

## BEDFORD WELCOMED

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NORTH SIDNEY, Sept. 15.—(Special).—An American fishing schooner Lawrence A. Munroe reports finding a schooner bottom up 27 miles east, by south of Scatar Island. No boats or any sign of crew.

#### SERGEANT RICHARDSON GETS VICTORIA CROSS.

OTTAWA, Sept. 15.—(Special).—Strathcona's horseman who gets the Victoria Cross is Sergt. A. S. L. Richardson of North West formerly of Liverpool, England.

#### OUR BOYS COMING HOME.

OTTAWA, Sept. 15.—The following cable was received here to-day:

LONDON, Sept. 15.—Field Marshal Commander in Chief has been instructed to despatch from South Africa the members of the Royal Canadian Regiment. They are not willing to extend service and are arriving in Canada, not later than Oct. 15th. In event of large number they will be sent direct to Canada by transport, specially detailed, otherwise they will be sent to England by transport conveying invalids. [Sgd.] CHAMBERLAIN.

#### ADMIRAL BEDFORD LOYALLY WELCOMED.

ST. JOHN, N. B. Sept. 15.—(Special).—The City to-day presented Admiral Bedford with an address of welcome and tonight the Mayor will entertain the Admiral at Luncheon.

#### HON. I. J. TARTE ISSUES A CHALLENGE.

MONTRÉAL, Sept. 15.—(Special).—Tarte will issue a challenge to meet Hon. Hugh John Macdonald on any Ontario platform to answer his charges that he (Tarte) made disloyal speeches in France.

#### A CURE FOR RHEUMATISM.

Mr. S. Mann, Stittsville, Carleton Co., Ont., writes: "I was afflicted with Rheumatism, had severe pains in the knees, hip joints and across the back. Rheumatism remedies did not help me. I began using Dr. Chase's Kidney Liver Pills, which have since completely cured me. There is not the least trace of rheumatism left and I am no longer subject to biliousness, headache and stomach sickness which formerly attacked me frequently. One pill a dose, 25 cents a box."



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## GOFF BROS.



## Sunday a Day of Rest.

On Sunday morning Rev. G. P. Raymond preached a sermon upon the better observance of the Lord's Day, which was appropriate at this season, owing to the organization of a Branch of the Lord's Day Alliance which was installed by Rev. J. G. Shearer. The following is some of the ideas expressed in the discourse: Isaiah 58, v. 3, 10 and 14. "If thou turn away thy foot from the Sabbath, from doing thy pleasure on my Holy day; and call the Sabbath a delight and the holy of the Lord honorable; and shalt honor it, not doing thine own way, nor finding thine own pleasure nor speaking thine own words, then shalt thou delight thyself in the Lord; and I will make thee to ride upon the high places of the earth; and I will feed thee with the heritage of Jacob thy father, for the mouth of the Lord hath spoken it."

This is a prophecy of the Messianic church. In the 53rd chapter the prophet shows the Messiah dying for sinners, and in the 54th and 55th chapters the enlargement of God's church is shown and the invitation to enter it is given to all. Then come four chapters showing the evils which the church would have to contend with. Then before we come to the 60th chapter which gives a picture of the glorious church, embracing the Gentiles there is this remarkable emphasis laid upon Sabbath observance. The renewed church founded on the sacrificial work of the Messiah and embracing in its invitation all thirsty souls of whatever race, is to have a Sabbath, which is clearly no circumscribed Jewish institution, but belongs to God's people of all ages. The Sabbath is as old as the race and as deep as human nature. "Sabbath is not Hebrew, but human and humane."

The prophet in the verses preceding the text shows that "character grows rich and life joyful not by the performance of ordinances with the cold conscience of duty, but by acts of service with the warm heart of love. But here stands the exhortation to observe the Sabbath and its proper observance is placed on a level with the practice of love.

The service of man is not our only duty; the service of God has a prior claim upon us, and should be the foundation of our service to our fellow men. God should have our first homage, affection and obedience, and for the fostering of this right attitude towards Him we must have definite, regular and frequent devotion to Him. The Sabbath is the right arm of the church. On that day man is to withdraw from his accustomed works and pleasures, to find his delight in holy thoughts, words and actions. A disregard of the Sabbath is always a sure sign of a low state of religious life. The people of these Provinces have lately been directed by the Secy. Of The Lord's Day Alliance to the fact that the Sabbath, or Lord's Day is being imperiled by a greed of gold and the lust of pleasure. Branches of the Dominion Lord's Day Alliance are being formed in nearly all the large towns of our Maritime Provinces. It is necessary to keep up a healthy public opinion on this subject, for with the increased tourist travel to our delightfully cool resorts there may come the destruction of Sabbath's quiet rest and spiritual privileges. For example, the Yarmouth citizens were surprised to find one of their steamers arrived from Boston bringing 400 excursionists from Boston. That was the first time the Sabbath peace of that town was destroyed or partially so by the bustle, noise and labor attendant upon the arrival and landing of so many pleasure seekers. We must remember that man needs a rest day in every seven. This is a law of nature, scientifically proven. The word Sabbath means rest from labor, cessation. "The Sabbath was made for Man," because he needed it for his body and soul. The Jews were to keep the Sabbath of rest to commemorate their freedom from serfdom. One day out of seven every man was to be free to rest; his employer having no claim upon him for that day. People should remember this mark of freedom and preserve the Day of Rest for all laboring classes. A Sabbath well spent brings a heart of content, and strength for the coming morrow; but a Sabbath profaned, whatever is gained, is a certain forerunner of sorrow."

