. Great Britain was represented by Sir Robert Buckland, ex-mayor of Oxford, and Montreal by Acting Mayor Gauvin and Mr. Rene Bauset, assistant city clerk, who were joined by the Hon. Chas. L. Guy, justice of the Supreme Court of New York, and Messrs. Sahron Graham, president of the Canadian Club, and William Henry Parsons, all former Montrealers. Archbishop Farley was also present, and Admiral Togo sent his congratulations. Acting Mayor Gauvin was given an ovation when he read the good wishes of Montreal in verse on a beautifully illuminated parchment, richly framed, as follows: Tribute to His Worship Mayor Gaynor, of New York City:

Wise Epistetus in olden days
  Said he best serves the state,
Who does his task, and all men's praise
  Shall mark him truly great.

So hast thou done, though rough the way
  That led to duty's goal,
Fulfilled thy task from day to day
  With calm, unclouded soul.

True guardian of a city's fate,
  Unmoved in danger's hour;
Son of a mighty Empire state,
  With wisdom wielding power.

A sister city hails thy fame,
  Pays, too, its meed of praise;
Acclaims with pride thy honored name,
  Prays for thee length of days.
—THE CITY OF MONTREAL.



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MIRACLE OF THE BIBLE

Its Origin and Preservation Subject of Interesting Lecture at Knowlton

Knowlton, Aug. 10. — The male students and visitors now resident at Knowlton Conference have raised a subscription to give the members of the household staff a moonlight excursion on Brome Lake. Each table has appointed a lady delegate to attend to the procuring of refreshments for the party. The members of these departments have, by their faithfulness and obliging manners, contributed much to the enjoyment of residence upon the Conference grounds.

The lecture course of the second, or 'Christian Workers' Conference' began yesterday.

Mr. J. Ritchie Bell gave an address on Christian work of an individual character, which, he said, was likely to be more permanent and enduring in its results than enthusiasm created by public preaching, which those for whom it was really intended were likely in many cases to apply to others, and not to take home to themselves. But there could be no mistake in the application of the individual appeal. A case was cited of a girl who for twelve months was confined to her couch dying of cancer, who, during that time brought many to a knowledge of the Savior.

Mr. Bell showed by an arithmetical calculation that if twelve persons began this year to obtain the conversion of one person to Christ every twelve months, and if each of those converted undertook to do the same, that in twenty-seven years the number of converted Christians would amount to 1,610,612,733, or more than the whole present population of the world.

The Rev. Dr. C. H. Tyndale, of New York, delivered his first lecture on 'Sin.' The fact of sin, the Fall and Bible Teaching on Sin.' Sin is transgression of the law of God rather than acting wrongly towards our fellow men. In nature the larger and stronger animal destroyed the weaker and smaller one; man was not a mammal with a superior brain, but a soul fallen away from its Creator. Men who do what in their hearts they know to be wrong are oppressed with a secret sense of guilt, a mingled feeling of fear and shame which renders them incapable of taking a resolute stand in the cause of right or even sometimes in the ordinary battle of life.

The Rev. Dr. Balcom Shaw, of Chicago, gave his first Bible lecture. Speaking on the miracle of the preparation, preservation and publication of the Bible. It took some 1,500 years to produce the various books which comprise the Bible, beginning with Moses and ending with St. John, he said, 'Yet what a wonderful agreement there was between its many writers. What is inspiration? The Bible definition is the best, 'Holy men spake as they were moved by the Spirit of God.' It is unprofitable to debate as to whether the Bible is the Word of God or whether it contains the Word of God merely. Suffice it that the Bible is God's revelation to man of Himself. It seemed to him, Dr. Shaw said, that after the supreme miracle of Calvary, the Bible was God's greatest miracle. But the Bible was likewise miraculous in its preservation. Thousands of scribes copied and recopied the manuscripts and palimpsests, yet how few errors we find in them. The preservation of the Bible was in the first place largely due to the painstaking and self-denying labors of hundreds of consecrated virgins. Scriptures were completed by these women, who wrote upon vellum, a delicate preparation of calves' skin. Some manuscripts were written upon antelopes skin; one skin furnishing two pages only. Dr. Shaw believed that these scribes wtre inspired, as likewise those who in later years copied their work in the numerous monasteries. It would seem, too, as if these copies also were miraculously preserved, as so many of them had survived the ravages of wars and accidents for ten, and in some cases fifteen centuries, ard were still available for perusal while encyclopedias and other works of the present day frequently got out of repair in twenty or thirty years. The great Sinaiatic MS. discovered by Teschendorf in 1849 was believed to be one of these ten or eleven MS. copied by the consecrated virgins of Origen's time. The culmination of all these preparations and preservations was the publication of the Authorized Version of 1611, which stil was the Bible of authority, and the comfort of the earnest Christian, it not having been superceded by the Revised Versions of 1881-85. In the opinion of the principal authorities of English Literature, too, the Authorized Version affzorded the best field for the cultivation of a pure and elegant style of English, either written or spoken.

Captain Lily Case, of the Salvation Army, has been here for some days collecting for the Army homes. She has now left for Stanstead.

OPENING NEW DISTRICT.

On the assurance of Sir William Whyte, the Southern Alberta Land Company have announced that the C. P. R. will commence construction on the new railway line from Medicine Hat to Calgary. The new line will not climb the grade, but follow the bed of the Bow river for about 50 miles, thence taking a route across the irrigated lands of the company, joining the main line near Shapard.

This new loop will not only be the forerunner of a faster service of trains, but will open up a large district which has no railway connections.

REMOVING TO MONTREAL.

Mr. Jos. R. Dalley recently resigned his position as secretary of the Railway Y.M.C.A. at Schreiber, and previous to their departure Mr. and Mrs. Dalley were presented by the citizens and members of the association with a very appreciative address, accompanied by a well filled purse as a token of the esteem in which they were held by one and all. Mr. and Mrs. Dalley will return to Montreal, where Mr. Dalley will engage in business with his father-in-law, Mr. Isaac Collins, builder and contractor.

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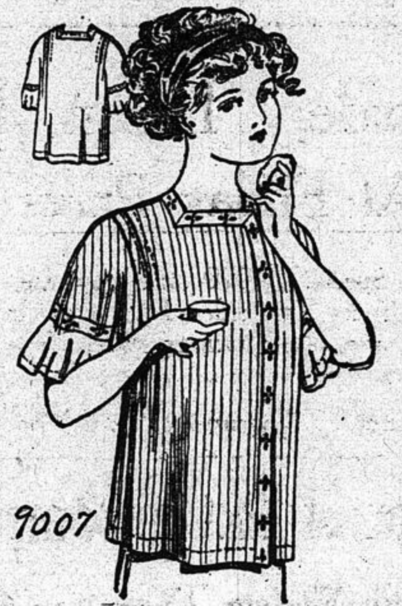

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PRAISES LOCAL BANK.

'Bank of Montreal Building Best I Ever Saw,' States Sir John Barker.

Toronto, Aug. 10.—Sir John Barker, a prominent London business man and a former member of the British House of Commons, who is in this city on a tour of sightseeing through the Dominion to Vancouver, is registered at the King Edward Hotel. Sir John is a member of a syndicate owning a large area of timber land in British Columbia, near Vancouver.

'With a party of three or four,' said Sir John, 'I came out to Canada to see it with my own eyes, as I had heard so much about it. Tuesday we went over and saw the great Niagara Falls, a really magnificent sight. Three of our party were so struck with the spectacle that they went over again yesterday to see it.

'There is one thing about our trip here—we are not learning anything. Conditions out here are not much improved over those of England.

'I was greatly pleased with your Provincial Parliament buildings. They show real architectural taste. But I was very disappointed with those abominable overhead wires. They should be underground. There ought to be one big tunnel under the streets in which all wires and pipes could be laid, and then when anything goes wrong they are readily accessible. The Bank of Montreal in Montreal is the finest bank structure I ever saw.'

M. P. FINED FOR SPEEDING.

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QUEBEC FIRE CHIEF.

Quebec, August 10.—The meeting of the City Council on Friday night is expected to take definite action on the question of a new chief for the Quebec Fire Brigade. It looks now as if the position would go to Deputy Chief Hamel, and that both Deputy Chief Marin, of Montreal, and Captain Blouin, of Quebec, will be passed over.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

Notices of births, marriages and deaths, must invariably be endorsed with the name and address of the sender, or otherwise no notice can be taken of them. Birth notices are inserted for 25c; marriage notices for 50c; death notices for 25c, prepaid. The announcement of funeral appended to death notice, 25c extra; other extensions to obituary, such as short sketch of life, two cents per word extra, except poetry, which is 50c per line extra, prepaid.

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BIRTHS

FOTHERINGHAM—At 16 Simpson ave., Toronto, on July 29, 1911, the wife of the Rev. J. B. Fotheringham, of a daughter.

RIVARD—At Greenlay, Que., on August 8th, 1911, a daughter to Principal and Mrs. A. E. Rivard.

SWIFT—At Carpio, N.D., on August 2, 1911, a son to Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Swift.

WHITE — At 'Glendora,' Trenton, Ont., on July 20, 1911, the wife of Glen R. White, of a son.

MARRIED.

BROWN — BURNS — At Caledonia, Ont., on Aug. 3, 1911, by the Rev. Wm. Burns and the Rev. Dr. R. N. Burns, Mr. A. Grant Brown, of Toronto, to Miss Edna Muriel Burns, of Caledonia.

GRIMBLE—STEPHENSON—Married on Aug. 8th, by the Rev. W. G. Bradford, John Grimble to Mary Stephenson, both of Montreal.

