

THE WEATHER.
MARITIME:—Southeast and south gales with rain.
Toronto, Ont. Jan. 21.—A disturbance which has come from the South-western States is now centred in New Jersey and has caused rain and wet snow in both Ontario and Quebec. The weather is fair and mild in the western provinces with no indication of much change.

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New England Forecast.
Washington, D. C., Jan. 21.—Forecast for New England.—Rain in south and rain or snow in north portion. Saturday, colder; Sunday, unsettled, brisk to high southeast winds, shifting to northwest Saturday night.

AROUND THE CITY
Making Progress.
Harry White, the English lad who had his arm taken off in the accident at Fredericton Junction on Tuesday, was reported as doing well at the hospital last evening.

At St. Andrews Church.
The St. Andrews church on Sunday morning Rev. David Lang, the pastor, will preach on the subject The Permanent and the Perishable in Life. The evening subject will be Wanted—A Man.

Thorne Lodge Temperance Meeting.
The Rev. A. B. Cohoe will be the speaker at the Thorne Lodge Temperance meeting tomorrow afternoon at four o'clock in the Haymarket Square hall. There will be special music.

Manchester Shipper in Port.
The S. S. Manchester Shipper arrived in port yesterday evening and docked at the I.C.R. pier. She had a tempestuous passage of 15 days, heavy northwest gales being experienced during the entire voyage. She has a large general cargo for St. John and western points.

Local Council of Women.
The annual meeting of the St. John local Council of Women will be held at the Orange Hall, Germain street at 2.30 p.m. Friday next. The election of officers for the ensuing year will take place and reports will be submitted from the societies in affiliation with the council. The public are invited to attend.

Decided on Lecture Course.
At a meeting of the Y.M.S. of St. John the Baptist, in their rooms in Berryman's hall, last evening, it was decided to hold a lecture course during the winter. A committee was appointed to arrange details and some prominent speakers will be invited to lecture before the society. The first speaker will be Hon. R. J. Ritchie.

Royal Starlight Chapter.
The St. John Royal Starlight Chapter elected the following officers last evening, at the Orange Hall, Germain street: Mr. Isaac Mercer, H. C.; Mr. Wm. Campbell, C. and C.; Mr. R. H. McIntyre, chaplain; Mr. C. B. Ward, treasurer; Mr. W. M. Rogers, herald-at-arms; Mr. W. W. Sullivan, first lecturer; Mr. R. F. Goderich, second lecturer; Mr. Jas. Sutton, first conductor; Mr. C. F. Stephens, second conductor.

A.O.H. Assembly.
The second assembly of the Division No. 1, A.O.H., was held in their hall on Union street, last evening, and proved very enjoyable. About sixty couples were present and a program of 15 dances was carried out. The chaperones were Mrs. M. T. Cavanagh, Mrs. M. L. Peters, Mrs. J. T. Sheehan, Mrs. T. Martin and Mrs. James McCarthy.

Narrow Escape from Drowning.
Fred Parks, a sailor, narrowly escaped drowning in Dunn's slip, Carleton, about 8 o'clock last evening. He missed his footing and walked over the wharf. Hearing the splash two seamen put out in a boat from a schooner and rescued him as he was sinking for the last time. He was lifted into the boat and rowed to the schooner. After recovering from the effects of his dip he went ashore.

Telephone Matters Discussed.
At a meeting of the council of the Board of Trade yesterday afternoon, the report of the special committee on the N. B. Telephone Company's action in raising rates was received and discussed. A statement in rebuttal, published on page 2 of The Standard this morning, was received from the Telephone Company, and after some discussion was referred to the special committee to report.

Lecture on English Cathedrals.
Rev. G. P. St. John's, St. Jude's church, lectured last evening to his congregation on some of the cathedrals he visited on his recent trip to England. The lecture was very interesting and was illustrated by a number of views. Among the cathedrals described were those of Chester, Christ Church, Oxford, St. Paul's Cathedral, Winchester and Exeter. There was a large attendance.

A Mean Trick.
Skating at Marble Cove and on the mill dam in the North End has been rendered unpleasant by the fact that some miscreants have lately been making a practice of stealing boots belonging to skaters. On Wednesday a lad named Scribner of Victoria street had his boots stolen and was forced to walk from the mill dam to his home with his skates on. Another boy, Roy Williams of Douglas avenue took the alternative and walked home in his stocking feet.

Buildings Torn Down.
The buildings which were erected on the property of the Turnbull Real Estate Company by Mr. John Segee, were torn down yesterday by the employees of the company. The building of Mr. George Roberts was also torn down. Mr. Segee has announced his intention of fighting the decision of the court that he had no claim on the land to the end. He is confined in the county jail at present, but he is making plans to prosecute his claim.

