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**The Man In The Street**

Many are asking "What's the trouble with our taxation system?" The trouble is we really haven't any.

Stone crusher's crew to be laid off because of decreased estimates. Now someone will "holer" about steam-roller methods.

News note says "German helmet is particularly light." Made expressly for the German head, presumably.

No matter how many ships go down the censorship still floats.

It Might Help Some

One of the things the new chief of police might tell the men is as to the right of pedestrians in crossing the roadway or at street corners. At present the motorists and teamsters seem to think the humble being on foot hasn't any rights.

American steamer Dacia to sail with cotton cargo for Germany, might well be re-named "Au-dacious," but then again "Foolhardi" might sound well.

Man at Salmon River lost \$1,000 worth of logs by the breaking of a dam. The chances are he said much more than that however.

And all of us should have our fares read.

Fares Please!

After January 1st all cars on the main line will be run pay-as-you-enter system" was the announcement made. But after seeing the old type of cars, and the old system of collecting still in vogue on the main line in some cars, the feeling is that the announcement should have been withheld until April 1st.

Above all there should be enough cars at the rush hours, especially on a wet or stormy day.

St. John Dentists Association had big dinner this week. A fellow would have to have some "pull" to get a look-in.

Lent begins this year Feb. 17. Those who have tumbled from their platform of good New Year's resolutions, will have another chance to make some.

One of the reasons why the Germans are delighted with the success of their aerial raid is that they may think the English are now "looking up" to them.

Familiar Quotation: "Our coal-bin's low"

We've Some Short-measure estimates.

Though Ottawa despatch enquires if "St. John has any short-measure milk bottles." Don't say, but we've got a new engineer in the water service, and perhaps we'll find out a few things.

DEATH OF WILLIAM HALL.

The death of William Hall, aged 57 years, occurred this morning at 29 Whipple street, West St. John. Mr. Hall formerly resided in Sussex, and had many friends in Kings county as well as in St. John, who will learn with regret of his death. He is survived by his wife and three small children.

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Natural, 35c, 50c, 60c, \$1. per yd.  
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**PAY CHECKS FOR SOLDIERS HERE**

Money For Men Arrived From Ottawa Today

**TOMORROW'S PARADES**

The Recruiting For The Mounted Rifles—More Social Gatherings in Honor of Men Who Are Going Across Sea

If there has been any grumbling or discontent among the men of the 26th Battalion because of their pay allowances not being given regularly it should be ended at once for checks covering the payment of the money due the men reached the city today and Major Arnold, regimental paymaster, handed the company allowances to the respective paymasters. The matter of paying the men has been considerably held up because of the confusion arising from the elimination process and the general muster and this is considered to have been the cause of whatever slowness has been noticed.

While there has been no direct payment since November, Major Arnold said today that advances had been made to the men who are now "looking up" to the paymaster thought that after this payment matters would run more smoothly.

**Church Parades.**

Detachments of the 26th will parade to the Salvation Army headquarters, to Queen Square Methodist, St. Paul's, and the Cathedral tomorrow. The Army Service Corps, No. 5 Company, will cross the harbor tomorrow to St. John's (Stone) church for morning service.

**Recruits Offerings.**

Enough names have now been submitted to Major McLean to fill his quota for "B" Squadron of the 6th Mounted Rifles, but with the weeding out process, and the giving way to superior type of volunteers, there are many vacancies to be filled. No further appointments were heard of today.

The 26th Battalion had a march-out this morning along the Marsh road where field exercises were carried out. The unit returned about noon, and will probably spend the afternoon in the vicinity of the army.

**In Soldiers' Honor.**

At the home of W. H. Gambelin, Duke street, last evening, friends of Captain George Gambelin, of the Divisional Ammunition Column in training in Fredericton, assembled and spent a pleasant time. Best wishes for his success overseas were extended.

