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The Weather Showers tonight. Cooler in Vt. Tuesday partly cloudy and cooler. Fresh shifting winds.

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FORD LEADS FISHERMEN'S RACE; BONAR LAW TO REFORM MINISTRY

Unanimous Choice of Conservatives

New Prime Minister Asserts Irish Constitution Must Be Carried Out

(By the Associated Press) LONDON, Oct. 23—Andrew Bonar Law on leaving the Unionist meeting today at which he was unanimously elected leader of the party told the newspaper men he would accept the task of reforming the ministry.

RAIL HEADS CONFER TO AID CAR CONGESTION

Newport Yards Blocked With Traffic From All Points

W. J. Eren, of Montreal, assistant general superintendent, Supt. A. Williams of the Canadian Pacific railroad of Farnham and Supt. John Ahearn of the Boston and Maine railroad were in Newport yesterday in consultation with General Agent E. W. Savage and Yard Master E. C. Huntington, devising ways and means to relieve the present congestion of freight at this terminal.

Mr. Bonar Law in his speech declared the Irish constitution must be carried out. Referring to Mr. Lloyd George he said he was sure they would have a "pretty stiff tussle", but he hoped they would still be good friends afterward.

In the course of his address, Mr. Andrew Law declared this was not the time for introducing great things which might be beneficial to the empire however dear to his heart. He said he hoped for a period of quiescence rather than one of sheer controversy. His reference was said to be understood to be tariff reform.

LYNDON PLAYS RINGS AROUND MONTPELIER

Capital City Eleven No Match; Drop Game by 54-0 Score

Lyndon Institute had things pretty near her own way on Victory field Saturday afternoon when she ran away with the heavy, but inexperienced Montpelier Seminary team by the tune of 54 to 0. The size of the score does not entirely indicate the whole story, as several Montpelier players showing flashes of real football tore off substantial gains against their heavier and more experienced opponents.

It was a case of a well coached, well working team playing an equally as husky but totally inexperienced one, for the performance of the Seminary lads bespoke of but little for the coaching staff at that institution. The Woods brothers as usual were the whole team for the Institute, while Capt. Bassett and "Turk" Durgin gave very satisfactory accounts of themselves as did Wark, Smith, Edmunds, Martin and Kenson in the line.

The game opened with the Seminary receiving at the south end of the field. Woods kicked off to Gardner and he kicked back five yards, and the ball went into play on the Seminary 35 yard line. They were held for downs and Davis was forced to punt, Durgin receiving on his 20 yard line and was downed in his tracks. Then Dick Woods went around the end for six yards, Durgin three, and Bassett followed with about twelve and first down.

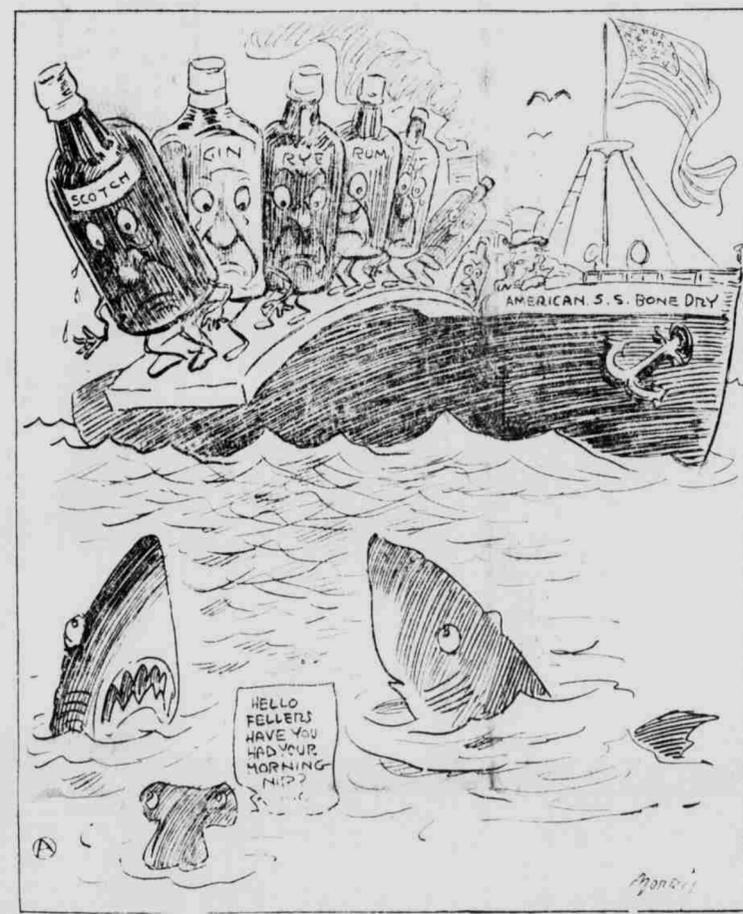
Montpelier received again, D. Davis catching the kick which he fumbled. A Lyndon player pounced on it, giving the ball on the Seminary 25 yard line.

