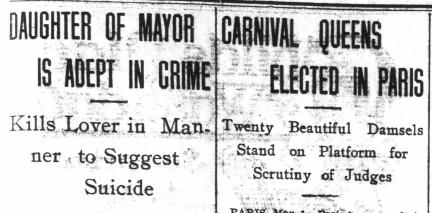
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PARIS, Mar. 1.-Paris has now elect-ed all its carnival and Mi-Careme queens. It is necessary to say all, be-BERLIN, Mar. 1.-Grete Beier, cause every year their number increases. There is now a queen of the cen-tral markets, another of the temple daughter of the late burgomaster of Brand, in Silesia, is a valuable examand a third of the "Marches Decouof those who maintain that there verts. s nothing worse in the world than a The latter seems to have given rise ad woman. This pretty and captivat-

to more competition than all the othing damsel, who is only 23 years of age, ers, and more than sixty popular beaulled one day on an engineer named ties appeared as candidates before the Pressler, to whom she was engaged. election committee. The first ballot, as and, having induced him to openhis mouth on the pretext that she had may well be imagined, was rather confused, the members of the committee brought him a surprise from the fair, being quite pardonably distracted in placed a revolver between his teeth their choise out of so many blushing

damsels. The first vote showed that She then secreted among his papers opinions were about equally divided between thirty of the young candidates a forged will in which he was made to bequeath to her his entire possessions. none of whom had polled a sufficient The trial of Grete's mother who was number of votes to be considered a sentenced to two years' penal serviprobate winner. ude for subornation, threw some in-According to the settled rule, twenty

eresting sidelights on the utterly reof those who had scored the greater probate character of the daughter, benumber of suffrages were retained as sides showing what strange secrets the candidates, and then the members of espectable house of a highly esteemthe committee had even a more diffied burgomaster can hide. It appeared cult task before them than at the first that both during and long before her vote. Twenty sweet-looking faces were engagement to Pressles the girl carried marshalled in order on a platform, each a liaison with a merchant named girl holding a staff in her hand with her number pinned to the top and try-To facilitate their meetings the pair

ing to look her best. had hired a room in the little town of To work the committee up to good Brand. which, nevertheless seems not humor an Italian band executed a to have the slightest suspicion that Fraulein Beier was anything but a degood look at each of the candidates mure and well-behaved young woman. they voted again. T third and a fourth As the result of her relations with Merker the girl gave birth to three at last, after some four hours of heschildren, all of whom it is believed she itation and choosing the requisite ma-The burgomaster was much trusted by the inhabitants of the town, and ed 19. the daughter of a sturdy marof a certain Mile. Suzanne Gobert, ag-

ne of them confided to his keeping a ket butcher. small safe containing & savings bank The reward of the committee consistted to the ordeal with blushing cheeks

stracted the book, forged a receipt and and real queenly grace. drew every penny out of the bank. When the theft was discovered she and her mother attempted to fix the guilt on another woman, stating the exact wort is her house that the key could her mother attempted to fix the guilt spot in her house that the key could e found. It came out in the trial, how-, WORN-OUT WOMEN ever, that it had been placed there

through their instrumentality. Frau Beier further attempted to persuade one of the witnesses to say that she had overheard the woman in question Can be Saved from a Life of Misery | admit the committal of the theft.

The most interesting point brought by Dr. Williams' Fink Fills. out, however, was that the girl had written to Merker on a scrap of paper Women are called the "weaker sex,"

hat was smuggled out of the jail sewand yet nature calls upon them to bear ed up in a blouse telling him to ge in far more pain than men. With too disguise to the principal witness many women it is one long martrydom against hay, render her unconscious, from the time they are budding into with chloroform and then murder her.

George Skeffington Taken Into Custody For Brutally Assaulting Citizen on Moncton Streets-Has Been Dogging Magistrate Marsh this merning and Footsteps of Prominent People.

DETECTIVE ARRESTED ON

A SERIOUS CHARGE.

