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IT IS REASONABLE to suppose that all intelligent men and women read newspapers.

It follows, therefore that the number of newspaper readers is approximately identical with the reading population."

## Forest Laws Best In America

(Canadian Press) **BERKTON, N. B., Aug. 2.**—The plan for the protection of the forest lands province, initiated some years ago and now being carried out, was discussed by members of the British Empire Forestry Conference to be the most comprehensive work of its character on the American Continent.

## 10 Immigrants Arrive In Montreal

(Canadian Press) **MONTREAL, Aug. 2.**—A sight without precedent in the history of Montreal port was witnessed this morning in the arrival of two liners from Glasgow with a combined passenger list of 155 souls. Of this number 155 were Scottish nationals, destined for the United States and the railway tickets at the wharves were kept for Scotch clearing out the port of hours for the settlers of the States.

## Lloyd George To Arrive In Montreal Early In October

(British United Press) **MONTREAL, Aug. 2.**—Lloyd George is expected to arrive at Montreal early in October. It is expected that he will make there his first stop on his tour of Canada and the United States. He will go from Montreal to Ottawa, Toronto and Winnipeg. He is expected to be in Montreal for a few days. It is expected that he will be in Montreal for a few days. It is expected that he will be in Montreal for a few days.



Earl Beatty, first sea lord, and other officials of the British admiralty, may resign unless their demand for a separate air force for the navy is granted.

## Charged With Profiteering On Army And Navy Goods

(British United Press) **LONDON, Aug. 2.**—Colonel Victor Spencer of Vancouver figures in the report of the select committee which has been enquiring into charges that goods of the army and Navy Canteens Board were stolen wholesale and profits wrongly applied.

## 13 Year Old Boy Drowned At Sydney

(Canadian Press) **NORTH SYDNEY, Aug. 2.**—Daniel James Miller, thirteen years of age, son of Charles Miller of this town, was drowned at the Princess Colliery reservoir, Sydney Mines, yesterday. He fell in while playing with his seven year old brother.

## Musical Lodger And Her Landlady

(By Dominion News Service) **LONDON, Aug. 2.**—A singing tenor was ordered by Judge Tuler in Shoreditch County Court to give up her rooms on the ground that her songs were meant to be offensive to the landlady and created a nuisance.

# LORD CURZON MAKES STARTLING STATEMENT WITH REFERENCE TO RUHR OCCUPATION

## FINALS SHOT YESTERDAY AT THE KENSINGTON RANGE

### Mr. McRae Wins Second Stage of the MacDonald Brier and Captures Governor General's Medal. Interesting Remarks by Lieut. Governor and Other Speakers at Conclusion of the Events.

Yesterday was the final of the Provincial rifle shoot and the weather was fine and warm. The first match shot was the Moore & McLeod match, ten shots at 300 yards. The shooting was difficult as there was a heat mirage which made sighting hard. The winner was Gunner C. G. McLennan of the 105th Battalion with the excellent score of 49 points out of a possible 50.

The MacDonald Brier, second stage, was concluded yesterday. This match is of course the most important from a prize winning standpoint and is shot in two stages. Mr. D. A. MacRae of the 105th Battalion, who scored 132 points out of a possible 140—truly remarkable shooting. He received the silver medal and \$50. The second prize went to Corp. F. G. Kennedy, of the P. E. I. Heavy Brigade, who finished three points behind MacRae.

Mr. Donald Nicholson said that in his young days he had been a competitor on the old Kensington Range and had shot against the fathers of many of the marksmen who are competing in the present matches. He remembered distinctly an excellent score made by the uncle of the present high scorer, Mr. J. D. McRae.

Col. F. S. Moore, chairman of the Council of the P. E. I., remarked that he was very pleased indeed to see the young shots doing so well in the various matches. It was a sign that the reputation of Prince Edward Island would be safe in the years to come. He hoped that all the veterans would still continue to attend the matches as long as they were able to do so.

