

## We Are Busy

This Week Taking Stock and  
Preparing for Our

### ANNUAL CLEARANCE SALE

which begins on January 20.  
During this sale we shall offer  
tremendous bargains in  
all lines of footwear, including  
the Dorothy Dodd samples  
of about 1,000 pairs, our



wholesale samples, broken  
lots and lines we are not  
again carrying.

This sale will be the event  
of the season.

**Waterbury &  
Rising, Ltd.**

King Street, Union Street  
Mill Street

### Check Your Cold NOW

Delay may result in pleurisy, pneumonia or congested lungs,  
which, too often, prove fatal. NATIONAL CASCARA BROS.  
MIDDE QUININE TABLETS will, if taken in time, break up  
your cold in a few hours.  
Price 25 Cents The Box.  
A FULL LINE OF COUGH AND COLD REMEDIES.

S. H. HAWKER'S DRUG STORE - - - Cor. Mill Street and Paradise Row

## EQUITY WATCHES

MADE BY THE WALTHAM WATCH COMPANY  
have proved their worth, and every wearer has become a booster  
for this watch. We have just opened a new lot.

The Equity is a neat size and is a gentleman's watch in a nuckle case,  
7 jewels, for \$5.50; same movement, in gold filled case, 7 jewels,  
for \$9.50 and in 15 jewels, for \$12.50. These watches are  
without a doubt the biggest watch values ever put upon the market.

**FERGUSON & PAGE**

DIAMOND IMPORTERS AND JEWELERS - - - 41 KING ST.

### GOING "TOURIST"

Is a Popular Way to Travel.

Tourist Sleepers—light and airy, with big comfortable berths, accommodating  
two adults, if desired—are carried from Montreal on Fast Transcontinental Express  
Trains for points in Western Canada, British Columbia, and on the Pacific Coast.  
Not as luxurious as the Palace Sleeper, but they meet the requirements of a  
superior class of patrons just as well—and at half the cost.

**ECONOMY AND COMFORT COMBINED.**

W. B. HOWARD, D.P.A., C.P.R., ST. JOHN, N.B.

### G. B. CHOCOLATES

Nicely Assorted in 1-2, 1, 2 and 5 lb. Boxes containing many new pieces of de-  
licious flavor. The coating is very smooth and pleasing to the taste. These  
goods are attractively packed in the latest style boxes. All Orders Filled  
Promptly.

**EMERY BROS. Phone Main 1122, 82 Germain St.**

WHOLESALE CONFECTIONERS

## WILSON'S INVALIDS' PORT

a la Quina du Pérou

**STOMACH TROUBLES**  
The food we eat is responsible, to a great extent, for the many distressing  
ailments to which the average person is subject, and great care should be  
taken to ensure its proper digestion and assimilation.

**WILSON'S INVALIDS' PORT** 220  
(a la Quina du Pérou) taken before or after meals, exerts a restorative influence  
upon every tissue and organ of the body, and aids materially in preparing the  
food for absorption also spreads its vitalizing force over the whole system.

**BIG BOTTLE ASK YOUR DOCTOR ALL DRUGGISTS**

## Use the WANT AD. Way

## FIREPLACE FITTINGS!

We are just opening a nice  
assortment of

**English Brass Fenders  
and Fire Sets**

These with the assortment  
including Andirons which we  
already had make a fine  
showing. Black Iron Fittings  
for those who want them,

**W.H. THORNE & CO. LTD.**

MARKET SQUARE & KING ST.

## LONDON "TIMES" WITH LAURIER

Its Comment on Sir Charles Tupper's Commen-  
tation of Borden for Joining in Sir  
Wilfrid's Policy in 1909