MONCTON, March 1-Geo. Skeffing- | released, Skeffington went to a local ton, formerly of the I. C. R. detective Liberal business establishment and tried force, who was discharged some time ago, was arrested yesterday afternoon there. The magistrate and chief of there. The magistrate and chief-of police were notified and word was sent to those who had gone his bail that they would have to look after their man for brutal assault made without provocation upon Nelson L. Rand, a well known citizen and divisional master mechanic of the I. C. R. The assault took place on Main street. Rand says man.

Skeffington deliberately went out of In Westmerland county political contests are generally conducted with good tals, has severed his connection with his way to bump into him. It is not the first occasion on which Skeffington humor, but this campaign appears to has annoyed him, says Rand, and when the offense was repeated Rand remarkthe fact that Conservatives have sup- the Victorias said yesterday when ed, "That's the third time you have plemented the purity movement by es- asked about the play-off to decide the bumped into me, and I don't want you dablishing a detective agency of their to do it again." No sooner were the own. The secret of this lies in the fact words out of Rand's mouth than Skefthat the purity campaign very wisely der no consideration play the Capitals refused to have anything to do with fington wheeled and struck the unsuspecting victim a terrific blow in the Skeffington, but placed the matter in face, felling him to the sidewalk. Rand the hands of a detective agency of was dazed for the moment and was Montreal. To satisfy Skeffington and barely able to stagger to his feet. Rand his friends the Conservatives announcsustained a severe cut over the left ed that they supplemented this by number of lively pieces and after a eye, the lid being almost entirely sev- their own agency and instantly Skeffingered, while there was another slight ton began to dog the footsteps of cut below the eye and an extensive prominent Liberals in the most offenstimes the votes had to be taken, and bruise which extended all over the ive and insolent manner. This has cheek. Dr. L. N. Bourque expressed aroused a bitter feeling among Liberthe opinion that the injury could als absolutely unknown in the history jority of votes was deposited in favor scarcely be caused by the naked fist, of political campaigns in this county. but that there must have been some The purity committee last night, on inhard substance held in the assailant's formation riaid by Dr. B. C. Borden, hand A warrant was issued for the president, had a summons issued Skeffington's arrest on the charge against James P. Sherry of Memrambook, with a credit of \$1000 and other valuables. The enterprising Grete pro-queen of the Mi-Careme who submit-ous bodily harm in the public cook, Conservative leader in Mem-ramcook parish, charging him with street the penalty for which is three wholesale distribution of liquor in conyears in the penitentiary. F. A. Mc- nection with the campaign. A charge Cully, assisted by Austin A. Allen, has was made of a single, case against a been retained for the prosecution. Liberal, but there is no evidence in Skeffington was released on bail Sat- this case that the Liberal campaign irday evening in the amount of \$400 managers knew anything of the liquor furnished by George B. Willett, one of Several cases are known wherein the those prominent in the Conservative purity detectives have traced liquor to campaign, and E. C. Cole, president of the comimitee rooms of the Conservathe Times Printing Co. After being tive party.

RAILWAY COMMISSION, DIED

SHOULD BE BUILT

WASHINGTON, Feb. 29 .- The senate

Mr. Hill explained that he thought

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G. T. P. CONSTRUCTION

TORONTO, Ont., March 1.-- A Win

nipeg dispatch speaks of great activ-

ity on the Grand Trunk Pacific con-

speed they did on their trial trips.

JUDGE KILLAM, CHAIRMAN

KILLING MANY PEOPLE

BERNE, Switzerland, March 1 .- An

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The hotel had been erected by the

tunnel contractors for the convenience of the engineers and others engaged in

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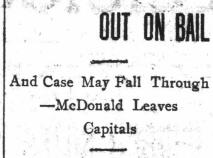
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CUSHING ALLOWED-

FREDERICTON, N. B., Feb. 29.-Cushing the Moncton hockey player, charged with committing assault on J. D. McDonald with intent to do grevi-

the case adjourned over until 2.15 this Potatoes, per bbl .. . 1 80 " 2 00 afternoon. In the meantime Cushing Beef, western 0 081/2 " 0 091/2 was released on bail of \$800. J. H. Beef, butchers', carcass. 0 07 " 0 08% Barry, K.C., represented Cushing, go-Beef, country, carcass .. 0 06 ing security for \$400; R. B. Hanson, re-Mutton, per lb 0 09 presenting the Capital hockey team, Lamb 0 11 " 0 12 \$200, and Cushing himself, \$200. Pork, per 1b.. 0 061/a "As the prosecution was not prepared