A jolly time was enjoyed last night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm W. Jones, 34 Melville street, at a gathering in honor of their son, Walter L., a popular member of No. 5, C. A. S. C. Included among the present were several of his associates in the service unit and in the 26th. Games, music and dancing were enjoyed. Plans no selection by Thos. Roberts, and readings by Roy Harding, Q. M. S. of No. 5 Company, added to the enjoyment. Refreshments were served.

Colonel J. A. Grant, divisional medical officer of headquarters, Halifax, left this morning for Fredericton where he will conduct an examination into the sanitary and medical properties of the militia in training there.

**FOR PROVISION OF SAFEGUARDS AT SOME LOCAL CROSSINGS**

T. P. Regan, president of the N. B. Automobile Association, has interested himself in provision of safeguards at the crossings over the C. P. R. between Fairville and Grand Bay. Complaint was made to the railway commission by F. L. Peters last summer as to danger at three of these crossings and the commission sent their inspector to St. John. In company with members of the automobile association he visited the crossings and photographed each one.

As a matter of form, before any order is made for protection the municipality in which the crossings are situated is asked for submission of the facts regarding the necessity and this commission recently came to the municipal council. At the meeting on Tuesday, however, the letter was tabled, thus disposing of the matter indefinitely. Lancaster councillors expressed doubt of the wisdom of making any protest for fear that the commissioner would order the municipality to bear part of the expense of the safeguards, and strongly against the advice of the county secretary, on motion of Coun. Potts, the communication was filed.

Mr. Regan said this morning that he had yet to learn why the councillors had taken this action. Protection of the crossings would have entailed no expense to the county as it was intended only there should be an automatic alarm with a bell to ring on approach of trains in the daytime and a light showing at night. He had interviewed several of the councillors and hoped to see the matter reviewed at the May meeting of the council.

**IT IS BEING DONE**

In a report of an interview with Colonel Grant, he is quoted as saying that "if the board of health informed the militia authorities of any cases of infection, there would be little need to fear an epidemic at the army." Dr. Melvin informs The Times that what Colonel Grant suggests is actually being done, and has been done for some time by the board of health. He suggested it some time ago, and the militia authorities are duly informed in every case.

**FOR THE ORPHANS**

The following subscriptions are thankfully acknowledged by the treasurer of the Protestant Orphans' Home—The Misses MacLaren (Liverpool, Eng.), \$10; Sir Frederick and Lady Barker, \$10.

**LOWER BARS TO HELP THIS MAN SAVE HIS SIGHT**

Turned Back at Border By Immigration Men

**APPEAL TO WASHINGTON**

Patterson Williston of Bay du Vin in St. John Last Week—Totally Blinded in Fearful Accident; Wonderful Operation May Give Him Some Vision

Totally blind for two years as the result of an accident and without a faint glimmer of hope for restoration of his sight, Patterson Williston of Bay Du Vin, was denied admittance to the United States by immigration officials on his way there for treatment and was obliged to return home with his friends sought to secure a reversal of the decision in his case by an appeal at Washington.

The story is a sad one, and with the generosity of his employers and Mr. Williston's own patience and fortitude the bright spots.

While foreman of a dynamiting crew of the Great Northern Pulp & Paper Company, in Maine, Mr. Williston was terribly injured by a premature blast of dynamite. One ear was severed, his nose broken and the sight of both eyes ruined. From the first, however, the company has borne the expenses of his treatment and when not in hospital a man has been detailed to do nothing else but wait on him. Through skilful grafting and other treatment his nose has been restored and he spent nine months in an ophthalmic hospital in Philadelphia. There a most wonderful operation was carried out.

Among the many patients treated at the hospital were seven people who for the first time had one of their eyes taken out with the sight not altogether impaired. With consummate skill and wonderful patience the doctors grafted from these seven eyes a portion of the seeing matter and placed in one of Mr. Williston's eyes. It was believed that while the sight could not be made perfect, in time, with this composite eye, the patient could discern light and be able to make his way about by seeing objects indistinctly. A perfect rest of some months necessary in which an outer growth covered the grafted material and the company sent Mr. Williston to his native home at Bay Du Vin in charge of an attendant.

