

MAFITIME PROVINCES
Amateur Athletic Association
The Tenth Annual Championship Games
of the ASSOCIATION, will be held on the grounds of the
WANDERERS A. A. CLUB
In HALIFAX, N. S., on the afternoon of
SATURDAY,
SEPTEMBER 11th, 1897

The following is the list of events:
100 yards Run. Putting 16 lb. Shot.
230 yards Run. Throwing 16 lb. Hammer.
440 yards Run. Pole Vault.
880 yards Run. 1 Mile Bicycle.
1 Mile Run. 1/2 Mile Bicycle.
120 yards Run (Hurdles).
Running High Jump.
" Broad "

Bicycle Races under sanction and rule of the C. W. A.
The track is cinder, unbanked, an even quarter, slightly oval, 15 feet wide, with a straightaway finish 100 yards long and 25 feet wide.

Entries will close with the Secretary at Halifax, N. S., on Saturday, September 4th at midnight, and must be made through Secretaries of Clubs, on official entry blanks. In the case of individuals not so entered, satisfactory evidence must be produced of amateur standing.

Fee in each event, Fifty Cents, to accompany entry. Blanks and any information will be furnished on application.
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Hotel Acadia
Hotel guests are having good fishing from Tracadie Harbor of Cod and Mackerel. Good boat, bait and fishing tackle supplied.

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July 26.

Druggists' Early Closing
We the undersigned druggists of this city, hereby agree to close our several places of business, at 9 p. m. every night, excepting Saturdays, until the end of Sep. GEO. E. HUGHES,
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The above goes into effect on Monday evening, Aug. 9th.

A Determined Official.
A Bangor drummer recently saw a woman enter the train at North Bucksport and rush through the car just as it was getting speedy. He coolly walked after her and just before the fatal leap grasped her firmly to his manly bosom. She struggled, but he only tightened his grip, saying, "Madam, you sha'n't jump off the car and kill yourself!" When she got her breath, she shrieked, "You big fool, I was only going out on the platform to wave my handkerchief to my friends." A party of Bangor yachtsmen aboard the train applauded the drummer for his heroism fully half an hour and at intervals thereafter.—Springfield Republican.



Had Not Seen It.
Beggars—I have lost an arm, sir. Will you—
Passerby (in haste)—Very sorry, but I haven't seen anything of it.—Nuggets.

Following Directions.
"How far can you swim, Willie?" inquired the visitor.
"Oh, I don't know," replied Willie.
"Across the ocean?" persisted the visitor facetiously.
"I shouldn't wonder," answered Willie promptly.
"Why, Willie, do you know how far it is across the ocean?" demanded Willie's mother.
"Don't care how far it is," retorted Willie. "Pop told me once never to admit that I couldn't do a thing until I'd tried and failed, and I never tried this."—Chicago Post.

Question of the Hour.
"I wish I could tell"—said the man who had hold of the side of his linen tow coat with both hands and was twisting himself to get a good look at it.
"Whether the gaps that are appearing in this goods are natural growths or mosquito punctures."—Washington Star.

Wrong at the Start.
"I never kin feel no sympathy wit strikers," said Meandering Mike.
"I don't see dat you've got any cause ter blame 'em," replied Plodding Pete.
"Dere air't no excuse fur 'em," was the emphatic reply. "It's deir own actions dat brings 'em to it. Dey didn't have no business goin ter work in de first place."—Exchange.

She Had Experience.
"Dollie, dear," asked the infatuated young man, "would you rather I gave you a plain bracelet or one with a pendant to it?"
"I guess I'll take it plain," said the sourette. "The last feller I had, by the way, gimme a diamond ring with a string to it."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

A Valuable Man.
A dime museum manager discovered a tree on which several men had been lynched. He offered the owner a good price for it, but the latter replied:
"I don't care to sell it. It's the best tree in the neighborhood, and the vigilance committee isn't through with it yet."—Atlanta Constitution.

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Copies of the Calendar containing information, may be obtained on application to the Secretary.

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Should Be Severely Punished.
"The Railroad Killed Him" is a headline in a daily exchange.
Really something should be done to restrain these railroads, when they rise from the roadbed and kill men like that. It's bad enough when the engines kill them.—Atlanta Constitution.