CLAIMS DOMINION COAL COV. CONTROLS NOVA SCOTIA PRESS
Harry Borsfield On International Board Of U. M. W. Speaks Of Phases Of Big Fight—Evictions The Worst Feature So Far—Soldiers And Special Policemen Still Much In Evidence At Glace Bay.

Mr. Harry Borsfield and Mr. Peter Paterson, international board members of the United Mine Workers of America, accompanied by Mr. Sylvanus Nicholson, a delegate, passed through the city last evening en route to the annual convention of the U. M. W. in Indianapolis, Indiana.

Speaking to a Standard reporter Mr. Borsfield said there was no doubt that the U. M. W. would support the Cape Breton miners in their fight. He wished it distinctly understood that the strike was not a question of wages, but was a matter of the miners' right to Cape Breton claiming the right to belong to any union they pleased.

The worst feature of the strike as far as the miners were concerned, was the evictions and they, said Mr. Borsfield, were practically all over and the evicted miners, with their families, had found new homes and were settled quite as contentedly as before. The U. M. W. was looking after the interests of the miners in this regard.

The Dominion Coal Company, said Mr. Borsfield, seemed to have control of the press of Nova Scotia, and the newspapers naturally presented things

in as unfavorable a light as possible for the miners. The coal company claimed to have all the men they needed, but the men were of a poor class, being inexperienced miners chosen from the scum of the foreign nationalities represented in Canada. Where the output from the mines had formerly been from 13,000 to 14,000 tons of coal per day, it was now anywhere between 5,000 and 7,000.

The miners hoped that when Mr. M. J. Butler took hold of the general management of the company he would meet their representatives and the dispute would be discussed in a fair way.

In reply to a question Mr. Borsfield stated that the soldiers were still quartered at Glace Bay and in addition there were 625 special policemen had been sworn in. These men were appointed by the town council of Glace Bay and were given the same power as policemen. Although invested with this power by the town council, they were in the pay of the Dominion Coal Company and worked exclusively for their interests. This was accounted for by the fact that many of the members of the town council were controlled by the company.

TEMPERANCE PEOPLE OBJECT TO ACTION OF COMMISSIONERS
Orders Given At Inspection Of Hotel Bars Yesterday To Have Passageways Straightened For Uninterrupted View From Office—J. Willard Smith For Temperance Federation Claims Law Is Still Being Violated.

As a result of the visit of the liquor commissioners to the hotels licensed to sell liquor yesterday afternoon, some change will have to be made in the entrances to all the hotel bars in the city. The proprietors have been notified to have the passageway in their bars straightened out so that the bars will be visible from the office and also to have plate glass inserted in the doors instead of ribbed glass which is used at present.

The action of the commissioners follows a protest made by representatives of the N. B. Temperance Federation who contended that the legislation passed by the provincial government at the request of the hotel bars to have an unobstructed view from the outside peering through the same standing as the ordinary saloon.

The commissioners were accompanied yesterday by Mr. J. A. Sinclair as their counsel, and on his advice they did not require the hotel proprietors to make the necessary changes to give a view of the bar from the street.

Interpretation of the Act.
Mr. Sinclair interpreted the act to mean that the view from the outside should be visible from the outside and not necessarily from the street and

the commissioners considered it sufficient to provide for having the bars open to the view of anyone in the office of the hotel.

Mr. J. Willard Smith when told by a Standard reporter last evening of the action of the commissioners with regard to the matter expressed the opinion that then they were not carrying out the law at all. "Whatever may be the interpretation of the law by their counsel," he said, "I know that the intention was that the hotels should be on the same footing with all places in which liquor is sold. The Government accepted very large fines and the final decision as to the draft submitted by the federation and we tried to make it plain that the hotel bars must be open to the public view."

Temperance People Disatisfied.
"We stated as much to the commissioners at the conference which was held and the temperance people will not be at all satisfied with anything less than the full endorsement of the law."

The commissioners also visited a number of saloons on Union street and King square and found everything satisfactory, with the exception of the attacks of a dog thought to be suffering from hydrophobia, as to the granting of licenses will be made on Wednesday next.

MUCH IMPRESSED WITH CHANCES FOR MARITIME HOCKEY
Mr. O'Douke, Sporting Writer Of New York, Returns After Inspection Trip—Will Publish Series Of Articles.

Mr. M. O'Douke, the well known American sporting writer and literary man of Brooklyn, New York, was in the city yesterday, on his return to the United States after a ten days trip through the provinces. Although Mr. O'Douke would not definitely state his motive in visiting the provinces he intimated that it was partly by an inspection tour of Maritime hockey.