(Halifax Recorder)  
On the 20th of November, 1908, Sir  
Chas Tupper wrote to Mr. Borden, then  
leader of the opposition, a letter com-  
mending him for joining with Sir Wil-  
frid Laurier on a Canadian navy pol-  
icy, and urging him to continue to stand  
firm in that attitude. In the course of  
that famous letter, the veteran states-  
man said that he could not understand  
the demand for Dreadnoughts, and that  
a federal responsibility rested upon those  
who would disturb or destroy the com-  
pact entered into at the imperial de-  
fence conference and agreed upon unani-  
mously in the parliamentary resolution  
of March 29 of that year.  
The London "Times" was much de-  
lighted over the letter and said editorially:  
"Sir Charles Tupper's letter should  
contribute to the strengthening of the  
concord between Sir Wilfrid Laurier and  
Mr. Borden on the naval question." The  
"Thunderer" reckoned without Bours-  
las.  
Laurier's firm stand on the principle of  
autonomy in connection with naval mat-  
ters won the warm editorial endorse-  
ment of the "Times" for in its issue of  
November 28 of that year, there appear-  
ed the following statement:  
"Laurier's speech on the 10th contains  
the true ideal of imperial unity. It is  
not derogatory to this lofty ideal to say  
as Laurier said on this occasion, 'Canada  
would have a navy and that navy would  
not go to war unless the parliament of  
Canada chose to send it.' In the abstract  
such a proposition is indisputable. In the  
abstract it applies to any and every  
form of co-operation or contribution for  
the purpose of imperial defence, but in  
the concrete it is certain the same con-  
sideration and motives which have serv-  
ed to bring about the present situation  
will also serve to maintain and develop  
it."  
Co-operation, not centralization, is still  
"the true ideal of imperial unity." The  
centralizers are the separatists.

## SAYS PROHIBITION IN MAINE HAS PROVED FUTILE

Hon. Cyrus W. Davis Gives In-  
sight Into Working of Law

MANY ARRESTS IN BANGOR

No Fewer Than 777 in Three  
Months on Drunkenness Charge  
—Kitchen Bar Rooms Flourish  
—Argument For Sane Regu-  
lation

(Bangor Commercial)  
Hon. Cyrus W. Davis, in the course of  
his speech at the Democratic meeting at  
Old Town on Thursday evening, gave  
an accurate insight into the workings of  
the prohibitory law as administered in  
this state and showed clearly how en-  
tirely futile such is in promoting the  
cause of temperance and sobriety.

Whenever there has been an alleged  
attempt at radical enforcement of the  
prohibitory law it has always been the  
case that the light drinks such as light  
beer, which has some three per cent less  
alcohol than Secretary Bryan's grape-  
juice, have been driven out and the sale  
of rum and whiskey increased. Much  
of the latter is of a very delicate variety,  
often manufactured on the premises and  
is handled with more safety in the sec-  
ret places as light drinks can be more  
readily seized.

Under enforcement the kitchen bar-  
rooms and low dives thrive on the lowest  
kind of food and the price of the same  
increases under such conditions as are  
now being cut up by Sheriff McConnell  
and his deputies. The truth of this  
statement is well known to the people  
and was proven by Mr. Davis in his  
speech by reference to the testimony of  
Mr. Killings, himself an enforcement  
officer in Cumberland county for a long  
time, as given in the Moulton im-  
peachment hearing. Mr. Killings testi-  
fied to the horrible conditions that have  
resulted from attempts to radical en-  
forcement in Portland.

Such conditions have resulted ever  
since the prohibitory law was passed.  
The law has been worked in the cities  
as a political football and today many  
believe that by removing sheriffs and  
appointing others Governor Hannes was  
moving to secure the proper role to be  
being assisted by the fact that the large  
majority of prohibitionists live in the  
country and do not know the ins and  
outs of what is going on in the cities.

Mr. Davis in his speech takes the po-  
sition that a great many of the men who  
have given this problem careful study  
believe it to be right that there should  
be a strict law for the regulation of the  
traffic for the cities and perhaps for some  
of the larger towns and prohibition for  
the country. He said that in the cities  
of New Hampshire, for many years  
tried prohibition, and finding that it  
did not prohibit, abandoned it.

Bangor residents well know the truth  
of our statements that prohibition has  
not prohibited and has tended to breed  
perjury and fraud. From the time of  
Weaver we have seen such accompani-  
ments of alleged enforcement.  
Back in 1855 only three years after the  
first prohibitory law was passed, there  
was a minister at the head of the Ban-  
gor police department, the Rev. Weaver,  
who had preached prohibition and was  
elected city marshal. He seized liquor,  
sold it in Boston and was indicted as  
the records show. This is mentioned to  
show that this prohibitory law has been  
permeated with fraud ever since its in-  
ception.

Coming to the present we find that  
within three months there have been 777  
arrests for intoxication in the city of  
Bangor and yet Governor Hannes is go-  
ing about and preaching that Bangor is  
dry.