His Sphere of Usefulness.
"You dura old plug," said the farmer to his bulky horse, "you actually ain't worth killin—unless," he added, after second thought—"unless I could manage to get you killed by the railroad."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Relief For an Old Salar.
"There is an effort on foot to destroy the Santa Claus myth."
"That's too bad. If it succeeds, we'll have to stand up for our cheap little 10 cent presents ourselves."—Chicago Record.

One Kind of Pessimist.
Bobby—Popper, what is a pessimist?
Mr. Ferry—One of them is the man who always buys a round trip ticket to the races.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Not the Only Ones.
Human beings are not alone in cherishing a tender attachment. There is the railway engine, for instance.—Lowell Courier.

Country Pastimes.
The whippoorwill across the hill,
Like wind, pursues the gnat.
Along the rill, with equal skill,
The owl pursues the bat.
Around the stump, with agile jump,
The cat pursues the rat,
And up the pump, with back a-hump,
The dog pursues the cat.
Down by the gate, with broom and plate,
The wife pursues the tramp.
With face sedate, the parson's mate
Pursues the deacon scamp.
From week to week the parson meek
Pursues the widowed cluck,
Then turns his cheek and feeds his beak
Upon the waxing duck.
The farmer man, with deep laid plan,
Pursues the shining hay,
With equal plan the bunco man
Then bags the festive jay.
—George A. Beckenbaugh in New York Sunday World.

The Harrison Tomb.
Work has been begun on the reconstruction of General William H. Harrison's tomb at North Bend, Ind. The old tomb of brick has been taken down entirely and one of blue limestone built. The structure is almost four feet high—that is, four feet of it can be seen above the ground. There were eight bodies in the tomb receptacles besides the remains of General Harrison. It is the general opinion of those engaged in the work of rebuilding the tomb that one of the receptacles, which was left vacant in the reconstruction of the tomb for other members of the family, will some day contain the remains of ex-President Benjamin Harrison.—Exchange.

A Chinese Cemetery.
Lee Toy, the "mayor of Chinatown" in Philadelphia, and several other influential Chinamen of that city are about to purchase a piece of land in the suburbs, to be used as a Chinese national cemetery. Speaking of the matter, the Philadelphia Ledger says: "The proposed national cemetery will be the only one in existence outside of the state of California. While intended largely as a resting place for the Celestial residents of this city and state, it is said that the privilege of the cemetery will be extended to Chinese residents of New Jersey, Delaware, New York and Maryland."

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The property situate on King Street east, near Weymouth, owned by James McCarron, Engineer, is offered for sale. If not sold by private sale before
Friday, Sept. 3rd.
it will be sold by Public Auction on that day, at the hour of 12 o'clock.
For particulars apply to
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Valuable Property FOR SALE
The subscriber, owing to ill health, offers by private sale, his property, consisting of a three tenement house and cottage in the rear.
Land 100 ft. running back, and 50 ft. frontage. Tenement house, 42 ft. frontage and running back 40 ft. Cottage, 27 ft. frontage, and running back 17 ft. Stone wall and frost-proof cellar.
If not disposed of by Aug. 12th, will be sold on that date at 12 o'clock, noon, by public auction by ROBERT BEAIRSTO.
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The Golden Rose.
The golden rose that the pope is to bestow upon the Princess Marie Louise is not a single blossom, but a gleaming branch, composed of several flowers buds, leaves and even thorns, the rose at the top being the largest. It is all of purest gold, and within the rose is a tiny golden cup, with a lid, containing musk and palm oil which the pope has blessed. The rose is planted in a vase of gold, chased with the entwined armorial bearings of the great prelate and the royal princess. The papal official who is to bear the splendid gift is vested with the dignity and importance of an ambassador and will be received with great honors by the house of Wurtemberg.—New York Tribune.

Who Are They?
Bliss Carman, the poet, has set people guessing. He wrote in the Boston Transcript of what he regarded as the ten greatest lyric poems in the English language. The titles were as follows: "A Northern Vigil," "A Spring Song," "The Moondial," "At the Granite Gate," "The Gravedigger," "The Nancy's Pride," "The Red Wolf," "Behind the Aras," "The Last Watch" and "In a Gondola." And now some Bostonians are complaining that they do not know the authors of all these poems, and that they never before saw even the titles of some of them. Here is an excellent opportunity for students of poetry to display their knowledge.

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