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DEATHS

SAUNDERS—In Cambridge (Mass.), Jan. 17, Margaret, beloved wife of Edwin Saunders, 67 years. Burial at St. Andrews (N. B.)

CARNALL—In this city on the 19th inst., James Henry Carnall, aged 66 years, leaving a wife, three sons and two daughters to mourn their loss.

ORAM—In this city, on the 19th inst., Daniel E. Oram, aged 55 years, leaving three sons and two daughters to mourn their loss.

McDade—In this city, on the 19th inst., after a short illness, Michael McDade, in the 81st year of his age, leaving a wife, four sons and two daughters to mourn their loss.

SHIP NEWS.

PORT OF ST. JOHN.

Arrived.

Tuesday, Jan. 17.

Stmr Parisian, 3,385, Braes, Liverpool via Halifax, Wm Thomson & Co, gen.

Schr Wanola, 272, Wagner, New York, J W. Smith, bal.

Schr Harry Miller, 246, Muller, New York, A. W. Adams, coal.

Coastwise—Schrs Eastern Light, 40, Cheney, Grand Harbor; Effort, 63, Milner, Annapolis.

Wednesday, Jan. 18.

Schr. Virginia, 99, Merriam, Boston, F Tufts & Co, fertilizer.

Coastwise—Schrs Fred and Norman, 31, Cheney, Grand Harbor; Carrie H, 20, Wilson, fishing.

Thursday, Jan. 19.

Stmr St Helens, 592, Mason, from Halifax, J H Scammell & Co, bal.

Coastwise—Tug Springhill, Cook, with barge No 7, from Parrsboro, and cld with barge No 4, for Parrsboro; stmrs Senlac, 614, McKinnon, from Halifax via ports; Granville, 49, Collins, from Anapolis, and both cld.

Cleared.

Stmr Dahome, Leukten, Halifax and West Indies, Schofield & Co.

Wednesday, Jan. 18.

Stmr Montcalm, Evans, London and Bristol, C P R.

Coastwise—Barge No 4, Tufts, Parrsboro; schr Lone Star, Richardson, Grand Harbor.

Thursday, Jan. 19.

Stmr St Croix, Thompson, for Boston via Maine ports, W G Lee.

Coastwise—Schr Effort, Milner, for Annapolis.

CANADIAN PORTS.

Halifax, N S, Jan 17—Arrived stmr Carthaginia, from Glasgow and Liverpool via St John's (Nfld); schrs Caledonian, from New York; Manna Loa, do; Hugh John, do; Clara, do; Agues V Gleason, fishing grounds (22,00 lbs fish) and cleared to return.

Halifax, Jan 18—Ard, stmr Roda, Huelva, Spain, for Philadelphia (short of coal), and proceeded; schrs Baden Powell, New York; Vera, Gloucester (Mass) for Banks.

Cld—Stmr MacKay-Bennett, New York.

Sld—Stmrs Baker, Schonwandt, Boston; Beta, Hopkins, Bermuda, Turks Island and Jamaica; Carthaginian, Philadelphia.

Halifax, Jan 19—Ard 18th, stmr Dahome, from St John.

Sld—Stmr Florence, Barr, for London.

BRITISH PORTS.

Lizard, Jan 17—Passed stmr Evangeline, from St. John (N B) and Halifax for London.

Lisbon, Jan 18—Schr Yreka, Halifax.

Kinsale, Jan 18—Passed, stmr Ulunda, Halifax and St John's (Nfld) for Liverpool.

Queenstown, Jan 18—Ard, stmr Teutonic, New York for Liverpool, and proceeded.

London, Jan 17—Sld, stmr Gulf of Ancud, Halifax.

Liverpool, Jan 18—Sld, stmr Alderney, Halifax.

Kinsale, Jan 18—Passed, stmr Welshman, Portland for Liverpool.

London, Jan 18—Ard, stmr Evangeline, St John and Halifax.

Liverpool, Jan 18—Ard, stmr Iberian, Boston for Manchester.

Moville, Jan 18—Ard, stmrs Pretorian, St John and Halifax for Liverpool, and proceeded.

Liverpool, Jan 19—Ard, stmr Ulunda, from Halifax and St John's (Nfld).

Sld—Stmrs Cornishman, for Portland; Sagamore, for Boston.

Manchester, Jan 18—Ard, stmr Iberian, from Boston.

