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REVIEW THE YEAR'S WORK

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Factories—Much Attempted and Something Done

The Tool Council of Notice of the same rights as men. At present they have to pay more for annuities. There promises to be a lively discussion on the subject.

Another interesting matter is the appointment of a female ractory inspector. The local council has advanced several reasons in support of this appointment. But the Premier has asked that further reasons be given.

The chief report at the meeting is that of the secretary, Mrs. D. P. Chisholm. The report is as follows:—

'In presenting this report of the work undertaken and accomplished during the year, we have the satisfaction of knowing that the members of our St. John Local Council of Women have kept in touch with such reforms as stand for the betterment of mandiad. Especially we have sympathized with the movement tending towards the suppression of tuberculosis. In our city an anti-tuberculosis society has been organized and it was the privilege of our local council that we were able to forward, as the first woman life member, the name of our most esteemed President, Mrs. David McRellan, Recently at one of our meetings a sum of money was voted to provide milk and eggs for those who through lack of means are prohibited from procuring nourishing food. The expenditure will be supervised by a committe composed of members of our local Council of Women, the food to be distributed under the rules governing the free dispensary, about to be established in this city.

"We have also to report with gratification the fruits of repeated efforts, drawing attention to the non-entorement of the by-law forbidding expectoration on the streets, in electric cars and other public places. Beginning last summer arrests were made for this offense and the presiding judge warned the public places. Beginning last summer arrests were made for this offense and the president gas when first introduced. Last year a petition was a stand other public places as when first introduced. Last year a petition was forwarded to the lagging that the appointment be made, but the same unsatisfactory results followed as on forme

eventually result in the appointment being made.

"Our local council has placed itself on record as favoring the establishment of juvenile courts, having passed a resolution in March, expressing a desire to aid and support the work taken up by the W. C. T. U. in petitioning the legislature to establish a juvenile court in St. John. At this meeting it became the pleasing duty of our treasurer, Miss Grace Leavitt, to move the resolution which created our esteemed president a life member of the National Council in October our council was privileged to hear an address from Mr. Dr. Shearer, secretary of the Social and Moral Reform Council of Canada. His subject was the "White Slave



MOST SPECTACULAR FIRE IN YEARS DESTROYS ONE OF ST. JOHN'S INDUSTRIES

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BURNED VERY RAPIDLY. The wind which was blowing from the north kept the flames towards the rear and by seven o'clock the rear walls were entirely gone. Fifteen minutes later the front walls fell and in a few minutes the wall on Brunswick street gave way. All that was left of the main building was then a pile of flercely blazing ruins.

The blazing factory illuminated the whole sky and the reflection was visible for miles around the city. Hundreds were attracted to the scene by the illumination and the gorgeous but pitiful spectacle of a thriving industry going to destruction was watched by an immense crowd of people.

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British Columbia - Hayward, M.P.P., Suggests a Remed/.

VICTORIA, B.C., Jan. 28.—That the apanesse are honopolizing the best ruit and market garden lands in the fruit and market garden lands in the province and are becoming such a serious menace that drastic action on the part of the national government has become necessary is the substance of a statement to the British Columbia legislature by W. H. Hayward, the member for Cowichan. Mr. Hayward supplements his statement by offering a resolution asking the governor general to present to the Canadian parliament a request for legislation prohibiting Chinese or Japanese from holding land.

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Ella Gingles, was married to William Drummond, both of Larne, Ireland, on Jan. 12, 1910." MANAGUA, Nicaragua, Jan. 28.—The court at Mesaya today acquitted General Medina, Prosecuting Attorney Salomon Selva and other members of the court martial of responsibility for illegal conviction and execution of the Americans Grice and Cannon. The acquittal followed the presentation by General Medina of the original telegrams of instruction signed by President Zelaya. The court, however, does not indict or acquit elaya. Montreal has now a regularly constituted suffrage society, organized to push a vigorous campaign for the cause of womens suffrage. The or-FIRE AT AMHERST TODAY

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AMHERST, N. S., Jan, 28—A disastrous fire broke out this morning shortly before three o'clock in the building of the Black Printing Company on Havelock street. Before the alarm was sent in the fire had made great headway, and notwithstanding the heroic efforts of the members of the fire department the flames were not got under control until after the building was thoroughly gutted. When first noticed the fire was in the rear of the building and had apparently originated in the second story, which is largely eccupied by lodgers. The cause of the conflagration is a mystery.

Mr. Black and Mr. Sanford, of the amherst Standard, were in their offices about midnight and when they left in the building and strong the companies.

It afterwards entered the building and found the body of the unfortunate woman lying in the hall floor. The remains were tenderly removed and conveyed to the undertaking department of Christie Bros.

The interior of the building was completely wrecked, the presses and type presenting a rulned appearance. A large amount of job work, completed and ready for delivery, was destroyed by fire and water. Among the other work destroyed are the town reports for the past year. The loss will total from \$30,000 to \$35,000. There is about \$20,000 insurance on the building and store the fire building and store the fire work destroyed are the town reports for the past year. The loss will total from \$30,000 to \$35,000. There is about \$20,000 insurance on the building and store the fire building and store the fire building and the present of the undertaking department of Christie Bros.

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A sad tragedy in connection with the fire was the death of Missand the same time as the late Sir Chaire and the same time of the late Dr. Oulton, was an approaching her 90th year and had been an invalid for

RIMOUSKI FIRE E. L. JARVIS.

SCHR. HENRY B. FISKE AGAIN A DERELICT

VINEYARD HAVTN, Mass., Jan. 27.

—The schooner Henry B. Fiske, which in capsizing about a week ago, probably threw her crew of nine men into a watery grave, has again become a derelict after grounding on Davis Shoal while in tow of the revenue cutter Gresham, which picked her up Monday. The tug Underwriter, which was summoned from Boston to aid the Gresham in bringing the capsized hulk to port, arrived here today and Captain Howes stated that the Fiske is not within several miles of the place where the Gresham was forced to abandon her. Unless the Fiske again drifts within the path of shipping no further effort probably will be made to save her.