Ham, per lb.. ... 0 14 " 0 15 to go on in the afternoon, adjournment was made until Thursday next, and Roll butter, per lb..... 0 26 " 0 28 Butter, tub, per lb..... 0 23 " 0 25 Cushing was allowed to depart on his Eggs, per dozen 0 25 " 0 26 Turkey, per 1b.... 0 22 " 0 23 own recognizance. It is generally ourmised that the case will fall through. Fowl. per pair..... 0 60 J. D. McDonald, captain of the Capi-Chickens.. 1 00 " 1 50 Cabbage, per dozen 0 60 " 1 00 the team and says he will leave for Hides, per 1b.. 0 04 be exceptional and largely because of home tomorrow. Captain Crocket of Oalf hides, per lb 0 10 " 0 00 Lambskins, each 0 40 " 0 00 Veal, per 1b 0.07 trophy, that the Victorias after the treatment they had received would un- Rippling herring, hf-bbls 2 25 " 2 50

> Shelburne herring, pr bl 5 00 Haddock, fresh 0 04 The latter team say that a match is being arranged to play at Halifax on Halibut.. 0 10 Thursday next. The whole affair is Mackerel 0 20 in a muddle, and each party is blaming Codfish, large dry 4 50 another party for the fracas that oc-curred at the rink on Friday night. Cod, small..... . . . 0 07 Finnan haddies.. .. . 0 07

CASTORIA. Bears the The Kind You Have Always Bought Signature Chart H. Flutchers Herring, Gd. Manan, hf bbls.. 2 25 Codfish, fresh.. 0 08 " 0 3% Pollock 2 75

MISS HELEN Debury DIED SUNDAY Pork, fresh, per 1b..... 0 15 Steak 0 14 Ham. per lb..... 000 Bacon, per lb.. 0 18 " 0 20 Was Daughter of Late Count Tripe, per 1b 0 10

Turkey, per 1b.. 0 25 " 0 27 DeBury. Chickens and fowl, fresh killed..... 1 50 Bury, third daughter of the late Count

Butter, dairy, rolls..... 0 82 " 0 84 The death of Miss Helen Visart De Lard, per Ib.. 0 28 Eggs, fresh.. 028 DeBury, which occurred early Sunday Onions, per 1b 0 05 " 0 00 Cabbage, each., 0 10 " 0 12 morning, will be heard with keen re-Potatoes, new, per peck. 0 20 gret by the many friends of the young lady and her family. Miss DeBury Celery.. 0 12 " 0 15 Parsley 0 05 " 0 00 Beets, per peck..... 0 25 " 0 00 had been a sufferer for a long time from tuberculosis-Her eldest brother, the present Count DeBury, is a professor at the Squash.. 0 05 " 0 00



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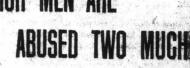
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Cornmeal, bags.. 1 55 " 1 60 Oatmeal.. 0 00 " 6 50 Middlings, small lots bagged..... 28 00 Bran, small lots, bag'd, 27 00 " 28 00 Oats, P. E. I, car lots ... 0 55 " 0 56 " 0 07% 0 10 GRAIN, ETC. Hay, pressed 13 00 Oats (Man.), car lots .. 0 53 . 44 0 00 0 55 Oats, small lots 0 55 Beans (Canadian h.p). 2 00 " 0 58 " 2 10 Beans, yellow eye 2 90 Pratt's Astral 0 00 " 0 20% ter "A" 000 "High Grade Sarnia" and "Archlight" 0 00 Linseed oil, raw, per gal 0 00-inseed oil, boiled, per gal 0.00 Smoked herring.. 0 1816 ". 0.14 RICH MEN ARE

THREE



Interesting Sermon by Rev.

