

THE EVENING TIMES, ST. JOHN, N. B. MONDAY, APRIL 6, 1908.

ALL EYES FIXED NOW ON HON. CLIFFORD SIFTON

Ottawa, April 4.—Hon. Clifford Sifton's movements in the west are creating much interest among those who are well posted politically. For instance, a prominent politician said to your correspondent today: "I have heard that Hon. Robert Rogers and the ex-minister of the interior have been in close confab since the latter's arrival in Winnipeg. And now it is announced that Mr. Rogers is leaving at once for Ottawa. I wonder if that has anything to do with the rumor that the Free Press is not so violently partisan as usual just now."

FAILED YARMOUTH BANK DIRECTORS HELD LIABLE

Halifax, N. S., April 5.—The full bench of the Nova Scotia supreme court on Saturday gave a unanimous decision that the directors of the defunct Bank of Yarmouth are personally liable to the shareholders for a portion, at least, of the loss by the failure of the bank and an order was granted that they make restitution.

STORM-BATTERED LINERS ARRIVE AT HALIFAX

Halifax, N. S., April 5.—Fourteen days out from Hamburg for New York with 1,800 passengers on board, the Hamburg American liner Preoria made her way slowly into port this morning, short of coal. The liner left Hamburg on March 21st, and Boulogne the next day. Captain Schrotter reports tempestuous weather all the way across the Atlantic. When off this coast the coal supply ran short, knowing he could not reach New York the captain pointed his ship for Halifax.

PORTLAND, ME., BLOCK DESTROYED BY FIRE

Portland, Me., April 4.—Fire tonight in a four-story brick block numbered 225 to 237 Commercial street, and situated on the corner of Commercial and Union streets, in the wholesale district, burned out Cann & Patrick Co., wholesale grocers; the George A. Young & Company, wholesale crockery dealers; Squire & Co., pork dealers; and the offices of H. A. Morse & Company, who carry Pacific coast goods; the American Molasses Company, of New York; the Eastern Refining Company, and J. K. Armbury, commission broker.

HETTY GREEN'S BID SPURNED BY PAUPER

Waukegan, Ill., April 3.—Eighty years of age, practically without a penny to his name and confined in a hospital, Levi Safford, of Winthrop Harbor, steadfastly refuses to accept an offer of \$100,000, which he says he has received from Hetty Green for his claim to property in Harlem, New York, valued at \$20,000,000. A suit to determine finally who holds the title to the vast property is now pending in the United States Supreme Court. A decision, according to Safford, is expected to be handed down in June. The suit has been in the courts for many years.

LORD MINTO'S DAUGHTER MARRIED IN LONDON

Lady Ruby Elliott Became Bride of Lord Cromer's Eldest Son, Saturday.

Montreal, April 5.—A special London cable says: The wedding took place Saturday in the presence of a large number of members of the British aristocracy and others prominent socially and politically in London, of Lady Ruby Elliott, second daughter of the Earl of Minto, vicerey of India and formerly governor-general of Canada, and the Countess of Minto, and Rowland Thomas Baring, Viscount Errington, eldest son of Lord Cromer, of Cromer Hall, Norfolk, who is famous for his services as a diplomatist and administrator in Egypt. Unfortunately the Earl of Minto was unable to be present on account of the pressure of his duties in India, but Lady Minto arrived from India about three weeks ago to prepare for her daughter's wedding.

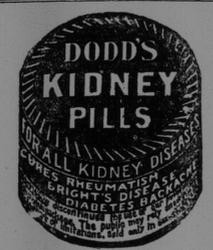
PENOBSCOT LUMBER CUT 220,000,000 FEET

Mills Will Be Late in Starting—Big Coal Fleet for Bangor Waiting for Ice to Run Out.

Bangor, Me., April 5.—Although the Penobscot river from Bangor to the sea has been free of ice since the morning of April 2, no vessels have as yet arrived here, and none is expected for several days. A fleet carrying about 12,000 tons of coal has arrived in Fort Point cove, but is detained there waiting the departure of the pasting down of which would make navigation dangerous. The fleet here consists of the bergs Coleridge, Brunside, Eagle Hill, Pine Forest, Paxtang, Paxinos and Wisconsin, all from Philadelphia and the schooner Fred A. Davenport from Newport News. Several other barges and six large schooners, all coal carriers, are due here when the river becomes safe for navigation, there will be between 25,000 and 30,000 tons of coal to arrive at Bangor in one fleet.

WHAT IS A BLENDED FLOUR?

Cooking schools and cooking experts have never grown so enthusiastic over any other flour as they have over blended flour. And the enthusiasm is well merited. What is a Blended Flour, you ask? It is a blend, adopted for some time by most millers, consisting of Ontario fall wheat (which is sown in the autumn and reaped in the late summer), and Manitoba spring wheat (sown in the spring and harvested in the fall). The first is mellowed, and given a rich consistency and fine flavor by remaining all winter in the ground, maturing slowly during the summer months. Up to the Northwest they have several hours more sunshine every day in the summer than comes to more southern fields, and what matures quickly into hard, flinty grain, containing a large percentage of gluten. These two wheats, when blended scientifically in just the right proportion, make the most nutritious, finely flavored and successful flour that can be obtained.



