

VACUUM CLEANER KILLING DEMAND FOR WOMEN HELP

Report To Associated Charities Yesterday Shows Female Labor Is Affected—Many Applications For Relief.

The board of management of the Associated Charities which met yesterday, received a report showing an unusual number of applications for work and relief. It was, however, shown that the mild winter is a great boon to the poor, and has greatly lessened the requests for coal.

MANITOBA LEGISLATURE IS TO OPEN TODAY

Third Session Of Twelfth Parliament To Be Opened This Afternoon With Usual Pomp—Premier Roblin Away.

Special to The Standard. Winnipeg, Feb. 9.—Premier Roblin accompanied by Mrs. Roblin, left for Hot Springs, Arkansas, today. His condition has improved considerably of late, and his doctor stated last night that he would be in fairly good shape to travel today.

SPANISH CABINET IS SHORT LIVED

Madrid, Feb. 9.—The internal liberal dissensions culminated today in the resignation of the Spanish cabinet of which Moret y Prendergast was premier. The resignation was that of Jose y Mendos, a Democrat and leader of the extreme liberal left, to form a ministry. This has done the ministry being constituted as follows: Premier, Jose Canalejas; Mendos, Foreign Minister—Garcia Prieto; Minister of Interior—Senor Sagasta; Minister of War—General Anzar; Minister of Marine—Senor Aznar; Minister of Finance—Senor Coblan; Minister of Justice—Rula Valarino; Minister of Public Works—Senor Castellon.

THE CTS. PROBATE COURT.

Estate of George Mealey. In the probate court yesterday afternoon before Mr. John B. M. Baxter, K. C., judge, the petition of Rebecca Mealey, of this city, widow of George Mealey, carpenter, was presented praying to be appointed the administratrix of the estate and effects of the late George Mealey. The petitioner was sworn in administratrix No realty and personality of about \$260. Mr. A. A. Wilson, K. C., proctor.

PERSONAL.

Mr. George D. Wannmaker will leave today for New York. Hon. J. K. Flemming, provincial secretary, arrived in the city yesterday. Mrs. E. J. Putnam, Matiland, N. S., is visiting Mrs. N. C. Scott, Douglas avenue.

ANNUAL MEETING.

The annual meeting of the New Brunswick S.P.C.A. will be held at the Board of Trade Rooms, Prince Wm. St., on Tuesday morning, Feb. 15th inst., at 11 o'clock. All members are requested to attend. By order, S. MERRITT WETMORE, Sec. St. John, N. B., Feb. 10, 1910.

DISPENSARY FOR TUBERCULOSIS TO OPEN NEXT THURSDAY

Board Of Health Made Final Arrangements Yesterday—Further Prosecutions Against Owners Of Houses.

At the monthly meeting of the Board of Health, yesterday afternoon, thirty-nine property owners were heard with reference to installing sanitary plumbing in their houses, and were all granted an extension of time in which to have the work done. A still greater number of people have failed to show cause to the board why they have not complied with the regulations and prosecutions will follow within the next few days.

OTTAWA WINS EASILY FROM HAILEYBURG

Halleyburg, Ont., Feb. 9.—Ottawa defeated Halleyburg here tonight 8 to 4, and had they extended themselves in the latter part of the half, the cup holders could have made the score a much more one sided one, as they had the location of the game after the second half opened and then came up, playing a purely defensive game to the finish. The half time score was 3-1 and the margin at the close should have been proportionately as large had the champions tried to force matters. They had it all over Halleyburg at every stage of the game and the score by Gilmore's Academy, played in the play. They were superior to the local team in every department, even at point where Ross played a star game.

DYING AS THE RESULT OF FIGHT

Chicago, Ill., Feb. 9.—Harry Gilmore, the veteran prize fighter, Jos. McCarthy and George Loatham, were taken into custody by the police today, pending the outcome of injuries suffered by Albert Wilkowski, in a boxing match at Gilmore's Academy, last night. Wilkowski is now in hospital and is said to be dying. McCarthy was Wilkowski's opponent and the score by the seconds, Harry H. Gilmore, Jr., will also be taken into custody.