Mr. O'Douke visited New Glasgow, Truro, Halifax and Glace Bay, and saw the puck chasers of the different Nova Scotia burgs perform. He was particularly impressed with the high class work of the Halifax Crescents, whose style of play was more similar, he thought to the game as played in the States. Speaking of the chances of the St. F. X. against the Harvard University aggregation, when they played on Feb. 4th, Mr. O'Douke declared that although he had witnessed both teams in action it was difficult to pick a winner. Harvard had one of the strongest teams across the border he said, and the Nova Scotians, although very fast would have to play to win against their heavier opponents.

Mr. O'Douke intends publishing a series of articles on hockey as played in the provinces and has in his possession photographs of many of the Halifax, New Glasgow and Glace Bay players. He expressed himself as highly pleased with his trip to the provinces and says that he will be heard from again in the near future.

Y. M. C. A. Dinner and Conference.
The committee men of the boys' department of the Y. M. C. A. held a dinner last night at the association building and at the conclusion of the feast the work of the different committees was outlined. Mr. John McKinnon presided and Mr. W. H. Moore the boys' secretary, was present. Mr. H. A. Lordy spoke for the newspaper and visiting committee; Lawrence Henniger for the educational committee; Willis Jones, for the extension committee; Harry Heans for the Sunday meeting committee; Byard Tur-

SAVAGELY ATTACKED BY DOG SUFFERING FROM HYDROPHOBIA
Arthur Morton And Fred Jackson Of Lepreau Suffering From Wounds Inflicted By Infuriated Dog Yesterday.

Word was brought to the city last evening that Arthur Morton and Fred Jackson of Lepreau are suffering from wounds caused yesterday by the attacks of a dog thought to be suffering from hydrophobia. The animal has not yet been captured.

Young Morton, who is ten years of age, was walking past Gregory's mill shortly after noon yesterday, and was the first to be attacked by the dog which seized him by the leg. After shaking off the brute, it again attacked him, seizing him by the right hand and almost severing two fingers. Shortly afterwards the dog again appeared and attacked Fred Jackson, who was on his way to a lumber camp. The animal jumped at his left hand and then seized him by the leg, and inflicted an ugly wound.

Two men from the lumber camp arrived on the scene and drove the brute away. They fired a couple of shots but failed to hit the dog which vanished in the bushes.

Walter Nelson for the social committee. Mr. Moor spoke encouragingly of the work that was being done. About fifty boys were present and the gathering came to an end about midnight.

STOCK OF MARITIME OIL AND GAS COMPANY.
An advertisement of the Maritime Oil and Gas Company appears on page 11 of this issue. Orders for stock may be left with Mr. John Frodsham at the Royal Hotel or with Mr. L. H. Wheaton of Moncton, N. B.

Seamen's Institute Campaign.
A good start in the campaign for the collection of \$1500 to clear the debt of the Seamen's Institute was made yesterday when \$100 was received from Miss Allan, of Toronto. Bishop Casey has arranged for six young ladies from the cathedral parish to assist in the work of soliciting. A meeting of all interested in the canvassing will be held on Monday afternoon, at 5 o'clock.

WASSON'S STOMACH TONIC
For Indigestion
45 and 75c. a Bottle
Money back if you receive no benefit.
Chas. R. Wasson,
The Drug Store, 100 King Street.

Books
IN SETS
At Bargain Prices
Ruskin, 12 vols. cloth. . . . \$8.67
Dickens, 15 vols. cloth. . . . 10.00
Dickens, 17 vols. leather. . . . 13.50
Scott, 12 vols. cloth. . . . 8.00
Thackeray, 10 vols. cloth. . . . 6.87
Hugo, 10 vols. cloth. . . . 6.87
Robt. Browning, 12 vols. cloth. . . . 7.50

E. G. Nelson & Co.,
Cor. King and Charlotte Sts.

A CLEAN CUT BARGAIN --FOR WOMEN--
\$1.98
A PAIR

Women's fine Dongola Kid Blucher Cut Laced Boots, Kid Tips, extra heavy soles, Military heels, bought to sell at \$2.50 and well worth it. Through an error on the part of the makers, they sent us twice the number of pairs ordered, and rather than have them returned, we are willing to lose some on the transaction. For now or spring they make an ideal walking boot having nice soft uppers and splendid heavy soles.

\$1.98 A PAIR
DONT MISS THEM
Waterbury & Rising
King Street, Mill Street, Union Street.

