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FOR SALE—That desirable situated two story and basement brick dwelling and free hold lot, known as the Sweden property, No. 10 Orange street, this city, and adjoining the residence of the subscriber. Can be inspected at any time. For further particulars apply to W. B. FISHER, 71 Prince William street.

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FOR SALE—A Metal Furnace, capacity about 100 pounds. Lath Machine attached, with smoke and venting pipes complete. Apply Sun Printing Company, St. John.

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LOST.—Between King and Charlotte streets to the Opera House, a purse containing five dollars. Finder will please return to office of the Victoria Hotel.

C. P. R. COLLISION.  
A collision occurred on the C. P. R. yesterday afternoon, about twenty-eight miles this side of Eroyville.

The Montreal express, east-bound, collided with the extra freight, No. 966, which it should have crossed at Woodard, some hundred miles back. When the danger was seen brakes were immediately applied. The express was brought to a standstill, but the freight train, which was on a down grade and on slippery rails, could not be stopped in time, and ran into the express. The engine of the express and one or two cars on each train were somewhat damaged.

The express arrived in St. John six hours and fifty minutes late.

MEBERSCHAUM PIPES in cases, 96c. at Louis Green's.

NEW OFFICIAL FOR DOM. COAL CO  
MONTREAL, Dec. 10.—F. L. Wanklyn, general manager of the Montreal street railway, has resigned to become vice-president of the Dominion Coal Company.

BRIAR PIPES in cases, three inch amber mouth pieces, 96c., at Louis Green's.

MARRIAGES.  
POWERS-WILSON.—In Zion Methodist church, St. John, on Dec. 3th, by the Rev. Dr. Wilson, the father of the bride, assisted by the Revs. C. W. Hamilton and W. J. Kirby, Arthur C. Powers, assistant city inspector of the Atlantic division of the C. P. Railway, to Elizabethne Roberts Wilson, youngest daughter of the Rev. Dr. Wilson.

DAIRD-Galbraith.—In this city, by the Rev. Howard Sprague, Robert John Baird and Jennie Galbraith, both of Lorneville, St. John Co., N. B.

DEATHS.  
WEATHERALL.—In this city, at 18 Chapel street, north end, on Wednesday, Dec. 9th, Alexander Weatherall, aged 77 years.

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POLITICS AND STATESMANSHIP.

An incident which occurred during the recent session of parliament brings out in a fine light the character of the man whom the liberal-conservatives have chosen to lead their party.

When Mr. Chamberlain declared his preferential tariff scheme, resigning his high office that he might be free to preach the gospel which he believed would save England and the empire, Mr. Borden went to Sir Wilfrid Laurier privately and pledged him the unqualified support of the opposition if he or any other follower of the government would introduce a resolution approving Mr. Chamberlain's idea.

The premier gave no promise either way and as time went on and no word went from Canada to the man who was fighting for the unity of the empire, Mr. Borden was urged by some of his friends to submit a resolution of that kind on behalf of the opposition.

The advice was tempting. The leader of the opposition believed that the great majority of Canadians were in sympathy with the imperial idea. He knew that fear of estranging the anti-imperial wing of his party would compel Sir Wilfrid to call upon his adherents to defeat such a resolution. He saw that the forcing of the government to declare against this imperialism—which the opposition unanimously and enthusiastically endorsed and which was sure of the approval of practically all English speaking and not a few French-Canadians, would be a splendid move, from a stand point of political strategy. But he held his hand.

Questioned, criticised by some of his own party for neglect to seize so obvious a party advantage, Mr. Borden declared that he would not consent to an action, which while it might be a good thing from a party point of view, might injure Mr. Chamberlain in his work.

Mr. Chamberlain had stated in many of his speeches that the colonies were in favor of his scheme, and if the parliament of the greatest colony should place itself on record as opposed to it, the blow to his course would be great. Mr. Borden believed that the interests involved in the success of preferential trade far transcended those of party.

The average politician will either disbelieve or condemn Mr. Borden as a quixotic fool. But those who have it in them to appreciate honor and statesmanship will be glad that at least one great political party in Canada is in the hands of a man like that.

RUSSIA'S DANGER.

Whispers come from Russia that the real reason for that country's unwillingness to pick up the Jap's gauntlet, is the fear of the government of a revolutionary outbreak at home where popular discontent was never more rife.