McKEE — MACDONALD—At Lucknow, Ont., on July 20, 1911, by the Rev. F. A. MacLennan, of South Kinloss, Alexandra, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. S. MacDonald, to James Freeborn McKee, M.D., of Heathcote, Ont.

McGOVEREN — LEONARD — At the residence of Mr. C. E. Standish, of Ayer's Cliff, Quebec, on Aug. 7, 1811, by the Rev. Churchill Moore, Mr. W. J. McGoveren, of Bolton, Que., to Miss Mary Belle Leonard, of Ayer's Cliff.

McMILLAN — MULLOY — On Aug. 2, 1911, at the Presbyterian Church, Aurora, Ont., by the Rev. Walter Amos, Harvey Reginald McMillan, of the Department of Forestry, Ottawa, to Edna, eldest daughter of Charles W. Mulloy, Inspector of Schools for New York.

WEARY—DOWLING—At the residence of the bride, 82 Mance street, Montreal, August 8th, 1911, by the Rev. George McLellan, Constance M. L. Dowling, second daughter of the late William Dowling, Covey Hill, to Herbert J. Weary, of the Island of Jersey.

DIED.

DONALD — At Toronto, on Aug. 7, 1911, David Donald, son of the late James Donald, of Glasgow, Scotland. Interred in Mount Royal Cemetery.

FRASER — On Aug. 8, 1911, at Coaticook, P.Q., John Fraser, M.P., son of the late Alexander Fraser, of Quebec City.

Quebec and Winnipeg papers please copy.

MACKINNON — On Aug. 4, 1911, at the Holborn Viaduct Hotel, London, England, Sidney F. MacKinnon, in his 69th year.

MURRAY — At Smithville, on Aug. 3, 1911, James Murray, formerly of Cayuga.

SQUIRE — At Montreal, on Aug. 10, 1911, Joseph Squire, of Lachute, Que. Funeral from Christ Church, Moulinette, Ont., on Friday, Aug. 11, on arrival of noon train.

PRATT — At the family residence, Cobourg, Ont., on Aug. 4, 1911, Alexander Pratt.

PEPLOW—At Kent, Washington, Edward Peplow, aged 72, for many years a citize nof Port Hope, Ont.

ROSS — At Hawkesbury, Ont., on Wednesday, Aug. 2, 1911, Frances Waddel, aged 3½ years, daughter of John W. Ross.

STRACHAN — At Guelph, on Aug. 4, 1911, the Rev. Donald Strachan, a native of Argyllshire, Scotland, in his 85th year.

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MR. EDISON SURPRISED.

Famous Inventor Pays Visit to British House of Commons.

New York, Aug. 10.—A London cable to the 'World' says: On reaching London by motor Tuesday evening, Thomas A. Edison was met by his European agent, Sir Croydon Marks, M.P., who after dinner escorted him to the House of Commons. By the special order of Speaker Lowther, Mr. Edison occupied a place in the 'Distinguished strangers' gallery, where he witnessed the scene, but could not hear the speeches made on the floor.

Sir Crowdon told the correspondent that the great inventor was intensely curious about the personalities of the leaders on both sides. He declared that Mr. Balfour, the Unionist leader, Mr. Lloyd George, the Chancellor of the Exchequer, and Mr. Winston Churchill, the Home Secretary, all have strikingly intellectual heads. He said the whole fight between the two Houses is inexplicable to him, and he thought it strange that some sort of arbitration committee or board could not be appointed to settle it. Evidently, Mr. Edison is not much of a politician.

He was taken on the Terrace, where were several ministers and others seeking the refreshing night air, and enjoyed it hugely. There he met, among many other big men of Great Britain, Mr. Lloyd George, who wished Mr. Edison would invent some plan for getting bills quickly through parliament.

Mr. T. P. O'Connor was one of those who met Mr. Edison and afterwards said: 'He is like a big, unsophisticated farmer, taking almost boyish interest in things familiar to ordinary men of the world. Indeed he is like a great school boy asking questions and looking delighted with the most commonplace answers. The simplicity of genius was never before so remarkably illustrated in my experience.'

Mr. Edison went out on the terrace and got a regular reception when the House arose. He was presented with a copy of the Parliament (Lords' Veto) Bill, signed by Mr. Asquith, Mr. Lloyd George, John Redmond, John Burns, T. P. O'Connor and others. He saw both divisions on the bill and was profoundly interested.

Three Girls on a Yacht

By E. E. COWPER

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Author of 'The Invaders of Fairford.'

SUMMARY OF THE PRECEDING CHAPTERS.

The fortunes of the three girls, Alix, Anne and Angela Temple, are at their lowest ebb apparently when they face a third summer without holiday in their tiny flat at Battersea Park. The death of Captain Temple, the easy-going father, and of the invalid mother, had left them stranded in Brittany and London had seemed to offer unlimited chances to enlarge their too slender income. Alix, at twenty-two, has the usual struggles of a slightly successful author, while Anne, twenty, works for a pittance in a millinery establishment, and seventeen-year-old Angela keeps house. Returned MSS. and four weeks of hot dry weather have done their work when Anne returns one day with a delightful surprise. Miss Alicia Granchester, a wealthy customer, has asked if the sisters would be willing, during Anne's holidays, to 'air' the 'Flying Fish,' as the yawl will otherwise lie idle all summer. Unknown to the girls her brother William personally superintends the preparation of the 'Flying Fish,' giving the man, Tobin, strict orders to do his best, then joins his friend, Reggie Lassetter, on the 'Rose Marie,' before the girls reach Camber. They spend the first few days in lazy enjoyment and short sails, but soon go out to sea, to the dismay of the coastguards. Among the many vessels they notice a racing cutter in particular, from its odd manoeuvres and the curiosity of its crew as to the doings of the yawl. All goes well until running to Birley, they stick on the mud and are released ignominiously by the local coastguards. They learn that the cutter which saw it all is the 'Rose Marie,' and leaving the next day discover the cutter again in evidence. Steering closer in to avoid it, they again run aground and have to be taken off the 'Fish' by the crew of the 'Rose Marie.' Mr. Lassetter and his friend, introduced as 'Mr. Otway,' give them a good time before they return to the yawl, and next day the girls slip off unseen to further adventures, anchoring for the night at a little island with an apparently deserted castle on it. Rambling about the island they see three rough men in a dirty boat, and, later, the one inhabitant, an odd little Frenchman. Their next stopping place is the Peace Pool, and here the coastguard, young Captain Araugh, proves to have known their father. The wind rising he advises a return to Bostock and the help of a man. While he goes to get one the girls decide rather to follow at once the flight of other yachts leaving the Pool, and after an unexpectedly hard run and a near accident, moor once again at the old castle island. The 'Rose Marie' had spent the previous evening there and made inquiries of the Hermit as to the stay of the 'Fish.' Later, they also discovered undesirable men about, and put out to meet the 'Fish,' when they learn it had left Peace Pool.

CHAPTER XVII.—Continued.

'It is dreadful! Oh, do let us be careful!'

'If we are too careful they'll kill the old gentleman before we get there. And then, of course, it will be no use going.' Thus Angela summed up the situation.

Anne was already pulling in the dinghy, and, without more ado, they all climbed into the little boat, which had too much water in her to be at all a pleasant resting-place.

'Don't make the least noise,' said Anne hastily, as Angela took an oar.

'Oh, I forgot the boat-hook!' exclaimed the person addressed, in an excited whisper.

The little boat was drifting with the tide already.

'Don't stop rowing, Angel; never mind the boat-hook—it wouldn't be any use.'

'We should ten to one catch it in things, of course,' agreed Angela. 'Nothing so hookey as a boat-hook when you don't want it to hook. Alix, don't look so miserable—you are as white as—'

A simile failed. Alix was very white indeed, and there was a look of shrinking fear in her sensitive face.

'Don't laugh girl, if we all arrived on the scene weeping like the walrus and the carpenter it wouldn't better the condition of the poor Owl.'

'S-sh-u-u-sh!' came in a low hiss from Anne. They were against the steps, and the dinghy bumped softly against the seaweed-covered stone.

One after the other they crept up on to the little causeway; then Alix whispered:

'If we tie up the boat won't they see it?'

'We can't hide it,' said Anne, after a moment's hesitation. 'They'd be as likely to find it on the shore lower down—'

'I suppose we couldn't carry it up to the bushes and bury it! The Red Indians always buried their canoes on the trail and left no trace,' suggested Angela eagerly.

'My dear child, if we three were to lumber up into the wood with this boat, they'd hear us at Railstone,' from Anne, with withering scorn. 'We are not Red Indians, and this is not a canoe! We must leave it here. Now hurry—we must hurry!'

Alix looked expressively at the blank face of grey stone.

'Not this side,' said Anne quickly. 'There must be windows on the other. We must go round and over the broken wall.'

Along the terrace, over the rough ground, through the wet bushes and scrub the way led. Anne and Angela first; Alix following, her heart beating, sick with dread.

They all paused under the black shadow of the old wall, and waited to get breath. Angela was restless with excitement, entirely heedless of danger and regarding the whole affair as a joke.

'I wish you weren't so frightened, Alix,' she said anxiously. 'I wonder why; you weren't a bit afraid coming from the Peace Pool.'

'Oh, who'd be afraid of sea and sky—clean and beautiful?' said Alix. 'But this—horrible rough men—'

'Well, Anne didn't much like the 'clean sea and sky,' did you?' questioned Angela, with sympathy.

'I'd rather face six of these creatures than go through six hours of that—that nightmare again,' with decision from Anne.