Here the Seminary had another break in their luck when they were penalized five yard for tackling.

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WALKING THE PLANK

By MORRIS



FIRST NORMAL SCHOOL IN U. S. WAS AT CONCORD

Plan 100th Anniversary Celebration During Coming Year

Saturday evening, a get-together meeting was held at the town hall at Concord for the purpose of considering the question of celebrating in 1923 the 100th anniversary of the founding of the first normal school in America—located at Concord Corner, Vermont.

It was decided that such a celebration should be held and Rev. A. M. Markey was chosen general manager. A finance committee and a working committee were appointed, these committees being instructed to go ahead and work out plans for a celebration as they thought best.

The committees chosen were as follows: Finance, Mr. O. B. Cutting, Mr. O. W. Baker, Mr. F. L. Carpenter, Mrs. H. E. Currier, Mrs. Helen Folsom, Mr. E. A. Gray, Mr. C. P. McIntire, Miss Jennie Ranny, Mr. W. M. Rich.

The working committee is as follows: Mr. F. A. Brewer, Mr. C. F. Brown, Mr. F. M. Cobleigh, Mr. C. E. Cutting, Mrs. Dennis C. Fisher, Dr. G. B. French, Mr. S. C. Harding, Mr. F. M. Hastings, Mr. Geo. Hastings, Mr. C. E. Joslin, Mrs. E. D. Lee, Mrs. C. A. Miltimore, Mrs. G. E. Morrill, Mrs. Harry Ranny, Mr. E. E. Reed, Mr. H. F. Richards, Mr. Jacob Richardson, Mrs. H. C. D. Smith, Mr. H. C. D. Smith, Mr. W. P. Streeter, Mr. J. C. Warren.

The first meeting of the committees is to be held with Mr. Markey at the school-house on Tuesday evening, October 24th, 7:30 o'clock.

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JUDGE HAND GIVES DECISION ON PETITION

NEW YORK, Oct. 23—Federal Judge Learned Hand today handed down a decision dismissing the motion of foreign and American ship companies for a permanent injunction restraining federal prohibition agents from putting into effect the bone dry ruling of Atty. Daugherty. He extended the stay temporarily, however, providing that the steamship companies file an immediate appeal to the United States supreme court.

LATE NEWS

TRENTON, N. J., Oct. 23—At the request of supreme court justice Parker, the Attorney General's department today at noon took charge of the Hall-Mills murder case, Attorney General McCran deputized William A. Mott of Essex county as Deputy Attorney General in charge. The action of Justice Parker was taken at the joint request of prosecutors Stricker and Beekman.

WORCESTER, Mass., Oct. 23—Mrs. Frank L. Heald, 30 years old, fell 50 feet from the rear veranda of a brick block today. She landed on a concrete walk. She was only slightly bruised, the lines of clothes line of the first floor breaking her fall.

AMHERST, Mass., Oct. 23—The death of Prof. Arthur L. Kimball, 66 years old, prof. of physics at Amherst college was announced today. Death occurred in his home last night. He had been a professor in the college for 31 years.

PONZI TO CONDUCT OWN DEFENSE

BOSTON, Mass., Oct. 23—Charles Ponzi went on trial today on charges of larceny and conspiracy preferred against him by the Commonwealth. Ponzi is not serving federal sentence for using the mails to defraud but the U. S. Supreme Court rules that he could be tried at the same time on the state indictments.

Ponzi told Judge Frederick Fossick that he would conduct his own defense. Asst. Atty. Gen. Albert Hurwitz in a conference among the prosecutors of the court said he intended to try the defendant on only part of the indictments. Five of Ponzi's agents were also placed on trial for conspiracy.

ACADEMY HAS EASY TIME IN WINNING 38-0

Local Boys' Offensive Is Too Strong for Dow Academy

The green and white oval tossers of St. Johnsbury Academy came through with another victory on the campus Saturday, when they defeated Dow Academy of Franconia, N. H., by the score of 38 to 0. Practically all of the breaks of the game came to the St. Johnsbury team, but their important gains came thru runs and some completed passes.