An eminent writer not long ago said that the only thing which saves Russia is the lack of a penny postage, which is a truth very patly put. No country in the world is so torn with inward trouble as Russia, where the bruising of iron despotism has generated the fearful sores of nihilism and anarchy and the thousand and one lesions that disfigure the body politic of that nation. But the strength of the government has so far been sufficient to keep the disease scattered. The various microbes of revolution spread all over the empire have no means of communication with each other, no way to attain that organization, that concentration of their energies without which no permanent effects can be produced.

But that will not be always possible and when the day comes when the myriad elements in Russia which war against the state, can unite their forces and concentrate their strength for one great effort, that day will see the death of Russian autocracy in agony, beside which the horrors of the French Revolution will be forgotten.

THE PEOPLE WANT TO KNOW.

At Monday's council Deputy Mayor McGoldrick officially announced that an agreement was about to be made with the C. P. R. by which the city would acquire much needed additional wharf facilities without cost to the citizens. It is understood that the committee which interviewed Sir Thomas Shaughnessy at Montreal with reference to these matters is still considering the proposed agreement.

What does that agreement contain? Are there differences between the contracting parties which are likely to be harmonised or is the delay wholly due to the necessity of getting the government to do the dredging? Will the agreement, when completed, be submitted to the public before its adoption, for a length of time sufficient for reasonable discussion? Is the committee consulting with representatives of business interests in the city, or spider-like,

evolving the agreement from his own inner consciousness? These are questions which citizens are beginning to ask. They do not forget the agreement of 1893, the interpretation of which has changed with every variation of C. P. R. policy, or the agreement of 1897, which has not proved entirely satisfactory. They would naturally like to know what our civic representatives are at now. Will the council explain?

The Globe says that Mr. Borden's coming has not left a ripple on the water. That is what Mr. Blair said about the revolt of Senator Ellis, and about the going of Mr. Tarte. It is what the ministers have said about the withdrawal of Mr. Blair, and is probably what the country will say when the Laurier government goes down.—Sun.

A significant incident during Mr. Borden's visit occurred as the torch-light parade, which was accompanying the opposition leader home, passed along Charlotte street. A well known liberal, standing on the sidewalk, cried, sneeringly, to one in the procession, "What's all this fuss about?"

"Government's funeral" was the prompt and cheerful response.

A new substance has been discovered, called Actinium, which is listed at the modest price of \$100,000,000 a pound. For your pocket-book's sake don't let your best girl hear about it before Christmas.

THE SOUL'S BATH.  
At even when the roseate deeps  
Of daylight dip from Heaven's bars,  
The soul her earthly garment slips,  
And naked stands beneath the stars.  
And there into the river vast,  
That mighty tide of might, whose  
girl  
With splendid planets brimming past,  
Doth wash the ancient rim of earth.

She comes and plunges in and laves  
Her weariness in that vast tide—  
That life-renewing deep, whose waves  
Are wide as night is wide.

Then from the pure translucent flow  
Of that unblinded, invigorated sea;  
God-like in truth's white spirit glow  
She rises unshaken, whose waves  
W. WILFRED CAMPBELL.

CHOICE HAVANA CIGARS 75c. A BOX at Louis Green's.

IN THE PATH OF THE STORM.

The high wind played many a prank yesterday, some of an amusing and others of a serious character. The delivery team of Armstrong Bros., driven by Jas. Tutter, while passing along Prince William street towards King street, owing to the height of its covered sides was blown over just before reaching the custom house, breaking the shaft, but no other damage was done.

About 12.30 the chimney on the McMillan building fell, and, as it descended, the roof, creating a small pane and letting the water in.

The str. Springfield was considerably damaged in the gale yesterday. She was moored at Jordan's wharf alongside the str. Crystal Stream. The Springfield's moorings went wrong, and a tug that was on the other side drove her against the Crystal Stream. The guard of the Crystal Stream broke higher than that of the Springfield smashed in the side of the latter. It will take two or three carpenters a couple of days to make repairs.

Several fences at Fort Howe, were blown down. Douglas avenue was littered with fragments from the trees. One of the L. C. R. gates was broken.

The chimney of C. K. Cameron's house, King street, was blown down between one and two o'clock. Some bricks crashed through the roof, knocking down plaster off the ceiling. Mrs. Cameron was hit on the head by a piece of plaster, but was only slightly injured.

