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TIMES, DECEMBER 15, 1914

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CUSHION
RUBBER HEELS**

Slippery Sidewalks are safe—and so are you—when you walk with a sure-footed tread on 'CAT'S PAW' HEELS.

Don't ask for "rubber heels"—insist on getting 'Cat's Paw'—they cost no more than the ordinary kind.

At All Dealers
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**WALPOLE RUBBER CO.
Limited - Montreal**

GOLDEN WEDDING.
The home of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Marshall of Milbridge, Maine, was the scene of a pleasant family reunion Saturday and Sunday, Dec. 5 and 6, the occasion being the 50th anniversary of their marriage. Seven of their eight children were present, namely: Edward Marshall of St. John, N. B., with his wife and two children; Carlotta Marshall of Bath, George and William Bar Harbor, Mrs. Will Robinson and daughter, Pauline, Mrs. David Smith, both of Lowell, Mass., Mrs. Edward Gould of Brooklyn, N. Y.

**There is Nothing
Mysterious**

in possessing an account with this bank. That steady aspect to find a bank requiring experience is in reality a simple affair. Children conduct their savings accounts here quite as readily as their fathers. To give pleasing, courteous service is our constant endeavor. This bank has been in business for 88 years and our depositors enjoy the protection of a Reserve Fund nearly double the Capital. We invite deposits.

**The Bank of
Nova Scotia**
PAID-UP CAPITAL - \$ 6,000,000
RESERVE FUND - 11,000,000
TOTAL - \$ 17,000,000

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Main Office, 110 Prince William
23 Charlotte St.; 385 Main St.
Haymarket Square; Cor. Mill and
Paradise Row; Fairville; 109 Union
St. West.

FINANCIAL**NEW YORK STOCK MARKET**

Quotations furnished by private wires
of J. M. Robinson & Sons, St. John, N.B.
Tuesday, Dec. 15, 1914.

	Yesterday's Closing	Today's Closing	Gain Loss
Antill Copper	56 1/2	57 1/2	55 1/2
Am Car & Foundry	46	45 1/2	45 1/2
Am Beet Sugar	30 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2
American Ice	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
Am. Sugar	107 1/2	107 1/2	107 1/2
American Smelters	60 1/2	61 1/2	60 1/2
Am. Tele. & Tele.	117 1/2	117 1/2	117 1/2
Am. Cotton Oil	40	40 1/2	40 1/2
Anacostia Mining	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
Atch, Topeka & S. F.	94 1/2	94 1/2	94 1/2
B. R. T.	87	87	87
Balt & Ohio	78 1/2	78 1/2	78 1/2
C. P. R.	160	159 1/2	159 1/2
Central Leather	36	35 1/2	35 1/2
Chino Copper	38	38 1/2	38 1/2
Chicago & N. West	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
Colorado F. & Iron	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
Consolidated Gas	120	121	120 1/2
Erie	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
Erie 1st pfd	95 1/2	95 1/2	95 1/2
General Electric	141	141	140
Gr. North pfd	119 1/2	119 1/2	119 1/2
Interborough	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
Interborough pfd	63 1/2	63 1/2	63 1/2
Louis & Nash	126	125	125
Midvale	107 1/2	107 1/2	107 1/2
Missouri P.	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
New Haven	56 1/2	57	56
New York Central	85	84	84
Norfolk & Western	104 1/2	104 1/2	104 1/2
Norfolk & Western	102 1/2	102 1/2	102 1/2
Pennsylvania	109	109	108 1/2
Pressed Steel Car.	37	36	36
Reading	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Rep. I. & Steel	20	20 1/2	20
Rock Island	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2
Rock Island pfd	3 1/2	3 1/2	3 1/2
South Pacific	88	87 1/2	87 1/2
St. Paul	91 1/2	92 1/2	92 1/2
Southern Ry.	16 1/2	17	16 1/2
Union Pacific	121 1/2	118 1/2	118 1/2
U. S. Rubber	56 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2
U. S. Steel	55	55 1/2	55 1/2
U. S. Steel pfd	105 1/2	105 1/2	105 1/2
Utah Copper	50 1/2	51 1/2	50 1/2
West Electric	69 1/2	69 1/2	69 1/2
Western Union	59 1/2	59 1/2	59 1/2
Sales to 11 o'clock 128,000 shares.			
Sales to 12 o'clock 178,000 shares.			

**MRS. PLUMTREE TELLS
OF RED CROSS WORK**

History of Movement and Canada's
Part in it Described Before Large
Gathering Last Evening

In the school room of St. John's (Stone) church last evening a large gathering listened with pleasure to Mrs. Plumtree, wife of Canon Plumtree of Toronto, who delivered a lecture on "The Romance of the Red Cross." All were charmed with the ability of the speaker and the interesting address she gave. The speaker dwelt first upon the founding of the Red Cross Society after the Crimean war and described its development in all countries of the world since that time.