The time has now arrived when the growth should be removed and the success of the operation tested, and last week Mr. Williston came to St. John in care of the attendant. When they left on the Boston train, however, they were turned back by the immigration authorities on the ground that Mr. Williston was an undesirable citizen.

There was nothing to do but to return to Bay Du Vin, pending an appeal to Washington and his friends hoped by entering into bonds to secure the blind man's entrance to the United States and thus make possible the test of the intricate operation performed.

**TWO MORE STEAMERS LOST**

Survivors of Britisher Do Not Think Submarine Sank Hydro

London, Jan. 23.—Two survivors of a crew of twenty men of the steamer Hydro, which sank off the Donegal coast near the Giants Causeway, yesterday are not inclined to believe the reports that the steamer was sent to the bottom by a submarine.

They say that shifting cargo was probably responsible for the loss of the vessel. The remainder of the crew were rescued in an open boat.

Despatches from Stornoway, Scotland, state that the Norwegian steamer Florida, has been lost with a crew of ten off Lewis Island.

Because of the sinking of the British steamer Durward by a submarine, two British merchantmen which were about to leave the Hook of Holland have been detained there. One of these has 450 refugees aboard for England.

**THE SCHOOL ESTIMATES**

Dingy school rooms will be one result of the reduction of the estimates according to a member of the board of school trustees, if the school board complies with the request of the city council and cuts the school board estimates by \$10,000.

"There is an item of \$9,000 for repairs which will be eliminated if any cut is made, I presume," he said "but this means the usual cleaning and repairs, including even whitewashing. It will be impossible to reduce salaries and I do not know where we can save the other \$1,000."

**LIKELY TAKE THAW TO NEW YORK TONIGHT**

Concord, N. H., Jan. 23.—Harry K. Jones, last legal resource to prevent extradition to New York exhausted, the slayer of Stanford White is expected to be taken to New York city tonight. Mr. Jerome yesterday obtained a New York bench warrant for Thaw's arrest.

**MARRIAGES AND BIRTHS**

Twelve marriages were recorded this week at the office of J. B. Jones, registrar of vital statistics, and twenty births, fourteen boys and six girls.

A telegram received this week by Thomas Kieckham of this city from his brother, Joseph, announced the death of Mrs. Joseph Kieckham of Roxbury, Mass. Mrs. Kieckham was formerly Miss Sullivan of Charlottetown. Mr. Kieckham is a resident of Roxbury, Mass., and secretary of the Canadian Club of that place.

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**\$25.00 Custom-made Suits**  
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Good chance to prove us as tailors if you're dissatisfied with the one you have now, or if you wish to wear made-for-you clothes instead of the ready-to-wear sort. No risk to you—Same broad Oak Hall guarantee takes care of you.

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**JANUARY FURNITURE SALE**

SOME OF THE BARGAINS WE ARE OFFERING IN DINING-ROOM FURNITURE

	Reg. Price	Sale Price
Solid Quartered Oak, Square Extension Table, 8 ft., golden finish	\$23.00	\$16.00
Solid Oak, Round Extension Table, Early Eng. finish	\$21.00	\$14.00
Elm Extension Table, Square, 6 ft. fumed finish	\$10.50	\$7.00
Surface Oak Extension Table, Square, 6 ft., six legs	\$9.00	\$7.00
Quartered Oak Buffet, Early English	\$34.00	\$22.00
Quartered Oak Buffet, Golden	\$65.00	\$45.00
Quartered Oak Buffet, Golden	\$43.00	\$34.00
Quartered Oak Buffet, Golden	\$45.00	\$36.00
Quartered Oak China Cabinet, Golden	\$40.00	\$30.00

There are several sets of Dining Chairs to match above, some of them only part sets which have been reduced to below cost.

**A. Ernest Everett, 91 Charlotte St.**

**Ladies' Muskrat Coats**

We have a few Muskrat Coats for Ladies, in the smaller sizes, which we are offering at small prices

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34 Bust, 50 inches long—Was 100.00	Now 75.00
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