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## INTERSCOLASTIC SPORTS TROOPS

### Queen Square School Secures the Coveted Trophy.

## HIGH CLASS WORK OF THE COMPETITORS

### The Events Were Well Contested and the Officials Called the Different Numbers in a Prompt Manner. The Pupils Delighted With the Results. Toombs and Bowden Showed Themselves to be Stars and Made an Aggre- gate of 40 Points—Large Numbers Spectators.— Everybody Delighted.

The Interscholastic Sports between West Kent and Queen Square Schools, held on the C. A. A. Grounds, on Saturday, were a success in every sense of the word. For several years these schools have been holding field days, but each under its own management, not, however, without considerable success. It was felt that added interest would be given and keener contests witnessed should a union of forces be effected. The promoters of the sports, who have so fully devoted their energies, must be gratified with the highly successful issue of the first Interscholastic sports ever held in the city.

For the past two weeks the C. A. A. Grounds have been thrown open to the city pupils, and their faithful training has been done. Keen rivalry—but with a friendly rivalry—was soon manifested between the opposing schools.

Many predictions were made, and ardent hopes held by the youth of either as to the banner upon which victory would perch. The anticipations formed by West Kent were doomed to disappointment, for Queen Square rolled up 98 points to 65 scored for the former.

At 1.30 the two schools paraded to the City Hall, from which point, headed by the 4th Regt. Band, they proceeded to the Athletic Grounds. Many favorable comments were heard on all sides upon the excellent marching and discipline maintained by the boys on their parade.

The officials promptly called the events, and much satisfaction was expressed in regard to the management of the entire day's program. The officials were as follows:

Referee—C. J. McMillan.  
Starter—D. A. McKinnon.  
Judges—L. B. MacMillan, Dr. P. F. Duffy, E. F. Muncey.  
Timers—J. M. Campbell, Councillor Brown, Arthur Sullivan.  
Clerk of the course—H. R. Larze.  
Assistant—Ira J. Yeo, James Landri-gan.

Umpires—Reg. Stewart, Art Gaudet.  
Announcer—Inspector Ewen Stewart.  
The large number of entries in all the "Sprint" races made the work of the starter and the judges extremely difficult but they did their work well, and to the entire satisfaction of all.

In the 75 yards dash (10 years and under) and 75 yards dash (11 years and under) there were over forty-five entries while the other events were well filled. The performance were highly creditable and will compare favorably with those of older men. The hundred yards dash open, 100 yards dash (boys under 13), Broad Jump and Hop, Step and Jump afforded the spectators remarkable exhibitions by boys of such immature years. Toombs, of West Kent, and Bowden, of Queen Square, were the stars of the meet, the former scoring 18 pts. for his school and the latter 22.

The grand stand was comfortably filled. The school children in the majority, but several teachers were conspicuous by their absence. It was indeed "children's day" as was evidenced by the delight and enjoyment manifested by the pupils. It seems too bad that on such a day the whole body of teachers should not enter into the spirit of the occasion and encourage the boys by their presence. The colors of the two schools were visible on all sides, and the excellent playing of the 4th Regt. band contributed much to the day's pleasure. The police officers on duty did their work well.

The following is the summary:

#### 1/2 MILE BIKE, (open.)

1st, J. Williams, (West Kent); 2nd, Harry Hodgson, (W. K.); 3rd, Geo. Prowse (W. K.) Time, 40 1-5 seconds.

#### 100 YARD DASH (open.)

1st, H. Toombs, (W. K.); 2nd, W. Bowden, (Queen Square); 3rd, L. McMahon, (Q. S.) Time, 11 seconds.

#### 50 YARD DASH, (8 years.)

Three Heats.  
Final—1st, McKinnon, (Q. S.); 2nd, Duffy, (Q. S.); 3rd, Morgan, (Q. S.) Time, 7 3-5 sec.

