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## NEW ZEALAND BOYS DID WELL

Defeated Australia in Fug of War Finals at Toronto

Complete List of the Prize Winners at Cadet Meet Given out This Morning

Toronto, Sept. 7.—New Zealand added another to their long list of victories when they defeated Australia this afternoon in the finals of the tug-of-war, winning two out of three pulls. The contest illustrated the high standard of sportsmanship of the Australians, for, according to the regulations, only one team could be formed by any one corps. New Zealand entered two and Australia defeated the second New Zealand team in a preliminary. Manager Orr ruled that Australia could claim the cup without pulling the other New Zealand team, but the Australians refused to take advantage of this and when defeated by the New Zealanders warmly congratulated their rivals.

Toronto, Ont., Sept. 7.—The prize list in full as announced this morning follows:

Physical drill—First prize, Strathcona Cup, New Zealand; Second prize, Canadian National Exhibition Cup, Montreal; Third prize, Canadian National Exhibition Cup, Ridley, Sollege, St. Catharines.

Canadian National Exhibition Cup for marching and general appearance, Empire Club Cup for marching and manual exercise, Daughters of Empire Cup for general appearance, New Zealand.

Tug of War, Canadian National Exhibition Cup, New Zealand.

King's Challenge Cup for shooting and thirteen silver Canadian National Exhibition medals, Nova Scotia; Second prize, Empire Defense League Cup, England.

Championship shot, Lord Roberts Gold Medal—First Prize, C. Knight, England; Second prize, Lord Roberts Silver Medal, J. Heyl, England; Third prize, Canadian National Exhibition Bronze Medal, R. Remin, England; Fourth and Fifth (tie) J. Beeby, England, and G. Stairs, Nova Scotia; Sixth prize, R. Wallace, British Columbia; Seventh, eighth and ninth prizes, Lord Roberts books, C. Stockwell, Nova Scotia, G. A. Webb, Toronto and H. E. Price, England.

Best individual shot in a company, 15 Canadian National Exhibition Cups, Knight, Stairs, Stockwell, Wallace, Price, Webb, G. Brodie, Woodstock, Combes, New Zealand; A. Bretherton, Australia; Patrick, St. Catharines; D. R. Smith, Alberta; I. H. MacIntyre, Scotland; G. Squires and A. Bedell, Newfoundland; (tie), Lance Corporal W. Ashley, Ireland; K. Marshall, Toronto Public Schools.

## AUSTRALIA TO HAVE FINE NAVAL COLLEGE

Sydney, N. S. W., Sept. 7.—The new Australian naval college will be erected at Jervis Bay, a convenient inlet not far south of Sydney. The exact site will be Captain's Point, on the south side of the bay, three miles in from the entrance at Bowen Island. Here, besides the class rooms laboratories and all the other college equipment, there will be barracks and extensive power and refrigerating plant.

The building groups will cover four acres of ground. The scheme is in full working order and will see 150 of Australia's building naval officers studying at the college. Midshipmen cabin, on passing the required examination, are to be entered at the age of 16. All expenses will be paid by the government, which will even provide pocket money.

## DEBS TO SPEAK IN NEW YORK

New York, Sept. 7.—Madison Square Garden is to be the scene Monday night of what is intended to be the latest campaign demonstration in the history of the Socialist party in the United States. Numerous political and labor bodies of the metropolis will attend the meeting on masse Eugene W. Debs, the Socialist candidate for President, and Emil Seidel, the candidate for Vice President, will be the principal speakers.

## EXPLODED BOMB SHELL

Attorney General Campbell of Manitoba touched up the Yanks

In Speech at Forestry Banquet—Declared That Nations Should Stand by Their Treaties

(Canadian Press.)  
Victoria, B. C., Sept. 7.—Attorney General Campbell of Manitoba, caused some embarrassment last night at the brilliant forestry banquet which was attended by several prominent Americans, by stating that "nations must stand by their treaties and obligations." A large section of the banqueters broke into excited and prolonged cheering, but at the head table, where Mr. E. T. Allen, the official representative of the forestry branch of the United States government at Washington, sat to the right of President Henry and Sir Richard McBride, there was an awkward silence.