'Dear me, how tastes differ! It's quite a problem, isn't it?'

Even Alix was beguiled into a faint giggle, hastily repressed; after which they all returned to an acute sense of their strange position, and fell into anxious silence, listening intently.

The wet ivy rustled close to them, but all other sounds, if any there were, were lost in the gusty rush of the wind and rain and the wash of distant waves.

'We mustn't wait any longer,' whispered Anne; and with one accord they began to move along the bank, looking for a broken place. This was soon found—for the whole wall was in bad repair; the gap was nearly filled in with ivy, so that they had to push it aside to make sure of a safe footing on the broken stones. One by one the three girls climbed over, Angela remarking in a breathless whisper that it was lucky they were not hunting Red Indians, as one way and another there seemed to be a good deal of noise.

'The burglars must be deaf moles,' she added scornfully.

'Do you mean deaf mutes?' asked Anne, putting her hair tidy and shaking out her wet skirt with deft movements all her own.

'I thought moles were deaf.'

'They are blind, my dear girl.'

'Oh, I see. Perhaps I was thinking of mutes. I knew they began with an "m." Alix, how do you feel?'

Alix shook her head without answering; her 'feelings' were unexplainable.

As they whispered they were crossing the lawn to the house.

They called it a 'lawn' by courtesy in their minds, but it was in reality but a patch of grass, uneven and untended, merging into shrubbery and kitchen garden, over-growing paths, and even creeping to the floor of the colonnade or verandah that flanked the garden side of the castle.

This erection was something of the nature of a cloister, for it was too heavily built to be strictly called a verandah. Low arches faced the garden, and the floor was of stone; but as the girls warily approached they say that in one respect it resembled what Angela called 'a common verandah' in that it had French windows opening on to it from more than one room.

There were several windows—which were of more recent structure than the rest of the house—and from one of these came a faint uncertain light. Cautiously the girls drew near, their footsteps making no sound on the wet grass, till they came close enough to look in.

First they noted that the light proceeded from a dying fire, a handful of red-hot coals smouldering in a grate at the side of the room. As they became used to the objects visible from the window they saw that the room was not large, and furnished chiefly with bookcases that lined the walls. By the fire was a big leather-covered armchair; near the window a writing-table littered with papers; nearer to the fireplace another table, square and solid, on which were what seemed to be the remains of supper. On the floor was a thick dark carpet, and thick dark curtains were pulled aside from the window.

(To be Continued.)

WHAT SAITH THE SCRIPTURE?

August 10.

Who is this, of whom I hear such things?—Luke ix., 9.

Be of good cheer: it is I; be not afraid.—Mark vi., 50.

The voice of my beloved!—Song of Solomon ii., 8.

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"BED-TIME STORIES"

BUTTONS' FRIENDS.

Hilda was cooking Buttons' dinner. Buttons was a beautiful black cat with lustrous golden eyes and a tiny dash of white upon his breast.

Just then Buttons saw a fly. His whiskers quivered, Buttons sprang after it, followed it across the room, from a chair to a table, from the table to a shelf.

Oh, poor Buttons!—right into the kettle of molasses!

'Oh, he's spoiled! he's spoiled!' wailed Hilda.

'Before I'd have such a looking cat!' jeered Brother Ned.

'It will never come off,' declared Ruth.

'Put him out in the yard,' said mamma. 'He'll never be fit to come into the house again.'

'Some one must wash him,' said Hilda.

'Oh, Josephus, Josephus!' she cried. 'Come quick! Something dreadful has happened!'

Josephus dropped his wooden shovel and came as quickly as his wooden leg would let him.

'What's the matter, Miss Hilda?' he asked.

'It's Buttons, my dear, dear Buttons!' cried Hilda. 'He fell into a kettle of molasses and, oh, Josephus, I want you to wash him.'

Josephus threw back his head and laughed uproariously.

'Then I'll have to do it myself,' said Hilda.

She got a pail of water, captured the cat and placed him gently in the pail. There was a frantic struggle and a tremendous splash. Then over went the pail and away flashed Buttons!

Half an hour later Hilda, still grieving over the accident, looked out of the kitchen window.

Buttons was sitting still forlornly.

'Poor, poor Buttons!' sighed Hilda.

Then Buttons lifted up his voice in lamentation. 'Meow, meow,' he mournfully cried.

In a moment a large gray cat came slowly up the driveway, two tiger cats leaped the fence, closely followed by a small Maltese tabby, a yellow cat struggled across the lawn, and a handsome black-and-white puss crept around the corner of the house.

'Mew, mew,' said the little Maltese.

'Miaw, miaw,' said the two tigers.

'Meow, meow, meow,' chanted the whole six.

Then the big gray cat approached Buttons solemnly. 'Pr-r-r,' said he and began to lick his molasses-drenched friend.

'Pr-r-r,' said the yellow cat, following the gray cat's example.

'Oh!' exclaimed Hilda; 'they are washing Buttons!'

'They certainly are,' said mamma.

'P-r-r-r,' said the black-and-white cat, the two tigers and the little Maltese all coming forward to assist.

Till dark Hilda watched the funny scene. And after supper in came Buttons, purring happily, his beautiful fur just as clean and shiny and velvety as ever.

'Those dear, good cats!' cried Hilda. 'They were friends in need,' said mamma.

'Meow!' agreed Buttons. — Louise Octavian in 'Children's Magazine.'

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MAY MAKE P.Q.R.A. AN OPEN MEET FOR ALL CANADIAN RIFLEMEN

Sgt. G. W. Sharpe, of the 2nd Canadian Artillery, leads in the first stage of the Lieut.-Governor's match, in which the first 64 men only are eligible to enter the second stage, which will be shot on Friday.

Corp. H. Douglas, of the 5th R.H.C. yesterday won his third match in the present meet, and this morning starts off with a lead of 10 points over the other marksmen in the grand aggregate series.

It would now seem that several changes in the executive policy of the P. Q. R. A. will take place shortly. The question of throwing open the annual meeting to the entire Dominion is down for settlement in the near future, and is strongly favored by a majority of the marksmen, who are this year taking part in the matches.

The new elective branch of the executive council as elected yesterday afternoon, is as follows: Lt.-Col. Spearing, 53rd Regt.; Major Peltier, 65th C. M. R.; Capt. Gascoigne, 3rd V.R.C.; Capt. R. H. Jamieson, 5th R. H C; Capt Drysdale, 11th Regiment; Lieut Hay, Engineers, and Lieut. Draper.

The following results were announced last night by the statistical committee:—

His Honor the Lieut.-Governor's match:—

	Total.
Sgt. G. W. Sharpe, 2nd C. A.	97
Corp. G. Copping, 3rd V.R.C.	95
Pte. A Parnell, 3rd V.R.C.	95
Mr. J. Atkinson, McGill	95
Gr. J. W. A. Sharpe, 2nd C.A.	94
Sap. J. Turnbull, 4th F.C.E.	94
Capt. W. Drysdale, 11th Regt.	93
Corp. G. Mortimer, 8th R.R.	93
Lt. P. D. Gowen, 8th R.R.	93
Mr. W. Pugh, Q.C.R.A.	92
Mr. F. R. Hooker, D.R.A.	92
Sgt. C. L. Morrice, 4th F.C.E.	92
Gr. J. Smyth, 2nd C.A.	92
Sap. W. Dalzield, 4th F.C.T.	91
Corp. H. Douglas, 5th R.H.C.	91
Pte. W. Cleaver, 5th R.HC	91
Lt A. W. Hay, 8th R.R.	91
Q.M.S. J. M. Wallace, P.A.M.C.	9-
Pte. W. R. Dunlop, 3rd V.R.C.	91
Pte. E. Malone, 8th R.R	90
Pte. E. Scott, 3rd V.R.C.	90
Q.C.R. C. A. Wood, Q.C.R.A.	90
Sgt. W. Mills, 3rd V.R.C.	90
Mr Wm. Cregeggan, QC.R.A.	90
Sgt. F. Hogge, 1st P.W.F	90
Sgt L. Draper, 13th S.L.D.	90
Sgt. W. K. Knuckley, 3rd V.R.C.	90
Mr. E. S. Hill, Q.C.R.A.	90
Pte. J. Boa, 5th R.H.C.	90
Mr. E. Robertson, A.R.A.	90
Dr. J. McGregor, M.LRA	90
Dr. J. McGregor, M.L.R.A.	89
Pte R. A. Holland, 3rd V.R.C.	89
Sap. T. Turnbull, 4th F.C.E.	89
Capt. C. J. Mofft, K.R.A.	89
Lt.-Col. R. J. Spearing, 53rd Rgt.	88
Pte. J. Cluff, 3rd V.R.C.	88
Sap. G. Green, 4th F.C.E.	88
Sgt. D. Mackay, 5th RH.C.	88
Pte. A. Macmillan, 8th R.R.	88
Sgt. M. H. Murphy, 8th R.R.	88
Mr. C. N. Andrews, D.R.A.	87
Mr. R. E. Hollinshead, McGill	87
Corp. E. W. Dickson, 5th R.HC	87
Mr F. Warner, 8th R.R.	87
Corp. J. T. Smith, 3rd V.R.C.	87
Sgt. J. Rooney, 5th RH.C.	87
Mr J. Jolicoeur, Q.C.R.A.	86
Pte. J. A. Fossey, 8 R. R.	86
Capt. O. R. C. Spearing, 53rd Rg.	86
Sgt. P. C. Horman, 1st P.W.F.	86
Mr. L. W. Stevens, 8 R.A.	86
Sgt. C. W. MacMillan, 8 R.R.	85
Pte. F. Porter, 8 R.R.	85
Maj. N. R. Moffat, 13 S. L. D.	85
Corp. C. H. Knowles, 8 R.R.	85
Sgt. W. Sharpe, 3rd V.R.C.	85
Sgt. A. J. McCusker, 8 R.R.	85
Sgt. W. J. Anderson, 5th R.H.C.	85
Sgt. H. A. Armstrong, 3rd V.R.C.	84
Lt. H. A. Sampson, 53rd Rg.	84
Capt. C. K. Fraser, 53rd Rgt.	84
Sgt. C. W. Carey, 8th R.R.	84
Pte. J. Goudie, 8th R.R.	84