These remarks closed what was probably one of the most successful meetings that has been held in many years. It is but a just tribute to the untiring secretary, Lieut. Col. Chas. Leigh and his excellent staff to state that all the arrangements were as perfect as could be devised and that everything seemed to feel that they had an excellent outing. To Capt. J. A. Webster who sustained the difficult role of range officer, great credit is due. He handled the competitors in a very efficient way, carrying all the matches through right on time and, best of all, hurrying no one's feelings and sending everyone home satisfied with their treatment received. The markers and register keepers were well drilled in their duties and there were fewer complaints this year.

Following are the results of yesterday's shooting:

10 Shots	300 Yards	Possible 50 Points	Score
1	McLennan, G. G.	105th	49
2	McRae, J. D.	105th	48
3	McCallum, W. E.	105th	47
4	Smith, W. E.	105th	47
5	Beer, G. R.	H. B.	46
6	Kennedy, F. G.	H. B.	46
7	Chandler, R. W.	R. M. C.	45
8	Coles, Jas.	M. R. C.	45
9	Walker, A.	Cadet	45
10	Allan, A. W.	105th	44
11	Coles, R. L.	M. R. C.	44
12	Ayers, Reg.	Sig. Co.	44
13	Robertson, E. C.	105th	44
14	Landrigan, P. J.	H. B.	44
15	Lowe, E. G.	Y. R. C.	44
16	Brown, F. L.	Y. R. C.	43
17	Longworth, R. W.	Y. R. C.	43
18	May, B.	Y. R. C.	42
19	McRae, D. P.	R. M. C.	42
20	Pierce, J. S.	Sig. Co.	42
21	McDonald, Leo	Y. R. C.	41
22	West, G. W.	Y. R. C.	41
23	McDonald, Geo.	P. W. C.	41
24	May, C.	Y. R. C.	41
25	Diamond, H.	M. R. C.	41
26	Judson, J. H.	Sig. Co.	41
27	Rogers, K. S.	Y. R. C.	41
28	Moore, J. S.	C. M. S.	40
29	McKinnon, D. A. Col.	H. B.	40
30	Langille, W.	Sig. Co.	40
31	Brodie, Peter.	Y. R. C.	40
32	McCabe, A. J.	H. B.	40
33	McInnis, E.	R. M. C.	40
34	Brown, I. M.	Y. R. C.	39
35	Jones, G. H.	Y. R. C.	39
36	Coles, G. A.	M. R. C.	39
37	Prowse, H. L.	M. R. C.	39
38	Brown, E. T.	M. R. C.	39
39	McMillan, W.	C. R. C.	39
40	McDonald, J. C.	C. R. C.	39
41	Judson, W. A.	Y. R. C.	39
42	Davison, R. H.	H. B.	39
43	Smith, J. W.	105th	39
44	Beaton, Wm	Y. R. C.	39

Goaded by Criticism he Declared the Ruhr Tragedy was Throttling Every Industry in Great Britain That Britain's Right to Interfere, Rested not on her Share of Reparations but on the Rights she Possessed in Respect to Payment of Inter-allied Debts.

(Canadian Press) **LONDON, Aug. 2.**—Goaded by the criticisms of Lord Birkenhead, Lord Curzon declared in the Lords this afternoon that the situation in the Ruhr was "stalling upon at most every industry in this country, and after a few brief weeks of activity due to the purchase of coal in Great Britain when the situation in the Ruhr first began, we saw the dark hand of this tragedy clutching at the throat of almost every industry in this country."

Lord Curzon's plain talking was quite different from the calm phrases of his prepared formal speech this morning.

The Foreign Secretary said that instead of seeing reparations coming out of the Ruhr the British government saw all chances of any reparations being whittled away merely for other peoples' besides the French and Belgians had some reparations coming to them and therefore could not stand to one side and let France and Belgium carry out whatever policy they might desire.

"I speak not merely of our right to interfere, and that right to interfere rests not only upon our share of reparations but also upon the rights which we possess in respect to the payment of inter-allied debts, which is a matter of supreme importance and which cannot be set to one side as if it did not exist."