**MAILS MADE FAST TIME  
THROUGH PORT OF ST. JOHN**

There has been considerable comment  
on the remarkably fast time made by  
the Royal George to this port and the  
delivery of her mails in upper Canada,  
and it is pointed out that it is simply  
another proof that St. John is the real  
winter mail port as well as freight port.  
The Royal George left Bristol at 9  
p. m. on Dec. 31 and at 12.38 a. m. on  
Jan. 8 her mails were delivered in Mon-  
real, that is, seven days, three hours and  
thirty-eight minutes after their depart-  
ure from Bristol. At that, the Royal  
George was delayed nearly four hours  
on the trip. The mails arrived in To-  
ronto at 8 p. m. on Jan. 8—remarkably  
fast time all around.

## LADIES! LOOK YOUNG, DARKEN GRAY HAIR

Use the Old-time Sage Tea and  
Sulphur and Nobody Will Know

Gray hair, however handsome, denotes  
advancing age. We all know the ad-  
vantages of a youthful appearance. Your  
hair is your charm. It makes or mars  
the face. When it fades, turns gray and  
looks dry, wispy and scraggly, just a  
few applications of Sage Tea and Sul-  
phur enhances its appearance a hundred  
fold.

Don't stay gray! Look young! Either  
prepare the tonic at home or get from  
any drug store a 50 cent bottle of "Wye-  
eth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy."  
Thousands of folks recommend this  
ready-to-use preparation, because it  
nearly restores the hair to its original  
color. It removes dandruff, stops scalp itching and  
falling hair; besides, no one can possi-  
bly tell, as it darkens so naturally  
and evenly. You moisten a sponge or  
soft brush with it, drawing this through  
the hair, taking one small strand at a  
time. By morning the gray hair disap-  
pears; after another application or two,  
its natural color is restored and it be-  
comes thick, glossy and lustrous and you  
are years younger. Agent—Wasson's  
5 Stores.

## FAMOUS GET-RICH- QUICK WALLINGFORD OPERA HOUSE TONIGHT

Possibly the best known and most  
widely read of any series of short stories  
are those by George Washington Ches-  
ter, entitled "Get-Rich-Quick Wallingford."  
When the stories attained a popularity  
such as to demand a dramatization of  
them, the task was undertaken by Geo.  
M. Cohen, and so successful were his ef-  
forts that the play enjoyed a run of  
nearly two years in New York city. Of  
course, Mr. Cohen had to depart some-  
what from the accepted idea of Walling-  
ford inasmuch as Mr. Chester's hero was  
a middle-aged man with a family. This,  
of course, would never do for stage pur-  
poses as romance is one of the chief  
elements of the play. The story of the  
young Wallingford, while Mr. Brandt  
will essay the clever tycoon who exposes  
him and later becomes his bride. An  
amalgam of the whole play is the story of the  
particular adventure around which  
the play is built. The story of the cap-  
tack industry and is one of the most  
amusing of the Wallingford series.

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young Wallingford, while Mr. Brandt  
will essay the clever tycoon who exposes  
him and later becomes his bride. An  
amalgam of the whole play is the story of the  
particular adventure around which  
the play is built. The story of the cap-  
tack industry and is one of the most  
amusing of the Wallingford series.

## RUN DOWN FOR YEARS

Strength Restored by Vinol

Strength and even life itself depends  
upon nourishment and proper assimila-  
tion of food, and unless digestion is  
sound the whole body suffers.  
Mrs. C. W. Busby of Moundsville, W.  
Va., says: "For years I was in a weak-  
ened, run-down condition, and I could  
not find anything that would help me.  
Vinol was recommended and I tried it.  
Before I finished the first bottle I was  
better. I continued its use and am as  
well as ever. I have gotten several  
neighbors to take Vinol with the same  
result."

I know the great power of Vinol, my  
delicious cod liver and iron tonic with-  
out oil, in building up all weakened,  
run-down persons, after long chronic  
coughs, colds and pulmonary trouble,  
and that is why I guarantee to return  
your money if it does not help you.  
Chas. R. Wasson, Druggist, St. John.

## THE LATE VISCOUNT ROSS

Viscount Cross, whose death was an-  
nounced in the Times last week, had  
the distinction of defeating Gladstone in  
his own constituency over the Irish church  
disestablishment bill in 1886. The son  
of a prosperous commoner, he was edu-  
cated at Rugby and Cambridge, enter-  
ing both the legal profession and the  
political arena early in life. He was  
made home secretary in Disraeli's cabi-  
net in 1874, and gained legislative  
amendments in industrial housing con-  
ditions, and also introduced the prisons  
bill, which transferred responsibility  
from local authorities to the imperial  
government.

A merchant in Pittsfield carries in his  
residence a small copy of all his ac-  
counts so that if his regular books were  
destroyed he could replace the figures.  
The notebook is regularly brought up to  
date.

