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Makes Big Request.

rmstrong has made application city for exclusive rights of fish the harbor for gaspereaux and ish. It is notslikely his applica-ill be granted.

Prevents Fight.

Patrolmian Frank O'Leary reports that he was called into J. Pitkavitch's store on Brussels street early yester-day afternoon to prevent a breach of the peace, while J. H. Little was re-moving a typewriter.

Dispenses Crowd,

Police Officer O'Neill was called to the corner of Haymarket Square and Brussels street, between seven and eight o'clock, last evening, to disperse a crowd of young hooligans who were making a nuisance of themselves.

Coal Company Officials Here.

Coal Company Official Fierd. Alexander Dick and A. MacKenzle of the Dominion Coal Company arriv-ed in the city yesterday, but did not see the city commissioners. They came here in reference to the coal pocket on the West Side. They spent the afternoon conferring with local officials of the company and will prob-ably have an interview with the city commissioners today in regard to ar-rangements for a site for the coal poc-ket.

Preparing Estimates.

Preparing Estimates. The city commissioners are busy mapping out the work for next year, and preparing the estimates. Nearly every department has plans which if carried out will call for a considerable increase in the appropriations. It is expected that when the estimates are presented there will be some prun-ing, as the School Board wants a large increase in the assessment to pay better salarles to teachers and introduce music and other things in the schools, and its demands cannot be well denied.



SEWERAGE WORK BIG BRIDGE WILL CONTINUE SUCCESS

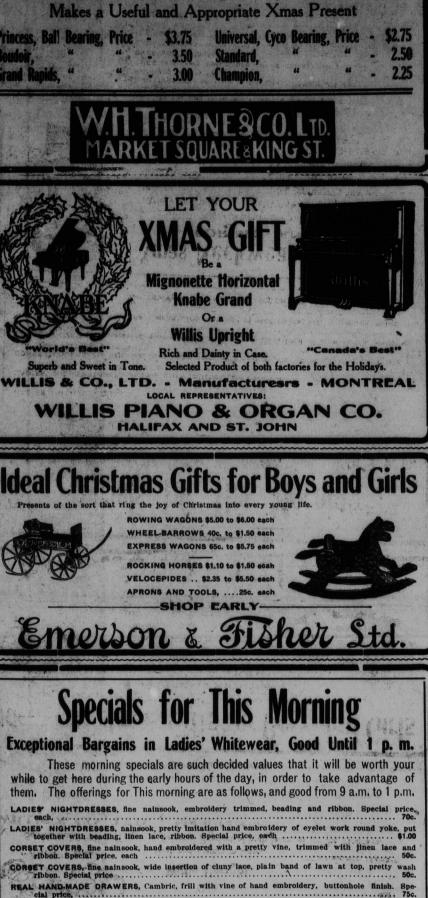
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and Labor Council and men's Union, which will give expres-ion to the views of local labor in 1 gard to a number of matters of terest. One of the matters which y be brought to the attention of minister is the difficulty between Allan line and the 'Longshorem' Union regarding the employment non-union men. The Trades and Labor Council b Union programme which they they programme which they

The Trades and Labor Council a long programme which they discuss with the minister. They ask the minister to enforce the wage calues on the contract for West Side wharves, and will con that when the government em-posted up a copy of the fair clause as applied to the whard tract the contractor came along tore it down. The action of the minister in viding that employment bu whold the subject to supervisit the labor department will be di ed, and the minister will be dr giake styps to enforce the regul



to the Dominion Government - Instructive Addresses on Labor,



idertaken by bureaus under the ol of the provincial governme blicy which it is said has given suits in Quebec.

A Merchant, in Interview, **Gives Facts Concerning** the Eleventh Hour Rush of Shoppers.

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The crusade for early Christmas shopping which has taken a deep root to some of the larger cities has evi-deally not yet made itself feit in the city of Si. John. At least that is the opinion of the merchants in general who have not yet met the steady wash of the Christmas purchasers.

