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Proceed to Business**

**Bye-Elections Called for April 7 and Polling a Week Later
—Hon. Robert Maxwell Chosen President of the Council—Several Appointments Recommended—Likely Men for New Offices—Other News of Fredericton.**

Fredericton, March 24.—The Hazen cabinet was sworn in this afternoon before Lieutenant Governor Tweedie in the executive council chamber. A meeting was afterwards held and the date of the bye-elections to fill the vacancies caused by the ministers' acceptance of office was fixed. Nomination will take place on April 7 and polling April 14.

Hon. Robert Maxwell was appointed president of the executive council. A Lynch, Jas. Robinson, ex-M. P., J. H. Barry, K. C., of this city, and deceased widow are the executors.

Austin Dunphy has purchased the property on Regent street owned and occupied by R. Lewis Phillips for between \$2,000 and \$2,500.

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**WORK IS THE GREAT
CURE FOR NERVOUS
TROUBLES, SAYS EXPERT**

Boston, March 24.—"Work is the king of all cures in nervous troubles," said Dr. Richard C. Cabot, speaking at the Harvard Medical School yesterday. "The rest cure is good for some, but for most of them work is the rest they need, because most nervous patients are born tired and never get over it, unless they can be got to work. The work cure sums up all the others."

The audience that gathered to listen to Dr. Cabot was one of the largest that has thus far attended these free Sunday afternoon lectures. His subject was "Psycho-Therapeutics," which, he said, was a type of mental healing that ought to continue to grow in use. He declared that it differs from all other healing movements in that it is not a lay movement, but a scientific one. It was founded in France fifteen years ago, and has been steadily growing there and in Germany.

Referring to the difference between mental healing and Christian Science, Dr. Cabot declared that the latter had done much good. He said there was no doubt that people died of cancer and diphtheria while "our Christian Science" was being brought in by a happy chance most of that kind of cases do not fall to Christian Science for treatment. Christian Science therapists do not radically from psycho-therapeutics in that it does not require a diagnosis of disease before beginning treatment, which psycho-therapeutics does. For that reason the latter will live while Christian Science will insist in finding out what the matter is before attacking an evil, for the cure is already begun with an accurate diagnosis.

"Psycho-therapeutics is often merely an explanation of the truth and encouragement," demonstrating that the client really has no disease. The best way to encourage people is to show that they have a place in the world by finding out at which they can be useful.

"Suggestion plays a large part in the treatment of osteopaths, homeopaths and all the rest of us. The cures at Lourdes and St. Anne de Beaure in any opinion are brought about by suggestion. The sufferer has heard of many former cures there, he has heard the place and its cures talked about for months before visiting it, and expectation is raised to a high pitch. Many people are susceptible to slight impressions, and if they have a purely functional trouble they may thus be cured."

**PENETRATING POWER
OF 12-INCH SHELL
IN WATER A PROBLEM**

Washington, March 24.—The experts of the Navy Department have under consideration some experiments which shall show to what extent a twelve-inch shell fired at sea service velocities will penetrate water. During the hearings before the Senate Naval Committee the difference of view was disclosed in the testimony given by Commander W. S. Sims, inspector of the Bureau of Equipment and an inventory of notes, the former officer of the opinion that the twelve-inch shell cannot penetrate water to any extent, while the other officer now fully realize that a shell of this size will penetrate to a considerable depth. It is proposed to construct a tank and fill it with water, placing a twelve-inch gun. One of the opinions expressed by Lieutenant Commander Davis was that the bottom of the ship was not sufficiently protected and that a shell going beneath the water could strike the hull below the armor belt and do damage there. Other officers held that the water is sufficient protection and offers a greater resistance to the shell than armor.

Nickel's New Show Today.
The fine weather last evening made it possible for thousands to attend the Nickel's most refined and varied entertainment and every item on the long programme was enjoyed to the full. Mr. Keyes, baritone, was most favorably received on his first appearance before Nickel-goers and the manner in which he rendered the ballad "As Long as the World Rolls On" was artistic and most pleasing. The little man with the rich big voice jumped into instant favor and shared honors with Mr. Maxwell, tenor, who made his bow Monday. Mr. Keyes will sing again tonight.