Premier McBride started to pour oil on the troubled waters. He expressed the conviction that in the final result the American people would be found to act fairly and justly in the matter of the imposition of the tolls and treatment of British shipping on the Panama Canal, and smilingly added that politics were politics and as soon as the present political situation was passed Washington would realize its treaty obligations and live up to them.

## PRESIDENT BARROW MUST RETRACT

New York, Sept. 7.—President Barrow of the International League, announced yesterday that he would bring Manager Stallings of the Buffalo team before the board of directors of the International League, and compel him to substantiate or retract the charges made in the Buffalo papers against the umpires during the recent series with the Montreal Club.

Stallings went so far as to accuse the umpires of intentionally giving decisions against his team in two of the Montreal games.

Darrow said that he could not allow such statements to go unchallenged and that in justice to Murray and Carpenter, the umpires, accused by Stallings, he would insist on a thorough investigation of the charges. The Montreal Club will bring the matter before the National Association and National Commission.

## CONTRACTORS SUING QUEBEC RAILWAY

Montreal, Sept. 7.—The Quebec and Saguenay Railway Co., are called on as defendant in an action for \$381,988.18 entered by Michael J. O'Brien and Hugh Doherty, of the firm of O'Brien & Doherty, the contractors, for a section of the railway between St. Joachim and Murray Bay. The claim entered is based upon alleged progressive estimates of work done and it is stated that it will be followed by others of a similar nature unless an amicable settlement is arrived at. The Quebec and Saguenay Railway which is a subsidiary concern to the Quebec Light, Heat and Power Co., is one which Sir Rodolphe Forget, figures.

## KID MCCOY IN THE ROLE OF A HERO

New York, Sept. 7.—When Fva Neville's father tried to rescue a well set-up young man for saving his daughter's life at Brighton Beach last night, the rescuer smiled and said: "But up your check book, it was not anything anyhow." The little girl flung her arms about his neck and kissed him and then he lifted to the crowd, but not before a policeman recognized him as "Kid McCoy," the former pugilist, lately returned from abroad.

## NEW TRIAL FOR COLPITTS

Albert County Jury Unable to Agree In Perjury Case

Prisoner Testified in His own Behalf and Admitted That He had voted in Two Counties

Hopewell Cape, Sept. 6.—After being out two hours the jury in the perjury case against John W. Colpitts, charged with taking a false qualification oath at the recent provincial election reported that they were unable to agree on a verdict and were discharged by the court. They stood eight for conviction and four for acquittal.

The jury retired at 5.30 p.m., at the close of the judge's charge and after two hours deliberation were still hopelessly disagreed.

The accused was released on \$1,500 bail and a new trial will be held at the circuit in April.

The first witness this morning was Mrs. Barbara Fownes, who said that Colpitts, the accused had been a tenant of hers in Moncton from Nov. 19 1910 to May 19, 1911. He had secured the rooms he said for office purposes. Charles H. Webb, an assessor in Moncton parish said Colpitts had complained about his name being down as a non-resident and stated that he was a resident of the parish of Moncton and wished his name on the voters list.

On the closing of the case for the crown Mr. Sherran opened for the defence and stated that the case against the accused had been brought from spite and the defense proposed to prove that the defendant was a bona fide resident of the county of Albert.

J. W. Colpitts, the prisoner at the bar, went on the stand in his own defence and on being sworn said he was formerly a provincial constable and about two years ago he became collector and real estate agent. He said he used Mrs. Fownes rooms as an office in Moncton as Mrs. Fownes had stated, and his wife had assisted him. He and his wife went to his Coverdale place nights when the weather and business permitted though they stayed part of the time in Moncton. He bought the line road or Sunny Brae property in 1910 purely for speculation. A year ago last April he opened an office there. This was about 8 1/2 miles from what he considered his residence in Albert county. He never had any other intention he said, than living living in the Albert county place continuously after the last speculation at Sunny Brae was closed up.