MRS. DAVID LISTER DEAD AT FREDERICTON

Fredericton, Feb. 9.—The death occurred at the Victoria Hospital this evening of Mrs. David Lister of Harvey Station. She was 72 years of age and was a widow of David Coburn, was 28 years of age and leaves a husband and two children. The remains will be taken to Harvey tomorrow for burial.

LAST HOPE OF U. M. W. IS SHATTERED NOW

Montreal, Feb. 9.—The last hope of the U. M. W. of America was shattered today when President Plummer, of the Dominion Coal Company refused to meet a delegation of high officials from that order to discuss the Glace Bay strike. The delegation was composed of V. Nicholson, Treasurer; Peter Patterson, international organizer; Dan MacDougall, president of the district and Jas. D. MacLennan, of district No. 26 and member of the international board of the U. M. W. of America.

STEAMER CENTREVILLE HAS BEEN FLOATED

Digby, N. S., Feb. 9.—Owing to the calm weather and quiet sea, the owners of the steamer Centreville have succeeded in floating her. Yesterday afternoon the greater part of the cargo was removed and this morning with the aid of barrels and caeks, she was floated, and now lies docked at the Centreville breakwater. Although the hull is very badly damaged it is believed that she can be repaired. An officer of the S. S. Yarmouth, which was at the Centreville buoy off Point Prim at the entrance to Digby Basin was blown away in Monday's gale and has not yet been replaced.

Simultaneous Campaign Is Now Well Under Way

Continued From Page One. The concert given at the Nickel Theatre for men and women and in the Unique Theatre for men only. In the Nickel, Rev. D. J. Smith and Rev. A. N. Lamb will conduct the service and in the Unique Dr. O. S. Grey and Mr. C. F. Allen. These meetings are primarily intended for down-town people. They are expected to come and go as they please, and require. Everyone will be welcome for the time they have to spare.

CENTENARY GROUP. Rev. Chas. Sykes a Powerful and Convincing Speaker—The Need of Surrender—A Volunteer Soloist.

"Man is the high priest of the home but too often is he an apostate to God and false to his duty." In these words Rev. Chas. Sykes made plain the position of the head of the house in speaking of the necessity of an absolute and unconditional surrender to Christ at Centenary church, Rev. Dr. Sykes was a powerful and convincing speaker. His address was a beautiful and an excellent delivery and the congregation who have united in the Centenary group have many pleasant hours in store during the three weeks the campaign will last.

NORTH END GROUP. Prayer and Its Influence on Lives of Others, Subject of Rev. A. J. Smith's Eloquent Address—Singing a Feature.

The service for the North End group held in the Main Street Baptist church was very largely attended. Before the hour for starting, the church was crowded to the galleries. At the beginning led by Rev. Frank N. Lamb was greatly enjoyed and very helpful. Mr. Lamb in an excellent manner under his direction the hymns were sung with great energy. Mr. Lamb sang "His Thought" very touchingly and with great feeling. "Tell Mother 'I'll be There," was also sung by him and made a good impression.

ST. STEPHEN'S GROUP. The Spirit-Filled Life Necessary For the Battle Against the World—Rev. A. B. Winchester Gave His First Address Last Evening.

The meeting in St. Stephen's church was well attended. A large choir under the direction of Mr. H. H. Hare sang the various campaign hymns with great effect. All the members of the group were present. Devotional exercises were led by the Rev. Gordon Dickie assisted by the Rev. James Crisp. Mr. Hare sang the hymn, "The Hand of My Saviour."

CARLETON GROUP. The Power of Christ Revealed in Miracles—Rev. F. A. Robinson Applies His Text to Every Day Life.

