

# The Evening Times Star

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## STIRRING TODAY IN WALL STREET

Nothing Like War Time Period—Some Big Gains and Heavy Slumps.

New York, Jan. 20.—(10.30 a. m.)—Gulf States Steel resumed its sensational advance at the opening of today's stock market. The first transaction showed a three point rise to 85, duplicating yesterday's maximum price. After reaching one point the stock rallied to 87, a new high record. Republic, which is prominently mentioned in connection with one or more proposed mergers of independent steel companies, suddenly shot forward on a succession of dealings to 41, a gain of 10-64 points. Within the first fifteen minutes, Republic, Midvale, Vanadium, Republic and Colorado Fuel registered gains of 11-2 and 8 points. Other stocks, including prominent rails, and specialties were irregular.

New York, Jan. 20.—(Noon).—Approximately 600,000 shares changed hands during the morning, and the character of the dealings was reminiscent of the exciting war period. Gulf States rose to 90, but broke exactly twenty cents on denial that Ford interests were being controlled. Republic reacted seven points to 84, wiping out the greater part of its gain, and related shares eased one to four points. Sugars, shippings and textiles were among the few other issues to display more than ordinary strength. Gulf States rebounded to 78½ before noon, other stocks rallying to five points. Call money opened at five per cent.

## C. B. MINES AND MANY MEN IDLE

Sydney, N. S., Jan. 20.—Three Cape Breton mines and 1,500 miners are idle today following recent spasmodic strikes. Dominion No. 1 and 2 mines at Glace Bay are tied up by strike trouble. No. 9 at Glace Bay has voted to return to work, but is idle through lack of coal in the demand for coal.

Glace Bay, N. S., Jan. 20.—At a meeting of the Cape Breton Coal Association, the association adopted a resolution that Glace Bay to provide relief from the civic treasury, and stating that the association referred this to getting credit at the Dominion Coal Company's store. No. 24 colliery has been idle for some time.

Halifax, N. S., Jan. 20.—Delegations, including prominent citizens of Glace Bay and New Waterford, Cape Breton, have interviewed the provincial government, representatives of coal mine operators and miners now in Halifax in an effort to bring about action which will alleviate conditions at Glace Bay and New Waterford resulting from idleness in the mines.

## Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths, 50 cents.

### BIRTHS

TEAHAN—At 484 Main street, on January 18, 1922, to Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Teahan, a son.

CALLAN—At the Evangeline Maternity Hospital, on Jan. 18th, 1922, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Callan (nee Kelly)—a son.

SWINEY—At the St. John Infirmary on Jan. 18, to Mrs. Urban J. Swiney—a son.

### DEATHS

SKILTON—At Horell, Surrey, England, Jan. 19th inst., in her 89th year, Matilda Lanning Skilton, daughter of the late Major General Skilton, C. B., and mother of A. C. Skilton.

LITTLEJOHN—In this city, on 19th inst., Sheila, second daughter of Gertrude and the late Daniel E. Littlejohn, aged seventeen years, leaving her mother, one sister and three brothers to mourn.

Funeral from her late residence, 199 Sydney street, Saturday morning, 8.45, to St. John the Baptist church for requiem mass. Friends invited.

CAMPBELL—At his late residence, 301 Union street, on January 19, 1922, after a lingering illness, Thomas Campbell, in his 67th year.

Notice of funeral later.

### IN MEMORIAM

BANNISTER—In loving memory of our darling baby, John Vernon Bannister, who departed this life January 30, 1921.

Gone, but not forgotten.

PARENTS, AUNT AND UNCLE.

CATHERWOOD—In loving memory of William R. Catherwood, who passed away Jan. 20, 1919.

WIFE AND DAUGHTERS.

BLAIR—In loving memory of Sept. Kenneth Blair, who died January 20, 1916, from pneumonia, following gas poisoning received at Ypres. It was while still on furlough he contracted pneumonia.

WAYNE—In loving memory of our dear mother, Mrs. J. Wayne, who departed this life January 20th, 1921.

Year has gone and still we miss thee, as we always, always will.