Mrs. Plumtree spoke highly of the efforts of the Canadian branch, whose headquarters are at Toronto, in the present conflict. She had been asked to place orders in Canada for 10,000 shirts, 10,000 pairs of socks and 10,000 blankets, but as she could not place the orders, they did better by cabling the London headquarters that the required things would be dispatched at once. (Applause.) Then the Canadian branch had sent \$75,000 in cash, twelve ambulance motor cars and one for special Canadian use, while another car was sent in the aid of the women of Calgary. A special Canada car had also been placed on the new ambulance train in which the wounded were being conveyed to the coast from the nearest field hospital.

The total provided by the Canadian branch of the Red Cross amounted to accommodation for 12,000 men. Mrs. Plumtree closed with an expression of gratitude that among all nations there was respect for the Red Cross flag.

Lieut. Gov. Wood presided at the lecture and tendered the speaker a hearty vote of thanks, moved by Mayor Frink and seconded by Rev. G. A. Kuhring. During the evening Mrs. Plumtree Harrison sang a hymn composed by Mrs. Plumtree.

RECENT DEATHS

In the Victoria Hospital, Fredericton, on Saturday Miss Greta E. Gaudet, who was a student at the Provincial Normal School, passed away after two weeks' illness of pneumonia. She was seventeen years of age, and a resident of Teetown.

Mrs. Margaret Davidson, aged sixty-five years, passed away at the home of her brother, Paul Kingston, Scotch Lake. She was the widow of John Davidson, of Southampton, N. B., and is survived by the one brother with whom she resided.

Mrs. David Smith, of Chatham, who died recently, aged forty-seven, was the mother of nine children, four of them grown up. She was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Craig, who survive her. Mrs. Ralph Harding of Nova Scotia and Mrs. James Essen of Millerton, are daughters. Miss Ella is at home. The eldest son, John, works in one of the foundries. The other children are young Mrs. Malcolm Pickett and Mrs. James Dickson are sisters, and Calvin Craig of Brandon and William of Chatham are brothers of the deceased.

Miss Mary Isabelle Burgess, eldest daughter of the late Thomas R. Burgess, died yesterday at her home in Apohaqui. She is survived by one brother, three half-brothers and by three half-sisters.

Timothy J. O'Connor, justice of the peace for Albert and consolidation for Alma, was drowned on Sunday apparently by falling from the trestle over the river on his way home from Riverside. The body was found yesterday by the mate of the steamer Harbinger. Mr. O'Connor is survived by his wife and two sons.

Mrs. Francis Douglas Horton died recently at Wausau, Wisconsin. She was born at Eagle River, N. B., sixty-five years ago.

The death of Mrs. Elizabeth Goughly occurred in Bangor on Saturday night at the age of seventy-five years. Mrs. Goughly was born in Newcastle, N. B., where she lived the most of her life.

**No
Increase
in
Price**

Royal Baking Powder, made of pure Cream of Tartar and soda, the greatest bake aid to the housewife, has not advanced in price, notwithstanding the shortage of the raw materials from which it is produced.

**MAINE, TOO, HAS A
FOX ASSOCIATION**

Breeders in Neighboring State
Are Organizing

STANDARDIZE BREEDS

Game Warden Speaks of Prices
For Silver Black Fox Skins—
Hon. Charles Dalton to Assist
in Organizing

(Bangor Commercial)

Silver black fox breeders and proprietors of silver black fox farms in the state of Maine met at the Penobscot Exchange on Saturday and made plans for organizing a Silver Black Fox Breeders' Association, the first of its kind in the United States. The only association of the nature in the world, except one in Prince Edward Island.

The object is to standardize the better breeds of black foxes, to establish pedigrees of certain strains, which shall be recognized. Those of inferior stock, which do not come up to the standard imposed by the association, will not be admitted to be regular silver black foxes, and the association will do all in its power to acquire the public and buyers with known silver black fox farms.

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**LUMBER EXPORTS FROM ST. JOHN
TO STATES IN NOVEMBER HALF
THOSE OF SAME MONTH IN 1913**

The statement of exports of lumber to the United States from here for the month of November, 1914, is as follows:

Lumber	\$18,072.51
Wood pulp	32,776.84
Pulp wood	4,812.20
Laths	8,546.84
Shingles	6,775.70
Pine boards	6,047.40
Total	\$76,419.04

Corresponding Month, 1913.