#### BROAD JUMP—open.

1st, Harry Toombs (W. K.)—17ft 2in; 2nd, McMahon (Q. S.)—16ft. 1in; 3rd, Bowden (Q. S.) 15ft. 10 in.

#### 50 YDS DASH—(9yrs) FOUR HEATS.

Final won by Jack McLeod (W. K.); 2nd, Blake (W. K.); 3rd, Hooper (W. K.) Time, 7 2-5 sec.

#### HIGH JUMP OPEN.

Bowden (Q. S.) won with a jump of 4ft. 7 1/2 in. Dougerty and Donovan both failed at this height but in the jump off Dogherty won. Donovan securing third.

#### 75 YDS. DASH—(10 YDS.)

Two Starters.  
Final—1st, Trainer (Q. S.); 2nd, McKenzie (W. K.); 3rd, McLeod, (W. K.) Time, 10 2-5 sec.

#### HOP STEP AND JUMP.

1st, Bowden (Q. S.) 38ft. 3in; 2nd, Harry Toombs (W. K.) 38ft. 1 1/2 in; 3rd McMahon (Q. S.)—35ft. 3in.

#### 75 YDS DASH—(11 YDS)

Five Heats.  
1st, Cornfoot (W. K.); 2nd, Mitchell, (Q. S.); 3rd, Crosby, (W. K.)  
TIME 10 1-5

In the final heat Cornfoot and Mitchell ran a dead heat.

To decide the winner these two again competed and again a dead heat resulted. On the third trial however Cornfoot won by an inch in 10 1-5 seconds.

#### 200 YARDS DASH—OPEN.

1st, H. Toombs, (W. K.); 2nd, W. Bowden, (Q. S.); 3rd, Donovan, (Q. S.) Toombs won easily in this event in 23 seconds, the other competitors tottering at the tape.

#### PUTTING SHOT—16 lbs.

1st, Bowden, (Q. S.) 23 ft. 9 in; 2nd, McMahon, (Q. S.) 23 ft. 6 in; 3rd, Donovan (Q. S.) 21 ft.

#### 100 YDS. DASH—12 YEARS.

Four Heats.  
1st, Bowden, (Q. S.); 2nd, Duffy, (Q. S.); 3rd, Crosby, (W. K.) Time, 12 3-5 sec.

#### THREE LEGGED RACE—50 YDS.

Three Heats.  
1st, Dogherty and Donovan, (Q. S.); 2nd, Rattenbury and Rattenbury, (W. K.); 3rd, Large and Biass, (W. K.)

#### 100 YDS. DASH—13 YDS.

1st, Bowden, (Q. S.); 2nd, Duffy (Q. S.); 3rd, McQuaid, (Q. S.) Time, 11 2-5 seconds.

#### 1 MILE BIKE—OPEN.

1st, Brairie Smith (W. K.); 2nd, Ivan Reddin (Q. S.); 3rd, J. Williams (W. K.) Time, 3 2 1/4.

#### 100 YARDS DASH—(14 YEARS.)

1st, McMahon (Q. S.) 2nd, Donovan, (Q. S.); 3rd, Bowden, (Q. S.) Time, 12 sec.

#### 1/2 MILE BIKE—(14 YDS.)

1st, Ivan Reddin, (Q. S.); 2nd, J. Rattenbury (W. K.); 3rd, Campbell, (Q. S.) Time 40 1-5 sec.

The Relay Race was won by Queen Square by default, West Kent not entering a team.

The Tug-of-war was won by West Kent in two straight pulls.

Girls' Bicycle Parade won by Annie Brace, second Nora Waddell.

## CITY & COUNTRY NEWS

Miss BLACKADDER gave a very interesting address on Thursday in the Presbyterian Church, Cardigan, on the nature and success of mission work in Trinidad. She was accompanied by Mrs. Layton, of Marshfield, who spoke impressively on the duty of sending the Gospel to those who have it not.

## TROOPS LEAVE

### For Wei Hai Wei—Looting Continues.

## THE BOERS FIGHTING

### Among Themselves.—Bubonic Plague Increases—Tug Boatmen Censured.

#### SURPLUS \$8,000,000.

OTTAWA, Sept. 15.—Details of the financial statement for the year ending June the thirtieth were given out by the Finance Department yesterday. Instead of a surplus of \$7,950,000, it is \$8,000,000. The revenue was \$51,000,733, and the expenditure \$42,976,051, leaving a surplus on the ordinary revenue of \$8,024,732.

#### ISLAND CATTLE CARRY OFF PRIZES.

HALIFAX, Sept. 15.—Eastview Guernseys secured second prize for aged bull first, and second for bull calf over six months; third for bull calf under six months; first, second and third for aged cows first for two-year old heifer; first and third for yearling heifers; second for heifer over six months; first and second for heifer under six months; first for aged herd; first for breeders young herd sweepstake for female.