And our love for you is greater than ever, as your place can never be filled.

HUSBAND AND DAUGHTERS, EDNA AND EDNA.

## GOOD THINGS COMING TO THE THEATRES OF ST. JOHN

### "RIP VAN WINKLE" ON AT IMPERIAL

Wonderful Attraction Following the Big Skating Meet.

"Rip Van Winkle," which has been announced as the feature attraction at the Imperial Theatre during the week end, has been called one of the season's greatest pictures.

It is a faithful reproduction of "Joe" Jefferson's world-known stage version of Washington Irving's immortal story and "Joe's" own flesh and blood—his son Thomas Jefferson, plays the title role so perfectly as to add new lustre to the family picture.

Director Ward Lascelle has been responsible for many highly successful productions in the past, but never, it is said, has he succeeded in creating a picture wherein drama, comedy, suspense, and human interest are so perfectly combined as in this newest super-picture.

The cast of "Rip Van Winkle" includes—besides Thomas Jefferson—Mills Davenport, Max Asher, Francis Carpenter, Gertrude Mesinger, Daisy Robinson, Pietro Sasso and many other popular players. It will be shown tonight and Saturday along with the Indian serial "Winners of the West."

## OUR MUTUAL FRIEND A Perfect Movie Made from One of Greatest Classics.

What do the American people like best and want most in their motion picture and theatrical entertainment? One rarely knows the answer to this question until vast expenditures have been made in productions. The theme in all of its branches stresses the element of chance in attaining public appeal.

There has just been produced and made ready for local presentation, a motion picture version of Charles Dickens' "Our Mutual Friend," which is one of the most widely acclaimed screen productions of the year.

"Our Mutual Friend" is regarded by many temperate observers as the finest and most amusingly executed picture of the new amusement year.

All of those influences that are working so intelligently to improve motion pictures and to throw behind the scenes, better productions the weight of public treasury, and stamping the motion picture as the greatest of the age, are at work in this picture.

"Our Mutual Friend" is a perfect movie made from one of the greatest classics.

"Our Mutual Friend" comes to the Opera House for three days, beginning Monday.

### POLICE COURT

One man, charged with being drunk, pleaded guilty and was remanded after being warned that he was liable to a fine of \$20.

Murray Haywood, who pleaded guilty on Wednesday morning to a charge of selling liquor, failed to appear this morning and a deposit of \$200 which he had put up was forfeited.

Detective Sergeant Power gave evidence in a case against Gordon Parlee and Robert Pfrans, charged with selling liquor. He told of going to a house at 107 Simonds street with a warrant for the arrest of Parlee. After the warrant was read Parlee said he had lived there for some time.

This closed the case for the prosecution. L. McRitchie moved for the dismissal of the case against Parlee on the ground that there was no evidence to connect him with the actual sale of liquor. The witnesses, Max Lampert and Murray Haywood, he said, were accomplices and their stories did not corroborate.

The magistrate had the evidence read and said there was sufficient to ask both of the defendants to make out a case. The slightest amount of evidence, he said, was enough.

The prohibition law had been passed not to take away people's freedom, but because people could not take a drink or two without some of them making gluttons of themselves and becoming drunk. He told several stories of suffering caused by drink in homes and of the cruelty of some people when drunk, who were the very opposite when sober. He would have to ask the defence to make out a case.

The hearing was postponed until Monday at 11.15 o'clock.

### BORDER PERSONALS

Mrs. J. M. Seville is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Humphrey, at her home in Hampton.

Miss Louise Purves left on Monday night for New York where she will be the guest of friends.

Miss Helen Stevens of Edmundston is the guest of Miss Helena Nesbitt.

George H. I. Cockburn left Saturday for a two weeks' trip to Boston and New York.

Miss Maria Alexander is quite ill at Chippman Memorial Hospital.