Mossell Bay, Jan 16—Sld, stmr Melville, for St John.

Queenstown, Jan 19—Sld, stmrs Ivernia, from Liverpool for Boston; Baltic, from Liverpool for New York.

London, Jan 19—Ard, stmr Lancastrian, from Boston.

Sld—Stmr Minneapolis, for New York.

Brow Head, Jan 19—Passed, stmr Manxman, from Portland for Avonmouth.

Liverpool, Jan 19—Ard, stmr Welshman, from Portland; stmr Pretorian, from St John and Halifax via Moville.

Sld—Stmr Ionian, for Halifax and St John.

Glasgow, Jan 19—Ard, stmr Numidian, from New York.

FOREIGN PORTS.

Antwerp, Jan. 16—Ard stmr Lake Michigan, from St John (N B), and Halifax via London.

Boston, Jan 17—Ard stmrs Anglian, from London; Mystic, from Louisburg (C B); barque Saranac, from Rosario and Buenos Ayres.

Sld—Stmrs Saxonia, for Liverpool; Boston, for Yarmouth.

Salem, Mass, Jan 17—Ard and sailed schr Strathcona, from St John for New York.

Chatham, Mass, Jan 17—Fresh southwest wind; clear at sunset.

Buenos Ayres, Dec 24—Ard barques Stella B, from Tusket Wedge; Jan 17, Ilos, from Windsor (N S) via Montevideo.

Norfolk, Jan 17—Ard stmr Scottish Hero, from Halifax.

Vineyard Haven, Mass, Jan 17—Ard schr Elizabeth M Cook, from Elizabethport for Calais (stopped for medical assistance.)

Passed—Tug Gypsum King, towing barges No 20, from Newport News for Portsmouth and Newburg, New York for Windsor.

Boston, Jan 18—Cld, bark Shawmut, St John.

Sld—From roads, barkentine Golden Rod, Bahia Blanca.

City Island, Jan 18—Bound south, schrs Vinita, Port Clyde and Jordan River; Pardon G Thompson, St. John via Stamford (Conn).

New York, Jan 18—Cld, schr Rewa, St John.

Portsmouth, Jan 18—Ard, tug Gypsum King, towing barge J B King & Co No 20, Newport News.

Portland, Jan 18—Ard, stmrs Ottoman, Liverpool Cervona, Shields; Iona, Shields.

New Haven, Jan 18—Ard and sld, schr Onyx, Liverpool (N S) for New London.

Sld—Schr Marjorie J. Sumner, from St John for New York.

Boston, Jan 19Ard, stmrs Cymric, from Liverpool; Baker, from Halifax; Boston, from Yarmouth.

Sld—Stmrs Canadian, for Liverpool; Idaho, for Hull via New York; Mystic, for Louisbourg, Halifax, Bermuda and West Indies; bqetn Shawmut, for St John.

Boothbay Harbor, Jan 19—Ard, schr Wandarin, from New York.

Cadiz, Jan 14—Sld, bqe Minnie, for St John's (Nfld).

Gloucester, Jan 19—Ard, schrs Sebago, from Philadelphia; Barnes Hawkins, from Nelk Harbor (C B).

New York, Jan 19—Ard, ship Sachsen, from Lisbon; schrs Wm L Perkins, from Port Reading for an eastern port.

Sld—Stmrs Lagascogne, for Havre; Pomeranian, for Glasgow.

Nassau, Jan 19—Ard, schr Valoria, from Bridgewater (N S) for Grenada.

New London, Conn, Jan 19—Ard, schrs Onyx, from Liverpool (N S); Adeila T Carleton, from Hurricane Island for New York.

Portland, Jan 19—Ard, schrs Emma W Day, from Bar Harbor; R D Spear, Wilber, from St John for provisions.

Cld—Stmr Monhegan, for Rockland and Jonesport.

Sld—Stmr North Star, for New York.

Palermo, Jan 10—Ard, bqe Lauretta, from Eastport.

Vineyard Haven, Jan 19—Ard, schr Spartel, from Calais for New York.

Sld—Schrs Carrie C Miles, from Port Reading for Camden; Ehzabeth M Cook, from Elizabethport for Calais.

Passed—Schr Strathcona, St John for New York.

LIST OF VESSELS BOUND TO ST. JOHN.

Steamers.

