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A WORD WITH MR. MURRAY.

The Hon. James A. Murray, if he is the leader of the provincial opposition, should discipline his followers. A more puerile proceeding than the attempt to get a snap vote on the Baxter amendment to the address, and then to make it appear that the government opposed to it, would be difficult to conceive.

GIVE US LEADERSHIP.

Speculation in food products should be prohibited. Just as speculation in wheat in Chicago was stopped, the price of flour dropped. What further evidence is needed of the insane folly of permitting speculation to adopt legislation to stop speculation in food and food products, and to regulate distribution and supply.

THE RETURNED SOLDIERS

A deliberate attempt is being made by members of the provincial opposition party to exploit the returned soldier for their own political benefit. It appears from a letter from Sergt. Puddy in this morning's Standard that they have succeeded in deceiving him, for the time at least.

the returned soldiers for purely selfish purposes. This is exactly what the opposition are doing, and it is very surprising that Sergt. Puddy or any other veteran is for one moment deceived. Mr. Baxter's amendment to the address was a trick of so transparent a nature that nobody at all familiar with the artful ways of politicians could possibly be deceived by it.

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There appears to be, in some remarks made by Sir Robert Borden in parliament, a suggestion that he may endeavor by brute force to extend the life of parliament, and to so manipulate the franchise before the elections are held that the Conservatives would have the advantage.

Shipping losses due to submarines last week were less than half those of the previous week.

Allied gains are reported on the Macedonian and Italian fronts.

A few ill-advised political hot-heads can easily put the European War Veterans' Association in a wrong light before the public, which would be a matter of universal regret.

A flotilla of American destroyers has arrived in English waters, in command of Rear Admiral Sims.

The situation in Russia is a little brighter today.

MISERABLE FROM STOMACH TROUBLE

Felt Wretched Until He Started To Take "Fruit-a-tives"

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NOW OR NEVER.

Listen, young heroes, your country is calling! Time strikes the hour for the brave and the true: Now, while the foremost are fighting and falling, Fill up the ranks that have opened for you!

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SHIPBUILDING COMMITTEE.

The members of the provincial committee which will meet the government at Fredericton today with respect to the encouragement of shipbuilding in the province have been announced. The committee is as follows: G. W. Gossling, Stephen J. D. Irvine, Baedeker, Donald Fraser, Plaster Rock, W. B. Snowball, Chatham; J. S. Neil, Fredericton; Rev. A. J. O'Neill, Mr. and Mrs. Campbell will reside at Little River.

NOTABLE CAREER OF JOS. H. CHOATE

Joseph Hodges Choate, former ambassador to Great Britain and lawyer of international fame, who died this week aged 85 years, came from an old New England family, noted for strength of character and mental vigor.

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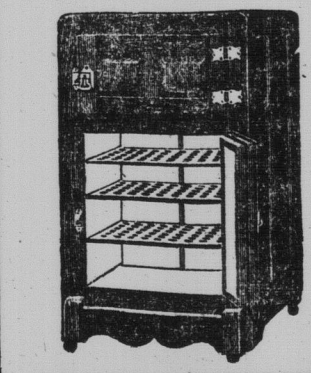
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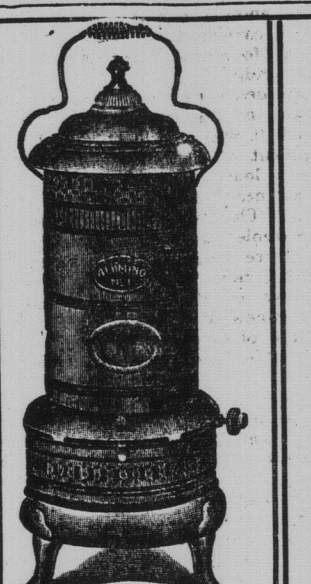
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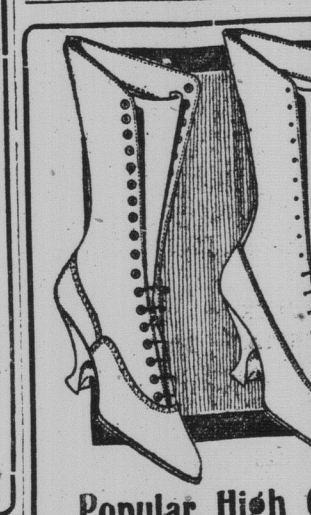
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Choate. He was graduated from Harvard in 1882, a college mate of Phillips Brooks. He established himself in New York in 1886 soon after finishing his law studies and as a member of the firm of Everts, Southam and Choate he rose to leadership of the New York bar.



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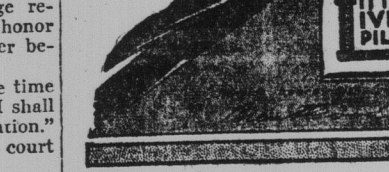
typical flash of his wit is that with which he answered a dinner partner, who asked who he would choose to be if he were not Joseph H. Choate. "Mrs. Choate's second husband," was the instantaneous reply.

Mr. Choate was Caroline D. Sterling of Cleveland, O., whom he married in 1861, and by whom he had five children.

Last evening by the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Newfoundland Society in the Orange Hall, Germain street, with H. Milley in the chair. Those taking part in the programme were: Ethel Miller, Gertrude Sparks, Bertha Perkins, Miss Knox, Marion Lane, Miss Spencer, Florrie Boone and Stella Fox.

George Eccles died at his home in Westfield on Tuesday evening after a short illness with pneumonia. He was fifty-six years of age and leaves a wife, two sons, four daughters and one brother.

Fred T. Lister has been appointed collector of customs for the port of McAdam in succession to the late J. Wesley Hoyt. The salary is \$1,600.



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