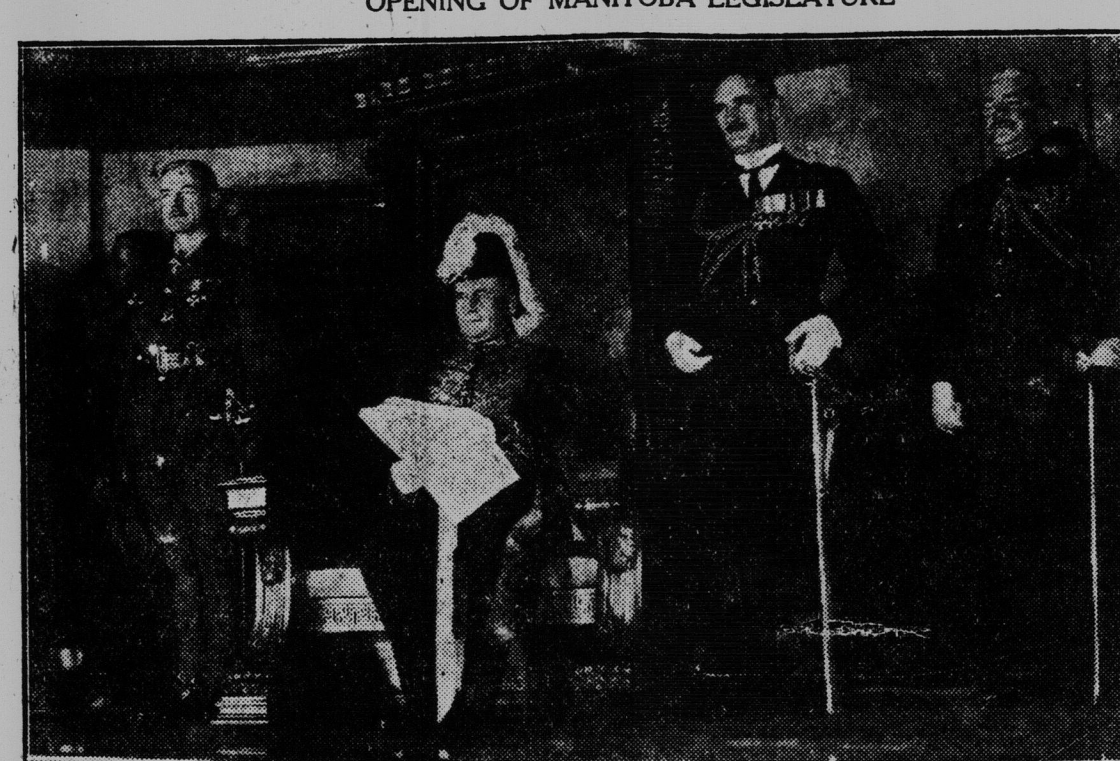
Hugh McBride of Winnipeg is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. McBride.

## PARTIAL STRIKE IN SYMPATHY WITH BAKERS.

Mexico City, Jan. 20.—The street car motormen and conductors of Mexico City have declared a partial strike in sympathy with the bakers. Beginning tomorrow no cars will be operated during the hour of morning. This programme will be followed for ten days, after which the car men plan a complete strike unless the bakers by that time are satisfied.

Where Sugar Is Cheap.

St. Croix Courier: It looked almost like old times, passing the McGregor grocery store in Calais last week, to see a sign in the window "16 pounds of sugar for \$1."



In the new parliament buildings at Winnipeg, on January 12-22. The photo shows Sir James Aikins, Lieutenant Governor of Manitoba, reading the speech from the throne at the opening of the sixteenth legislature of Manitoba.

## LIFE IN PRISON FOR ROBBERY OF TORONTO BANK

Toronto, Jan. 20.—Imprisonment in the penitentiary for life was the sentence imposed today on Andrew Sobushuk and John Kapulansky, for the robbery of the Bank of Hamilton here on October 18 last. The court postponed sentence on Sam Senitoff, who was also convicted. The other two prisoners were sent to the penitentiary for life.

## NEW LINER IS ON WAY HERE

The new Canadian Pacific Steamships, Ltd., liner Montcalm is en route here from Liverpool on her maiden trip, and is expected to arrive in St. John on January 26 with passengers, royal mails and general cargo. The new liner is a geared turbine of two funnels with a speed of more than seventeen knots and developing 12,000 horsepower. She is 506 feet in length, seventy feet in breadth, fifty-one feet in depth and is 16,000 tons register. She is said to be the finest ship of her class built or under construction for the Atlantic service.