Rev. James Ross, Rev. D. W. H. Smith, Rev. Frank Bäird and Judge Forbes left Monday evening for To-onto where they will attend a meet-ng of the Church Union Committee of

sbyterian Church of Ca eting is to open this after An Enjoyable Lecture.

opinion of the merchants in general who have not yet met the steady read of the Christmas purchasers. "The idea is one which cannot re-ceive too much worthy commenda-tion, and I believe the citizens of Si. John ought to take hold of the matter as carnestly as has been done in other cities," soid a prominent merchant of the city yesterday. "In this city," he said, "the sole aim of the people seems to be to stay off their buying until the last few days, and then they are surprised when they cannot be suited to their exact taste. Of course there are some who are doing their buying now, hut thes are far in the minority, and the greater portion of the people are holding off until the last few days. "In this respect the citizens here are the oddest people going. They will will the last minute and ex-sect to get suited, while if the shop yould be softe with much greater i antisfaction to ourselves and to our untonners. A movement for early Christmas shopping would, I think, be i very profitable step in the city of it, John, and would reap untoid beas. "The merchant remarked that busi-Coat cloths at very attractive prices at F. A. Dykeman & Co's. Pure wool to blanket cloths in all the leading coi-ors, ninety-five cents a yard. Dark gray in poloth, worth \$2, sale price \$1. Wide wale cloakings, worth \$2, sale price \$1.49. Kersey curl cloth \$2 a yard. Persiakama \$2.85, \$3.15 and \$3.75. This cloth looks like Persian lamb. It is made from pure mohair and very glos-sy. Corduroy velvets fifty-eight and sixty cents a yard. An Enjoyane "was in "Robert Louis Stevenson" was in bject of an interesting lecture ev, J. J. McCaskill in the Sun chool room of the Queen Squ "bedier church, last evening, w thist church, last evening, w turer discussed the life of lown writer, his works and nt character studies which to . The lecture was well atte thoroughly enjoyed by all.

tor early by profitable step in the city of an and would reap untold bene r all concerned." merchant remarked that busi-his year would, at least, be up usual mark, but this putting Christmas shopping was be worse each year in this city, a startied in other cities, he was almost necessary.

Beaconsfield Smoker The smoker to be held on Thurs-day evening of this week by the Bea-consfield Conservatives will be ad-dressed by J. B. M. Baxter, M. L. A., H. W. Woods, M. L. A., C. B. Lockhart,

A. L. A., Warden Thomas B. Curran A. L. A., and John A. Barry.

Red Cross Line

Let Consumers' Coal Co. puse. They sell good coal-

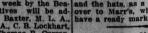
As W. Evans Derby, secretary of the Peace Society of Great Britain, is to sail on the Tunisian early this ev-ening, the Canadian Club luncheon that he is to address today will be held at one o'clock instead of a quart-ar past mix, at Bond's.

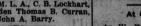
At One O'clock Today

a specially desirable line of ultra-mod-sin velour hats, which come in all the most popular colorings. These would sell ordinarily at from \$10 to \$12, but are priced, during the sale, at only \$2 each. Other extra special values include a limited number of smartly modelled black beavers, worth regu-slarly, from \$4 to \$5, but which will be sold, while they last, at \$2 each. Near velours, in newset colorings and mod-d els, worth from \$2.50 to \$3, are going ramitly at fifty cents each. The Marr people announce that the business slump referred to was in Van-couver, from whence importers had re-ceived instructions to cancel ordiers, and the hats, as a result were turned over to Marr's, who were known to have a ready market for the goods.

All day yesterday Matris Dig and showrooms were crowded eager bargain hunters and the staff was kept busy from shorth er breakfast right up to closing The feature attraction for tod a specially desirable line of ultra-ish velour hats, which come in a most mouther coloring. These y

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Xmas Neckwear and Gloves FOR MEN AND BOYS Christmas neckwear is now ready, and for immense

variety and pleasing novelty has never been surpassed in this department. This exhibit represents the most recent style creations and offering many exclusive effects. Ties in the correct full shapes to suit the new wide-space collars. We are especially featuring the slip-easy bands and slip-scarf bands on a great many ties, which we should like to explain the advantage of.

WHITEWEAR DEPARTMENT-SECOND FLOOR

MEN'S AND BOYS' FURNISHINGS DEPT.

Manchester Robertson Allison, Limited

PRINCE WILLIAM HOTEL.

S. S. Clothilde Cunco, Captain Tit-iand, sailed from New York at ten yclock yesterday morning for St. fohn. She will load at the Pettingell wharf.