Coming Out of Business Sale OF FURNITURE.

St. John's Furniture Opportunity. We have had to add a few new lines to sort up the stock, such as Quartered Oak Dining Chairs to make complete Dining Sets, also some Iron and Brass Bedsteads to match up odd Dressers. We also had several new designs in 5-piece Parlor Suite Frames, which have just been made up in very best silks. One at \$28.00 is a bargain, others at \$46.00 and \$48.00. Elegant 5-Piece Suites at \$26.00 Corner Chairs Covered in Best Silk, \$5.00 Goods Stored and Insured Free until wanted. Open Evenings.

A MEXICAN MARKET FOR CANADIAN FISH

Fish Dealers of Maritime Provinces Have Not Yet Relized Its Possibilities

(The Coast Guard, March 19th.) Although the fish merchants of the Maritime Provinces have made commendable efforts to widen the markets for our fish of late years, it does not appear that any determined effort has been made to realize the possibilities of the market for fish in Mexico, and other Latin-American countries. Some of our fish merchants were willing to give the American fishery a population of Canada—its really boasts a population of about 15,000,000.

LABOR PARTY IN POLITICS

Prof. Mavor's Interesting Address at Toronto Meeting

(Toronto News.) "Beware of haphazard tendencies" was the warning of Professor Mavor to the members of the Independent Labor party last night. He was addressing them in the Labor Temple on "Political Economy and General Labor Conditions."

LAST WORD IN SKY SCRAPERS

Latest New York Cloud Tickler Will Have 101 Stories

Here's a building for you! Hundred and one stories high, all made of concrete on cantilever and steel arch framing, to cost \$17,000,000. Land for this monster edifice is to be purchased today by the Jay-Potter-Dix Realty Corporation for the Anecke Jans estate. (Anecke is the good old Dutchman who once owned at lower Broadway.) The plot will comprise all the space between Nos. 81-90 Broadway, and the square-foot cost figures out about \$300 for each area, 12 inches by 12.

DR. PARKIN'S LIFE OF SIR JOHN MACDONALD

(Toronto World.) None of the makers of Canada is so closely identified with the movement that resulted in the creation of the Dominion as was Sir John A. Macdonald.

ONE POLICEMAN SHOTS ANOTHER

But Both were in Plain Clothes and Neither Knew the Other was an Officer

New York, N. Y., April 3.—John Brennan, a policeman, who had a day off today, was shot and mortally injured this evening by Sergeant James Nerney at Ninth avenue and Fifth street. Both men were in plain clothes and neither knew the other was a policeman.

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ambitious project yet attempted by Canadian publishers, has met with deserved appreciation both in the Dominion and the motherland and even in the more remote states of the empire, whose attention is being increasingly directed towards the evolution and peculiar circumstances of Canada. And it is fortunate that so fascinating a personality as that of Sir John Macdonald is so intimately bound up in the bundle of the national life. To know him and to know what he did is to hold the key of Canadian history and to realize that he was psychologically the man for the hour. The grandeur and grandeur of the ideas which inspired him remain lasting testimonies to the high quality of his statesmanship and this will endure when the controversies that raged round his employment of the political methods of his day are forgotten.

SEAL HUNTING OUTLOOK REGARDED AS UNFAVORABLE St. John, N. B., April 3.—Owners of steamers which left port twenty-four days ago on the annual spring seal hunting cruise say that the outlook is unfavorable. The fleet has been out the longest time on record without a report being received. Usually the first laden ships return within 18 or 20 days bringing news of the other vessels. It is thought that the fleet may have missed finding seal herds along the coast and is now searching the ice fields in the ocean.

CANADIAN PACIFIC FOR EASTER Will Issue AT SINGLE FARE Return Tickets TO GENERAL PUBLIC GOING APRIL 16, 17, 18, 19 and 20 RETURNING APRIL 21, 1908 Between all Stations in Canada East of Fort Arthur.

CANADIAN PACIFIC ATLANTIC STEAMSHIPS Ltd. St. John and Liverpool Service. LAKE MANITOBA, Sat. Apr. 11 EMPRESS OF BRITAIN, Fri. Apr. 17 LAKE CHAMPLAIN, Sat. Apr. 25 FIRST CABIN. EMPRESSES, \$20.00 and up LAKE MANITOBA, \$6.00 and up SECOND CABIN. EMPRESSES, \$17.50 and \$20.00 LAKE MANITOBA, \$4.00 and \$5.00 LAKE CHAMPLAIN, \$4.00 and \$5.00 LAKE ERIE, \$4.00 and \$5.00 STEERAGE. EMPRESSES, \$12.75 Other Boats, \$13.75 W. B. HOWARD, District Pass. Agent, St. John, N. B.