They made it a rule to spend Sunday at the Coverdale home and he, himself was sometimes there through the week. Witness stated that after he had made some collections from James R. Somers, the complainant against him Somers had become somewhat angered at him and had made threats against him. The accused also stated that Mr. Dryden a former witness was not a very good friend of his.

The accused said on election day he was at the booth in Coverdale after 8 o'clock and being challenged to residence and qualification, believing as he believed now, that he was a qualified voter, he had paid a regular poll tax and his name was on the list. The accused stated to Mr. Grimmer that he had also in the same election later in the day, voted at Moncton, believing it was in his rights. He was aware that a voter could not vote a second time in the same county, but thought it was permissible to vote a second time if it was in another electoral district.

Mrs. Colpitts, wife of the defendant was also on the stand. She stated she considered the Coverdale place their real home.

Several other witnesses, residents of Coverdale, gave evidence stating that while Colpitts had not lived continuously in Coverdale they had known the Colpitts family to be there at times and lights had been seen in their windows at different times.

The evidence in the case was all in at four o'clock and Mr. Fowler proceeded to address the jury. His honor, in closing, charged the jury not to let politics enter at all into consideration of the matter, but to judge the matter entirely on the evidence presented.

## ELECTIONS IN MAINE TAKE PLACE ON MONDAY

Will Name a Governor, Representatives to Congress and Both Branches of the Legislature—Plaided who Wrested the Governorship From the Democrats Four Years Ago is Again a Candidate for Reelection—Both Sides Confident

(Canadian Press.)  
Portland, Sept. 7.—A large question mark symbolizes the political situation in Maine at the close of the State campaign today. Both Democrats and Republicans are predicting victory at the polls on Monday, when the voters will name their choice for a United States senator and elect a governor, representatives in Congress, both branches of the legislature, and county officials.

The split in the Republican ranks and the substitution of national issues for the local problems around which the State elections heretofore have almost invariably revolved, have helped to complicate the situation and make guesswork of all predictions as to the outcome.

Until two years ago Maine was considered solidly Republican, and the change in sentiment was noted by the increase or decrease of the size of her majorities. Two years ago the Democrats carried the State, electing the governor, two representatives in Congress, both branches of the legislature and a large majority of the county officials.

The Democrats are now in power and have the machinery of government at their command. They realize that should they be turned down by the voters as incompetent and unsatisfactory, it would likely be years before they could return to power. This is not all they are fighting for however, for in November comes the national election, and the Democratic party in Maine feels certain that the winning of the State next Monday will, without doubt mean that they will land the six electoral votes of the Pine Tree State for Wilson in November.

On the other hand the Republicans chagrined at their loss of power are anxious once more to occupy positions in the seats of the mighty. New complications have entered into this campaign, too and most of them are adverse to the Republican cause. The election of a Democratic Governor and legislation resulted in the prohibitory law being resubmitted to the people and it was reaffirmed a year ago by a small majority. This showed conclusively that the prohibition sentiment throughout the State which has always been a great asset of the Republicans has materially

weakened. The liquor question has been largely eliminated as an issue in the present campaign although the Democrats promise if returned to power to give the voters an opportunity to pass upon a constitutional amendment which will give local option to the cities and large towns. The Republicans have endeavored to keep local issues to the fore in the campaign, while the Democrats have paid most attention to the tariff and other national questions. Governor Marshall of Indiana, Speaker Champ Clark and a host of other noted Democratic leaders who have stumped the State the past ten days have confined their remarks solely to national issues.

opinion differs as to the effect that the Progressive party will have on the result of the election. The Progressives have not put a State ticket in the field and this has led the old party to believe that the Progressives as a whole will support the regular Republican nominees.

The Republican candidate for governor is William T. Haines of Waterville, a former attorney general of Maine. He is opposed by Governor Frederick W. Plaided, Democrat. The contest for United States senator is between Edwin C. Burleigh, who was a representative in Congress for many years, and the present Democratic senator, Obadiah Gardner, who was named last spring to succeed William P. Frye.