Twenty prizes of $4 each, won by the 20 tyros who failed to get in second stage:—

Sap. J. Pirrie, 4th F.C.E.	83
Lt. A. H. Charles, 44th F.C.E.	83
Sgt. T. Niven, 5th R.H.C.	83
Mr. A. H. Taylor, A.R.A.	82
Pte. Wm. Lappage, C.O.C.	82
Col.-Sgt. A. E. Smith, 5th R.H.C.	82
Sgt. I. Lytle, 5th R.H.C.	82
Sgt. Prittie, 5th R.H.C.	80
Corp. R. Hillrich, 5th R.H.C.	80
Mr. E. K. Moore, R.A.	79
Mr. R. Struthers, A.R.A.	79
Corp. W. H. Hughes, 3rd V.R.C.	78
Pte. J. C. Baldwin, 5th R.H.C.	78
Sap. G. Wall, 4th F.C.E.	77
Capt. M. C. Copeland, 11th Rg.	77
Sgt. H. S. Peabody, 13th S.L.D.	76
Gr. G. W. Sharpe, 2nd C.A.	71
Mr. W. R. Damant, R.R.A.	76
Mr. C. A. E. Harper, R.R.A.	76
Sgt. G. Mathewson, 5th R.H.C.	75

Twenty prizes of $3 each for 20 highest green shots who failed to win in above lists, won by:—

Corp. T. A. Raynar, 8th R.R.	75
Sap. W. P. Simpson, 4th F.C.E.	74
Pte. F. Statham, C.O.C.	73
Mr. R. W. Martin, G.R.A.	73
Mr. F. Farnsworth, C.P.R.	73
Sgt. D. Murray, 5th R.H.C.	71
Sgt. W. Chalmers, Ith R.H.C.	76
Sgt. H. A. Holden, 13th S.L.D.	68
Gr. F. Marchant, 2nd C.A.	67
Pte. J. C. Ryder, C.O.C.	67
Mr. W. C. Sayers, C.P.R.	66
Sgt. C. J. Earley, 5th R.H.C.	64
Pte. A. S. Buckle, 8th R.R.	60
L.-Corp. J. Cassidy, 5th R.H.C.	59
Corp. J. Lawrence, 5th R.H.C.	59
Sgt. J. C. Poole, 5th R.H.C.	56
Pte. H. McKinney, 5th R.H.C.	55
Sgt. P. T. Edwardson, 5th R.H.C.	55
Pte. W. Larmour, 5th R.H.C.	52
L.-Corp. J. H. Glithers, 5th R.H.C.	52

TEAM PRIZES.

$30—3rd V.R.C., 1st team	461
$25—Q.C.R.A.	443
$20—5th R.H.C.	432
$15—2nd C.A.	428

TYRO TEAMS.

$20—8th R.R.	355
$16—4th F.C.E., 1st team	351
$12—3rd V.R.C.	349
$10—5th R.H.C., 1st team	846

Additional prizes in Strathcona match other than reported in yesterday's 'Witness':

Thirty prizes of $3 each for tyros.

Sap. G. Green, 4 F.C.E.	20
Pte. D. Campbell, 3 V.R.C.	19
Mr. A. H. Taylor, A.R.A.	19
Gr. F. Marchant, 2 C.A.	19
Pte. J. Snowden, 1 P.W.F.	18
Sgt. H. G. Prittie, 5 R.H.C.	18
Corp. C. Howell, 5 R.H.C.	18
Corp. W. H. Hughes, 3 V.R.C.	18
Mr. R. Struthers, O.R.A.	18
Mr. C. A. E. Harper, O.R.A.	17
Pte. W. Larmour, 5 R.H.C.	17
Pte. C. W. McMillan, 8 R.R.	17
Pte. A. S. Buckle, 8 R.R.	17
Mr. E. Robertson, O.R.A.	16
Pte. F. Cooke, 1 P.W.F.	16
Sgt. M. H. Murphy, 8 R.R.	16
Mr. E. Moore, K.R.A.	16
Corp. R. Hillridge, 5 R.H.C.	16
Capt. M. C. Copeland, 11 Regt.	15
Mr. C. J. Moffatt, K.R.A.	15
Dr. W. S. McLaren, O.R.A	15
Sgt. H. S. Peabody, 13 S.L.D.	15
Corp. E. W. Dickson, 5 R.H.C	14
Pte. W. Lappage, C.O.C.	14
Pte. A. Macmillan, 8 R.R.	14
Sgt. J. Rooney, 5 R.H.C.	14
Corp. J. T. Smith, 30 R.C.	14
Mr. W. Sayers, C.P.R.	13
Lieut. A. H. Charles, 4 F.C.E.	13
Gr. G. W. Sharpe, 2 C.A.	13

Fifteen prizes of $2 each for green shots.

Pte. H. McKinnie, 5 R.H.C.	13
L.-Corp. J. H. Glithero, 5 R.H.C.	12
Mr J. Atkinson, McGill	12
Mr. Farnsworth, C.P.R.	12
Pte. E. Scott, 3 V.R.C.	12
Pte. F. Statham, C.O.C.	11
Sgt. W. Chalmers, 5 R.H.C.	10
Mr. L. W Stevens, R.R.A.	9
Mr. W. R. Damant, R.R.A.	9
Mr. R. Coates, C.P.R.	8
Sgt. W. G. Bennett, 1 P.W.F.	7
Sgt. C J. Earley, 5 R.H.C.	6
Pte. J. B. Newman, 3 V.R.C.	5
Mr. R. W. Martin, G.R.A.	4
Corp. J. Lawrence, 5 R.H.C.	4

TEAM PRIZES.

$25—G.C.R.A.	109
$20—5 R.H.C., senior team	95
$15—3 V.R.C.	93
$10—8 R.R.	90

TYRO TEAMS.

$15—8 R.R.	84
$12—4 F.C.E., 1st team	71
$10—5 R.H.C., 1st team	61
..8—5 R.H.C., 2nd team	59

SHIPPING NEWS

BOUND FOR MONTREAL.

Wittekind	Hambur	July 29
Monarch	Newcastle	July 31
Montreal	Antwerp	Aug. 2
Lake Manitoba	Liverpool	Aug. 4
Montrose	London	Aug. 3
Man. Importer	Manchester	Aug. 5
Victorian	Liverpool	Aug. 5
Laurentic	Liverpool	Aug. 4
Carrigan Head	Belfast	Aug. 5
Hesperian	Glasgow	Aug. 6
Inishowen H'd	Glasgow	Aug. 9
Ausonia	London	Aug. 9

AUSONIA SAILS.

Southampton, Aug. 8—The Cunard linre T.SS. Ausonia sailed for Quebec and Montreal to-day, one day behind her schedule. She left 300 tons of cargo, which the dockers refused to handle.

INLAND NAVIGATION.

Port Colborne, Ont., Aug. 9.—Up—Keystorm, 4 a.m.; Kenora, 10; Plummer, 2 p.m.

Down—City of Montreal, 7 a.m.; Dundee, 5; Imperial, 9; Ford River, 2 p.m.

Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., Aug. 9.—Up—J. A. McKee, 10.10 p.m.; Collingwood, 3.30 a.m.; Simcoe, 6.45 a.m.; Henry Coulby, 1.15 p.m.; Kamm, 2.25 p.m.; J. H. Bartow, 3.35 p.m.; Doric, 5.30 p.m.

NEW HARBOR OFFICES.

The exterior of the Harbor Commissioners' new office on the wharf has now been completed, and work on the interior will commence almost immediately. The Commissioners hope to occupy their new home early in October. A feature of the building is that the basement will be made up of prison cells, for the convenience of those who are arrested by the Harbor Commissioners' Police. The two remaining floors will be used as offices.

PRESENTATION TO CAPT. GEO BATTEN.

A pleasing event occurred yesterday at noon previous to the departure of the steamer Rapids Prince on her regular trip, when a deputation of Mystic Shriners, consisting of Nobles P. D. Gordon, Allan Austin, A. A. Bittues, and Alex. B. J. Moore, of Karnak Temple, Montreal, waited on Captain George Batten, and in the presence of some of the officers and passengers, including Mr. Joseph F. Dolan, chief steward JJ. King and Nobles McClain, Mitchell and McQueen, presented him with a framed illuminated address, which Noble Gordon read as follows:

"To Captain George Batten, Richelieu & Ontario Navigation Co.—The Nobility and Ladies of Karnak Temple, A.A.O. N.N.S., on voyage per T.SS. Rapids Kings, to Rochester, N.Y., July 8th to 14th, 1911, beg to tender you their sincere thanks for your courtesy and ceaseless attention, which helped to make the caravan such a source of unqualified enjoyment to all on board.'

Signed by Arno A. Bittues, chairman transportation committee; Philip D. Gordon, Past Potentate and Representative; Alex. B. J. Moore, Recorder and Representative.

