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### COMMERCIAL

#### CANADA'S FIGURES ARE FOUR BILLIONS.

Canadian clearings for 1906 reached \$4,000,000,000. There was an increase of 14 per cent. Every city showed a gain on the year, ranging in different cities from 2 per cent. to over 48 per cent. and the aggregate increase is 16.47 per cent. The figures for Calgary and Edmonton are only partial for clearing houses were not established in these cities until in last year's total:

1906	1905	P.C.
Mont. \$1,525,107,848	\$1,255,808,060	13.82
Toronto 1,220,487,089	1,047,490,701	14.17
Winn. 600,555,192	369,888,179	25.13
Ottawa 181,167,994	150,861,876	19.36
Vancouver 131,127,098	88,460,290	48.23
Quebec 92,420,297	86,794,533	6.08
Halifax 91,035,327	89,251,062	1.99
Edmonton 77,091,051	63,385,061	12.32
St. John 59,672,456	52,326,333	11.60
London 57,817,584	50,429,511	12.32
Victoria 45,698,002	36,890,464	19.11
Calgary 36,864,231	.....	.....
Edmonton 17,137,360	.....	.....

Agg'te \$4,000,737,077 \$3,341,022,591 16.47

#### WALL STREET.

NEW YORK, Jan. 9.—Opening prices of stocks showed fractional recoveries from yesterday's depression, which ran to nearly a point in Reading, 4-8 in Union Pacific and 3-4 in Sugar. The widening tone of the London market had a sympathetic effect here. Readings reacted sharply from the opening price. Dealings were on a fairly large scale.

#### NEW YORK STOCK QUOTATIONS.

Chicago Market Report and New York Cotton Market.  
(Furnished by D. C. Clinch, Banker and Broker.)

St. John, N. B., Jan. 9.

Tues. Wed.	Clg. Op'g. Noon
Amalg. Copper	118 1/2 119 1/2
Ancon	28 1/2 28 1/2
Am. Sugar Refs.	124 1/2 125 1/2
Am. Smelt. and Rfg.	12 1/2 12 1/2
Am. Car Foundry	44 1/2 44 1/2
Am. Woolen	4 1/2 4 1/2
Atchafalpa	10 1/2 10 1/2
Am. Locomotive	7 1/2 7 1/2
Brook. Fed. Trst.	82 1/2 82 1/2
Balt. and Ohio	121 1/2 121 1/2
Ches. and Ohio	5 1/2 5 1/2
Canadian Pacific	193 1/2 193 1/2
Colo. F. and Iron	5 1/2 5 1/2
Consolidated Gas	18 1/2 18 1/2
Eric	4 1/2 4 1/2
Nipissing	13 1/2 13 1/2
Kansas and Texas	40 1/2 40 1/2

## RAISULI A FUGITIVE; SULTAN'S SOLDIERS ARE IN HOT PURSUIT



Raisuli's Palace at Tangier

### YOUNG PARISIAN'S PLOT TO STRANGLE STUDENT

His Terrible Torture of Child Oruses Intense and Widespread Indignation

PARIS, Jan. 7.—Thousands of people in Paris have been greatly excited by the account in the newspapers of the cruelty of student named Peemans, who tortured a little girl 8 years of age. The unfortunate child is still in a hospital, and the doctors despair of saving her. The student was in the habit of burning the poor little girl all over the body with the lighted end of his cigarette. He afterwards bathed the wounds with vinegar. On one occasion he forced the child to sit down upon a red-hot stove.

So intense is the indignation that a number of young men have determined to try to seize the prisoner in the law courts as he leaves the investigating magistrate's room, and to strangle him on the spot.

### SEA KING BADLY DAMAGED BY FIRE

Loss Estimated at About \$3,000, Covered by Insurance—Tapley Bros. the Owners.

The river tugboat Sea King was badly damaged by fire last evening while lying at her winter berth at Indiantown. The house was totally destroyed, and the two big, heavy pine timbers, were burned badly. The inside of the hull was also badly charred and the engine room was damaged by both fire and water. A gang of eight men had been employed on the tugboat all day repairing the steamers and getting her in trim for the spring. They knocked off work as usual at five o'clock. While at work they had a fire burning in a stove in the fire hole. John Leary, the engineer of the tug, says that when he left her everything was in order, and he could not account for the fire, which probably caught from the stove.