Corinthian, 4018, to sail from Liverpool, Feb 2.
David, 962, Savannah via New wYork, Jan 5
Dunmore Head, 1459, at Belfast, Dec 30.
Gulf of Ancud, 1696, London, Jan 17.
Heim, 1046, at Sydney, Jan 11.
Indrani, 2339, to sail from Glasgow, Jan 7.
Ionian, 5,327, from Liverpool, Jan 19.
Kastalia, 2562, Glasgow, Jan 15.
Lake Champlain, 4685, to sail from Liverpool Feb 2.
Lake Erie, 4814, Liverpool, Jan 10.
Lake Manitoba, 6275, to sail from Liverpool Jan 24.
Lake Michigan, 6340, at London, Jan 2.
Melville, from Mossell Bay, Jan 16.
Manchester Corporation, 2386, to sail from Manchester, Jan 14.
Manchester Merchant, 2707, Liverpool, Jan 6
Parisian, 3385, to sail from Liverpool Fe 9.
Pretorian, 4073, to sail from Liverpool, Jan 26.
St John City, 1412, London via Halifax, Jan 6.
Salacia, 2836, at Glasgow, Dec 26; to sail Jan 28.
Sicilian, 3964, Moville via Halifax, Jan 13.
Tritonia, 2720, to sail from Glasgow Feb 21.
Wyandotte, 2712, Natal, Dec 18.

Barkentine.

Shawmut, from Boston, Jan 19.

DALHOUSIE SCHOONER'S FEARFUL EXPERIENCE

Captain King, who was landed at Halifax Tuesday evening, reports on the loss of the schooner Utility, bound from Dalhousie for Barbados. The Utility sailed from Dalhousie Nov. 17, and on Dec. 12 encountered a gale with heavy sea, during which part of the deckload was carried off. The remainder of the deck cargo became loose and began to work from side to side, straining the vessel's bulwark stanchions and top timbers.

It was found the vessel was leaking and all hands went to the pumps. The deckload was jettisoned, but in spite of hard work on the pumps the water gained and finally was seven feet six inches in the hold. During the night the wind continued to blow a gale, sea running very high, ship laboring heavily, decks continually flooded, all hands still striving to gain a little upon the leak by continual pumping. On the 13th heavy seas did much damage. The steering gear was disabled, and she became waterlogged. On the 14th terrific gales were met, and on the 15th weather moderated. The steamer Dalmally hove in sight, and it was determined to abandon the wreck. The crew were taken off by a boat from the steamship.

The Utility was owned by Charles Powell, of Dalhousie.

MARRIAGE CATECHISM

(Boston Post.)

Representative Watts, of Indiana, has introduced a bill in the state legislature designed as a check on easy marriage and the divorce habit. One of the provisions of the bill is that the would-be husband must answer a series of questions. The answers to some of these questions are extremely difficult, and for that reason we have furnished some answers to them which we have thought up unaided and alone. Following are the questions proposed by Representative Watts, together with the answers which we offer gratuitously:

Q.—Are you 21 years of age? A.—You can search me.

Q.—Is the lady you want to marry 21 years of age? A.—Yes, but she won't admit it.

Q.—Can you support your wife if you are married? A.—How do I know?

Q.—Can your wife support you if necessary? A.—No, but her dad can.

Q.—Are you insane? A.—No. I'm in love.

Q.—Is your intended wife insane? A.—Not so you could notice it.

Q.—Are any near relatives of either you or your bride insane? A.—I didn't know that was necessary.

Q.—Are you perfectly healthy? A.—Oh, I have hives, occasionally.

Q.—Is your bride well and hearty? A.—Yes, thanks—how are all your folks?

Q.—What is your name? A.—Hannibal Heartache Simpson

Q—What is your proposed bride's name? A.—Valentia Violet Vasseline Montague, but she can't help it.

Q.—What is your father's name A.—Look in the directory.

Q.—What is your proposed bride's father name? A.—Same as his daughter's.

Q.—What is your mother's name? A.—Sarah Jane—we have a dog, too; his name is "Heck"; we have a cat and her name is "Maria"; we have a baby, but we haven't named it yet.

Q.—What is your proposed bride's mother's name? A.—I have a headache and can't think.

Q.—Who were your grandparents? A.—They were descendants of my great-grandparents—in fact, they are yet.

Q.—Who were your proposed bride's grandparents? A.—I haven't had time to look up her pedigree as yet.