The Empress of Britain will leave New York tomorrow on her first cruise to the West Indies. Among the passengers will be Mr. and Mrs. John J. Bradley of Montreal, formerly of this city; and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Graham of Milltown, N. B. Arthur Edward Philip, O. B. E., the chief engineer, is senior chief engineer of the Canadian Steamships, Ltd., and was on the Empress of Britain throughout the war and has never missed a trip. He was personally decorated by King George for his services and is an officer of the Order of the British Empire. His services on transports over four wars, the Boer and Ashanti expeditions, the South African war and the late European war.

## FISH FROM THE PACIFIC TO NEW YORK VIA CANAL

Vancouver, B. C., Jan. 20.—An expedition of two hundred frozen fish, the first to go from British Columbia to the Atlantic coast by water, left here yesterday on the steamer Nesopet for New York via the Panama Canal.

If the shipment arrives in good condition, it is probable that much of the all-rail fish traffic from British Columbia to the east will be diverted to this route.

Belfast, Jan. 20.—Three armed men took a farmer named Kelly from his home near Newtownards and shot him in the spine last night. His condition is serious.

## HECTOR LANDRY HAS PASSED AWAY

Son of Late Chief Justice Died Yesterday in Edmonton, Alberta.

Edmonton, Jan. 20.—Hector Landry, K. C., son of the late Sir Pierre Landry, of Dorchester, N. B., died at the General Hospital yesterday following a general breakdown in health nine days ago. He leaves his wife and four children.

Mr. Landry was the son of the late Sir Pierre Landry, chief justice of the King's Bench division. He was a graduate of St. Joseph's University, at Memramouc, and obtained his B. C. L. degree from King's Law School in this city. While studying law here he was in the office of the late Dr. Alfred A. Stockton, M. P. He started the practice of law in Montreal, and went to Edmonton, where he took his brother, John C. into partnership with him, and who was still with him at the time of his death. Besides his wife and four children he leaves one sister, and four brothers, William, Pierre, John and Dr. A. Raymond, of Moncton, who recently left for Paris on the steamer Metagama to take a course of surgery.

## GRIM ENDING TO THIS FLIGHT

Fear That New York Woman May Have Killed Daughter and Self.

New York, Jan. 20.—Belief that Mrs. A. H. Bull, wife of an assistant teller at the Harriman National Bank, may have killed herself and her young daughter, was expressed today by Ralph Costa, who disappeared with the pair from their home in Ridgewood, N. J., two weeks ago.

Costa yesterday wired Mr. Bull from Toronto saying he was returning to help in searching for Mrs. Bull. He reached New York this morning. Police officials say Costa said he left Mrs. Bull because she threatened to kill him.

Wireless reports, through the Canadian Wireless Station at Red Head, Friday, January 20: Noon.—S. S. Lord (downside), fifty-two miles distant, bound out.

Noon.—S. S. Ballygally Head, 346 miles distant, bound out.

Noon.—S. S. Hochelaga, passed Lurcher bound inward.

THE DOLLAR TODAY.

New York Jan. 20.—Sterling exchange weak. Dollar, Great Britain, 420 3-8. Canadian dollars, 5 9-32 per cent. discount.

## THE NEEDED LAST WORD



Tommy—"Look here, we've had enough nonsense. I want the money!"—John Bull (London).

## SHIPPING

ALMANAC FOR ST. JOHN, JAN. 20.

A. M. High Tide... 5.01 Low Tide... 11.08

PORT OF ST. JOHN.

Sailed Yesterday.

Schr. Minna Prince, 469, Randall, for Barbados.

Arrived January 20.

Stmr. Ligat County, from Halifax.

Cleared January 20.

Coastwise—Stmr. Empress, 612, MacDonald, for Digby.

Sailed January 20.

Stmr. Ballygally Head, 8168, Suffern, for Rotterdam and Hamburg via Louisbourg.