It made rapid headway until it was noticed by Capt. Andrews of the schooner Sealord, who was pumping out his vessel, and by Fred Gaunce, a tanner. Gaunce gave the alarm, which was run in from box 122, and the North End fire department soon arrived on the scene.

They had several streams of water on the tug, the fire burning for over an hour, from 5.40 to 6.15 p. m. It was impossible last night to estimate the damage done to the tug, but several of the river steamboat men, who were at the fire, estimated the damage would range between \$2,500 and \$3,000.

The tugboat, which is the property of Tapley Bros., and is used by them for towing rafts, is insured for \$5,000. Of the insurance \$4,000 is with the Commercial Union and \$1,000 with the North British Mercantile companies.

### GERMAIN STREET CHURCH HELD ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of Germain St. United Baptist church was held last evening in the church parlors. The pastor, Rev. W. W. McInnes, presided, and a large and representative gathering of the congregation was present.

The treasurer, Donaldson Hunt, gave a very interesting financial report for the past year. The balance on hand from 1905 was \$112.30, and the amount collected during 1906 was \$7,908.18. Some of the chief sources of revenue, outside of the regular church funds, were as follows: Weekly collections, \$388.56; weekly offerings, \$2,336.43; pew and ground rent, \$92.75.

The number of deaths during the year were four, viz.: Mrs. Diana Jewett, Miss Minnie Duval, Mrs. Hatfield, and Walter Lane.

The present membership is 480, of the number 190 being non-resident.

Officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows:

T. H. Belyea, church clerk.  
D. Hunt, treasurer.  
J. W. Vanwart, W. P. Nobles, collectors of pew and ground rents  
F. C. Fisher, treasurer of benevolent and denominational fund.  
Wm. Lewis, treasurer of poor fund.  
S. H. Davis, W. H. Colwell, E. L. Rising, J. W. Vanwart, T. S. Simms, F. C. Fisher, W. P. Nobles, S. H. Davis, N. C. Scott, G. P. H. Buerhaus, W. C. Cross, T. H. Belyea, D. Hunt, H. H. Reid, J. H. Wasson, D. F. Brown, T. S. Simms, J. F. Duval, E. L. Rising, W. H. Colwell, D. Dearness, S. H. Davis, F. C. Fisher, Dr. G. H. Hay, H. H. Reid, T. H. Belyea, W. C. Brown, C. H. Wasson, L. W. Simmons, others.

D. Hunt, Mrs. Hunt, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Cross, Mrs. W. P. Donnell, Miss Estabrooks, T. H. Belyea, music committee. Mr. Hunt is churchman.  
H. H. Reid, A. J. Buchman, auditors

### DOMINION DROPS OUT

SYDNEY, N. S., Jan. 8.—Dominion has dropped out of the Cape Breton Hokey League, and now the schedule has been arranged with the Sydney Nationals and the Sydney Y. M. C. A. Glouce Bay and North Sydney competitors. The first game comes off Jan. 11th.

### PERSONALS

Mrs. Miles D. Morrell (nee Dunham) will receive her friends at 140 Adelaide street on Wednesday and Thursday and Thursday evening.

Miss Anna Alley returned last evening to Fredericton to resume her studies at the Normal School.

Miss Lingy, of Newcastle, is visiting friends in the city.

Burace Ayer, a Normal School student, who has been spending a few days with relatives in the city, returned to Fredericton last night.

Miss Nellie Rogers of the West Side returned to Fredericton last evening to resume her studies at the Normal School.

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Jan. 10th, and runs for 10 days.

Read this list, but don't stop at these. Come and see what GREAT BARGAINS we are offering.

WOOL TAMS, value 50 to 75c, go for	.....	.....
LOT UMBRELLAS, value 1.00 to 1.50	.....	.....
CLOTH AND LEATHER TAMS, go	.....	.....
ASSORTED TOQUES, value 75c, go	.....	.....
MEN'S WINTER CAPS, value 1.00 to 1.50	.....	.....
BOTS' WINTER CAPS, value 1.00 to 1.50	.....	.....
NUTRIA FUR CAPS, value \$4.00, go	.....	.....
LOT CONEY CAPS, value \$1.00 to \$1.19	.....	.....
FUR LINED CAPES, value \$16.50, go	.....	.....

Many other lines besides these at equally good bargains.

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**SCAMMELL'S,**  
63 Charlotte Street. Tel. 112.

