

Financial and Commercial.

MORE OF LAWSON'S "FRENZIED FINANCE." His Story in Everybody's Magazine For January Brings More Threats of Suits For Libel--Red Hot Shot For the Standard Oil Crowd.

Thomas W. Lawson's January installment of "Frenzied Finance" in Everybody's Magazine, has attracted an extraordinary degree of attention...

How a Coup Failed. Brennan was a former Boston broker, now a New York capitalist and promoter who with an attorney representing an original holder of Bay State Gas income bonds for \$100,000...

Spent \$50,000. Incidentally Mr. Lawson tells the story of how the system expended five million dollars to change the five million dollar states in the 1890 election...

EXPORTS. For Glasgow per steam Indral: United States goods--23 trm trimmings, 1690 pkgs lead, 2000 cases canned beef...

NAILS ARE UP. As a result of the conference held in Montreal last week, nails have advanced some ten cents per hundred pounds...

THE MAKING OF PORTER

Porter--otherwise Stout--is a malt liquor of Irish origin. The malt of which it is made is roasted brown by a secret process...

CAT RAISES RABBITS.

Wilkesbarre, Pa.--Glen Malloy, of Athens, near Pa., has a handsome cat which has mothered eight baby rabbits...

MILLIONS IN SUITS.

Figures compiled by Supt. Joe Elliott of the money order division of the New York postoffice show that color checks for \$217,417,390 have been sent to Europe as Christmas presents by foreigners living in or near New York...

DEATHS.

IN THIS CITY. Union St. W. GILBERT, Dec. 22d, Frederick son of Samuel Gilbert, aged 30 years...

THE WORLD OF SHIPPING.

MINUTE ALMANAC. 1904. December. Sun Times. 19th Dec. ... 8:06 4:37 1:10 2:33 20th Dec. ... 8:07 4:38 1:11 2:34 21st Dec. ... 8:07 4:38 1:11 2:34 22nd Dec. ... 8:07 4:38 1:11 2:34 23rd Dec. ... 8:08 4:39 1:10 2:33 24th Dec. ... 8:08 4:39 1:10 2:33 25th Dec. ... 8:08 4:39 1:10 2:33 26th Dec. ... 8:08 4:39 1:10 2:33 27th Dec. ... 8:08 4:39 1:10 2:33 28th Dec. ... 8:08 4:39 1:10 2:33 29th Dec. ... 8:08 4:39 1:10 2:33 30th Dec. ... 8:08 4:39 1:10 2:33 31st Dec. ... 8:08 4:39 1:10 2:33

NEW LONDON, Conn. Dec. 23--Sid scull sailed for Liverpool, 28; Lavonia from New York for Port Greenville, N.S. ... PORTLAND, Me. Dec. 23--Arthur H. Hildner, from Portland, 28; Lavonia from New York for Port Greenville, N.S. ...

Something Special IN THE LINE OF Christmas Cakes, Macaroons, Scotch Cakes, etc.

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WANTED--A good stout boy to make bi-weekly round printer office. Apply at once at Evening Times.

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Week of Dec. 26th. Vaudeville, headed by CARSON BROS., gymnastic experts.

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The Dailey Co. Big Holiday Attraction.

CHRISTMAS DAY, And the first half of the week "Our New Minister."

Thursday, Friday and Saturday "Tess of D'Urbervilles."

Don't forget the Christmas Matinee.

Popular Prices.

The annual general meeting of the shareholders of the Saint John Opera House Company will be held at the Opera House on Thursday, January 26, 1905, at 8 p. m.

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NOW OPEN for 1904--SEASON--1905

The Rink's Own Fine Band in attendance. Season Tickets now on sale at following prices. GENTLEMEN, \$3.50; LADIES, \$2.50; CHILDREN, \$1.50.

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Choice Haws, Carnations, Hyacinths, Narcissus, Violets, etc. etc. Pretty Pots of Primroses and Hyacinths in bloom. Also Asparagus Ferns and other ferns suitable for Xmas presents.

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