That interest is already growing in Carleton was shown by the large meeting held in the Carleton Methodist church, led by Rev. F. A. Robinson as preacher and Mr. Franklin Baldwin, singer. The West Side pastors were on the platform. Rev. B. E. Fletcher contributed scripture reading and Rev. W. R. Robinson led in prayer. The song service led by Mr. Baldwin was very successful. Mr. Baldwin sang two solos during the evening which were much appreciated.

FAIRVILLE GROUP. Rev. Lawrence Greenwood Recalled "An Old Testament Revival" to His Hearers—Afternoon Meeting Today

A large audience greeted Rev. Lawrence Greenwood and Mr. A. N. Peters, on the second night of their work in Fairville. A chorus of forty voices was ably and efficiently led by Mr. Peters. In applying the experience of the meetings, Fairville is favored by Mr. Greenwood also being an excellent singer and he and Mr. Peters sang the hymn, "In Jesus," which gives the experience of an athlete with at death found satisfaction in Jesus. Mr. Peters sang "My Lord and I."

REV. A. B. WINCHESTER, Evangelist.

come because he had no work at home. "I came," said the speaker, "because I heard God's voice saying, 'go and help My people.'"

REV. ORA S. GRAY, Evangelist.

and the capacity of the church promises to be taxed before the meetings are concluded. Rev. H. D. Marr, Rev. A. A. Graham and Rev. D. Lang were on the platform, with the evangelist and assisted with the service. Mr. Chas. F. Allen had succeeded in getting good results from the congregational singing and also contributed some pleasing solos. Dr. Gray's text was taken from John Ch. 1, V. 42:—"And when Jesus beheld him, He said: Thou art Simon,

SNOW, BUT PLENTY NOW UNDERMEN'S GREATEST NEED

Hon. J. K. Flemming Tells Of Bad Conditions In The Woods—Session Not Likely To Be Protracted.

Hon. J. K. Flemming, provincial secretary was in the city yesterday on government business. Speaking with The Standard Mr. Flemming said the lumbermen in many parts of the province were badly in need of snow and nothing was more wanted at the present time with the exception of the Valley railroad, than a good snow-storm.

FAIRBANKS NOT WORRIED

Continued from page 1. address and was obliged to keep the agreement. "I spoke to the students of the American College along patriotic and moral lines, giving the Catholic church a full share of the credit for the great work accomplished by all the Christian churches. The subject of the papal audience was suggested by Monsignor Kennedy, a little later. He had received further instructions in the meantime and said that I did not speak at the Methodist church, the audience would hold good. I replied that I appreciated the intended courtesy, but the alternative was impossible. I would speak as announced and thus would be obliged to forego the audience with the Pope. When I advised Dr. Fipple, the pastor of the Methodist church, he said that he was ready to release me from the engagement, but I answered that that was impossible. Under the circumstances, I felt obligated to speak in fulfillment of a promise made before the papal audience was arranged."

WANDERERS' TRIUMPH OVER IRISHMEN

Montreal, Feb. 9.—By scoring eight goals in the first fifteen minutes of play, the Wanderers established a lead that resulted in the ex-champions being returned easily over the Shamrocks in the National Hockey Association at the Arena tonight. The score at the end of an uneven battle stood: Wanderers 11; Shamrocks 6.

DOUBLE TRAGEDY AT WINNIPEG YESTERDAY

Winnipeg, Man., Feb. 9.—A double tragedy took place about nine o'clock this morning in the North End, when Henry Schwartz, Galician, 46 years of age, shot and killed his wife as she opened the door of their former home to him and then sent a bullet into his own heart. Schwartz returned from a visit to Galicia last night and while there he discovered that his former wife had suicided after he deserted her to come to Canada. Last night his Winnipeg wife, Katrina, aged 38 refused him admittance to their old home and the shooting followed this morning, when he knocked at the door and then fired four bullets into the woman's body.