Maine will also elect four Congressmen. In the First District, Tom Reed's old district, Asher C. Hinds, Republican is opposed by Michael T. O'Brien a Portland lawyer. In the Second, the district which was represented by Frye, Dingley and Littlefield, the Republican candidate is William B. Skelton of Lewiston, a former State bank examiner and one of the shrewdest politicians in the district. He hopes to defeat Congressman Daniel J. McGuillicuddy, the Democratic incumbent. In the Third District Congressman Samuel W. Gould, Democrat is opposed by Forest Goodwin, a lawyer and former president of the State senate. In the Fourth District the contest lies between John A. Madigan and Frank E. Guernsey, Republican, who is now oldest in point of service of the four Maine congressmen.

## PACKEY AND WOLGAST NOT LIKELY TO MEET

New York, Sept. 7.—Although no definite announcement has been made by the management of the Garden Athletic Club, that the bout between Packey McFarland and Ad Wolgast, scheduled for this city on Sept. 25, is off, it is generally understood by followers of the report that the fight will not take place the demand of Wolgast for more money after his failure to dispose of the share of the moving picture privileges, has not been met by the Garden A. C. and will not be met.

Neither is it expected that Wolgast will come here for the \$15,000 which the club will give him. Meanwhile Freddie Welsh, the English lightweight, who lost the title to Matt Wells, last year, has arrived in New York, and has announced his willingness to take Wolgast's place.

## ALLAN STEAMSHIP AGROUND

Montreal, Sept. 7.—The Allan steamship Hungarian bound from Liverpool to Montreal grounded on the river off Contrecoeur today. The Hungarian in cargo left Three Rivers during the afternoon and steamed slowly owing to thick weather on the river. The marine department reports: "S.S. Hungarian fast ashore on the South ledge at Contrecoeur. Wireless sent by Captain to Marine and Fisheries Department and two tugs sent to assistance."

## CROP REPORTS FROM THE WEST

Big Per Centage of Grain cut in the Northern Districts

Heavy Rains Seriously Interfered With Harvesting Operations in Saskatchewan

Regina, Sask., Sept. 7.—Recent telegraphic reports received by the Saskatchewan department of Agriculture indicated that 55 per cent of the wheat crop is out in the north the area took a number of districts reaches as high as 75 to 95 of the wheat.

Heavy rains during the past week have seriously hindered cutting and ripening. Some of the wheat still looks green. As the season is so far advanced and some of the grain, owing to wet and windy weather is commencing to shell farmers have decided on immediate cutting.

The most of the oat crop is cut in the west, central and northwestern portions of the province the percentage is much higher.

In Kindersley and Rosetown districts and points to the north all barley is cut. Farther south is the central portion fifty per cent. is in stock. Slight frost occurred at the end of last and beginning of the present week in a limited number of districts but have done no perceptible damage. Tubers and other garden fodder corn and grasses are ripening well.

## BORDEN WELCOMED AT THREE RIVERS

Three Rivers, Sept. 7.—The Prime Minister of Canada, Right Hon. R. L. Borden, arrived here this morning from Quebec on the Lady Grey accompanied by Hon. G. Parley who has been acting Premier during the absence in England of Prime Minister Hon. Robert Rogers, Minister of the Interior, the Hon. C. J. Doherty, Minister of Justice, the Hon. W. E. Nantel, Minister of Inland Revenue, Hon. Frank Cochrane, Minister of Railways. The Premier and the members of the cabinet were met at the dock by Dr. L. P. Normandine and a good sized crowd of prominent citizens of this district, whose enthusiasm the deluge of rain which fell most of the morning was unable to quench. The visitors were then driven in carriages to the town hall, where an illustrated address was read to Mr. Borden by the Mayor.