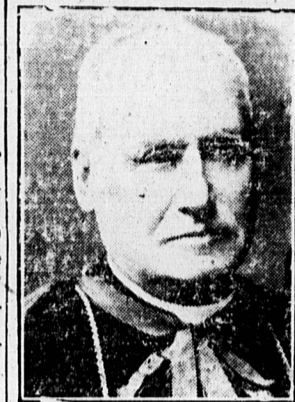
"We see Germany rotting to ruin lapsing into irreparable decay, carrying with it all prospects of economic recovery, not merely for Germany but for Europe."

"When we looked at our own position at home we saw that that which was passing in the Ruhr was telling upon almost every industry in this country."

"If we do not see it, now we shall see it in the course of the winter. The effect of the Ruhr occupation will be felt in almost every cottage in this country, and because we noted this circumstance, because we felt it our duty to the supreme interests to take action to intervene we have been taunted by Lord Birkenhead with having reversed our policy."

Lord Curzon said that if anyone asked the government what it was going to do next week or next month his answer was that he did not know as he did not know what the papers had been laid before the country and the government had the advantage of assistance of public opinion which would come from such publication.

Speaking in the Lords this morning after the Foreign Secretary had made his first statement Lord Curzon said that the Ruhr situation was a very serious one and that it was a very serious one and that it was a very serious one.



CARDINAL NICOLO MARINI is dead in Rome, aged 80.

## Fox Entries Take Two Events At Moosepath Meet

**ST. JOHN, N. B., Aug. 2.**—Frank R. Fox, veteran reinsman of Medford, Mass., drove two of his racers to victory, Red Russell in the 2.15 trot and pace and Miss Peter Lincoln in the 2.23 trot and pace, at the opening day of the first mid-week Moosepath Park race meet in many years before a crowd numbering between 800 and 900 spectators. In addition, Fox appeared behind Jennie H. Forbes in the 2.16 trot, but could not land the gelding a winner owing to "breaking" at the turn. The veteran was given a great hand by those present when he won the final heat in the 2.15, which was forced into the home stretch in the third heat by William Keys, of St. Stephen, nosed out Red Russell in a thrilling struggle near the wire in the third heat. Red Russell, who had won the first two heats quite handily, was going into the lead on the home stretch in the third heat when he faltered slightly and Keys gained on him about ten feet. The Fox horse made a wonderful effort to close the gap right down to the finish line, but was beaten by inches. In the fourth heat, Red Russell made no mistakes and Fox landed his second victory of the day.

In the 2.23 trot and pace, the Medford horseman drove Miss Peter Lincoln, a game little mare, to victory in three straight heats. She took the lead rounding the first stretch on each heat and was never headed, although pressed hard at various times by The Finisher, a local horse, and Mr. Dell, one of the Keys stable. The mare ran a steady race, throughout and deserved the win, doing the final in 2:22 3/4.

The 2.16 trot provided plenty of thrills and was a long drawn out struggle between Saska owned by Raymond, Saska, who took the first two heats with The Manor close behind. In the third heat, the mare was leading a hundred feet from the wire a then broke. The Manor sweeping into first place in the next two heats. The Manor won handily. Considered behind all the way and landed in second place in the third heat, Levatta North, owned by Dr. McAllister, and driven by Dick, appeared in the first two heats, but although distanced in the second heat, showed promising form. The horse did not appear to get going until near the finish and then it displayed fine speed.

Considering it was the first meet held here in several years, the officials handled it very well, although there could be a little less delay between heats. In one heat, the reinsman failed to hold the bell for another start and without waiting for the starter's "Go" circled the track before they could be called back.

Today, a fine programme is ended with the free-for-all as the big attraction. Entered in this are such well-known horses as Bud Hal, Maxieboy, Peter Farren, the well known local horse, High Knob Beauty, Jennie H., Roy Volo. In addition there will be the 2.18 and 2.30 trot and pace.