Capt. Batten was taken by surprise, and in modest terms said that he would indeed highly prize the testimonial, and that he looked forward to next summer, when he hoped that it would fall to his lot to again have the honor of being in command of the steamer which would be chartered by such royal good fellows as the members of Karnak Temple.

LAURENTIC'S PASSENGERS.

The following are the saloon passengers on the 'Laurentic,' due in Montreal on Saturday:—J. Alexander, Roberts Allan, Mrs. Allan, Miss M. Roberts Allan, Miss D. Roberts Allan, J. Roberts Allan, R. D. Anderson, A. D. Anderson, Mrs. Anderson, Miss Anderson, R. E. Arlene, Miss Helen Armstrong, Hamilton F. Armstrong, J. W. Belisle, James Ballantyne, Mrs. Ballantyne, Norris K. Bell, Miss Bell, Mrs. M. S. Blaiklock, Tunstall Blaiklock, Miss Jessie Blaiklock, Mrs. Blandy, Captain G. C. Blethen, Dr. T. H. Blow, Mrs. Blow, W. D. Bond, Mrs. John W. Bowers, W. S. Bowker, A. W. Burgess, J. H. Mayne Campbell, Alfred Chapin, Miss Edna M. Clarke, W. J. Coles, the Hon. Edward Colse, Delano F. Conrad, Miss Dorothy Coupland, Dr. Sydney Coupland, C. A. Creighton, J. B. Gregg Curtis, A. L. P. Dennis, George W. Derbyshire, Alexander Dick, Mrs. Dick, Miss Dick, Robert N. Doubleday, Mrs. Doubleday, Russell Doubleday, Mrs. Doubleday, Miss Dorothy Doubleday, L. M. Earle, R. H. Earle, Miss J. I. Edwards, G. Ferrabee, Mrs. Ferrabee, Francis G. Ferrabee, Miss E. W. Field, Mrs. Evelyn Fielding, D. F. Fisher, W. L. French, E. T. Frost, Captain Furber, Mrs. Furber, Dr. Hilton Ross Gambitz, Mrs. A. Goldschmidt, S. G. Grafton, J. E. Haddon, S. T. Heyes, J. A. Hildabolt, Mrs. V. L. Hodge, Miss Hodge, Mrs. P. A. Hogg, James J. Hood, Arthur P. James, Mrs. Caroline James, Miss Mary James, C. Frank Jobson, Mrs. Jobson, Major Frank Johnson, Miss Violet Johnson, H. S. Johnson, T. E. Joliffe, Dr. J. E. Kidd, Mrs. Kidd, J. G. Kilt, Mrs. Kilt, Miss Kilt, F. J. Kilt, Miss L. Kingston, R. C. A. Land, Albert Lang, J. S. D. Lemoine, C. B. Lindsey, Joseph Lunn, Robert H. Lunn, Laurence MacFarlane, Commendatore Marconi, Mrs. Marconi, Mrs. John Massey, Miss G. Massey, Miss M. Massey, Miss D. Massey, Miss Ray Maunsell, A. J. Maw, Mrs. Maw, Dr. James H. McClelland, William O. McClure, Mrs. McClure, J. C. McCuaig, McEwen, Mrs. W. W. McMillan, Miss E. McMillan, Eugene Meiffre, E. J. Metcalfe, Dr. Henry Meyer, J. L. Michaud, J. Millholland, S. L. Morse, Mrs. Morse, C. H. Mortimer, Mrs. Mortimer, Miss Alice Mortimer, Miss Audrey Mortimer, Miss Edna Mortimer, C. J. Neal, Mrs. Neal, Mrs. J. Neal, F. N. Northcote, J. P. Northey, Miss Kathleen O'Grady, Mrs. B. E. Oppman, George F. Orde, Mrs. Orde, De Lisle Orde, Lady Orr Ewing, K. A. Oswald, H. Panneton, Miss K. D. Parry, G. Pinot, Mrs. Warton Platner, T. H. Plummer, J. R. Pope, Mrs. Robert B. Porter, Mrs. George Ragsdale, Robert Rankin, Mrs. Rankin, J. Rankin, Mrs. Rankin, Victor Rankin, John Wm. Reid, jr., Miss S. Reiner, Charles E. Robson, Mrs. Robson, Miss Gwen Robson, Albert C. Roch, Mrs. Roch, F. Russell, Mrs. Ernest Ryle, Roland Sander, M. P. Sayce, Mrs. Sayce, Miss Sayce, H. Schwabe, the Hon. J. Maxwell Scott, Mrs. Scott, Cyrus Slappy, Mrs. Slappy, J. E. Smart, W. J. Somerville, F. W. Sowden, C. A. Starrett, H. R. Stephenson, Robert Stewart, Mrs. Stewart, Henry St. Ives, A. M. Stoble, Mrs. Stoble, Ross Sutherland, S. Sutherland, Mrs. Sutherland, W. T. Tait, Lt.-Col. Murray Thrienland, Mrs. Thrienland, Murray Thrienland, W. Wainwright, Miss Wainwright, Miss Wainwright, W. A. Wakeley, H. Walker, Mrs. Walker, J. E. Waller, Mrs. W. H. Warden, Miss Lucia A. Warden, Herbert Warden, jr., Dr. George H. Weaver, Mrs. Weaver, A. W. Wheatley, Mrs. Wheatley, Harry Wheatley, Arthur Wheatley, Miss K. Whelan, Colonel John White, G. W. Whitehead, Miss Frances Williams, Miss Sadie Williams, Miss M. Williams, Miss H. Williams, Miss W. T. Williams, J. H. Williamson, P. F. Wood, Sidney Woods, Mrs. Woods.

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'Don't you think golf makes a man unselfish?'

'Yes. Why, when I was engaged to Mary, I gave up the game itself for her sake.'

'Are you married now?'

'No. I was so unselfish that at the end of a fortnight I even gave up Mary.'

JUST IMAGINE IT.

Miss Smart—'Well, I maintain that women can do anything that men can.'

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'Nonsense. She'd make every bit as good an auctioneer as a man.'

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OVERHEARD AT NORTH BERWICK.

Lonely woman sitting on a rock. Two fishermen passing.

First Fisherman—'That's a lonely-lookin' wumman. She sits on that rock a' day, aye knit, knit, knitting. She never speaks to a leevin' soul. An old maid, I suppose?'

Second Fisherman—'Auld maid? No' her! I ken her fine; she's marrit to a gowfer.'

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA
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IRISH WIT.

If there is one race in the world who can pay a compliment where another would not see the opportunity, it is certainly the Irish. An aged lady getting into a cab in Dublin said to the driver—'Help me in, my good man, for I'm very old.' 'Begor, ma'am,' said he, 'no matter what age you are, you don't look it.'

COUNTING THE COST.

The lady of the house had told the Wandering Willy that he could have his dinner if he sawed a pile of wood. Not being busy at the moment, and wishing to show that he was no mere loafer, he went at it. It was a knotty problem he had tackled. Fifteen minutes later he appeared at the kitchen door. 'Got it finished?' inquired the lady kindly. 'No'm,' he replied, mopping his perspiring brow; 'no'm, I haven't. I just thought, before doing any more at it, I'd ask if I couldn't look over your bill of fare.'

CITY IN MOURNING.

Cadiz Populace Protests Execution of Mutineers—Widespread Plotting.

Cadiz, Spain, August 10.—In protest against the execution of the mutineers on board the battleship 'Numancia,' the entire life of the city has been suspended. Stores and other business houses were closed yesterday, street car lines were stopped and streamers of mourning were draped on the balconies of houses. A procession of Laborites marched to the Palace of the Governor and voiced their sentiments against the executions.

WIDESPREAD PLOTTING.

Madrid, August 10.—Reports that arms have been found on the seamen of the cruiser 'Cataluna' and the gunboat 'Extremadura,' lead to the belief there is a widespread revolutionary plot against the government. A note issued by the navy officials in reference to the mutiny on board the 'Numancia' speaks of only one execution, which it says was carried out on the high seas.

CANADIAN CABLES

(Canadian Associated Press.)

London, August 10.—The King has approved the appointment of General Sir John French as chief of the Imperial General Staff.

COMMISSIONER TO CANADA.

London, Aug. 10.—Leo Myers, at the annual dinner of the Auckland Chamber of Commerce of which he is president, suggested that seeing the increasing trade between New Zealand and Canada that a commissioner be appointed to Canada to safeguard the interests of their exporters. The proposal, he said, was backed by a prominent group of business men.

IMPRESSED WITH MIGHT OF EMPIRE.

London, Aug. 10.—Mr. Frank Wilson, Premier of Western Australia, interviewed here, said he had received a lasting impression of the might of the Empire, and was now more than ever convinced of the need of compulsory military training in Great Britain. He further advocated Admiral Henderson's scheme for the development of the Australian navy. 'It is an undoubted fact,' said Mr. Wilson, 'that we will shortly be called upon to aid the Motherland.'

CANADIAN SCOUTS APPRECIATIVE.

London, Aug. 10.—The coronation detachment of the Canadian boy scouts who are returning on the 'Royal Geo.' sent Captain Grenfell the following wireless message:—'Canadian boy scouts homeward bound, send heartiest thanks for the kindness extended us. We had a glorious time. Assembled on the deck we have just given three cheers for the King, the Queen and the Royal family, also to the chief scout, Captain Grenfel.'

WANTS TO LEAVE MONTREAL.

Mr. Steve Stonla, erstwhile native of Poland and now citizen of the Dominion, seems determined upon keeping himself in the limelight. Last week he achieved notoriety during one of the warm days by appearing on the canal bank at which point of vantage he amused himself by throwing his garments, one by one, into the water and cheering enthusiastically as they drifted away or sank from his gaze.