The address assured the Premier of the admiration of the citizens of Three Rivers for the manner in which he had represented Canada at the important naval conference in England. The premier warmly thanked the citizens of Three Rivers for their welcome. Mr. Borden and his party boarded the Lady Grey after a short reception at the town hall.

Three Rivers, Q., Sept. 7.—The address read to the prime minister in Three Rivers was rendered more important by the intensely loyal note which rang through it.

"You have never forgotten for a moment that we are the most loyal subjects of the British empire," the address read. And Mr. Borden in his reply alluded to the loyal feelings of the Quebec people and the warm reception he had received on visiting France.

## VICE PRESIDENT SHERMAN IN DELICATE HEALTH

Boston, Sept. 7.—Vice President Jas. Sherman is reported to be in poor physical condition and he may be obliged to decline his nomination. Mr. Sherman is at his home in Utica. It is reported here that the National Committee will name a Massachusetts Republican for Vice Presidency and Curtis Guild Jr., Ambassador to Russia is mentioned. Mr. Guild is coming from St. Petersburg and will arrive in Boston next week. The Republican National Committee, it is declared, realizes one of the nominees on the National ticket should get out on the stump. Mr. Guild is a good speaker and popular with crowds.

## N. Y. LAWYER IN TROUBLE

Charged with Fraud in connection with the Will of a Client

Woman was Drowned While in His Company—A Remarkable Chain of Coincidences

New York, Sept. 7.—District Attorney Rogers of Orange County, N. Y., was due here today to consult with District Attorney Whitman concerning the drowning in Greenville Lake of Mrs. S. Szabo, who perished while in company with Burton Gibson, a New York lawyer, now executor to her \$10,000 estate. The Austro-Hungarian consulate here set the inquiry afoot several days ago by charging Gibson with fraud in connection with the will and this publicity uncovered a chain of coincidences now linking the lawyers name with four other clients or friends, or relatives of the clients directly involved in litigation with Gibson, who were murdered or died violently or strangely disappeared. Gibson says he can explain everything.

Besides Mrs. Szabo the four tragedies which figure in Gibson's career as uncovered since the Szabo investigation started are Mrs. Alice C. Kinnan, daughter of an aged woman whose property Gibson handled, murdered at her home in the Bronx.

Michael Shippo, a witness at the Kinnan inquest, found drowned in a creek in the Bronx in two feet of water.

George I. Malcolm, a Wall Street broker, was a nephew of Mrs. Louise Stan, Mrs. Kinnan's mother drowned in Long Island Sound from a steamboat. Previous to his death, he fought Gibson for the control of the estate. John Rice O'Neill, a British subject who had won a \$10,000 damage suit for the loss of a leg, disappeared more than a year ago after conferring with Gibson, concerning a mortgage transaction. The British Consul has sought him without avail. Gibson appeared at his office as usual today harrassed by reporters, but was not communicative.

He was due to appear before the Surrogate on Sept. 17th to show cause why he should not be removed from control of the Szabo estate. He receives employed by the Austro-Hungarian Consul has been trailing him to and from work for two days past. It was expected that the District Attorney of Orange County would bring with him to this city two women who witnessed the drowning of Mrs. Szabo.

## TENDERS CALLED FOR NEW FIRE STATION

Estimated Cost About \$12,000—Building to be Modern on Every Particular—Details of Structure

The Fire Committee at a meeting held last night, decided to call at once for tenders for the building of the proposed new central fire station. Tenders are advertised today to close on the 15th inst. If it is at all possible the new station is to be built this season. Tenders for the removal of the old building are also called for.

The estimated cost of the building is \$12,000. It is to be of brick with stone trimmings, two stories in height, with two doors. The building is to contain stabling accommodation for four horses and also sleeping rooms for four drivers. These rooms are to be in the second floor, which will also contain a large recreation room for members of the fire department. The building is to be modern in every particular. It has been decided that it will contain no quarters for the drivers' families. The battery room for the electric fire alarm system of the city is to be located in the new building and an electric whistle operated by a storage battery probably will be part of the alarm system, also located in the building.