## JURY COULD NOT COME TO ANY AGREEMENT RE EXISTENCE OF CONTRACT

FREDERICTON, N. B., Jan. 8.—The circuit court met this morning at 10 o'clock, when His Honor Judge Gregory delivered his charge to the jury in the case of the Miramichi Log Driving Co. against Lynch. His honor's charge occupied about three-quarters of an hour and was considered as favorable to defendant. The jury retired shortly before eleven and at five minutes to one returned to court and announced that it was impossible for them to come to any agreement as to whether a contract existed between the plaintiff and defendant, as to the payment of a bonus of \$20,000. His honor asked the jury to retire for a short time and see if five of the number could not reach a verdict. At 1:15 the jury returned and announced that they found a verdict in favor of defendant, but that no agreement was reached as to whether a contract existed or not. Mr. Powell on behalf of the plaintiff asked for a stay of postea, which was granted.

Mr. McFarlane on behalf of the jury presented a petition to his honor requesting that the fees of petit jury be increased. His honor said that he would submit the petition to the proper authorities. The court then adjourned, sine die.

## HAMPTON GIRL HAD NARROW ESCAPE FROM DROWNING

HAMPTON, Jan. 8.—On Saturday afternoon a little girl named Iva Perkins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Perkins, while on the ice with a number of others, got too near the channel and broke through into the icy water of the channel, and throwing it out toward the child, who seized it by one of the sleeves, drew her safely in and landed her on firm ice, whence she was quickly taken to her home without having suffered more than a cold shock from her involuntary plunging.

The Liberal Association of Hampton met on Saturday night at the court house and elected officers: J. M. Scoville, president; H. H. Smith, secretary; and with them Wm. Gilliland, W. H. March, Geo. E. Ketchum, Clifton Bull, Andrew Beyer and Capt. A. R. Mabee as executive committee. The chief speakers were Mr. Copp, M. P. P., Liberal organizer, and Ora. P. King, M. P. P.

## STEAMSHIP MATTERS DISCUSSED AT OTTAWA

OTTAWA, Jan. 8.—Sir Thomas Shaughnessy came to Ottawa today to discuss steamship matters with Sir Wilfrid and Sir Richard Cartwright. It is understood the C. P. R. would like to be excused from further calls at Hullfax.

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## Woodsstock N. B. Jan. 8.—

The regular quarterly meeting of the Brunswick Church of England Synod was held yesterday. In the afternoon the board of education met, while the board of missions held their meeting in the evening at the Church of England Institute, Germain street. The greater part of the work was merely routine. A report from Andover parish stating that the parish would soon be self-supporting, was received. The report of mission finances was read by the treasurer. Deputations were also appointed to visit the parishes of Upham and St. Martins to arrange for work in those places.

The last business of the evening was a resolution congratulating Coadjutor Bishop Richardson upon his elevation to the cathedral. To this Bishop Richardson made a fitting reply.

The annual meeting of the Sunday School Teachers' Association of the Deaconsry of St. John, was held yesterday afternoon. The annual reports were read and the following officers elected for the ensuing year:

President, Rev. E. B. Hooper; vice presidents, Thomas Patton and J. H. Scammell; secretary, treasurer, Allan Wetmore; executive committee, Miss Patton, Mrs. Sullivan, Mrs. Pickett, Miss H. Connor, Miss Walker, Miss Hand, Miss Myra Prink, Miss Winifred Raymond, Miss Starke and Miss Barlow.

## HORSE THIEVES GET HEAVY SENTENCE

WOODSTOCK, N. B., Jan. 8.—The horse stealing case against Fred Ivey and Miss Gullins was concluded this afternoon, the jury bringing in a verdict of guilty. The man was sentenced to three years in Dorchester, the woman to two.

The Sullivan Bros. are making arrangements to open a roller rink in the third story of the Young brick block.

The county council met today at Upper Woodstock. All members were present, except Warden Bailey, detained through illness. Councillor Lamont of Aberdeen was elected to the chair for the ensuing year.

## FURTHER CHANGES TO BE MADE IN THE TARIFF

OTTAWA, Ont., Jan. 8.—Some further changes will be made to the tariff. The cabinet was in session all day considering them and will meet again tomorrow morning, so the bill will be ready on the first government day.

The constant advertiser has his advantage over the occasional one: He has not dropped the thread of his discourse and does not have to pick it up.—Clothing and Haberdashers' Weekly.