Q.—Is there any impediment to your marriage? A.—I can't think of any except these fool questions.

What is probably the most ancient letter in the world has just been discovered in some excavations being made in the province of Attica, and is said to have been written four centuries before Christ. It is engraved on a leaden leaf, and runs as follows: Mnesiengos sends his greetings to those in the house and informs them that he is in good health. Please send me a blanket or some sheepskins, if possible, of the ordinary kind, without ornaments. As soon as the occasion offers I shall return them."

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ST. JOHN MARKETS

Very little change has taken place in the local markets since last report. Except for the advance of 10 cents in sugar, prices have remained unchanged, although both the flour and sugar markets are very strong. The wholesale prices yesterday were:—

COUNTRY MARKET.

Beef, western	0.08	to	0.09
Beef, butchers	0.05	"	0.07
Beef, country	0.02	"	0.04
Lamb, per lb.	0.06	"	0.06
Mutton, per lb.	0.04	"	0.05
Veal, per lb.	0.05	"	0.07
Pork, per lb.	0.05½	"	0.06
Beets, per bbl	2.00	"	0.00
Carrots, per bbl.	1.65	"	1.65
Potatoes, per bbl	1.25	"	1.50
Sheepskins, apiece	0.60	"	0.70
Cabbage, per doz.	0.75	"	1.20
Squash, per lb	0.00	"	0.02½
Calf skins, per lb.	0.10	"	0.12
Hides, per lb	0.06	"	0.00
Chickens, per pair	0.40	"	0.80
Fowls, per pair	0.40	"	0.70
Ducks, per pair	1.00	"	1.25
Turkeys, per lb	0.19	"	0.21
Eggs (case) per doz	0.23	"	0.00
Eggs (hennery) per doz	0.30	"	0.35
Tub butter, per lb.	0.16	"	0.20
Roll butter, per lb.	0.21	"	0.23

PROVISIONS.

American clear pork	17.50	"	20.00
American mess pork	17.50	"	18.00
Pork, domestic	15.00	"	18.00
Canadian plate beef	12.50	"	12.75
American plate beef	13.75	"	14.00
Lard, pure	0.08¾	"	0.09
Lard, compound	0.07¾	"	0.08

GROCERIES.

Cheese, per lb.	0.11¼	"	0.11½
Rice, per lb.	0.03¼	"	0.03½
Cream of tartar, pure boxes	0.22	"	0.23
Sal, soda, per lb.	0.01	"	0.01½
Bicarb soda, per keg	2.25	"	2.35
Molasses—			
Porto Rico	0.38	"	0.40
Barbados	0.30	"	0.31
Barbados, 2nd grade	0.27	"	0.28
Salt—			
Liverpool, per sack, ex store	0.62	"	0.63
Beans (y. e.)	3.00	"	3.10
Beans (Canadian h. p.)	1.70	"	1.75
Beans, prime	1.60	"	1.65
Split peas	5.20	"	5.25
Cornmeal	3.00	"	3.10
Pot barley	4.40	"	4.50

FISH.

Large dry cod	5.00	"	5.10
Medium	5.00	"	0.00
Small cod	3.60	"	3.70
Finnan haddies	0.05½	"	0.06
Canso herring, bbls.	6.00	"	6.00
Canso herring, hf-bbls	3.50	"	3.50
Gd. Manan herring, hf-bbls	2.75	"	2.85
Rippling herring	2.85	"	2.90
Cod, fresh	0.02¾	"	0.03
Pollock	2.70	"	2.75
Halibut, per lb.	0.00	"	0.00
Large smoked herring, 200 count	0.00	"	0.75

GRAIN, ETC.

Middlings (car lots)	23.50	"	24.50
Middlings, small lots, bagged	24.00	"	25.50
Bran, small lots, bagged	23.00	"	23.00
Pressed hay (car lots)	11.50	"	12.00
Ontario oats (car lots)	0.41	"	0.43
Cottonseed meal	32.50	"	33.50

FLOUR, ETC.

Oatmeal, roller	4.90	"	4.95
Granulated cornmeal	4.20	"	4.25
Standard oatmeal	5.25	"	5.30
Medium patent	5.80	"	5.90
Manitoba	6.35	"	6.45
Canadian high grades	6.00	"	6.10

SUGARS.

