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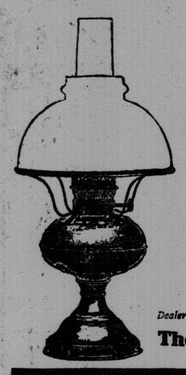

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	A.M		P.M.
Sun Rises	7.58	SunSets	4.37
High Tide	4.44	Low Tide	11.21

The time used is Atlantic standard.

PORT OF ST. JOHN.

Arrived Yesterday.

Stmr Astarte, 717, Young, from Sydney, R P & W F Starr.

Arrived Yesterday.

Stmr Oruro, 1240, Bale from Bermuda, Windward Islands and Demerara, Wm. Thomson & Co., mails passengers and general cargo.

Sailed Yesterday.

Schr Margaret G, 299, Knowlton for Boston, Royal Bank of Canada, 395,722 ft. spruce plank, etc.

BRITISH PORTS.

London, Dec 7—Ard stmr Sheppy Allison, from Louisburg (C B.)

CANADIAN PORTS.

Halifax, N S, Dec 8—Ard stmrs Empress of Britain, from Liverpool and sailed for St John.

Sd—Stmrs Halifax, for Key West; Royal Edward, for Bristol.

Sable Island, N S, Dec 8—Stmr Rosalind, from St John's (Nfld), for Halifax and New York, in wireless communication with Marconi station here when 100 miles east of Halifax at 5.20 p m.

FOREIGN PORTS.

Jacksonville, Fla, Dec 8—Sld stmr Frey, for Dorchester (N B.)

New Haven, Conn, Dec 8—Ard schr Ida M Barton, from St John for Port Chester (N Y.)

Vineyard Haven, Dec 8—Sld schrs Alaska from Elizabethport for Wolfville; William L Elkins, from Fall River for St John; Margaret May Riley, from Elizabethport for do; Lavonia, from Port Johnson for do; Ronald, do for do; Gypsum Queen, from Perth Amboy for Halifax; Earl, from Eatonville for New York.

City Island, N Y, Dec 8—Bound south, stmr Villa, St John; schr Maple Leaf, Apple River (N S.)

Boothbay Harbor, Me, Dec 8—Ard schr M D S, from Parrsboro (N S.)

Delaware Breakwater, Del, Dec 8—Passed up schr Evaden, from Ingramport (N S), for Philadelphia.

New York, Dec 8—Ard stmr Adriatic, from Southampton.

The play might have been the thing in Shakespeare's time, but now it's the box-office receipts.

WHO IS TO BLAME

Women as well as men are made miserable by kidney and bladder trouble. Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root the great kidney remedy promptly relieves. At druggists in 50c. and $1.25. You may have a sample bottle by mail free, also pamphlet telling all about it. Address, Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y.

FAMOUS GEMS OF PROSE

APPEAL FOR THE BLIND

By Helen Keller

From her speech May 11, 1903, at the dedication of the Schermerhorn pavilion, 2d av and 13th st, New York. A type-written copy of Miss Keller's remarks—her own work—was circulated in the audience and the words given below are a transcription of this document.

ALL that I have heard this afternoon about the work this institution is doing fills me with gratitude to the generous-spirited citizen who has extended its usefulness. In spite of the hard words that are spoken against this great city, I find here a wide human sympathy. Everybody is imbued with it.

New York receives every year thousands of the starving and naked of every race, every country and every faith, and more than any other city in the United States she clothes the naked, feeds the hungry, teaches the ignorant and relieves those who suffer.

Surely there would be no need of eloquent appeals in behalf of the New York eye and ear infirmary if you could look into the darkness which the blind see, and listen to the stillness which the deaf hear.

There is no greater deprivation than blindness, no sharper anguish than deafness. I know these limitations as you cannot know them, and yet I have not known the suffering which this institution is meant to alleviate. Those who come here tremble lest they should become blind or deaf and be unfitted for life's duties.

My own difficulties are vastly increased because I cannot see nor hear. How they must be redoubled when one has seen and heard for many years, and has been engaged in pursuits that require all the faculties, and then suffers this unutterable loss!

I am studying economics this year, and I have learned that it is the condition of social life that people shall work for one another, and it is the interest of society to enable every member to work. A human being who does not work is not a member of society, and can have no standing in it.