Two plate glass windows in the Bell property, Union street, were blown in. A fence owned by Mrs. Jones, Edmouth street, was blown down; another on Waterloo street, owned by E. Fraser, crashed to the sidewalk.

Morris Robinson's residence, Queen square, was also a victim of the gale.

A number of slates were blown off the roof of the German street Baptist church.

The chimney of J. V. V. Lawlor's house, Lancaster Heights, was blown over, and the cornice damaged. A drain pipe was blown off the city building and narrowly escaped striking a pedestrian.

A GOOD COMPANY'S SUCCESS.

Unfavorable weather is not enough to prevent persons who wish to spend an enjoyable evening from going to see the Harkins Company. There was a good audience last night at the presentation of The Strange Adventures of Miss Brown, one of the best comedies seen here for a long time. As a comedian Mr. Galbraith, who took the part of Miss Brown, showed much ability and kept things moving all through the piece. He was given able support by the other members of the company. This evening being society night, quite a number of theatre parties have been arranged. The bill will be Lord and Lady Aigy, and tomorrow at the matinee, When We Were Twenty-One will be the play.

LOCAL NEWS.

A Woodstock despatch to the Sun last evening said: Archdeacon Neales, who was seriously ill, is now getting along nicely, and his doctor hopes he will be on his feet again in a short time.

The members of No. 4 hose company held a meeting on Saturday evening at 7.30 o'clock in their rooms for the purpose of transacting some important business. A full attendance is requested.

The first of a series of public lectures to be held during the winter under the auspices of the Father Mathew Association will be given on Sunday evening in St. Malachi's Hall. The speaker will be Hon. R. J. Ritchie and the subject Societies, Past and Present.

The civic committee on the proposed additional harbor improvements had a long meeting at the city hall yesterday afternoon. The recorder was present and the committee considered with him the agreement to be entered into in order to secure the four berths.

Mr. Charles F. L. Macintosh of Rossland, B. C., arrived in St. John from Quebec on Wednesday to attend the wedding on the 10th inst. of Miss Edythe White, daughter of Colonel White, D. O. C. Mrs. Macintosh is the guest of Miss Grace Skinner, Crown street.

The matter of the expropriation of land from James Peacock for an addition to Rockwood Park, was continued last night, when the evidence was concluded by the examination of F. W. Holt, C. E. Argument of counsel is yet to be heard. J. D. Hazen, K. C., appeared for the Horticultural Association; Dr. A. A. Stockton, K. C., for Mr. Peacock.

The Baptist Women's Missionary study class met last evening at Miss Flagg's, Leinster street. Mrs. Gellin, gave the lesson to a large gathering and Miss Bella Wetmore read a paper on the Women of China. Mrs. Kierstead also gave some of her experiences in China. The social side of the meeting consisted in the main of a duet by Mrs. Dick and Mrs. Jones and a quartette by Mrs. Heustis, Mrs. Jones, Mrs. Halsey and Mrs. Dick. The meeting was a most enjoyable one of the fortnightly series.

SUDDEN DEATH OF STEPHEN B. APPELBY.

WOODSTOCK, N. B., Dec. 10.—The community was greatly shocked this morning on learning of the sudden death of Stephen B. Appelby, K. C. It was hardly known that he was ill. He had been around town as usual yesterday, and last evening attended prayer meeting at St. Paul's Presbyterian church. He had an attack of indigestion during the night, but not serious enough to lead the family to call in a physician. This morning he was about the house, laid down to take a rest and a few moments afterwards passed away without a struggle.

Mr. Appelby was 67 years old. He was born at Florenceville, the son of Charles S. Appelby, a member of the Dominion parliament and of the local legislature, and had he lived a few days longer it is believed he would have been a county court judge. It seems generally to have been admitted that his appointment was only a question of time. Everyone here was hoping and looking for his elevation to the bench. Mrs. Appelby and four children, a son, Charles, editor of the Dispatch, Mrs. Wilmet Watson, Miss Kate, Miss Helen and Miss Ruth survive.

The funeral will take place on Saturday morning. Services will be held in the house at 10.30. Then the remains will be taken by train to Florenceville, where they will be interred in the family burying lot.