Standard granulated	5.80	"	5.90
Austrian granulated	5.70	"	5.80
Bright yellow	5.65	"	5.75
No. 1 yellow	5.25	"	5.35
Paris lumps	0.07½	"	0.07¾
Pulverized	0.07½	"	0.07¾

CANNED GOODS.

The following are wholesale quotations per case: Fish—Hump back brand, $4.25; cohoes, $5.50 to $5.60; spring fish, $6.25 to $6.75. Other kinds of fish are: Finnan haddies, $3.75 to $4; kippered herring, $3.75 to $4.00; kippered halibut, $1.25; lobsters, $3 to $3.25; clams, $3.75 to $4; oysters, 1s., $1.35 to $1.45; oysters, 2s., $2.25 to $2.40.

Meats—Canned beef, 1s., $1.60; corned beef, 2s., $2.70; lunch tongue, $3; ox tongue, $7; pig's feet, 1s., $1.25; roast beef, $2.25 to $2.65.

Fruits—Pears, 2s., $1.75; peaches, 2s., $1.95; peaches, 3s., $2.90; pine apple, sliced, $2.25; pine apple, grated, $2.50; Singapore pine apple, $1.75 to $1.85. Lombard plums, $1.50 green gages, $1.65; blueberries, 80c. to $1; raspberries, $1.50 to $1.60; strawberries, $1.50 to $1.60.

Vegetables—Corn, per dozen, $1.15; peas, 85 to 90 cents; tomatoes, $1.25; pumpkins, 90c; squash, $1.10; string beans, 90 to 96; baked beans, $1.00.

FRUITS, ETC.

Currants, per lb.	0.05¼	"	0.05½
Currants, cleaned	0.06	"	0.06½
Dried apples	0.04¼	"	0.04½
New walnuts	0.10	"	0.11
Grenoble walnuts	0.14	"	0.15
Marbot walnuts	0.11	"	0.12
Almonds	0.13	"	0.14
California prunes	0.05	"	0.08
Filberts	0.11	"	0.12
Brazils	0.15	"	0.15½
Pecans	0.14	"	0.15
Dates, per pkg	0.06	"	0.06½
Peanuts, roasted	0.09½	"	0.10
Malaga grapes, keg	5.50	"	6.00
Bag figs, per lb.	0.04	"	0.05
New figs, per lb.	0.10	"	0.13
Malaga London layers	1.90	"	2.00
Malaga clusters	2.75	"	4.00
Malaga, black, baskets	2.50	"	2.60
Malaga connoisseurs clus	3.10	"	3.25
Raisins, Val. layers, new	0.06¼	"	0.06½
Bananas	2.25	"	0.00
Lemons, Messina, per box	0.00	"	3.50
Cocoanuts, per sack	3.75	"	0.00
Coacoanuts, per doz.	0.60	"	0.70
Evaporated apricots	0.14	"	0.14
Canadian onions, bag	1.75	"	2.00
Canadian, per bbl	0.00	"	4.00
Evap. apples	0.06	"	0.06½
New apples	1.00	"	2.50
New Valencia oranges	3.75	"	4.00

OILS.

Pratt's Astral	0.00	"	0.20
White Rose and Chester A.	0.00	"	0.19
High grade Sarnia and Arc-light	0.18½	"	0.18½
Silver Star	0.18	"	0.18
Linseed oil, raw	0.00	"	0.47
Linseed oil, boiled	0.00	"	0.50
Turpentine	0.00	"	0.87
Seal oil, steam refined	0.00	"	0.57
Olive oil, commercial	0.00	"	0.95
Castor oil, commercial, per lb.	0.07½	"	0.08
Extra lard oil	0.78	"	0.88
Extra No. 1 lard	0.68	"	0.77

George C. Matthews.

Moncton, Jan. 19—George. C. Matthews, traveler for the Dominion Tobacco Co., Montreal, died here this afternoon. A family survive. He had been ill of lung trouble for some time.

Skinner—"At the cry of distress my hand goes instinctively to my pocket."

Mildmay—"I see; you want to make sure your pocketbook is safe."