A community acts then with enlightened self-interest when it builds and equips an institution whose beneficent influence shall grow like the tree of life, whose leaves are for the healing of the nations. Such an institution restores to the world the blind, the deaf, the sick and the lame, able to do their part of its work.

It is not enough to erect handsome buildings. Those who work inside know that the stone walls and splendid furnishings do not accomplish anything. It is cooperation in a work of mercy that makes it complete. Trained nurses must be paid and the most efficient apparatus obtained and every comfort secured to the patients if the work of the hospital is to be confirmed, continued and extended. This institution has become your sacred burden. Look on it; lift it; bear it proudly. It is your part and privilege to hold up the hands of the physicians here, who are fellow-workmen together with God.

J. J. HILL SPEAKS FOR RECIPROCITY

Railway Magnate's Address Read to New York Canadian Society —The Empire and Its Dominion

New York, Dec. 9—"The political platform of the party which represents the protective principle in this country, the doctrine announced by the president and accepted by Republican leaders today, if literally acted upon, would dismantle tomorrow every customs house along the international border," said Jas. J. Hill, in a speech read last night at the Canadian Society's dinner by Dr. George D. Stewart, Mr. Hill's physician. Mr. Hill was unable to come on from the west.

"If we are to levy only such imposts," the address continues, "as will equalize the cost of production here and elsewhere—and that is now the universal slogan—then there would be free trade between the United States and Canada immediately." In support of this statement Mr. Hill contended that there was virtually no difference in wages or cost of raw products, with few exceptions, in the two countries. "Canada and the United States have failed to improve the opportunity awaiting them," he declared. "It is possible that should these countries fail again, as they have failed so many times, in the past, since 1866, to listen to intelligent and self-interest combined with real statesmanship, as embodied in the reciprocity policy, the voice of opportunity may be silenced forever by the changing circumstances that alter permanently the outlook of nations as well as the fortunes of men. In both nations today a thousand interests are calling for a closer and more definite commercial compact."

A. Mitchell Innes, counselor of the British embassy at Washington, opposed the idea that Canada and England would be separated. "People are fond of talking lightly of the inevitable separation of the over-sea dominions from the mother country," he said. "They cannot see the value of connection between the two. If the British empire were to be broken up it is not so much we ourselves would suffer. It is the world which would suffer, through the failure of this magnificent example to maintain its high standard in the face of difficulties."

HERE'S A CHANCE TO BUY AN ISLAND

Lewes in the Hebrides May Be Had for a Million and a Half

London, Dec. 9—It is not every day that a man may buy an island, zut just now the possessor of a sum approaching $1,500,000 can become owner of the 500,000 acres of moor and hill, loch and river, of which the island of Lewis is composed, and lord of its 28,000 inhabitants.

Lewis, which is the principal island of the Outer Hebrides group, may be described as a sportsman's paradise, for salmon, deer, grouse, and snipe may all be obtained within its boundaries; a thousand salmon averaging 8 to 10 pounds being caught in a season in the principal river, the Grimesta, and 150 stags in the largest deer forest.

The capital, Stornoway, is quite a modern town, with gas, main drainage and water laid on. It also boasts a golf course. Away among the lonely hills is scattered the largest crofter population of any private estate in Scotland, a people living in little townships of thirty and forty houses built of mud and stone, gaining their livelihood as fishermen, and occupying themselves in the few acres which they hold under perpetual leases from the owner of the island. They also weave the Harris tweeds, beloved of sportsmen and women, and two or three times a year the island is visited by merchants who travel round buying up the stock on hand.

The only trees on the island are the 600 acres of woods planted by Sir James Matheson—uncle of the present owner, Major Matheson—who in 1840 spent nearly $5,000,000 purchasing the island, building a castle with forty bedrooms and a grand ball-room and making some very good roads across and around his property. The island is sold at a nominal rent from the crown, and the gross rental of the property is estimated at $85,000.

The world soon loses interest in a man who spends half his time in making promises and the other half in explaining why he didn't keep them.

WHAT CAN I DO FOR MY SKIN-TORTURED BABY?

Is the Despairing Cry of Thousands of Mothers. A Scotchwoman Tells How Her Child was Cured.

"What can I do for my skin-tortured baby?" How many worried, worn-out mothers, whose children are suffering with eczema, tetter or other torturing, disfiguring humor, have asked themselves this question! Through neglect or improper treatment, some minor eruption has developed into a distressing and unsightly affliction. Simple treatments fail, and stronger ones are tried, sometimes so harshly that the suffering is increased rather than allayed. Even professional aid has proven useless, and the fear is ever-present that the skin disease will become chronic, turning the child's future into a nightmare of physical and mental misery.

