N. B. Telephone Co's Chief Engineer Has Unique Privilege

FIRST COMMERCIAL TALK OVER OCEAN

Conversation Clear and Chimes of St. Paul's Are Heard

WALTER R. PEARCE, chief engineer of the N. B. Telephone Co., Ltd., yesterday enjoyed the unique privilege of listening-in on a telephonic conversation between parties in London and New York.

At last the great watery spaces have been spanned by the human voice with all its lingual possibilities, following closely upon the heels of radio,

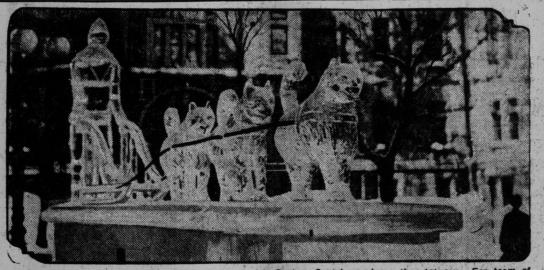
The American conversation was transmitted via Long Island through the cable of the American Telephone and Telegraph Co., relayed automatically by wireless telephony from a receiving station on the English shore, then by cable to London. English parties talking made reply—singularly enough by a different route—through the wireless station at Rugby and able underseas to the recently combined to a Mrs. Perce H. Mitton, 330 Robinson street, when Alvin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Perce H. Mitton, 330 Robinson street, when Alvin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cameron, of Petitodiac. The ceremony was united in marriage to Miss Mabel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cameron, of Petitodiac. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. L. Lund, of Sunny Brae United church. The young couple will reside in Stilesville.

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FOR COLD WEATHER ONLY



Don't wait until summertime if you want to visit Quebec, Canada, and see the statuary. For team of

what is known as a hybrid coil. Though the talkers chatted by different routes of communication, terminal equipments converged the conversation. It was not a case of talking back and forth through the same cable "track." There were no hesitancy, no hold-ups or interruptions.

COMMERCIAL PROSPECTS.

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From Mr. Pearce's trans-Atlantic eavesdropping of Sunday forenoon back to the first telephonic conversation heard in Saint John in 1879, is a far cry. It was an occasion of historic importance to be classed with the first telephonic conversation heard in 1848, the first of Zebley's horse cars in 1887, and the first railway train of the European and North American Ra way that snorted laboriously from Lombard street to the Three Mile House in 1858.

3,000 MILES ELIMINATED.

He same await application by the owners at police headquarters.

In word and much repected by all who knew here. The funeral services were lead on March 1 in the Upper Range Baptist church being conducted by the pastor. Interment took place in the Lower Range cemetery.

UNFIT FOR USE.

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MADE ESTABLISHED FACT

don.

It was just like talking on an ordinary local telephone. In fact, the voices came across the Atlantic from London more clearly and distinctly than on

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At 10.80 a. m—3.30 p. m. London time—the Americans heard the chimes of St. Paul's Cathedral, and at 11 a. m.—4 o'clock in London—the chimes came again, followed by the deep boom of the bell tolling the hour.

J. H. Furay, vice-president of the United Press, talked for two minutes with Mr. Holding, of the London Electrician. Holding wondered why it was that Americans invariably inquired about London weather when, of course, they knew it was always bad. This got a general laugh on both sides of the Atlantic.

ST. PAUL'S CHIMES HEARD.

few ounces will last the whole family for months.

Two or three teaspoonfuls of Mulsified is all that is required. Simply moisten the hair with water and rub it in. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, which cleanses thoroughly, and rinses out easily. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and is soft, fresh looking, bright, fluffy, wavy, and easy to manage. Besides, it loosens that all the whole family for months.

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Deaths

George P. Black The death of George Pearl Black occurred on Saturday afternoon at the Lancaster Hospital. The late Mr. Black was 44 years old and is survived by his wife and four children, his nother, Mrs. Eliza Black, and one prother, Frank, of the Narrows,

Queens county.

He was a member of the 87th Battalion, C.E.F., commonly known as the "Grenadier Guards." He enlisted at

lingual possibilities, following closely upon the heels of radio, though many years after the electric telegraph. The demonstration heard by Mr. Pearce as the first to be given commercially in the history of the world. It was a notable occasion, delivering its own peculiar thrill, he said.

For a month past on Sunday forenoons when cable traffic permitted experiments have been going on in its managements have been going on the hits managemen



that year, which was 1922, is \$2,700,000. It is alleged Kessler made out his income tax return for a sum less than INCOME IS FALSE a tenth of this total. The government examined Kessler's bankbooks in computing the profits now cited.