Having brought his name into prominence in the above manner, Mr. Stonla yesterday morning devised a new scheme for keeping himself before the public, by landing in Judge Leet's court on a charge of stealing a ride on the C.P.R., he said he was tired of Montreal, and was only endeavoring to shake its dust from his feet by migraing to the bush where a position awaited him and, being financially embarrassed, took the only means possible of realizing his ambition. Judge Leet allowed him to go on his wandering way once more, but with an admonition that if he put in another appearance the consequences would be serious.

FIRE IN VERDUN.

A spectacular fire occurred in Verdun in the early hours of this morning, when the greenhouse and sheds of Messrs. Booder and Jenson, florists, on Rockland avenue, were completely destroyed, the flames lighting up the district for nearly an hour and a half. Mr. F. Booder, the senior partner of the firm, is in Ottawa, attending the Gardeners' convention, but Mr. Jenson, who sleeps on the premises, informed a 'Witness' reporter that he was awakened just before midnight by seeing the walls of his bedroom blazing. He had just time to jump out of bed and run to the open when the whole place was in flames. The firemen did not arrive until the fire was completely in control, and the damage is estimated at about $4,000, partly covered by insurance.

MAN THROWN OVERBOARD.

Tacoma, Wn., August 10.—Captain E. McMullen, of the British tug 'Bermuda,' which arrived here to-day from Texada Island, B.C., reported that at six o'clock Tuesday evening, in the vicinity of Active Pass in the Straits of Juan de Fuca, he saw a man thrown overboard from a tramp steamer flying a foreign flag, which was passing out to sea from Victoria or Vancouver.

'I was looking at the vessel through the binoculars,' said Captain McMullen, 'when I observed a commotion on the forward deck, and from the struggling mass of sailors a man was seen hoisted over the bulwarks with a rope around his neck. He was lowered to within a few feet of the water, and the rope broke or was cut.' The Canadian authorities have been notified.

BESIEGED HOSPITAL.

Juarez, Mex., August 10.—A body of Liberals attempted to rescue J. M. Rangel, Liberal leader, and a follower named Salva from the Juarez Hospital at two o'clock this morning. The men are under arrest and are being treated for their wounds. More than fifty shots were fired.

The attempted rescue of the men was frustrated by the guards on duty at the hospital, and the Liberals repulsed. One of the Liberals was captured, and is now in custody. Great excitement prevails in Juarez, but no further trouble is expected from the incident. The balance of the small force escaped. There are said to have been only eight men in the attacking party.

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BATHING ATTIRE BANNED.

Windsor, Ont., Aug. 10.—The sight of a number of summer visitors parading through the main street of Belle River attired only in the scantiest of bathing costumes, so jarred on the feelings of the residents of that village that half a dozen of the offenders were hauled before a justice of the peace yesterday, and each paid $3.50 and costs, and promised to appear fully dressed when they came to town hereafter.

GOES BACK TO PRISON.

Porcupine, August 10.—Tuesday night William Leroy ran amuck with a razor down the crowded street of Golden City. Yesterday he received from the magistrate thiry days, and to-day he goes to North Bay to serve his time. Leroy two weeks ago was discharged from the prison gang on the Pearl Lake road. He tore up the ticket with which all convicts are furnished to get out of the country, and has been a nuisance ever since.

NATIVES IN REVOLT.

Lisbon, August 10.—Advices received from Angola, Portuguese West Africa, say the natives have revolted at Lunoa, Huilla and other places and attacked the European settlement. Punitive expeditions, the advices say, are preparing to leave for the scene of the disorder.

SUNDAY LABOR CASE.

Toronto, August 10.—In quashing the conviction of William Browne, of Earls Court, convicted by County Magistrate Ramsden, of doing unlawful work on Sunday, in digging a well on his own premises, Judge Morgan held that Browne was not following his ordinary calling, and that people doing work on their own premises should not be molested, as he did not consider that the Lord's Day Act contemplated prohibitions and prosecutions of that kind. His Honor also remarked that he did not think the statute intended a man should be prosecuted for working in his garden or other necessary work around his house on Sunday. He ordered that the fine and costs and the deposit for costs of appeal be returned to Browne.

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ST. ANTOINE CONSERVATIVES NOMINATE MR. H. B. AMES

At a meeting held at Fraser Hall last night Mr. H. B. Ames was unanimously tendered the Conservative nomination for St. Antoine Division. In rising to reply, Mr. Ames was enthusiastically greeted and said:

'For the past seven years it has been my privilege to represent St. Antoine Division in the Canadian House of Commons. During that time, in so far as health and strength would permit, I have endeavored to forward such legislation as I believed to be in the best interests of my constituents and of the country.

'As you are aware, parliament has been unexpectedly dissolved, and the electors of Canada are shortly to be called upon to give their verdict on questions of gravest importance. Foremost among the issues will be the ratification or rejection of the Taft-Fielding recipricity agreement. During the elections of 1904 and 1908 there was not, to my knowledge, any mention of reciprocity in the discussions which took place. When parliament, then, was asked to ratify proposals, most wide-reaching in their effects upon which the electors of Canada had been given no opportunity of expressing themselves we of the Opposition deemed it our duty to use every legitimate expedient afforded by our system of government to compel the government to submit the question at issue to the judgment of the electorate. In this we have been successful, and the electorate will have an opportunity, which the Laurier Government would have denied them, of pronouncing upon this pact.

'For my own part, I wish to be counted as absolutely opposed to the ratification of the Taft-Fielding agreement. And what does it mean as affecting our British trade connection? Is it likely to draw us closer to the other parts of the Empire? Where you have a free list, there can be no preference. With England and the United States on equal competitive terms, the former is greatly at a disadvantage, especially throughout western Canada.

'On the other hand, with free interchange of natural products between Canada and the United States, no preference can be granted Canada by England, for our commodities wil no longer be able to maintain their identity. To give Canada a preference on exported foodstuffs would be to permit the United States to enjoy the same privilege.

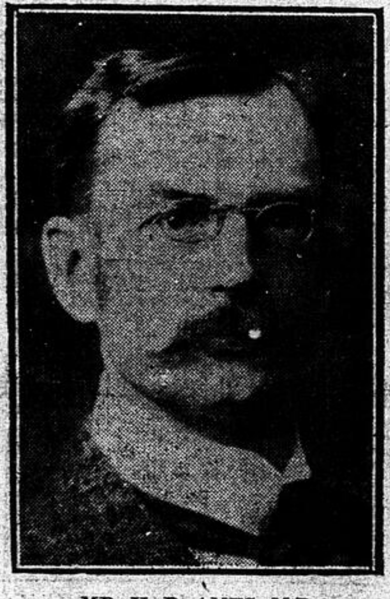
'The more I study this question the more I am convinced that President Taft was right when he said that Canada was at the parting of the ways. The decision we are about to make will determine the direction which in future we will travel. Shall it be towards consolidation of the Empire or shall it be towards continentalism?

'The editor of the London 'Standard' voices the view of thinking men on both sides of the water when he says: "We see in it (reciprocity) a grave danger to the unity of the Empire. We perceive that it gives the United States an avenue of entrance into the politics of Canada; we believe that the political interest which would follow the commercial arrangement must lead to one of two unfortunate results: either a violent quarrel between the two countries, followed by severe industrial and economic disturbance, or the eventual absorption of the smaller nation by the greater."

'For my part, I look forward to the time when the component parts of the British Empire shall be drawn closer together for the maintenance and further development of British institutions throughout the world. There are already difficulties enough in the way towards the fulfilment of this ideal; the ratification of this reciprocity pact would, in my opinion, interpose another obstacle more formidable than any hitherto existent. (Applause.)

'Although the reciprocity issue is that most prominently before the country at the present time, it must not be forgotten that there are other issues of almost equal importance.

'The British naval authorities should be asked the question: "Is the Empire in immediate danger upon the seas?" Were the answer in the affirmative, then Canada should forthwith subscribe her quota for strengthening the defensive power of the Empire within the shortest delay by utilizing the constructive activities already created. Were the reply in effect that there was time for Canada to work out a naval policy of her own, then an Empire-embracing plan should be drawn up by the best experts. Canada's part in the programme assigned to her, and the scheme submitted for examination and discussion by and before the Canadian people. Were a majority favorable to the plan, I believe that the minority would loyally accept the verdict. The people should, however, be directly consulted. This is, I take it, the position taken by Mr. R. L. Borden in his speech in parliament last November, and it is a view with which I am heartily in accord.



MR. H. B. AMES, M.P.

'During the campaign the general conduct of affairs by the Laurier administration must needs come under examination, and many are the cases of extravagance and misuse of public funds which can only give added force to the cry that "It is time for a change."

'If, after giving consideration to this statement of my views upon the leading questions now before the electorate, you wish me to again be your candidate, I shall be glad to do so, and should I have the honor of re-election I shall endeavor to carry out the wishes of my constituents.'