Such mothers, who have witnessed their children's suffering and who have undergone the long, sleepless nights and distracting anxiety which only such cases can realize, will understand the gratitude that prompted this letter from Mrs. Johnston, 56 Victoria St., Inverurie, Scotland, which they will read it with keenest interest:

"I use Cuticura Soap exclusively for my baby's skin. She had the eczema when she was three months old. She was in an awful mess all over her body. We never thought she would get over it. We sat up night and day for about a month, expecting every minute to see her die. The doctor gave me an ointment to rub her with but it did her no good. My mother was home from America and she told me to try Cuticura Ointment and to wash her with Cuticura Soap. There was a great difference when I used the first box. It seemed to soothe her and she slept. I used three boxes of Cuticura Ointment and she was quite cured. She has the purest skin and is the fattest baby now! She is a miracle, the doctor declares. I am glad to tell anybody about it."

And that the success of the Cuticura Remedies is not confined to the treatment of eczema, is amply proven by Mrs. M. A. Schwerin, 674 Springwells Ave., Detroit, Mich., who writes:

"When my little Vivian was about six months old, her papa had a boil on his forehead. At that time the child was covered with prickly heat and I suppose in scratching it her own head became infected, for it broke out in boils, one after another. She had about sixty in all and I used Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment which cured her of them entirely. We do not think any one can praise Cuticura Remedies too highly."

That mothers may test the efficacy and economy of the Cuticura Remedies for themselves, the Potter Drug and Chem. Corp., 121 Columbus Ave., Boston, Mass., will send free on application, a generous trial box of Cuticura Ointment, sufficient to afford immediate relief, in the most distressing forms of eczemas, rashes, itchings and scalings of the skin and scalp. Under the influence of Cuticura Ointment, the itching and burning stop, the child falls into a refreshing sleep, the mother rests, and for the first time, perhaps, in many weeks, peace falls on a distracted household. The Cuticura Remedies are sold by druggists everywhere.

SPENDING MONEY IN ENGLAND FOR GOOD ROADS

London, Dec. 9—The work of the newly-formed road board in improving the roads of the country will soon become apparent.

The applications for grants which have already been made to the board by county councils and other highway authorities amount to upwards of $27,000,000, and it is expected that this amount will be largely increased when all intended applications have been received. As to the funds which the local board has at its disposal, the amount of the road improvement grant arising from the net proceeds of the motor spirit duties and of part of the motor-car license duties in respect of the financial years 1909-1910 and 1910-1911, which will soon become available for advances, is estimated at about $5,000,000.

MARINE NEWS.

West India line steamer Oruro, Captain Bale, arrived in port yesterday afternoon with three passengers and a large general cargo. A very rough passage is reported from St. Kitts to Bermuda. On December 5 at 8 a.m. the ship Erne was spoken in lat. 35 North lon. 65 West, bound for Baltimore from Buenos Ayres. The Erne reported having met with heavy weather, but all aboard were well. The Oruro's passengers were Misses Louisa and Theodosia Wilson, from St. Kitts; two colored girls for Toronto, and R. Neate from Bermuda.

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THE KIDNEYS WEAR OUT

But Many People of Advanced Years Have Learned How to Keep These Organs Healthy by Using

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The kidneys are often the first organs of the body to cause trouble. Their work of filtering the blood is greatly increased by excessive eating or by the use of highly seasoned foods and alcoholic drinks.

As advanced age comes on most people suffer more or less from derangements of the kidneys. With some there are years of pains and aches, with others Bright's disease is soon developed and the end comes quickly.

Fortunately a great many have learned about Dr. Chase's Kidney and Liver Pills, and are enabled by their use to keep the kidneys healthy and active.

This medicine is entirely different from ordinary kidney treatments and invigorates the action of the liver and bowels. To this combined action is attributed its remarkable success.

Mr. Richard Preston, Osborne, Lambton county, Ont., writes: "I want to testify to the wonderful curative properties of Dr. A. W. Chase's Kidney and Liver Pills. Seventeen years ago I began to use this medicine, when my back was so bad that to stoop or rise was torture to me. The kidneys were in bad condition, but these pills entirely freed me of back pains. I have used them ever since, whenever the kidneys would get out of order, and now, at eighty years, am well and hearty, thanks to this grand medicine."

