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THIS CLEVER SWINDLE IS EFFECTIVE Berlin, Dec. 29.—Several of Berlin's large financial firms have recently fallen victims to an ingenious swindle of somewhat annual nature. Some time ago these firms each received a communication from Kieff, or some other Russian city, purporting to be written on behalf of a "highly placed" Russian ecclesiastic, and making a suggestion.

He would place in the hands of the father of a child, which he would make provision. He desired to assure to the child one million rubles (800,000), which, however, was to be paid only at the expiration of ten years' time, or in case of his own death occurring in the meantime. The ecclesiastic had some qualms about depositing the money in Russia and, therefore, desired to entrust it to some German bank, and making under the following conditions:

NEW YEAR'S RALLY The annual rally of the Congregational and Presbyterian Sunday schools will be held on New Year's morning in St. David's school room. The programme will begin at half past ten a. m. with Rev. L. A. McLean presiding.

PROVINCIAL BOARD OF TRADE IS PROPOSED The proposal to unite all the boards of trade of New Brunswick in a provincial organization for mutual assistance and to the furtherance of their common interests has been put forward by the board of trade in a circular which has been sent to the other boards throughout the province.

ADDRESSES AND PURSES TO RETIRING LETTER MEN An interesting event took place at two o'clock this afternoon in the meeting room of the letter carriers assembled to bid farewell to two of their members, who are leaving the office after long careers.

LATE SHIPPING PORT OF ST. JOHN (Clears Today) Barbados, S. S. Ligon, 2633, Patterson, Sydney. S. S. Silver Leaf, 266, Saffar, Weymouth.

HUSBAND AND WIFE KILLED London, Dec. 29.—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Miller of Mount Brydges, were instantly killed last night when their buggy was struck by a G. T. R. light engine at the Mount Brydges level crossing. They were well known throughout this vicinity. Both were about thirty years of age.

LOCAL NEWS

Glass and putty, 36 Brussels street, 10601-3. Band at Carleton Place New Year's afternoon and evening, 9-1-2. Special values in men's worsted and tweed pants at Corbett's, 109 Upper street.

THE NOUNSBAUGH DANCING ACADEMY will reopen on Tuesday evening, January 2, in Keith's Assembly rooms. The City Cornet Band is planning two winter concerts such as were given in the Opera House last year. Jan. 17 and Feb. 15 are the dates in mind.

THE FLAG AND THE ADT. MAN Ottawa, Dec. 30.—Geo. W. Bradbury, member for Selkirk, Manitoba, thinks there is a too free use of the Union Jack. He says it is a terrible insult in connection with advertisements for cigarettes, patent medicines, and all kinds of things, and that this amounts to abuse.

CONDENSED ADVERTISEMENTS Too late for classification. FOUL SALES—Sound working horse, 1100 pounds, Phone 100-22 West, 1738-1.

We wish our Customers, Past Present and Prospective A Bright and Happy New Year PERCY J. STEEL Better Footwear. 519 Main Street.

GOOD SUPPORT IN THE FINANCING OF PROJECT OF BUYING TROOP BUILDING

The support which already has been given to the committee of the board of trade appointed to arrange for the financing of the purchase of the Troop building for permanent offices for the board has been so generous that all doubts regarding the success of the project have been removed. In the short time devoted to the work of canvassing yesterday afternoon the amount subscribed was far larger than the committee had expected and in a short time they hope to be able to announce that the list has been completed and the full amount subscribed.

SITUATION IN CHINA

London, Dec. 29.—The Times' Tokyo correspondent says public opinion there is pessimistic over the prospect of a Chinese republic. It is believed he says, that it will take several months to organize the elections and in the meantime, there will be great difficulty in preserving peace and order.

PROPERTY PURCHASED Kimer A. Young of West St. John has purchased the contained building, West End, belonging to the estate of the late Barbara Thompson.

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Last Week... Of Furniture Sale. This Sale is Still Attracting Interested Buyers Each Day. The Entire Stock is Marked Down and Must be Reduced Before Jan. 1st. AMLAND BROS., LTD. 14 Waterloo Street.

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THANKS The year 1911 which is drawing to a close has been the most prosperous in our business career. We recognize that our rapid progress is entirely due to our numerous customers, who have favored us with their liberal patronage, we therefore wish to extend our sincere thanks for your past support, and trust that we will be favored with the same in the future. On our part we can assure you that we shall at all times endeavor to serve you with the strictest integrity, always from one end in view, and that is to give you entire satisfaction. We will have some great news to announce to you in the near future. Wishing you the compliments of the season, we remain, respectfully yours CHAS. MAGNUSSON & CO., COR. DOCK ST. AND MARKET SQUARE Saint John, N. B.

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