MRS. HERBERT FOSTER SUDDENLY STRICKEN, DIES IN TWO HOURS
North End Resident About To Leave Her Home Yesterday Afternoon Fell Unconscious—Convulsions Followed.

Residents of the North End were shocked yesterday afternoon to learn of the sudden death of Mrs. Foster, of 175 Metcalf street, which occurred at four o'clock.

About two o'clock Mrs. Foster was ready dressed intending to go to the Nickel, when she was suddenly seized with convulsions and in spite of the efforts of Dr. G. O. Baxter and Dr. J. A. McIntyre, who were hastily summoned, died two hours later from uremia.

Mrs. Foster was the daughter of Mr. John McKeown of this city. She was 30 years of age and leaves besides her husband, three children, two girls and one boy. She had been married about seven years. Mr. Foster is a foreman of the street railway car sheds on Main street and will receive much sympathy in his sudden bereavement.

Woodenware
Oval Wood Dishes, Wash Tubs, Water Palls, Butter Tubs, Candy Palls, Brooms, Pickle Palls, Lard Palls.
W. H. Thorne & Co. Ltd.
Market Square, St. John, N. B.

Unusual Clothing Values at Gilmour's
Among the Overcoats on which prices have been materially reduced are the justly popular black and grey Cheviots and Meltons, 45 and 50 inches long, and the long, heavy, comfortable Ulsters. These, and in fact every Overcoat now being offered by us at a cut price, are well worth the original figure—and even more. Every one of them is perfect. Fabric, workmanship, finish and fit are without a flaw.

And we have reduced the prices NOW, right in the heart of the Winter, merely to move them quickly and make room for the new Spring goods which will soon come in.

\$12.00 OVERCOATS Now Only \$9.60
\$15.00 OVERCOATS Now Only \$12.00
\$20.00 OVERCOATS Now Only \$16.00
Real bargains in FANCY and KNITTED Vests, choice of nearly all the stock for \$1, \$1.25 and \$1.50.

GILMOUR'S, 68 KING STREET
TAILORING AND CLOTHING.
"A GOOD PLACE TO BUY GOOD CLOTHES"

UNEEDA BISCUIT
Biscuit are more than mere soda crackers. They are a distinct individual food article, made from special materials, by special methods, in specially constructed bakeries. They are sealed in a special way which gives them crispness, cleanliness and freshness which "crackers" from the paper bag always lack. They are the nation's accepted

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National Biscuit Co. Ask Your Grocer

New Spring Shirts
AT WHOLESALE PRICES
Sale Starts Today

The story in short is just this:—One of the largest and most reliable shirt manufactures in Canada, made up an extra full set of travellers' samples (over four hundred shirts). But by the time the extra set of samples were ready for the road, the firm found they had all the orders they could handle for spring 1910. This set was never used. We bought the lot at a great bargain, and will sell them, beginning today, at

THE REGULAR MANUFACTURER'S PRICES.
The sizes are mostly 15 and 15 1/2, but there are a few 14 1/2 and 16, and some 13 1/2.

These Shirts are not up-to-date, but one ahead. Only one shirt of a pattern.

Prices: 39c., 59c., 75c., \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.75
These Prices Are the Regular Cash Prices.
Don't Miss This Chance To Buy Shirts.

J. N. HARVEY, TAILORING AND CLOTHING,
199 to 207 UNION STREET.

New Waists For Spring
An Attractive Showing of the Daintiest of the New Styles--Waists for Evening and Ordinary Wear in Wonderful Variety and Temptingly Priced

This prompt exhibit of spring waists is your opportunity to secure the newest styles early. Daintily made, with every advance feature in tucking, embroidery, lace and yoke effects, the showing affords innumerable opportunities for pleasing. Come and inspect while the display is bright, fresh and with assortments greater than ever before. Prices will be found remarkably tempting.

Net Waists in white and ecru, lined with Japanese silk, lace trimming effects. Sizes 34 to 40. Each **\$4.60 to 6.50**

White Lawn Waists, embroidered, tucked and lace trimmed featuring the new sleeve with slightly puffed effect above the cuff. Sizes 34 to 40. Prices each from **\$1.00 to 3.50**

Black Muslin Waists, plain tucks, an unusually nice assortment. Sizes 34 to 40. Each **\$1.15 and 1.75**

Black Lustre Waists, plaited fronts. Sizes 34 to 44. Each **\$1.75**

IN SILK DEPARTMENT

Sale of Flannelette and Knitted Underwear Now Going On

Don't Forget the Free Hemming Sale in Linen Room

Attend Sale of Tailor-Made Waists in Millinery Dept.

MANCHESTER ROBERTSON ALLISON, LTD.

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