S. A. CITADEL. Wm. Matheson Strikes Home to the Hearts of Vast Audience—Large Attendance at Testimony Meeting.

Standing room was at a premium at the Salvation Army Citadel in Charlotte street, where Evangelist Wm. Matheson addressed another large audience. Adjt. Mercer assisted with the service and the people joined heartily in the singing.

HOTELS.

Royal. William Robson, Edinburgh; A E Lawson, Halifax; A E Massee, Fredericton; C Jameson, Digby; Manning W. Deberry, Sussex; F B McCreedy, Halifax; P. S. Cook, G E Cooke, Montreal; J Odershaw, Kottingsham; Mrs W B Edmond, Mrs S C Brown, Sussex; J E Vincent, Montreal; J C H Benson, Sussex; H J Johnson, Montreal; M S B Sumner, Yarmouth; A Campbell, Ottawa; J S Leighton, Jr, Moncton; Mr and Mrs Smith Gordon; Mr and Mrs L. H. Potter, Boston; E B Walker, Toronto; E W Lathane, Montreal.

BENJAMIN ROGERS IS CHARLOTTETOWN'S MAYOR

Halifax, Feb. 9.—In the most exciting civic election in years Benjamin Rogers was elected mayor of Charlottetown today by 106 majority over his opponent, Charles Logan. Both were prominent Charlottetown business men.

INSURANCE BOILING DOWNING

Take Measure of Dunlop Rubber Company in Last Night's City League Game—St. Peter's Win From A. O. H.

The insurance bowling quibbler did not do a thing to the Dunlop Rubber Tire bowling team last evening, expecting to capture three points after the rubber pin pickers had the game all but clinched in the first string. The insurance men sure got it and it looked as though they were down for a drubbing when the tire aggregation romped away with the first point to the tune of 34 strikes.

DUNLOP TIRE.

Macnum . . . 74 88 82 264-88  
Gregory . . . 74 88 82 264-88  
Atchison . . . 81 90 74 245-81 2-3  
Estey . . . 83 78 76 232-77 1-3  
Gilmour . . . 88 88 81 257-85 2-3  
405 431 421 1202

ST. PETER'S WINS.

The A.O.H. are slowly developing into bowlers. They actually secured one point from the St. Peter's last evening in the Society league series, taking the last string by two lone-shot sticks. The game was not complete with brilliant play, the Stags being somewhat off color. Cronin was the highest man on both teams, with an average of 84, with Dunn and O'Neill tied for first place for the Irishmen, with an average of 80 1/2.

FUNERALS.

Mrs. Joseph Allison. The funeral of Mrs. Helen Matilda Allison, wife of Mr. Joseph Allison, was held from the Centenary church yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The service in the church was conducted by Rev. Dr. G. M. Campbell and Rev. Dr. J. B. Flanders. The service consisted of a Psalm, "Aspen," a prayer by Rev. G. M. Campbell, hymn, "Forever with the Lord," followed by an appreciative address by Dr. Flanders. The church was crowded with sympathizing friends and many eyes were wet with tears as Dr. Flanders brought home to them the loss which they had sustained in the death of Mrs. Allison. The funeral procession formed outside the church, and the organist played the Dead March in Saul. The funeral was attended by representatives of all walks of life, showing the respect for the departed.

MR. THEODORE D. CRAFT.

The funeral of Mr. Theodore D. Craft was held from his late home, 178 Water street, St. John, N. S. Sampson conducted the services, and interment was made in Cedar Hill.

MR. HUGH DEVENNEY.

The funeral of Mr. Hugh Devenney was held from his late home, Lancaster street, yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock. Service was conducted by Rev. H. H. Reid, and interment was in Cedar Hill cemetery.

ROYAL.

W A Kirkpatrick, Gondola Pt.; A E Montgomery, New York; J K Fleming, Hartland; E B Snow, Sussex; M B Dixon, Riverside; A B Hatfield, Mrs Henderson, Moncton; Capt J B Keegan, Lower Matiland; J L Chisholm, Truro.