The game started with Dow kicking to the Academy. Darling ran the ball down to about the center of the field, from whence it was carried by one run after another to within 25 yards of the goal. Morrill annexed territory covering fifteen yards in the next dash, and then Darling carried the pigskin for the first touchdown, but failed to kick. For the remainder of the first half Dow received after each of St. J.'s touchdowns.

When Darling's long kick-off settled toward Dow's end of the field, there were several green-jacketed tacklers waiting for one of the visitors to catch it. Thus it was that when Dow lost the ball on her second four downs, the town boys had but forty odd yards to carry it to a second touchdown. "Buzza" again carried the oval past the gate posts, but he again failed to kick. Score, 12 to 0.

Morrill, back in the position which he made famous in St. J.'s first two games of this season, sprinted some ten or fifteen yards for the third touchdown, and "Buzza" backed him up by successfully kicking the goal. Baldwin completed a nice pass from Darling, and scored the fourth six points. The fifth touchdown was chalked up by Darling.

It was during the third quarter that the visitors were the most dangerous. Parker, Dow's fullback, playing back for a punt, several times carried the ball for gains, although before and after this portion of the game he was stopped by the St. J. ends. One or two forwards were also contacted.

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Dramatic Scene As Sec. Denby Pleads With Crew To Race

BEEBE BOY SHOT WHILE FOX HUNTING

Accidentally Discharges a Shot Gun Into His Right Side

George Muir, Jr., the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. George Muir of Beebe, Vt., was shot and killed while fox hunting Sunday afternoon when he accidentally discharged his own shot gun, the contents tearing into his right side. He died soon after the accident from loss of blood and the effects of the gassing wound.

He was hunting about one mile from his home. Stopping to rest a moment, he stood his gun against some logs. In some manner the youthful hunter lost his balance and fell. As he toppled to the ground, the trigger caught in his clothing and the gun was discharged. The shots penetrated upward through his right side.

William Coats who accompanied him, rushed to his aid but death came almost immediately.

Reginald Sterns Buried in Lancaster

The body of Reginald Sterns, who died as the result of an accident which occurred Saturday at Sutton, P. Q., was taken to St. Johnsbury Saturday. Mr. Sterns was driving an automobile which went off the end of a bridge. In the accident he received injuries which brought about his death soon after.

The Stanley Undertaking Co. took the body in charge in St. Johnsbury and transported it to Lancaster for burial.

MONKTON MAN MAY DIE OF SHOT

MONKTON, Oct. 23—Charles Harriman, 24, was shot and seriously wounded late Friday night by William Masters and is now in a critical condition in the Mary Fletcher hospital at Burlington. Harriman was to have been married last evening to Miss Mary Benon.

The shooting was admitted by Masters to State's Attorney George Stone and is believed by the authorities, after an investigation, to have been accidental, occurring while Masters was fooling with Harriman and Harold Cox in their room at the farm of Charles Thomas, where all were employed.

VOCATIONAL LOSES GAME TO LISBON 38-0

St. Johnsbury Players Make Plucky Tries to Hold Foe

St. Johnsbury Vocational school played a fine rushing game against Lisbon High school Saturday but lacking the necessary wallop to penetrate the Lisbon goal zone, fell victims to a 38 to 0 score. The score of the game now near indicates the real battle that was fought on the Lisbon High field.

The Vocational School won the toss up, Christy receiving the ball and running back ten yards, with line plunges by McGillis and first down only to be penalized for handling. This seemed to be the spirit of the Vocational school as they recovered the yards lost by penalty and gained five more by a pretty forward pass from Christy to Mann. They then continued marching down to within the shadow of the Lisbon goal by plugging the line with an occasional end run only to loose the ball by a fumble.

Here Lisbon started the ball marching in the opposite direction. (Continued on Page Four)

DR. LYMAN ABBOTT EDITOR IS DEAD

NEW YORK, Oct. 23—Dr. Lyman Abbott, editor of the Outlook and successor of Henry Ward Beecher as pastor of the Plymouth Congregational church died yesterday in his home at 1184 Lexington avenue, after an illness that began early in the summer. He would have been 87 years old in December, and his age had much to do with his failure to rally from an attack of bronchitis.