London Sends Its Tribute

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A payment of only $1 and your promise to pay the balance ($11) in five and a half monthly payments of $2 each will buy the new Crown Melophone, *guaranteed to be equal in every respect, and superior in many important respects, to machines sold for $17 without records*, also a Needle Box, 300 finest quality Diamond Steel Needles, and six brand new 8-inch 50c. Records—*good $20 value for only $12 on easy payments or $10 cash.*

Description

The new Crown Melophone is a handsome instrument, substantially made, and so simply constructed that a child can easily operate it. It can be wound while running, and will play any make or size of disc record. It has a beautifully polished oak cabinet, fitted with a real talking machine motor (not clock work motor) with worm gearing, constructed on the same principle as those found in the highest priced machines, only on a little smaller scale. It has the new combination brake and speed regulator. By the use of this you start, stop and control the speed of the machine by one small lever so simply constructed a child can do it. This regulator never gets out of order. It has the regular standard size, full size sound box, as always to be in order. The horn is 15 inches long, finely nickel-plated and richly lacquered on the inside. Its unusual length, improved shape and extra large bell, 9 inches in diameter, rounds out the tones beautifully, so that when they issue from the horn they are *loud, full, clear, musical, very distinct and as sweet as a bell.* All the metal parts are nicely gilded, and the whole is elegantly finished, making an instrument superior in appearance, workmanship and finish to any machine ever sold for less than $20, including six records, and remember we guarantee it for five years.

Why we Can Make Such a Liberal Offer

The more we buy the cheaper we buy, and the cheaper we can sell. We were never always able to offer such value. When we first started in business we bought machines by the dozens and records by the hundreds. Then our business steadily grew and we began to buy by the hundreds and thousands, later by the carload, NOW we control the entire output of one of the largest factories in the world in this particular machine

COUPON

JOHNSTON & CO.,
191 Yonge St., Toronto.

Gentlemen,—Enclosed find $1.00 as first payment on one Crown Melophone and Outfit. If perfectly satisfactory in every particular, I agree to pay you $2.00 a month for five and a half months. If unsatisfactory, it is understood that I can return the Outfit and this order will be cancelled.

Name .....
Address .....
Occupation .....
Age .....
Nearest Express Office ..... S.J.T.1.21. .....

The Records

Are noted for their superior quality great volume, clearness and brilliancy of tone. They will wear twice as long as any other disc record, and the selections are the finest ever heard. There are hundreds of titles to choose from including solos on all the different instruments, band and orchestra selections, comic, sentimental and coon songs, hymns, chimes, bells, sacred music, duets, quartettes, sextettes, minstrels, whistling and dialect records. Do the long dull evenings ever drag wearily? Do the young people ever wish for an impromptu dance? Do your Sunday afternoons sometimes seem as if they would never end? Do your boys go out too much at night? Have you a sick friend or relative who needs cheering up? Do you ever come home after a hard day's work and feel that you would like some employment, some entertainment, to make you forget your troubles? Then consider that our Crown Melophone will turn the long, dull evenings into one grand concert. It will furnish the most delightful music for dancing. Its sacred music will keep bright the long Sunday afternoons. It will charm the sick. It will tell such funny stories, sing such comical songs, repeat such witty jokes that you will be compelled to laugh and forget that you were ever worried. We really can say too much in praise of this wonderful talking and singing machine. It is the latest product of the Talking Machine Art, embracing every improvement. *There is not a machine in Canada that can approach it at anywhere near the price.*

Testimonials

Dear Sirs:— WASSAGO, ONT., 3RD DEC., 1904
Your Crown Melophone Machine to hand. I must say that it has all the qualities that you claim for it. *Equal to any $20 machine.* Since receiving it, I have given it a thorough trial, and am perfectly satisfied with the results, and all who have heard it give the same opinion. I remain yours truly, THOMAS CARRICK.
P.S.—You can use this letter as a recommendation, T.C.

Dear Sirs:— STIRLING, ALTA., JAN. 2ND 1905
I received my Crown Outfit, and am very much pleased with it. I think it is one of the best, and loudest, and clearest Talking Machines I have ever heard. My family are all charmed with it. SAMUEL FAWCETT.

Dear Sirs:— SNAKE RIVER, ONT., JAN. 6TH, 1905
I am more than pleased with my Crown Outfit. It is a grand piece of music for the money and we are all delighted with it. It makes great amusement for the boys. JOSEPH EDWARDS

Dear Sirs:— PLUM COULEE, MAN., JAN. 5TH, 1905
I received the Crown Outfit a few days ago, and am well pleased with it. Enclosed find money order for $15 for another Crown Machine and 18 records. RUDOLF MECKLING.