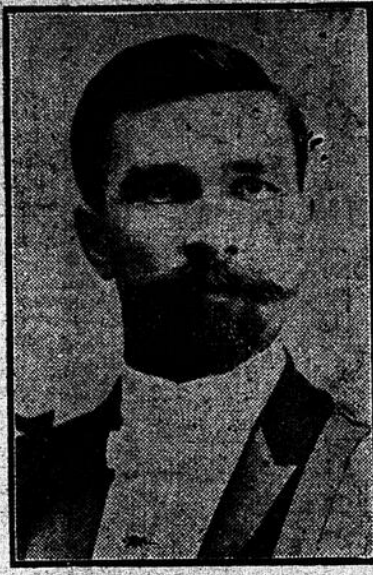
The close of Mr. Ames's speech was greeted with an outburst of applause which showed that there was nothing artificial in his support. A few speeches followed, the first speaker being Mr. C. J. Doherty, who, as an elector of St. Antoine Division, supported the nomination. Mr. Doherty paid warm tribute to the work of Mr. Ames in parliament, remarking that while his career was known in a general way to those on the outside, those who were on the inside at Ottawa during the esssion alone knew the amount of painstaking effort which Mr. Ames had devoted to his duties at Ottawa.

Brief speeches were also made by ex-Ald. A. McA. Murphy, of Westmount, Mr. A. J. Bryce, and Saumarez Carmichael.

MR. C. A. WILSON NOMINATED.

Amid enthusiasm of good omen for the success of his candidature, Mr. C. A. Wilson, K.C., was chosen yesterday afternoon to be the Liberal standard bearer in Laval county at the impending elections. The choice of Mr. Wilson was almost unanimous, only two delegates voting for Mr. L. A. David, who, however, declined to have his name put before the convention, but, instead urged his supporters to rally like one man to the candidature of Mr. Wilson.

After the balloting, a large meeting took place at the Lateudresse Hall, which was packed to standing room. Ald. Bastien presided, and speeches were delivered by Mr. Wilson, and by Messrs. J. W. Levesque, M.P.P., D. A. Lafortune, K.C., Hector Lussier, J. A. E. Gravel, advocate; Ald. Lussier, of Bordeaux ward and Z. Gauthier, advocate.



MR. C. A. WILSON, K.C.

PROTEST FROM JEWISH VOTERS.

Mr. H. B. Bloomfield wrote to the 'Witness' complaining about the allegations that the Jews of Montreal will vote solid in any direction. 'The Jews vote as citizens,' he says, 'and according to their conscience, and will not allow themselves be coerced by petty politicians.'

HON. A. K. MACLEAN TO OPPOSE MR. BORDEN.

Halifax, N.S., Aug. 10.—The Liberal convention for Halifax city and county last night nominated the Hon. A. K. Maclean, Attorney-General for Nova Scotia, and Dr. E. Blackadder, editorial writer of the 'Canadian Recorder,' as candidates for the House of Commons to oppose Messrs. R. L. Borden and A. B. Crosby, who will be nominated by the Conservatives to-day. Mr. Maclean stated, in accepting, that he had contemplated retiring from politics some time in the future, but this was now abandoned. He said the statement that he had been offered the solicitorship of the Canadian Northern Railway as erroneous, for no such offer had been made. Mr. Maclean will in a few days resign the Attorney-Generalship and his position in the provincial government.

The Conservatives of Pictou, in a convention held at Westville yesterday, nominated Mr. A. V. C. Bell, of New Glasgow, who will have as his opponent the present member for Pictou, Mr. E. M. Macdonald.

MANITOBA REGISTRATION.

Winnipeg, Aug. 10.—The provincial registration for Brandon and Winnipeg, proclaimed before the dissolution of parliament, was yesterday declared off. Attorney-General Campbell, in making the announcement that the Dominion registration would be accepted, said that the Federal Government had usurped provincial rights and had given so short notice that thousands will be disfranchised, for which Ottawa must take the responsibility.

Toronto, Aug. 10.—The Toronto Registration Board, of which Judge Denton was appointed permanent chairman yesterday fixed the following days for registration:

Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Aug. 30 and 31, and Sept. 1 and 2.

The question of the registering of voters in the city's recently annexed districts was left to be decided at a meeting later.

TORONTO LIBERALS.

Toronto, Aug. 10.—The Toronto Liberal executive has recommended Dr. Harrison as the party candidate against Mr. Edmund Bristol, K.C., in Centre Toronto. Dr. Harrison has never run in a Toronto constituency before, but he has had several municipal positions, including that of controller.

Mr. Charles Kimpton, fruit and commission merchant, in Colborne street, is the probable Liberal candidate against Mr. A. C. Macdonell in South Toronto.

NOMINATION WAS QUICK.

Toronto, Aug. 10.—It took about a minute and a half for the Centre York Conservative Association to nominate Captain Tom Wallace, M.P., to oppose H. H. Dewart, K.C., for the House of Commons yesterday afternoon. The nomination was unanimous and was signalized by a standing vote.

NEW BRUNSWICK CONVENTIONS.

St. John, N.B., Aug. 10.—The Kings-Albert Liberal convention yesterday at Sussex nominated Dr. D. H. McAllister as their standard-bearer in the coming elections.

The Westmoreland County Conservative convention nominated Mr. M. Z. Siddall, of Port Elgin, as their condidate in the federal contest.

WILL OPPOSE MAJOR CURRIE.

Barrie, Ont., Aug. 10.—North Simcoe Liberals, at Stayner yesterday, nominated Mr. L. G. McCarthy, K.C., former member, and nephew of D'Alton McCarthy to oppose the sitting member, Major J. A. Currie Three other nominees retired, one being Mr. E. C. Drury (former master of the Dominion Grange).

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CARLTON HOTEL, LONDON BURNS

One Life Lost in Fire and Many Narrow Escapes From Famous Hostelry.

ACTOR PERISHED.

Guests Dressing For Dinner Rushed to Street Amid Exciting Scenes.

London, August 10.—Jameson Lee Finney, an American actor, perished last night in a fire which destroyed a portion of the Carlton Hotel, where he was a guest. He has not been seen since the fire and a roll call of the hotel staff shows that none of its members are missing.

The body was found in the bathroom adjoining Mr. Finney's room on the fifth floor of the annex. The face was so badly charred that the features were unrecognizable. Apparently Mr. Finney had gone into the bath-room to bathe before dressing and was asphyxiated. The body was removed to the morgue, later in the evening and identified as that of Mr. Finney.

This death was the only one resulting from the fire, which, however, was attended by exciting scenes and considerable loss to the building through fire and water.

The fire burned for two and a half hours, but was confined mainly to that end of the hotel adjoining His Majesty's Theatre, and the fifth and sixth floors, the interiors of which were gutted. Part of the roof also was destroyed. A large body of firemen, with hose and axes, worked strenuously on the roofs of the hotel and theatre, and only by the hardest work saved both buildings from destruction.

Lines of hose were dragged up all the stairways and many tons of water from them and the other lines on the ladders were poured into the upper rooms of the hotel, and the damage from water is greater than that done by the fire. Most of the interior of the building was thoroughly soaked. Three firemen were overcome by the heat and smoke, and taken to hospitals. The manager says the hotel is not badly damaged and that business will be resumed immediately.

The only cries for assistance during the fire came from maids who were housed on the sixth floor immediately beneath the flames, and where the smoke was thickest. Some of them stood in the windows, threatening to jump to the street, but fortunately they heeded the warning of spectators and awaited the arrival of the firemen, who escorted them down the elevators and stairways. For a time it was feared that one of the barmaids had been burned, but she turned up during the night. She had taken an evening off without leave of absence.

Winston Spencer Churchill, the Home Secretary, with his customary enterprise, appeared early on the scene. The crowd recognized him and greeted him with cheers and hoots.

CANADIAN PRAISES LONDON FIREMEN.

(Canadian Associated Press).

London, Aug. 10.—George Ernest Holmes, of Saskatoon, Sask, was in the Carlton Hotel when the fire broke out yesterday, but got out safely, and gives great praise to the London firemen.

WAS WELL KNOWN ACTOR.

New York, Aug. 10.—Jameson Lee Finney, who perished in the Carlton Hotel fire in London last nigt, was a widely known character actor, who had appeared in many of the recent successful plays throughout the United States and Canada. He was born forty-seven years ago in St. Louis, and made his first stage appearance in Syracuse, N.Y., in 1881. He appeared for a time in various parts with the Booth-Barrett Company.

In 1894 he joined the Empire Stock Company and for four years he played conspicuous parts. During 1901 he toured with Daniel Frohman's company. One of his best remembered recent appearances may be as a reporter in 'The Stolen Story.' Subsequently he appeared as Carroll Dempsey, in 'The Man on the Case,' and as Mr. Rollet, in 'The Blue Mouse.' His character acting was generally regarded of a high quality, and the 'Newspaper man' part was one of his successful specialties.

NEARLY DOUBLE

Large Difference Between a Price Asked and Assessors Valuation for Extensions

A valuation of the property needed for the extension of St. Lawrence boulevard, prepared by the city assessors, shows a difference of $330,043, or nearly double, between their estimate and the amount of the options taken for the city. The property of the Sisters of Notre Dame shows the chief divergence in value. The sisters want $617,350 for the land and buildings, while these are valued by the city at $329,550. Chief Assessor Ferns said yesterday that only a commercial valuation of this property could be given, and the ecclesiastical value of the historic church could not be estimated by an outsider. The city will pay in all $767,593 for this property in question.

CAGE FELL IN SHAFT.

Forty-four Workers Were Injured in Prussian Mine.

Bochum, Prussia, Aug. 10.—A serious accident to the hoisting machinery at Krupps Hannibal coal mine to-day caused rumors that many persons had been killed. Later reports show that there were no deaths, but eighteen miners were seriously injured, and twenty-six others slightly hurt.

The machinist lost control of the hoisting machinery while a four-story cage occupied by 45 men was descending, and the cage dropped 300 feet to the bottom of the shaft. Fortunately the companion cage ascending was empty through a delay on the part of the night shift to leave the mine. Otherwise a far more serious accident must have resulted.