## CANNED SALMON PLACED ON FREE LIST BY ITALY

**OTTAWA, Aug. 2.**—Canned salmon in one-pound sizes has been placed on the free list by Italy, according to a cable received today by the commercial intelligence service of the Department of Trade and Commerce from Canadian Trade Commissioner W. McL. Clarke, at Milan. The new ruling provides for the free entry of canned salmon weighing up to 1 kilo grammes, one about 2 1/2 ounces, whereas the former limit was one-half kilogramme, which precluded the entry of the standard Canadian one-pound can, which with the container weighs some 20 ounces. It is stated by the Department that the present reduction in duty rises to the result of representation made by the Canadian Trade Commissioner to the Italian government.

## Return Movement From United States

(Canadian Press) **OTTAWA, Aug. 2.**—The rapid increase in immigration to Canada during the first three months of the present fiscal year, amounting to sixty three per cent more than for the same period a year ago, is accompanied by indications of a return movement from the United States, according to officials of the Department of Immigration and Colonization.

Reports indicate there has already been a considerable movement of Canadians who in recent months were attracted to the United States by the industrial prosperity then existing there.

## STOUFFVILLE HOTEL MAN DISAPPEARED

**STOUFFVILLE, Ont., Aug. 2.**—Mystery surrounds the whereabouts of Frederick E. Pratt, proprietor of the Mansion House here, who vanished while in Toronto on a business trip four weeks ago last Saturday.

On that day Mr. Pratt motored to Toronto for a morning's business and parked his car near the City Hall. He attended to his affairs and then telephoned his wife at 2.30 that he would be home for supper and would call for friends and bring them out for the week end.

His car was found the following Tuesday in the parking station where he had left it. His wife and daughters, Dorothy and Grace have waited in vain for his return. Mrs. Pratt believes her husband is dead.

As a boy he entered the naval training school at Chatham, Eng. When a midshipman he travelled all over the world. He also served on the Niobe, which was later sold to Canada.

When war broke out he at once offered his services to the Canadian Government. He was sent to Halifax and later sent to Archangel on the Earl Grey. It was sold to Russia as an ice-breaker.

Later he saw service on a destroyer in the North Sea and received an injury in the head which resulted in his being invalided home in 1915.

**TORONTO, Aug. 2.**—Trace of Frederick G. Pratt, proprietor of the Mansion House at Stouffville missing since June 30th, has been found at Montreal. Information to this effect was received at provincial police headquarters from the police at Montreal.

Pratt is a naval veteran, Mrs. Pratt and the provincial police of Ontario thought he might have shipped on some boat from Montreal but the police message received stated the records of the steamship companies do not bear out this story, the search for the man at Montreal will be vigorously prosecuted.

## Announcements, Coming Events, Meetings, Etc.

Montague Saturday stupendous show, best this year, Ives Hall. 3064-8-21

DUNDAS CIRCUIT.—Service in the Baptist Church, at Dundas Sunday morning at 10.30, St. Peter's, 3 p.m., Annandale, 7 p.m., Robert E. Pineo, pastor.

Cardinal Hall Monday grand show, Special music. 3064-8-21

# PRES. HARDING DIES SUDDENLY IN SAN FRANCISCO

**SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 2.**—President Harding died instantly tonight at about 7.30 o'clock while conversing with members of his family.

President Harding it will be remembered was several days ago reported ill from pneumonia poisoning. Later despatches stated that complications had set in and his condition was considered by physicians to be serious.

According to a more recent report he was showing some improvement and it was thought that the crisis had been safely passed but death came suddenly apparently due to apoplexy.

## St. John Man Dies Of Injuries In Auto Accident

**ST. JOHN, N. B., Aug. 2.**—Owen McCann, victim of an automobile accident Saturday night died in the General Hospital this morning from a fractured skull.

He was struck by an automobile driven by Thomas Crawford on Prince Edward Street.

## Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighan Arrives In St. John

**ST. JOHN, Aug. 2.**—Hon. Arthur Meighan leader of the opposition in the House of Commons arrived here Saturday evening on the 20th steamer Empress from Dieppe, He is accompanied only by his son and Mrs. Clifton.

He will be here for a few days during their stay here they will be the guests of Dr. Murray MacLaren, M. P., C. M. G.

## Final Race For H. V. Buntain Cup

The final race for the H. V. Buntain Cup will be sailed tomorrow. All yachts racing under time allowance rules.

Providing the Barney Google is allowed points in today's race it looks as though the standing below will keep the dopsters guessing as to which boat is going to annex the cup.

## POINT STANDING TO DATE

Name of Boats	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	
Polly Wog	11	9	12	11	45																
Emerald J.	12	11	8	42																	
Buddie	1	12	13	15	41																
Tomorrow	10	8	10	6	31																
Pegnose	7	6	9	7	31																
Shamrock	6	4	7	10	27																
H. B. C.	4	10	5	7	26																
Spark Plug	8	7	8	1	24																
Columbia	9	5	4	5	23																
St. John	—	1	12	14	14																
Barney Google	—	—	—	—	14																
Crossman	—	—	—	—	4																
Lofty	5	3	1	1	10																



## The Weather, Etc.

**TORONTO, Aug. 3.**—Maritime moderate fresh south west and strong winds mostly fair and warm. High tide this afternoon at 2.56 and tomorrow morning at 3.21. Sun sets this evening at 7.27 and tomorrow morning at 4.45. Last quarter moon Saturday, made by the Canadian Trade Commissioner to the Italian government.

Summerside tide eighteen minutes later than Charlottetown.

## Condensed Specials

10c per line per day. 9c per day for 3 days or over. 15c per day for 5 days or over. 20c per day for 7 days or over. 25c per day for 10 days or over. 30c per day for 15 days or over. 35c per day for 20 days or over. 40c per day for 30 days or over. 45c per day for 40 days or over. 50c per day for 50 days or over. 55c per day for 60 days or over. 60c per day for 70 days or over. 65c per day for 80 days or over. 70c per day for 90 days or over. 75c per day for 100 days or over.

**FOR SALE AN EIGHT ROOMED** modern home, 3 outside buildings, 1 acre of land and large garage. Apply to J. E. Macdonald, Dalrymple, Lot 113, P. E. I. 3075-8-21.

**TEACHER WANTED** First or second class for Harmony School No. 48 Prince County. Salary \$125.00. Protestant preferred. Apply to Thomas B. Yeomans, Richmond R. R. No. 2, Secy. 3074-8-31.

**WANTED BEFORE SEPT. 1ST** 4 unfurnished rooms. Apply at this Office. 31.

**FOR SALE CHESTNUT MARE** 3 years old weight 1075. Fine bone, gentle, good worker. Apply W. B. Robertson. 41.

**FOR SALE—TWO DESIRABLE** building lots on Villa Street, Charlottetown, 60x175, good high land with all rights to immediate purchaser. Terms if desired. Apply Park Terrace, Brighton 3071-8-3-31.

**FOR SALE—NICELY FURNISHED** home, pleasantly located near boarding houses. Apply 174 Kent St. 3071-8-3-31.

**WARD**—At Colwill July 21st, to Mr. and Mrs. Hazen Howland daughter.

**WANTED—AN ERRAND BOY** apply between 9 and 11 a. m. to the Russ. 11.

**FOR SALE—GOOD SOW DUE** to freshen the 4th October. William Haslam, Emerald. 3056-8-2-21.

**WANTED—IMMEDIATELY SECURE** hand hay tedder. Apply R. M. Hutch, City. 3055-8-1-21.

**WANTED AT ONCE STOUT** young man or boy to both farm, able to drive teams, and do general farmwork. Write full description of yourself, weight, religion, experience and wages expected or come at once and see me.—D. A. McIntyre Bathurst Basin, N. B. 3050-8-2-21.