MARINE NOTES.

The steamer Ballygally Head sailed this morning for Rotterdam and Hamburg via Louisbourg.

The steamer Canadian Raider will sail for London tomorrow.

The schooner Martha Parsons has finished discharging her cargo of coal and is in Market slip.

The schooner E. M. Roberts is discharging her cargo of coal at York Point wharf.

The steamer Dunaff Head shifted to No. 4 berth this morning to load out for Belfast and Dublin.

The steamer Minna Prince sailed for the Barbadoes yesterday afternoon.

The steamer Canadian Beaver arrived at Halifax from Cuba yesterday.

The steamer Canadian Constructor arrived back at Halifax yesterday from Sydney. She has been out on her trial trip.

The steamer Canadian Warrior arrived at Halifax yesterday from Sweden.

The steamer Canadian Seppie arrived at Halifax yesterday from St. John's.

The steamer Mapleleaf sailed from Halifax for St. John's yesterday.

The steamer Tamaquac sailed from Halifax for London yesterday.

The steamer Manchester Merchant sailed from Halifax for Manchester yesterday.

The steamer Chignecto sailed from Halifax early this morning for Bermuda and the West Indies via Halifax.

The steamer Caracut will sail tomorrow morning for Bermuda and the West Indies via Halifax.

The steamer Grey County is at the refinery wharf.

The steamer Chaddere sailed from Barbadoes yesterday morning en route to this port.

The steamer Manchester Hero will sail for Manchester via Halifax on Sunday.

The steamer Manchester Port sailed from Halifax for Manchester on January 21.

The steamer Comino sailed from London for this port on January 14.

## CONFERENCE ON GRADE CROSSING

Proposal Concerning Work at the Bridge in Douglas Avenue.

A conference of engineers representing the parties interested in the grade separation at the bridge end of Douglas Avenue was held yesterday afternoon in the office of the C. P. R. district engineer. Those present included P. B. Motley, bridge engineer; C. F. Draper, assistant bridge engineer; and C. C. Kirby, district engineer, all representing the C. P. R.; G. G. Hare, city engineer; and T. I. Simmons, assistant engineer of the railway commissioners' board.

It was said this morning that all the engineers were practically agreed as to the type, except in a few small details. The bridge proposed is a reinforced concrete arch, a permanent structure of good appearance. The estimated cost is \$100,000, exclusive of paving and laying of street car rails.

The span will be ninety feet long and about twenty-two feet six inches high. The clearance underneath will be about fifty-four feet, thus providing room for two tracks. The width of the bridge is fifty feet, the same as the highway bridge.

As the maximum amount which the railway commission will contribute is \$12,000, the balance, which will be about \$88,000 will be divided between the city, the C. P. R. and the N. B. Power Co.

The diversion of Douglas Avenue will commence just on the river side of the last house on the southern side of the J. W. Macaulay property and will cross the Burden, Kingston and Weeks properties. It will have a 8½ per cent grade from Douglas Avenue to the crossing and a 9½ per cent grade down towards the highway bridge across the river. The grade of the Strait Shore road will be increased to about 12½ per cent, or slightly steeper than Princess street, between Water and Prince William streets. It is the intention later to extend Merit street to the bridge, which will relieve this grade.

The mayor said this morning that the work will likely be started as soon as the appointment of the cost is completed.

## LOCAL NEWS

Band on Carleton Rink tonight.

Band on Carleton Rink Saturday afternoon, weather permitting. Tel. W. 518.

A RARE TREAT.

"A Canadian Evening," Walter McRay, auspices Pundy Chapter, I. O. O. E., Monday at 8 o'clock, Nat. H. H. but no fire was found. 1909-1-23

Hum See has purchased the laundry at 19 Paradise Row, city, from Sing Lee. All business accounts owing by said Sing Lee to citizens other than Chinese, will be paid if presented at laundry not later than noon January 23rd inst. January 19th, 1922. Sing Lee. Hum See.

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SKATERS' PHOTOGRAPHS.

Headquarters for photographs of skaters, events and the skaters. Lugin Studio, 88 Charlotte street.