Today's new list of pictures has for its headliner the American-Chinese comedy "The Yellow Peril," or the adventures of a Mongolian cook. Another new picture is "The Beauty Parlor," or the transformation of a homely woman. A particularly good thing is "The Yankee Man O' War," a fight for love, an incident of the cruise of the American squadron in Pacific waters. This is a whole reel, showing how the manly art can be used honorably. Altogether the show for today is exceptionally strong.

DEATHS
MAC DONALD.—In this city March 24, Edith, beloved daughter of Robt. and Mrs. Margaret Macdonald, aged 15 years and 6 months. Funeral from her residence, 1001 High street, Wednesday, 25th inst., at 3:30; service at 4:45.
CAMPBELL.—At West Quaco, on March 23, William A. Campbell, aged 72 years.
GRAHAM.—In this city on the 23rd inst., Margaret, widow of Robert Graham, aged 83 years leaving two sons and one daughter to mourn their loss.
FUNERAL.—On Wednesday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock from her late residence, 15 Frederick street. Friends and acquaintances invited to attend.
COMAN.—At the residence of Robert Dugan, Kingston, Kings county, on Sunday the 22nd inst., Peter Lawson Coman, aged 81 years and 3 months, leaving one son and two daughters to mourn their loss.
Notice of funeral in evening papers.

**OTTAWA MEMBERS CHARGED
WITH SELLING SUPPLIES
TO THE GOVERNMENT**

Ottawa, March 24.—In reply to Mr. Foster today Sir Wilfrid Laurier said that an order making immigrants come direct did not apply to the Hindus more than any other nationality. The order was general applying to Europeans as well as Asiatics.

Mr. Fielding said that he intended bringing down the civil service commission report tomorrow.

A senate bill to amend the gold and silver marking act was read a third time and passed. It postpones the time for coming into effect of the measure until March 30, 1909.

Mr. Aylesworth's bill to rearrange the list of hearings of the supreme court was read a third time.

In order to meet contingencies a vote

**LOUISIANA RHODES
SCHOLAR DROWNED**

Oxford, March 24.—Ralph C. Many, a Rhodes scholar from New Orleans (La.), at Oxford, was washed off the rocks and drowned at Port Isaac, Cornwall, today.

Ralph C. Many secured his appointment

**TORONTO LABORER
KILLED IN SHANTY**

Toronto, March 24.—A murder took place in a shanty occupied by laborers on the waterworks tunnel at midnight. Two shots out of the dark went through a broken window of the shanty, and big Yeo Maketich, who had just arrived from Slavonia, fell dead with bullet wounds in left breast and hand.

Leonard Bakunin is under arrest, charged with the murder.

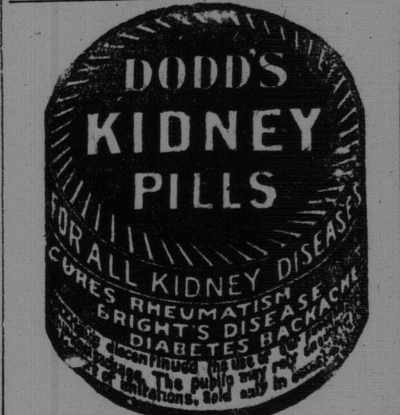
**CAPITALS DEFEAT
NORTH SYDNEY
SIX TO TWO**

Sydney, N. S., March 24.—The Federation Capitals tonight defeated the North Sydney team by a score of 6 to 2.

Nominated for Mayor of Orleans.
Orleans, Me., March 24.—At a gathering of Republican voters in caucus this evening, Wm. J. Fowler, judge of the municipal court, was unanimously nominated as the party candidate for mayor.

Men's Furnishings at Harvey's

The first three days of the big anniversary clothing sale at J. N. Harvey's store in the Opera House Block have been a great success, far beyond his expectations. The people now fully realize that a sale at Harvey's means a genuine saving and each sale the response has been more immediate and generous. This sale extends to every department; special attractions in men's and boys' furnishings and hats today.



**JAPAN AND THE
UNITED STATES.**

ST. PETERSBURG, March 23.—The invitation extended to the American fleet by Japan is applauded as a shrewd move in diplomacy. The Bourse Gazette, speaking of this says: "America naturally could not refuse to accept the invitation, yet its acceptance will serve as a public attestation of the peaceful intentions of Japan, while the visit of the fleet will suffice to show the world the friendship existing between the two countries."