Former "Bootleg King" in New York

Federal Grand Jury Indict Acquired Habit of Drug Use At School

NEW YORK, March 8—"Mannie" Kessler, former "bootleg king," for being which he served two years in Atlanta, has been indicted by the Federal Grand Jury on charges of falsifying his income tax returns. His indictment in volved two counts, one for falsification and the other charging perjury in that he had sworn that the falsificar reports were accurate.

The first count carries a penalty of one year in prison and \$10,000 fine: the second a five-year sentence and \$10,000 fine.

Writs against Kessler for approximately \$7,500,000 due in income taxes were secured by Charles W. Anderson, Collector of Internal Revenue, before the serve was released from Atlanta last years. Civil action thereon is still pending. The criminal action now instituted involves the same taxes alleged to be due, but is brought for only the last of the three years for which the \$7,500,000 first the last of the three years for which the \$7,500,00

## LOST FATHER GIVEN

Chicago Man Gets Property of Soldier Son He Never

Handiest thing in the house

EASES SORE THROAT Take a little "Vaseline" Jelly several times a day and at bedtime. Taste-

two due, but is brought for only the last of the three years for which the \$7,500,000 is claimed.

The sum cited by the government for the sum cited by the government for the sum cited by the government for two years. I will write to the warden to give you special attention."

Then an aunt of the dead soldier began a search for the father, whom she finally found in Pittsburgh. Wilson came to Chicago and began a fight against Gardner's administrator.

Use the Want Ad. Way

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Not Necessarily.

(Guelph Mercury.)
Being always one of the crowd

They are guaranteed to give absolute These are some of the selling points with Old Bleached. Those who have used Old Bleached

Towels have found the texture soft in finish, and wonderful Absorbent Qualities. A marked difference in the prices this season and that of last, about 25 per cent.

Size 15x24 All white, damask end, 65c. each Size 18x30 All white, damask end 75c. each Size 18x30 All white, damask end, 85c. each Size 18x34 All white, damask end, 85c. each Size 20x36 All white, damask end, \$1.10 ea. 

Colors-Pink, Blue, Gold and Helio. (Linen Room-Ground Floor.)

A Special Demonstration of

**Gossard Corsets** 

Is being conducted in our Corset Department by Mrs. Lillian Gibbon, ably assisted by our two trained corsetieres. The various styles of Gossard Corsets will be found here. A style to suit any

type of figure.
Gossard Combinations
Gossard Completes
Gossard Clasp-arounds
Gossard Brassieres and Uplifts are a few of the many styles shown, and it

fitted as it is a shoe or glove. Try an expert fitting. (Whitewear Dept.—Second Floor.)

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A Repeat Order of Community Par Plate Table Silver—Vernon Pattern Has Just Been Received

We have now the Teaspoons as well as Dessert Table, Soup and Bouillon Spoon, also Forks and Knives in half-dozen sets and individual pieces.

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-Our Stock Is

**Now Complete** 

Never before have we shown a more complete range of high grade materials. A visit to this department will be a reve-lation. Ask to see the New French Friska Cloth, also the much talked of Kashair Cloth. We have these in all the New French Pastel shades, also many new com-bination check and stripes with plain color to match, as well as a most comprehensive showing of Treeds, Poiret Twills, Char-meens, Suedena Cloth, Broadcloth, Worsted, Flannels, Homespuns, Serges, etc.

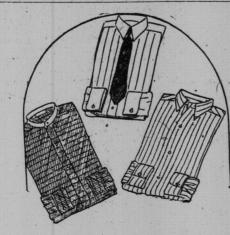
(Dress Goods Dept.—Ground Floor.)



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New Broadcloth Shirts 3 Special Prices \$2.35, \$3, \$4.75

Broadcloth is still the popular material for men's shirts. We have them in white, tan, blue, grey and helio. Sizes 14 to 17 with collar to match.



Men's Handkerchief and Tie Set is quite the fad of the moment. We are showing a good variety of patterns and colors in English "Liberty."
Price \$1.50, \$3, \$3.50 and \$5

(Men's Furnishings-Ground Floor.)







Boys Will Be Simply Attired This Spring In Clothes of Manly Influence

The grown-up effect runs all through the Spring lines. They came from the leading houses in the boys' industry, which are in a splendid position to know what is correct for the younger chaps.

We've set aside a week for showing them.

Typical of the group are the two models shown above. One has a box-back coat fastened with 3 buttons, and golf knickers; for the younger boy, two buttons are used on the coat, and the trousers are longies. Serges, Tweeds, etc. \$8.50 to \$24

The Spring an nouncement for Tues., March 9, should have read Wednes day and Thurs day, March 10, 11 and following days.

> A single-breasted front and patch pockets are common to all the styles. But the lapels may be narrow and notched, or semi-peaked; some coats, also, come with Raglan shoulders. Cheviots and Cashmeres, in light colors are favorites. \$4.75 to \$17.50.

(Men's Clothing Dept.—Second Floor.)

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