SKATING CARNIVAL.

South End Rink, tonight. Ladies' and gents' first and second prizes.

Band on Carleton Rink Saturday afternoon, weather permitting. Tel. W. 518.

G. W. V. A DANCES.

The house committee wishes to announce the continuance of the regular dances under the direct management of the committee, commencing tonight at 8 o'clock. Usual charges for admission. Refreshments served. 1917-1-22

Band on Carleton Rink Saturday afternoon, weather permitting. Tel. W. 518.

FARMERS' OFFICIALS.

Moncton, N. B., Jan. 20.—At the closing session of the New Brunswick Farmers and Dairyman's Association today, officers elected were:

President, Thomas W. Riordan, New Brunswick, Gloucester County; First Vice-President, C. E. Pickett, Andover; Second Vice-President, H. W. Atkinson, Fredericton, J. N. B.; Corresponding Secy., Alexander J. Doucet, Notre Dame, Kent County; Recording Secy., A. J. Goudet, St. Joseph's, N. B.; Treasurer, Fred H. Walsh, Coverdale, Albert County, N. B.

Guests present included: St. John, R. B. Patchell, Kings, F. E. Sharpe, Queens, Frank McVicar, The Range.

Resolutions passed was to the effect that a committee be appointed to interview the provincial government with a view to getting relief for farmers who lack money to purchase feed. At Wednesday evening's session this had been voted down after Rev. A. W. Landry, of Cape Sable, spoke against the proposal.

BIG FARE OF FISH.

Halifax Chronicle: The National Fish Company's trawler, Venosta arrived in port yesterday afternoon with a big cargo of fish. She has on board between 180,000 and 200,000 pounds of cod and haddock. This catch is the result of three days' fishing, and is one of the largest of the season.

In reporting the death of Mrs. Herbert G. Evans it was incorrectly stated that the husband had died in the St. John Maternity Home.

## LOCAL NEWS

COURTENAY BAY WORK DOWN

About 190 men were thrown out of employment today by the closing down of work on the new dry dock at Courtenay Bay. It was said that operations would be discontinued until about March 1.

STILL ALARM.

About 8.45 o'clock this morning a still alarm was rung in from the Magee building in Water street on account of a great deal of smoke which came to be pouring through the building. The chemical engine was soon on the scene but no fire was found. 1909-1-23

A back draught from the chimney was the cause of the smoke.

UNEMPLOYMENT BUREAU

There were twelve applications for workers this morning at the St. John Registration and Employment office. Seven of these were for men and five for women. Eight positions for men were filled this morning, three being permanent and three as woodmen. One woman received a job today and it is expected that more will be given work this afternoon. Eight men registered, bringing the total up to 428 while the women's total registration remains at 74.

MUCH ENJOYED.

A very enjoyable concert and musical programme was given by the Philharmonia class of the Victoria street Baptist church last evening. The programme was as follows: Instrumental duet, Misses Muriel Hawker and Vera Dixon, solo, Willard Smith; piano solo, Miss Muriel Hawker; readings, Miss Vera Batters, reading, Miss Alice McKim. The play, "Why Not Jim," was repeated by the Y. P. S. of the Mission church. The characters were: Mrs. Gordon, Miss Nellie Cox; Paula Harmon, Miss Hilda Webb; Edna Fraser, Miss Winnie Carlock; Vivian Gordon, Miss Geraldine Fitzgerald; Gertrude Price, Miss Thelma McKeith; Alice, Miss Vivian Craft; Alex. Fraser, Richard Whitcomb; Charles Ramsay, Arthur Welsh; James Barry, James Brown. A very good sum was realized for the building fund.

## MONTREAL STOCK MARKET

Montreal, Jan. 20 1922.—During the first half hour this morning practically no trading occurred on the local stock market. Brazilian rose a half point to 81, but with this exception there was not one variation worthy of mention.

## NEW PRESIDENT OF THE U. F. M.

Colin H. Burnell of Oakville, Man., was elected to succeed J. L. Brown, M. P. for Lisgar, as president of the United Farmers of Manitoba for 1922.