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of some \$11,000,000 of the estimates was concurred in. A supply bill of some \$17,000,000 or \$18,000,000 will be adopted tomorrow and the royal assent will be obtained as speedily as possible.

In supply Mr. Bennett and other opposition members complained that the drug company which Mr. Bole, M.P., was interested in, the Campbell Milling Co., in which Senator Campbell was the leading figure and the W. C. Edwards Company of which Senator Edwards is head, were all selling goods to the justice department.

Mr. Owen of Northumberland wanted to know why the supreme court registrar charged his uniform, costing \$150, to the government.

Mr. Aylesworth was a little surprised himself but said that his predecessor passed the order.

to Oxford in 1905. He was a student at Queens. A peculiar coincidence is the fact that A. K. Read, the 1904 Rhodes scholar from Louisiana, died in March, 1906, from meningitis.

**BRITISH AND CONTINENTAL
ARMIES COMPARED**
(New York Tribune.)

Brougham based his lack of fear of militarism upon the fact that "the schoolmaster is abroad," and he doubtless was discreet in so doing. At least, he was logical and had the courage not only of his convictions but also of the world's professions. Moreover, his optimistic forecast has been pretty well vindicated by the progress of subsequent events, so far as England is concerned, for the growth of militarism in that kingdom has since his day been infinitesimal. In fact, in land forces there has been a decrease rather than a growth, while to-day an education bill easily outranks an army bill in parliamentary and popular esteem. With other European lands, however, the case is different.

At the beginning of the nineteenth century, a good many years before Brougham uttered his famous speech, the total British army numbered only 240,076 men, and no other European power had more than 450,000. Since that time considerable native levies have been raised in India and other parts of the British empire. But the actual British army, at home and in India and the colonies, aggregates only 255,960 men. That is to say, a hundred years ago British soldiers numbered one in every sixty-six of the population, while now they number one in every 168, so that there has really been an enormous decline in militarism. If we reckon all the militia, yeomanry, volunteers and what not, and all the colonial and Indian forces of all kinds, we get an extreme aggregate of a little less than a million—to be precise, 993,427—a small force for an empire which comprises 419,000,000 or much more than one-fifth of the population of the globe.

Less favorable, from Brougham's point of view, is the condition of the other great European powers. Thus, Austria-Hungary has an active army of 469,636, which has grown in twenty-five years from 231,876, while her total forces have in the same time increased from 375,460 to 2,209,638. And the Dual Realm is by no means the greatest of the military powers. The French army with the colors has not increased so rapidly, though it is larger, having risen from 609,983 in 1880 to 877,581 now; but the growth of the military reserves has been great, so that the grand total has risen from 1,570,836 to 3,630,363. Russia, on the other hand, has increased her active more than her reserve army, the former having grown from 947,000 to 1,225,000, while the grand total has grown only from 1,956,000 to 3,249,000. Finally, Germany, most militant of all, has swelled her active forces from 427,000 to 610,000 and her grand total from 1,857,000 to the colossal number of 4,010,000.

Thus the smallest of these four continental powers has more than twice as large an army as the entire British empire, whilst the most powerful of them has one more than four times as large. This is the consideration which makes Englishmen reluctant even to contemplate a system of military conscription and ready to pay for a navy so great as amply to compensate the United Kingdom for the paucity of its land forces.

SHIPPING
PORT OF ST. JOHN.

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Tuesday, March 24.
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Passed.
Tuesday, March 24.
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Schr Ravola, Finley, Pawtucket (R. I.).
A Cushing & Co.
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CANADIAN PORTS.
Halifax, Mar 24—Arr, schr Aloosa, New York.
Schr—Stars Rappahannock, London; Minia, (Br. cable) sea; Boston (Nor); Jamaica; Canada, St. John.

Portland, Me., Mar 24—Arr, schr Clayola, New York for Lunenburg (N. S.).
Old—Schr Mattie J. Allen, St. George and New York.
Eastport, March 24—Arr, schr Jessie D., St. John.
Vineyard Haven, Mar 24—Sld, brig Lady Napier, New York for Halifax.
Guilford, Mar 21—Sld, schr Edna V. Pickels, Berry, Havana.

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