A Last Word

If there is any further information you would like, write us and we will gladly give it. If not fill out the coupon and mail it to us. Don't delay. We have been receiving so many orders lately that the factory has had hard work to keep up with the demand, so if you wish yours to be filled promptly, send in the coupon at once and we will guarantee a picked and well tested instrument. Understand you run no risk. *If the outfit does not come fully up to your expectations you can return it to us, and we will refund your dollar.* If you wish to take advantage of the cash price, send $1 just the same and we will ship the outfit C.O.D. to your nearest express office. Then when thoroughly tested and found perfectly satisfactory, you can pay the express agent the balance, $9, and express charges. Address,

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SHOT FIRED BY IMPERIAL GUARDS AT CZAR

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morning, my children," to which the soldiers and sailors replied in stentorian tones: "Good health to your majesty," while the band played the national anthem.

At the conclusion of the solmen ceremony, the metropolitan having dipped the cross into the water, the St. Peter and St. Paul fortress boomed a salute. Then came a crash of bullets through the windows, but no panic occurred, and the metropolitan quickly proceeded to bless the emperor and his entourage and consecrate the standards anew from the sanctified waters of the Neva..

Stoessel at Shanghai.

Shanghai, Jan. 19—The French steamer Australien arrived here today from Nagasaki with General and Mme. Stoessel, Generals Gorbatowsky and Reiss, Admirals Gregorievitch and Lochinsky, and five hundred and sixty other Russians from Port Arthur. About half of the Russians will continue the voyage on the Australien, while the other half will wait here for another steamer.

Russia Hasn't Protested to China

Pekin, Jan. 19—With reference to the Russian circular note to the powers on the subject of Chinese neutrality, the Chinese government complains that it has received no communication from Russia and consequently is ignorant of the specific charges. As soon as China is acquainted with the contents of the Russian note the government will reply.

Jap Artillery Has Longer Range.

Huanshan, Jan. 19—A considerable increase has been noticeable the last few days in the range of the Japanese artillery. This fact affords ground for the belief that part of the heavy guns used in the siege of Port Arthur have been sent north. Chinese confirm this and even designate points of probable concentration of Japanese siege guns. It is not believed, however, that any eleven or nine inch guns have arrived and been placed in position.

The Japanese are utilizing the Sinmintin railway not only for the forwarding of military supplies but also to flood the province of Mukden, by the aid of Chinese, with goods of Japanese and American origin, which find ready sale owing to the want of others.

Think Russia on Verge of Revolution.

London, Jan. 20—The London papers today and their St. Petersburg correspondents take the gravest views of the internal conditions in Russia. The majority express the belief that yesterday's incident was a premeditated attempt on the life of Emperor Nicholas, and maintain that the strike is much more a political than an industrial movement. In short, they consider that every sign makes it apparent that the empire is on the verge of a revolution.

It is alleged that the St. Petersburg manufacturers have decided to reject the strikers' demands and that the orthodox priest, Father Gopon, threatens to march on Sunday at the head of 100,000 strikers to the winter palace, with a petition for political rights, and that he will refuse to depart until the document is presented to the emperor.

North Sea Hearing.

Paris, Jan. 19—The international commission appointed to inquire into the North Sea incident began its public sessions this afternoon. The meeting was held in the state dining hall of the D'Orsay Palace (foreign office) which was crowded with high officials, diplomats and representatives of the navies of the principal maritime powers. Several members of the staff of the Japanese legation were among the diplomats present.

Admiral Fournier (France) presided.

Hugh O'Beirne, of the British embassy, agent of Great Britain before the international commission, read the charges.

Baron Taube, the Russian judicial advisor, read the Russian reply.

The British Case.

The principal charges of the British statement follow:

On the night in question there were not any warships whatever in the neighborhood of the fishing fleet except those of the Russian navy. No war ships had been seen by the fishing boats since a long time previous.

None of the boats making up the fishing fleet carried any kind of material of war.

No Japanese war ship of any kind whatever was at that moment in the North Sea.

There were not any Japanese upon the fishing boats.

The Russian fire continued after their searchlights clearly showed the vessels were peaceful fishing boats.

None of the Russian ships gave or even offered assistance.

The fire killed two men, wounded six, sank one boat and damaged five others.

The statement concludes that the attack was without any provocation upon pacific fishing boats pursuing their usual and rightful avocation.

Russian Reply.

The following are the principal points of the Russian reply:

"At about midnight the flagship Kniaz Suvaroff saw