Dr. A. W. Chase's Kidney and Liver Pills, one pill a dose, 25 cents a box, at all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Toronto.

CROWD CHASE DEER ON ICE

Animal Pursued and Worried and Exhausted on Kennebec River; Then Killed

Skowhegan, Dec. 7—For ten miles on the Kennebec river Tuesday forenoon there was the hottest kind of a race between a buck deer and over 100 citizens of Skowhegan. The chase was fast and furious. Up the river and back again, around an island, the hunters went until when near the falls in Skowhegan village, the animal was killed with a polo club by Myron Smith and Lyle Moore. Probably no contest for life was ever fought harder.

Tuesday morning Mr. Moore and Mr. Smith, two of the record skaters in the town started at Skowhegan falls for a skate up the river toward Norridgewock on glary ice. When about a mile from the village, off in the distance, they saw the deer crossing the river. He was then about two-thirds the way across. With the swiftest speed possible, for them, the young men went in pursuit. When close upon the deer the animal turned and ran with all his speed up the river and for two miles, deer and men went for dear life. The animal evidently saw an island ahead and the men felt that they must stop him from getting to it. One of them gaining speed skated in front of the deer, heading him back.

A few people on the banks of the river saw the hot chase and notified people in the village and all the skates that could be found were taken and people rushed for the river. The animal thus far had succeeded in turning toward the island and was making his way for it. The skaters finally got him away and the animal headed for the shore, but before he could reach it they had again headed him off and the deer now ran with all his might up the river toward Norridgewock.

About a mile ahead was a big open place in the river and the men realized that they must turn the deer back before they got to this place. It was with a great deal of effort that Smith finally headed the deer back. The deer continued to run, apparently with all hope of outrunning the men, and for two miles dashed down the river when he appeared to meet his Waterloo. A curious crowd was fast speeding up the river. The animal saw them but with a rush for life he sprang by his would-be captors. He ran towards the Skowhegan falls, but he was stopped here by a crowd of workmen working on the new dam. The two men who first started in pursuit were close upon him and the ice being slippery and the animal almost exhausted he was met by Smith, who struck the animal a blow over the head with his polo stick. The deer slipped and fell to the ice. Mr. Moore jumped on to his head and before the buck could recover himself, Mr. Moore had cut his throat with his jack-knife.

ST. JOHN BUILDING WORK.

St. John is in the list of the eighteen important centres which show an increase in building operations for October, over the corresponding month last year. This city is well up with 149.37. The total value of permits in this city for the October month was $59,600 as against $23,900 for the same month last year. These figures are reported in the statistics of building operations, published by Construction, Toronto. Sydney, the only other place in the Maritime provinces reporting, shows a slight falling off.

Great Snap

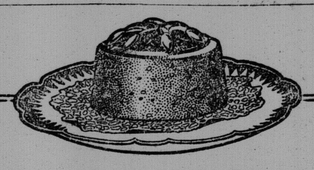
IN ALL WOOL UNDERWEAR

For Men.

AT

CORBET'S

196 Union Street



Knox Chocolate Plum Pudding

½ box Knox Sparkling Gelatine.
¾ cup cold water.
1 cup sugar.
½ teaspoonful vanilla.
1 cup seeded raisins.
¼ cup sliced citron or nuts, as preferred.
½ cup currants.
1½ squares chocolate.
1 pint milk. Pinch salt.

Soak the gelatine in the cold water. Put milk in double boiler. Melt chocolate; add to milk and add sugar and salt. Scald and remove from fire. Add gelatine, and when it begins to set, add the fruit and vanilla. Serve with the following sauce or whipped cream: Beat white of one egg stiff; add one tablespoonful confectioner's sugar and one-half cup milk slowly. Flavor with vanilla.

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PEPPARD REPORTED ARRESTED.

Word has been received in Moncton by A. J. Tingley, chief of the I. C. R. police, telling of the arrest of L. S. Peppard, whose financial transactions in the railway town have been under notice. He was arrested in New Haven, Conn. He did a cigar business in Moncton, and left some months ago with unpaid bills. He was also heard of in Montreal, and more recently in South Dakota, in some check transactions. He is a native of Great Village, N. S., and is married to a Nova Scotia girl. The Pinkerton and Thiel Detective Agencies have been hunting for him.

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