Lumber	\$50,553.42
Wood pulp	34,897.61
Pulp wood	4,812.20
Laths	40,179.54
Shingles	6,029.50
Pine boards	11,996.38
Total	\$146,478.58

To the American Consular Service, St. John, the Times is indebted for these figures.

Salts Cured in 6 to 14 Days.

Druggists refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. First application gives relief. 50c.

**SALTS IS FINE FOR
KIDNEYS, QUIT MEAT**

Flush the Kidneys at Once When
Back Hurts or Bladder
Bothers

No man or woman who eats meat regularly can make a mistake by flushing the kidneys occasionally, says a well-known authority. Meat is the acid which clogs the kidney pores so they sluggishly filter or strain only part of the waste and poisons from the blood, then you get sick. Nearly all rheumatism, headaches, liver trouble, nervousness, constipation, dizziness, sleeplessness, bladder disorders come from sluggish kidneys.

The moment you feel a dull ache in the kidneys or your back hurts, or if the urine is cloudy, offensive, full of sediment, irregular of passage or attended by a sensation of scalding, get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any reliable pharmacy and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia and has been used for generations to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to activity, also to neutralize the acids in urine so it no longer causes irritation, thus ending bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is inexpensive and cannot injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which all regular meat eaters should take now and then to keep the kidneys clean and the blood pure, thereby avoiding serious kidney complications.

**SUBSCRIBE DEFICIT OF
MONTREAL HOSPITAL**

Governing Board Give \$150,000 to
Tide Institution Over Its Financial
Difficulties.

Montreal, Dec. 14.—The governors of the Montreal General Hospital, through their generosity, have saved that institution from the financial disaster threatening by subscribing the \$150,000 needed to tide the hospital over its difficulties. This sum will meet the anticipated deficits in the next two years. Announcement of this effect was made at a meeting of the governors in the Windsor Hotel this afternoon.

**Dr. Morse's
Indian Root Pills**

are just the right medicine for the children. When they are constipated—when their kidneys are out of order—when over-indulgence in some favorite food gives them indigestion—Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills will quickly and surely put them right. Purely vegetable, they neither sicken, weaken or gripe, like harsh purgatives. Guard your children's health by always keeping a box of Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills in the house. They keep the Children Well.

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SCHOOL MATTERS

Trustees Ask That Elm Street
Work Be Stopped

MILITIA WANT HALL

Children's Scrap Books of War
News For Soldiers at Front—
Teachers Leave

The board of school trustees last night decided to send a formal protest to the city council against the continuance of the city barn which was recently erected in Elm street. The matter was the cause of a lively discussion, which arose over a letter which was received from Armstrong & Bruce and read at the meeting.

Another important matter decided at the meeting was that the large hall of King Edward school should be loaned to the military authorities, if found in fit condition for the use of the city of St. John. The hall is a fine building, and the trustees are anxious to have it used for the purpose.

Dr. H. S. Bridges, superintendent of public schools, was empowered to negotiate in the local schools a system whereby the pupils should compile scrap books from newspaper clippings pertaining to the war, to be sent to our Canadian soldiers every week or fortnight. The idea of the plan is to give the soldiers an inkling of what is going on in the world, and to give them a knowledge of the progress of the war.

Applications for positions on the teaching staff were received from Miss Frances Trainor, of this city; Miss Ingh, of Sackville; Miss Weir, Harcourt, all of which were referred to the application committee. The resignations of Miss Helen W. Gregory, of West St. John; Miss Bessie B. Kelly, of Alexandria school, and Miss Margaret R. Gray were all accepted. Owing to the fact that the latter has given more than thirty years of service to the board and made herself eligible for a pension, it was decided that a communication should be sent to her regretting her departure. Ada E. Allan and Margaret R. Graham, who have been on leave of absence, communicated to the board that they were in condition to resume their work at the beginning of next term. Bessie Thompson asked that her leave of absence be extended until April, which was granted. Dr. Bridges had already written to her and advised her to inspect the best schools in Boston during her sojourn there so that she could introduce new good ideas she may see when she returned. Alice K. Lingley, of the High school, who has been on leave of absence for a year and a half, asked for a continuance until the end of next term, which was granted. On the strength of the long service she has rendered, Mr. Day suggested that half pay be given her for the next term, but nothing was done in the matter.

Finance of Board.

A. P. MacIntyre, comptroller, submitted a report of his audit of the accounts and books of the board, which was read and referred to the finance committee.

The statement of the assets and liabilities of the board up to June 30, 1914, contained the following:

During the year the board issued debentures amounting to \$80,000, expiring in 25 years from January, 1914, bearing 4 1/2 per cent interest. They were sold by tender and brought 95.51 per cent.

The amount of their bonded indebtedness on June 30, 1914, was \$691,500—an increase of \$50,500.