## FREE HEMMING SALE IN LINEN ROOM

## Bargain Sale of Ostrich Feathers

Rare Opportunity to Secure Rich Appearing Trimming  
At Great Reductions

These are desirable feathers, every one bright, fresh and stylish in effect. They rep-  
resent a small lot left at the season's end, and as they occupy space required for new goods ar-  
riving, they will be offered for quick clearance at remarkably liberal savings, ranging from one-  
third to one-half of regular prices.

Commencing Tuesday Morning

**OSTRICH FEATHERS**—In black, white, cerise, tan, purple, sage, grey, champagne and  
green, also in a variety of handsome two-tone and shaded combinations.

Sale Prices.....90c, \$2.25, \$3.90, \$5.90  
NO APPROVAL. NO EXCHANGE.

Sale Will Start at 9 o'clock in Millinery Salon—Second Floor.

## Clearance Sale of Underskirts

**UNDERSKIRTS**—In black mercerized sateen, neat model with deep flounce, fine ac-  
cordion pleated, narrow width, assorted lengths. These underskirts are just the thing for  
stormy weather wear and offered at one low sale price, each.....90c.

Costume Section—Second Floor.

## Remnant Sale of House Furnishing Materials

With spring house-cleaning coming before long, most housekeepers will find a ready use  
for these remnants, offered at surprisingly low figures to dispose of them with dispatch. Most  
of them are in generous lengths and they represent some of the most popular patterns in the  
various materials.

Commencing Tuesday Morning

**REMNANTS of Cretomes, Chintz, Art Sateens, Art Silkolines** for curtains, valances,  
cushions, shirt waist boxes, etc.

**REMNANTS of Tapestry Furniture Coverings** for lounges, divans, easy chairs, rockers,  
cozy corners, etc.

**REMNANTS of Curtain Muslins, Plain and Bordered Scrims, White, Cream and Colored**  
Madras Muslins for curtains, draperies, etc.

A great many are marked at less than half price, and early shoppers will reap a harvest  
of great bargains.

Sale Will Start at 9 o'clock in House Furnishing Dept.—2nd Floor

## Manchester Robertson Allison, Limited

## AMES' PICTURES LESSON OF WHAT CAN BE DONE IN BUILDING THE SHIPS HERE

Searching Analysis of Tory M. P.'s Ad-  
dress Before Canadian Club in Halifax

(Halifax Recorder)  
Mr. Ames, M. P. for St. Antine di-  
vision, Montreal, is undoubtedly a pleas-  
ing and entertaining speaker, and his  
lecture before the Canadian Club and  
enjoyed by everyone on Monday night.

The lecturer, moreover, was killing two  
birds with one stone, for, while telling  
his hearers all about the wonderful  
mechanism of shipbuilding and ship-  
building, he was, at the same time put-  
ting in a sly defence of Mr. Borden's  
centralization policy. His object may be  
summed up as follows:

"Here we see the mightiest navy ever  
constructed by man for the defence of  
any nation. Here we see the most tre-  
mendous battleships, the most powerful  
cruisers, the deadliest torpedo craft, the  
swiftest destroyers, the most effective  
submarines, the most perfectly trained  
men, the most gallant officers, a vast and  
complicated system complete in every  
part. Here we see great shipyards  
equipped with the most elaborate, in-  
tricate and costly machinery, wherein  
are built warships for all the world.  
Here are equipment and supreme skill.  
Here is courage backed by the inspira-  
tion of centuries of triumph at sea  
against every foe."

"If you need defence, here is where  
you will get it in full measure for money  
expended. Here is the place to instal  
armament. Here is the place to get  
cruisers, here is the place to get officers,  
here is the place to procure courage, skill  
and resolution. Pay your money into the  
firm and leave the rest to the Admi-  
rality, who manages all these things."  
"Never mind bothering about your  
own shipyards, your petty naval begin-  
nings, your feeble first attempts. First  
pay your money and others will protect  
your interests while you go your ways  
in peace under the wing of mighty Eng-  
land. Here you will get more protection  
for your dollar than it is possible to ob-  
tain in any other way." Such to all in-  
tents and purposes was the obvious plea  
of Mr. Ames' lecture.