Race Today Starts In Ten Knot Breeze With Racers Nip and Tuck On 1st Leg

(By the Associated Press)

GLOUCESTER, Mass., Oct. 23—The Henry Ford, well in the lead at 1:30 this afternoon was practically conceded the Fisherman race against her most prominent contenders, the Bluenose and the Mayflower. With a lead that remained

constantly over 600 yards, the United States contender for the fishing championship appeared to be finishing well at the fore.

At 12:20 the Ford picked up the wind and began to gain rapidly. She was leading by one quarter of a mile and dropping the Bluenose as fast as on Saturday. At 12:25 the Ford lead had increased to more than 800 yards. At 12:40 the Ford still had a lead of 600 yards. The wind had hauled around to the westward making the last three miles of the leg a dead heat.

After the Ford had gained a lead of 600 yards the Bluenose appeared to hold her for a few minutes and the American boat could not pull away. The Boston schooner, Mayflower, followed the two closely under the same sail and appeared to hold both of them.

At 12:55 the Ford passed to starboard and headed for the second mark 2 miles away. At 1 o'clock the Ford was leading by 600 yards. The Bluenose did not hold as far as the Ford passing under her at 12:57. Her crew handled her sail badly.

At 1:20 it looked as though the American boat had the race well in hand. She had a lead of 700 yards and was gaining steadily and still had a good lead when the boats rounded the second mark.

At noon both boats were hard on the port tack off Eastern Point and had sailed more than one-half of the second leg. The Ford had drawn away until she had a lead of 200 yards and was sailing practically as high as the Bluenose although the latter was a trifle to the weather of the Ford's wake. The wind had fallen to six knots.

The race started at 11:00 o'clock. The Bluenose crossed the line first but the Ford quickly caught up and passed her to a margin of 15 yards which she maintained at 11:15. The time of the first mark Ford 11:25, 10; Bluenose 11:25, 55. A shift of the wind from the southeast working around to south robbed the boats of a chance to be up at the breeze and the race developed into the same kind as that of Saturday, a reaching affair throughout. At 12:25 the Ford's lead increased to more than 600 yards.

The Gloucester schooner, Henry Ford, with a make-shift crew, began her race today at a tug at 9:15 this forenoon. The crew began bending on her main all as she left the dock. At that time Bluenose, the Canadian contender, was sailing around Eastern Point.

An increasing southerly breeze was coming in. The judge's boat was at anchor in the harbor. Capt. Morrissey took charge of the bending of the mainsail.

The scene preceding the decision that the boat would sail was dramatic. Members of her crew, carrying south-wester and slickers in a body marched through the main street shouting "We're through. We'll have nothing to do with the committee or its races." Asked if they would go to see the committee they replied: "Let the committee come to see us."

At the dock they were met by Sec. Denby, who was an unofficial member of the boat's crew in Saturday's race and planned to sail again today. Secretary Denby told

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VALUABLE FARM PROPERTY BURNED AT SUTTON

Early Saturday morning Bert Percy's big barn on the South Ridge was burned to the ground. The fire started in some way from the lantern which hung in the stable.

The cows and horses were saved, but a Guernsey bull, some sheep and calves were burned. The barn was well filled with hay and other crops and a large quantity of farm machinery was also in the barn.

Mr. Percy had just repaired his stables and the barn contained a milking machine and separator which were a total loss.

This is a big loss and was only partly covered by insurance.

The house was saved by the good work of neighbors who rushed to Mr. Percy's aid as soon as the alarm was given. Once more Sutton boys show what good firemen they are.

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TRACES GROWTH OF METHODISM AT NEWPORT

Interesting Lecture Is Delivered by Dr. F. H. Morgan

The stereotyped lecture Sunday evening at the Newport Methodist Episcopal church given by Dr. Fred H. Morgan of Boston was full of interest not only to Methodists, tracing as it did the history of Methodism from the founders, John and Charles Wesley and George Whitefield and the growth of the church in America, but to anyone who would learn something of pioneer days.

Dr. Morgan's talk was full of quaint tales of the customs and the prejudices of the early days, especially in New England. The Pilgrims came to this country in search of religious liberty, but their descendants were often as illiberal as those from whom their fathers had fled. They were slow to recognize the intruder whether Baptist, Quaker or Methodist, and the preachers met with a hostile reception. One of these, Elisha Hedding, traveled 3000 miles a year in the New Hampshire district and received \$325 above his traveling expenses.

The early preachers and church members were exceedingly austere and simple in both dress and habit.

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