Y. M. C. A. REGATTA.

The annual regatta of the campers at Lake St. Joseph will be held next Saturday afternoon. A number of the old boys are going out, and the events promise to be keenly contested. A social and the presentation of prizes takes place in the evening.

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TO-MORROW IS FRIDAY.

KITCHEN CABINETS, FRIDAY, $6.90.

This well finished Cabinet, with all the necessary space and convenience, should prove a valuable addition to any kitchen. It is thoroughly well finished in every way. The two bins tin lined save the steps. The Sale price is .. **$6.90**

MAHOGANIZED BUREAUS, FRIDAY, $17.85.

This handsome Bureau is finished in very superior style, and contains two large and two small drawers, with beautiful front, which adds greatly to the appearance. The large mirror is of British Bevelled Plate Glass. The genuine effect is of a Bureau superior in quality, but the price is ONLY **$17.85**

SOLID QUARTER CUT OAK DINING SUITES, FRIDAY, 518.90.

Again, we emphasize the extraordinary value of these chairs. They are manufactured from Golden Solid Quarter-Cut Oak, upholstered in genuine leather, and finished in the highest grade. The roomy arm-chair is an additional advantage. For this Sale the price is **$18.90**

PARLOR CHAIRS AND ROCKERS, $6.95 AND $7.55.

This beautifully upholstered Chair, with heavy mahoganized frame and genuine mahogany back, would grace any drawing-room, and yet the price is only...... **$6.95**
The Rocker to match will equal excellence of finish, is during the Sale .. **$7.55**

GENUINE LEATHER COUCH, FRIDAY, $16.90.

The Last Word of Excellence, combined with cheapness. A Couch that combines all the qualities of a much more expensive article. The frame is of solid quarter cut oak, and the high grade upholstering is of genuine leathers. The price is no indication of the excellent finish **$16.90**
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$4.25 SKIRTS, $2.25.

Small Women and Misses' Panama Skirts, neatly tailored, seven-gored skirt, with fancy pleats, trimmed with self-covered buttons, inverted pleat at back. Waist from 23 to 25. Length, 30 to 37.
Friday.... .. .. **$2.25**

$3.95 MIDDY SUITS, $1.25.

Small Women and Misses' Middy Suits, made from White Linen-Finished Cotton. The Blouse is neatly designed with Windsor tie, tailored pocket, and sailor collar in solid color, turned up cuffs, piped in Coronation Blue or Navy Blue. Sizes, 14, 16 and 18.
Bust 34 and 36.
Friday **$1.25**
—First Floor Up.

OSPREYS FROM .50 TO $18.00.

In our Feather Sale, Ospreys play a prominent feature. We have them at practically every price from .50 to $18.00. At $2.50 and $3.50 we have beauties. You know even now they are practically the first in fashion.

MARABOUT AND OSPREY MOUNTS $3.00.

Marabout and Osprey Combination Mounts, a distinct novelty.. .. **$3.00**

WILLOW PLUMES $6.75.

Black or White Willow Plumes, hand tied, fine glossy fibres. Our Willow Leader.. .. .. **$6.75**
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CORSET COVERS, FRIDAY, .39.

Corset Covers, made of fine quality Cambric, full front, trimmed with wide embroidery insertion, in dainty eyelet design, finished with groups of small tucks, neck and armlets finished with edging to match, beading run with ribbon.
Sizes 34 to 44.
Friday .. .. **.39**

UNDERSKIRTS, FRIDAY, .75.

Underskirts, made of Fine Cotton, trimmed with deep flounce of dainty open-work embroidery, finished with clusters of pin tucks, finished with underpiece.
Friday .. .. **.75**
—First Floor Up.

RIVAL SHIRT-WAIST SUPPORTER .25.

This is an article every woman will appreciate, cannot injure the finest of materials; adjustable padded tape, cannot slip, stays as adjusted without tying, is washable, and, in short, is just what you have been looking for. Sold exclusively at the Notion Department, Goodwin's, Limited, where it is still on Demonstration.
Price.. .. .. .25 each.
Ground Floor.

.50, .75 & $1.00 BRASSIERES .10.

Brassieres (bust confiners), made of fine cambric, laced back, hooked in front, plain or trimmed with lace and embroidery. Brassieres do away with corset covers and hide all lines of corset, producing a very neat figure. Sizes 32 to 40. Soiled.
Friday.. .. .. **.10**

.23, .35 & .50 CHILDREN'S WAISTS .10.

Children's Waists, shirred front, made of fine cambric or corded, trimmed with lace and embroidery. Sizes 1 to 12 years. Soiled.
Friday.. .. .. **.10**

.15 TO .35 CORSET CLASPS .02½.

200 Corset Clasps, shoulder braces, and bolts.
Friday.. .. .. **.02½**
First Floor Up.

.25 FRENCH VEILINGS .07½.

450 Yards of All-Silk Novelty Veilings—Plain and fancy Fish Nets, new Russian Nets, Chenille Spotted Nets, small and large spots, very pretty two-tone effects. Colors Mordore, Mousse, Pearl, Taupe, Myrtle, Fawn, New Blue, Black and Old Rose, Sapphire and Grey, etc.
Friday .. .. .07½ yard.

SWISS EMBROIDERED HANDKERCHIEFS—FRIDAY .10.

200 Dozen Fine Swiss Embroidered Handkerchiefs, very pretty allover patterns, beautiful corner effects, in heavy raised designs, with hemstitched border of ¼-inch wide.
Friday.. .. .. **.10**

.30 TO $1.45 FANCY DRESS TRIMMINGS—HALF PRICE.

Remnants and pieces, consisting of pretty gold and velvet trimmings, dainty silk soutache braided trimmings, embroidered rat tail braids on net. Very rich black-beaded trimmings, and a variety of other pretty patterns, in various colors, from ½ inch to 2½ inches wide.
Friday.. .. .. ..HALF PRICE
Ground Floor.

.19 AND .20 GINGHAMS .10.

31-inch Anderson's Ginghams.—The most reliable of wash fabrics, all woven designs, both sides alike, being tub and sun proof, are particularly suitable for outing and sea-side wear. A large selection of designs to choose from.
Friday.. .. .. **.10**
Ground Floor.

OFFICIAL PARTY LEAVES.

Grand Trunk Officials Commence Tour of Inspection of Road.

This morning special cars containing the official party of the Grand Trunk Railway, left Bonaventure station for a tour over the Pacific road, and it is estimated that before the journey is completed some 15,000 miles will have been covered. The inspection is an annual affair, and the party consisted of: Alfred W. Smithers, chairman, London, Eng.; Mr. Chas. M. Hays, president; Mrs. Chas. M. Hays, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Swanston, London, Eng; Miss Gladys Jackson, London, Eng.; Mr. W. E. Davis, passenger traffic manager; Mr. A. Butze, general purchasing agent; Mr. H. Deer, assistant secretary, London, Eng.; Mr. John Pullen, assistant freight traffic manager; Mr. D. E. Galloway, private secretary to presiment; Mr. V. A. Payne, assistant secretary to president.

Accompanying the party to Sarnia will be the following: Mr. E. H. Fithugh, first vice-president; Mr. Howard G. Kelley, chief engineer; Mr. H. A. Woods, assistant chief engineer, G. T. P. Ry.; Mr. W. G. Brownlee, general transportation manager; Dr. J. Alex. Hutchison, chief medical officer; Mr. W. D. Robb, superintendent of motive power; Mr. Jas. Coleman, superintendent car department.

A BRUTAL HUSBAND.

William Cobb, was given a sentence of one month's imprisonment for assault on his wife, whom he was in the habit of beating, yesterday afternoon.

Judge Leet was obliged to do so after listening to a tale of marital unhappiness by the man's actions on the one hand, as told by the wife, and the woman's neglect as portrayed by the husband, who said she failed to provide his supper at times, and was out a great deal but never in his company. The wife had many neighborly women who testified to her good character, and her son testified to being called home from work because his father was whipping Mrs. Cobb.

Judge Leet required of the prisoner that at the expiration of his sentence security to the amount of $500 be furnished to keep the peace for one year, or he would have to serve another three months in jail.

ROYALISTS SEEK WARSHIP.

Lisbon, August 10.—Secret documents taken from a Jesuit priest on board the steamer, 'Araguaya,' bound for Brazil, are said to indicate that the Royalists are seeking a loan of $5,000,000 in Brazil with which to purchase a warship, artillery and rifles. The documents also indicate that the army officers are adhering to the monarchist movement.

THIRTY-NINE HOUSES BURN.

Strasburg, Germany, August 10.—Thirty-nine tenement houses were burned yesterday in the village of Kostenholz. The firemen were unable to extinguish the flames owing to a scarcity of water due to the drought. There were no casualties.

A New Landmark in The Piano World

The Steinway Piano Has Changed Hands

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Ottawa. Quebec. Brockville.

PREPARING FOR STRIKE.

Kansas City, Mo., Aug. 10.—Boiler-makers, machinists and car men employed on the Western division of the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railway were prepared yesterday to go on strike. Representatives of the union are conferring with union and railroad officials in Chicago. The strike is threatened over a difference in wage schedules on the eastern and western divisions of the road.

FISHING AT STE. ANNE'S.

The Grand Trunk Railway have this week issued a new booklet on St. Anne de Bellevue, which contains information for city people desirous of spending the summer on the Ottawa River. Its descriptions of the haunts for shooting and fishing and boating is very useful. In this connection the latest reports from the district show that fishing is exceptionally good. Last Friday a gentleman living in the vicinity caught four weighing from 12 lbs. to 30 lbs.

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