#### TROOPS LEAVE FOR WEI HAI WEI

HONG KONG, Sept. 15.—Orders have been issued for a third brigade to proceed to Wei Hai Wei immediately.

#### LOOTING AND PILLAGING AMONG BOERS.

LONDON, Sept. 15.—(Special).—Lorenzo Marquez advises say that the Boers are fighting among themselves and are looting and pillaging at Botspruit. Gen. French occupied Barbervtown Friday and released 23 officers and 59 men prisoners, besides capturing three locomotives and one hundred Boers.

At Spitz Kop. Gen. Buller secured 30,000 pounds of supplies and a number of prisoners were captured. Gen. Hartz captured Hutcheson.

#### LOOTING STILL CONTINUES.

SHANGHAI, Sept. 15.—(Special).—The looting in Peking continues. Brutal outrages have been committed in Fing Chaw. Many women who were outraged by the Chinese suicided. Two armies of Boxers, one ten thousand, the other four thousand strong are now marching from the south to cut the line of communication.

Germans intend seizing the Grand Canal at several points to protect interests.

Boxers left Taku before the arrival of the forces sent against them.

#### BUBONIC PLAGUE STILL PREVALENT.

GLASGOW, Sept. 15.—(Special).—Another plague case is reported here today.

#### CORNISH JURY ON HOBOKIN FIRE.

NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—(Special).—A Cornish Jury on the Great Hobokin dock fire declare that more lives would have been saved if the tug boat employees had diverted more time to their own work instead of to salvage.

#### PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 15.—(Special).—

Sixty per cent of 140,000 anthracite coal miners go on the strike to-night and it is believed they will secure the victory.

JAMES E. McDONALD's schooner, the Carmena, is loading at Cardigan.

The special meeting of the Young Men's Christian Association to be held this evening in the Y. M. C. A. hall will be a very important one in the history of that institution. On the action of that meeting will depend the future of the Association unless a more generous support than has been accorded the Association during the recent past can be assured, the management would not be justified in continuing under existing circumstances. It would be undesirable to see this useful institution discontinued. There are many who will regret when too late of the Association doors will have to be closed. We do not believe that the Christian public of Charlottetown will permit this property to be diverted from the use originally intended.

Wanted at Once.—Two bright girls to learn millinery work. Apply to Miss Emma Toombs, head milliner with Moore & McLeod. 15 ft

## ORANGE BLOSSOMS.

The marriage takes place in the Union Road Church at 6.30 p. m. this evening of Miss Maria May Ayers, to Mr. B. C. Hardy, Union Road. The Rev. Thos. Hicks will perform the ceremony. The bride's gown will be of white organdie, trimmed with lace. The bridesmaid will be Miss Emily F. Ayers, sister of the bride, and will wear white tulle over blue. The best man will be Mr. Elby Hardy, brother of the groom. After the ceremony supper will be served to the guests at the home of bride's parents. The bride has received many very handsome and useful presents.

The St. John Sun says that during the week a mix-up on C. P. R. occurred to a family from P. E. Island, caused by change at Paisec. A brother and sister became parted and the brother had all the funds. The sister went on to St. John and the brother went to Point du Chene. Telegrams located the brother.

The showwindow of Messrs. Alley & Co. attracted a great deal of attention on Saturday afternoon and evening. The window represented a farm scene with a "lougger" fence running west. Inside the place was a pair of fantail pigeons. In the background was a scarecrow, on which was the placard "Don't be scared look up." Naturally the spectator would look up and then he would discover that suspended was a number of pairs of the celebrated Slater shoes.

On Friday Government Engineer McMillan returned from Georgetown, where he had gone to ascertain the damage done the ferry wharves by the storm of Wednesday. He found Lower Montague ferry wharf in a bad condition and Georgetown wharf was worse than anticipated. It was impossible owing to the damage for teams to drive on board the boat. Men were at once placed at work and it is expected that on Saturday evening the wharves on both sides of the ferry would be fully repaired and fit for traffic. Mr. McMillan went Saturday morning to the Head of St. Peter's Bay where the bridge has been carried away by the storm.

## NEW YORK STOCK LIST

Closing prices	Sept. 15th
American Sugar	116 1/2
American Steel and Wire	34 1/2
American Tobacco	90
Brooklyn Transit	32 1/2
Burlington	122 1/2
Continental Tob.	nil
Federal Steel	87 1/2
Federal Steel Prd.	nil
Louisville and Nashville	nil
New York Central	nil
Rock Island	105
St. Paul	112 1/2
Tennessee Coal and Iron	67 1/2
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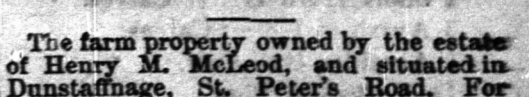
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