With all due deference to the purely  
mathematical logic of such contentions,  
we most emphatically dissent from his  
conclusions. The picture of the great  
shipyards swarming with skilled workers  
has the natural effect of making ener-

getic Canadians deeply desire to see a  
similar industry in Canada. The picture  
of the gigantic battleship looming in its  
vast bulk from the water stirs us  
with a feeling of emulation till we long  
to behold a similar giant owned by us  
and guarding our own coasts. The pic-  
ture of the marvelously trained men and  
officers carrying on their work with  
such quickness and precision makes us  
burn with the desire to see a force of  
equally trained and equally brave Cana-  
dians, alert to guard our own special  
interests.

The pictures also remind us that the  
British navy in its present form of colos-  
sal Dreadnoughts, great cruisers and  
wonderful submarines, has practically  
been the creation of the last ten years—  
for the ships and building plants of that  
time were small and crude indeed com-  
pared with the present—and that the  
revolution in size and method has not  
been so much a growth as re-creation.  
Vast plants have also been constructed  
in other countries since then where there  
were no such plants at all before. And  
they can be constructed right here in  
Canada, in Halifax. The sight of the  
world policing naval force of the other  
country fills us with awe and admiration,  
but not with despair in our own  
resources and abilities. Rather does it  
fill us with a feeling of just pride and  
emulation, that we of the Lion's brood  
can learn to do and dare as the Lion  
has dared and done.

The whole series of Mr. Ames' pic-  
tures was an object lesson to Canadians,  
illustrating to them what they can do  
and what they should aspire to. Any  
people who permanently rely upon the  
skill and courage of others, even their  
cousins, for their defence, are a people  
who will fall short of the highest great-  
ness. Canadian Dreadnought with Brit-  
ish Dreadnought, Canadian seamen be-  
side their British brothers, Canadian  
cannon roaring in consonance with Brit-  
ish cannon against a common foe, should  
be the ideal, this is the only ideal  
worthy of a brave and self-respecting  
race.

## MEXICAN FEDERALS FLEE TO TEXAS

Presidio, Texas, Jan. 10.—The Mexican  
federal army, with its nine generals,  
evacuated Ojinaga at 10 o'clock tonight.  
The rebel forces, under General Villa,  
immediately occupied the village.

General Mercedo, who was Huerta's  
chief military commander, crossed the  
river and surrendered to Major McNa-  
mara, of the United States army.  
The defeat of the federal army fol-

lowed only a few hours' fighting, in  
which the rebels, beginning at sundown,  
started to close in on the garrison with  
a cannon and rifle fire.

General Castro and General Mercedo,  
of the federal regulars, saw that the as-  
sault was to be nothing less than a  
massacre. The federals had left only  
fifty rounds of ammunition for each man.  
Generals Castro and Mercedo, therefore,  
gave the order to evacuate.

All the federal soldiers and their offi-  
cers who could scramble to the American  
side did so. The others ran in all direc-  
tions.

In the small city of Clearfield, Pa.,  
have been registered two of the largest  
mortgages on record one for \$800,000,000  
and one for \$167,000,000. The documents  
for each mortgage fill about 180 pages.

A man in Georgetown, Ky., recently  
had a shave and haircut for the first  
time in his life at the age of sixty-four.

## GOT RID OF BRONCHITIS

The worst feature of bronchitis is the  
tendency to return year after year un-  
til the system is worn out and gives  
way to consumption, or other ravaging  
disease.

Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and  
Turpentine owes much of its great  
popularity to the fact that it positively  
cures bronchitis, and this is about as  
good a test as can be made of a  
medicine of this kind.

Mr. W. H. Walker, Calmar, Alta.,  
writes: "I am pleased to say that Dr.  
Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Tur-  
pentine has done much good to myself,  
wife and children. My eldest girl, seven  
years, had bronchitis, and the doctor  
who attended her did not seem to do  
much good. We got Dr. Chase's Syrup  
of Linseed and Turpentine for her, and  
she soon got well. We always keep this  
medicine in the house now ready for  
use, and find that it soon cures coughs  
and colds."

In fighting diseases of the throat and  
lungs half the battle is in having Dr.  
Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpen-  
tine at hand to be used promptly. This  
is why many people prefer to buy the  
large family size bottle.

## Coughs and Colds Fore-run Sickness

and should have immediate efficient  
treatment with SCOTT'S EMULSION  
because physical power is reduced  
or the cold would not exist.

Drugged pills and alcoholic  
syrups are crutches, not remedies,  
but SCOTT'S EMULSION drives out  
the cold, warms the body by  
enriching the blood, and strength-  
ens the lungs.

Nothing equals or compares  
with SCOTT'S EMULSION in build-  
ing the forces to prevent bron-  
chitis, grippe or pneumonia.

Avoid Alcoholic Substitutes.

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