CARTWRIGHT'S SPEECH.

TORONTO, Dec. 10.—The feature of Sir Richard Cartwright's speech under the auspices of the Toronto Reform Association tonight was his strong advocacy of Anglo-Saxon alliance, to be brought about by a British solivener whereby a tax would be levied upon American food exports, the product of American farms. He attempted to justify the increased expenditure of the government by a survey of the results.

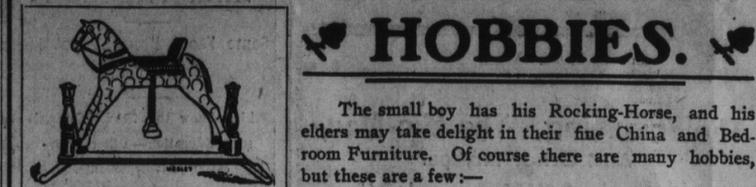
KINGS COLLEGE.

HALIFAX, Dec. 10.—The governors of Kings College, Windsor, today appointed W. J. Goodrich to the presidency of the college. He is a lawyer, aged 38 years, and was educated at Balliol College of Oxford, where he took M. A. Most of his time since has been spent in educational work in India. He had to leave that on account of the climate. Goodrich is expected to arrive at Easter.

OTTAWA, Ont., Dec. 10.—Negotiations are still in progress between the government and the Grand Trunk Pacific promoters with reference to a five million dollar deposit. The securities to be accepted do not come within the provisions of the act and parliamentary ratification of them will be necessary next session.

Ottawa city council tonight by a vote of 12 to 7 decided to submit to property owners a by-law for \$50,000 to aid the building of the Catholic university. Opposition came from Protestant members of the council who objected to civic aid to a denominational institution.

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HOBBIES.  
The small boy has his Rocking-Horse, and his elders may take delight in their fine China and Bedroom Furniture. Of course there are many hobbies, but these are a few:—  
Rocking-Horses. The above illustration shows this swing horse. It comes in five sizes, at \$5.00, 6.50, 8.00, 9.50 and 11.00.  
China Closets. The illustration below shows one at \$12.50, 69 in. high, in golden quartered oak, bent glass door.  
Bureaus and Commodes. The illustration below shows a set at \$35.00 in quartered golden oak finish.

Just Opened!  
Another shipment of holiday goods were opened yesterday, and they include plaster busts of great musical and literary composers, bronze statues, hanging heads for dens, burnt work goods, etc. Now on sale.  
French Flannels. Big sale in blues, pinks, greens, old rose, etc. Reduced to 25c. and 50c. Ground floor main building.  
Fine Furs. Mink mufflers and ties, also mitts and ties in red, grey, white and sable fox, black marten. Silk room.  
Pretty Sateens. In blues, pinks, yellows, greens, creams, white and black. For Christmas fancy work. 10c. to 50c.  
For the Men!  
Shaker flannel nightshirts from 65c. to \$1.25; pyjamas, from \$1.50 to 7.75; umbrellas, from \$1.00 to 12.00; mufflers, from 75c. to \$3.00.  
In the Men's Outfitting department. Everything suitable for holiday gifts for men in our line of business can be found.

Everything will be in readiness Saturday morning for the rush of Holiday shoppers. Additions have been made to the big stock of Christmas Goods, and all wants will be met.

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RIBBONS OF ALL KINDS—A great reduction sale of Christmas Ribbons, the kind that wears and looks well, they must be sold at almost half price.  
MEN'S HOME MADE WOOL SOCKS—Twenty-five dozen Men's Home Knit Socks at 50c. for two pairs. Get your feet into a pair of these, they will feel comfortable.  
MEN'S SHIRTS AND DRAWERS—You'll have to get here early to share in this lot of Men's All Wool Shirts and Drawers at 90c. per suit. Only Ten Dozen to sell.  
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All Goods in Our New Show Room,  
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all Throat and Lung Troubles.  
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Price 25c. at all Dealers.  
QUICKER AND MOST EFFECTIVE.  
I have used Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup in my family for the last six years, and have found it the quickest and most effective remedy for all kinds of coughs and colds I have ever used. My little boy had a severe attack of bronchitis, but he has used half a bottle of the Syrup he was completely cured. I cannot praise it enough.  
Wm. W. G. Frawley, Arthur, Ont.