The liability of the board at the Bank of Nova Scotia on June 30, 1914, was \$23,642.55.

The expenditures on repairs to buildings and furnishings for year \$9,308.90. Interest paid to bank on overdraft account during year, \$1,857.19. Annual interest on bonded debt as it now stands, \$24,467.50.

Fire insurance carried on schools, furniture, etc., expiring on June 27, 1915, totalling \$316,110.00.

The trustees expended \$852.28 more than their income during the year on the maintenance of the schools.

A communication was received from the mayor, stating that he had received two checks—one for \$455.55, the contribution of the school teachers to the Red Cross fund, and another of \$10 from Dr. Bridges, and he wished the board to thank them for the generous donations.

More "Good-Will"

The well-appointed table is known to exert an influence of culture and refinement. Among gifts that last a lifetime, to be treasured year after year, silver occupies a unique place and makes a most acceptable yuletide gift, adding to the attractiveness of the Christmas table.

**TODAY AND TOMORROW
EXTRAORDINARY PRICES IN TABLE SILVER**

Space does not permit detailed lists. We only quote a few to show the Great Saving!

DINNER KNIVES—Rogers' Silver, plain or beaded; packed in neat boxes—(half dozen)—Formerly \$3.50. **Sale price, \$2.75.**

PICKLE FORKS—Very dainty. Were \$1.50. **Now 90c.**

CAKE BASKETS—Several designs, really beautiful. Formerly \$4.50 to \$5.00. **Good-Will Sale price, \$3.00.**

OLIVE SPOONS.....Reduced from \$1.25 to 75c.

CAKE FORKS—Were \$2.00.....Now \$1.25

Something Glassy—CHEESE SCOOP—Dull and bright finish. Good value at \$2.25.....Selling \$1.50.

PROPORTIONATE VALUES PREVAIL IN THE FOLLOWING FLAT SILVER:

Knives, Forks, Spoons, in 1847 Rogers' and Wm. Rogers' Cold Meat Forks, Butter Knives, Sugar Shells, Berry Spoons, Gravy Ladles, Cream Ladles, Tomato Server, Ice Cream Forks, Butter Spreaders, Berry Forks, Orange Spoons, Jelly Spoons, etc., etc.

Also Bargains in Silver Cake Baskets, Butter Dishes, Scallop Dishes, Card Trays, Cream Pitchers, Sugar Bowls, Mugs, Egg Stands, Bread Trays, Tobacco Jars, Pickle Dishes, Fruit Dishes, etc., etc.

These Goods are Genuine. Positively Unrivalled in Price and Quality.

EXTRA—Silver Tea Service at \$15, \$18, \$20—EXTRA

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For the holidays a rich collection of fine furnishings. Let us help you select for him.

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All Sensible Gifts to Yourself or Anyone Else

When you are out shopping to see if you need glasses or replace the ones you are now wearing with those that will give greater satisfaction, come to us before you do your shopping.

We supply good rimless Eye Glasses with the best of service for **\$3.50**

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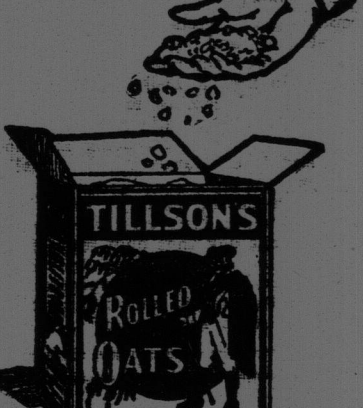
port states that many German soldiers fired 4,000 cartridges apiece during the first month of the war. An English observer estimated that twenty-five German shells are wasted for every man killed by them.

In 1870 it was calculated that the Germans fired 150 bullets and six shrapnel shells for every wounded Frenchman. In the Russo-Japanese war it is said 8,000 bullets were fired for every life lost.

**ANNOUNCEMENT OF FAILURE
OF BANK OF VANCOUVER**

The directors of the Bank of Vancouver announced at a late hour last night that they had been forced to suspend payment. The directors are confident that they will be able to pay the depositors in full as their assets are said to be ample.

See how thin the flakes are!



OPEN the Tillson package. Lift out a handful of the flakes. Each one is extra-large and extra-thin. Each one is whole and unbroken. Each one is as fresh as though it had just been produced.

Thank the package for that. No air, dust or moisture can ever reach Tillson's packed so snugly in their stout paste-board boxes. Nor can any of the oats be crumbled into meal dust.

Not a human hand touches these oats from the day they are harvested to the moment you open the package in your kitchen.

**Tillson's
Oats**

(Rolled thinnest—Cook quickest)

Get a 10c package of Tillson's and prepare the best porridge your family ever tasted. Also come in 25c packages with a premium inside.

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