Gordon Dickie on the Gospel and Wealth

Continuing his series of special sernons, Rev. Gordon Dickie of Sta Stephen's Church last evening. preached on the subject, "The Gospel and Wealth." His text was from Mark 10: 25: "It is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle than or a rich man to enter into the kingdom of God."

Mr. Dickie in his opening remarks, old of being asked by a newspaper man what the subject of his discourse was to be. "If you are going to abuse anyone in your sermon we will want to report it," was what the inquirer had said.

Ia was true, said the preacher, that the remark was made partly in jest, but still there was considerable truth in it. The public took a certain amount of interest in whate



feel that my condition was hopeless. One day a friend asked me why I did not try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and Spinster Anxious to Get Hus- mentioned several cases in which she knew of the great benefit that had folband Neatly Defrauded by lowed their use. After some urging I decided to try the pills, and had only used them a few weeks when I began One of Her Sex

village of Noppen Stein. The enormous the statements of three naval officers to feel benefitted, and from that time atmospheric pressure which accom- who have been quoted as criticising on the improvement was steady, and by the time I had used about a dozen GENEVIA, March 1 .- A woman has hoxes of the pills I was again enjoykilling thirteen persons and injuring Mr. Reuterdahl, Lieut, Commander F. een arrested at Zurich on a charge of ing the blessing of good health. I fifteen others. The occupants of the K. Hill, Carlt Vogelgesang and Capt. defrauling an elderly spinster, to cannot too strongly urge other dishotel, numbering thirty, were surprised | Bravy A. Fiske were questioned about whom she made love over the tele- couraged sufferers to give Dr. Wilwhile seated at the table by sinister their views on naval construction and liams' Pink Pills a fair trial." rumblings. Almost immediately two Rear Admiral Capps asked questions The spinster, who is wealthy and Dr. Williams' Pink Pills cure all children rushed into the dining room | and commented upon their testimony troubles due to poor, watery blood, lives in the little town of Windisch, the canton of Argovie, confided to such as anaemia, general weakness, inand screamed "an avalanche, an ava- as they proceeded . lanche.' the woman arrested that she would digestion, neuralgia, skin troubles,

rheumatism, the after effects of la There was a rush to escape, but the battleships should be constructed to like to find a husband to take charge building, which was of a temporary nature, collapsed without warning. carry all the coal possible. The ships water lines are fixed, he said, by esof her financial affairs. Soon after the grippe, and such nervous troubles as St. Vitus' dance and partial paralysis. pinster received a proposal of mar-Sold by all-medicine dealers or by mail Both the children were killed, along tamating but two-fifths of their full age by letter from a 'Herr Heringswith many of those they had sought to at 50 cents a box, or six boxes for \$2.50, save. Abong the others killed was an from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., For several months the courtship ntinued over the telephone, "Herr Brockville, Ont. American engineer named Morvart. who was installing American machin- ships now in commission can show the



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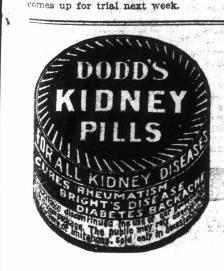
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ngagement and demanded the return her loans to "Herr Heringsfeld." He could not be found, and the newly married woman was subsequently arested on a charge of fraud. The case

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struction and large forces of men be-POLITICS IN NEW YORK ing required for work on the vicinity of Saskatoon and Portage La Prairie. For the first time in the history of NEW YORK, Feb. 29 .- Things poli-Canada, the dispatch says, grain is betical did not enter into the speech de- ing received from the east. Ten thoulivered by Secretary of War Taft to" sand bushels of white oats and a large LONDON, Mar. 1-Scotland and parts night at the annual dinner of the shipment of seed wheat was sent west of England and Wales have experienc-Brooklyn Bar Association at the Un- by the Canadian Northern Friday. ed two days of the most wintry weathion League Club, Brooklyn. He exer in many years. There have been heavy snowstorms and blizzards and pounded his views on the constitution PROBABLY COMMITTED railway and telegraphic communicaof the United States in an address often broken by applause by his big tion is interrupted in many places. In parts of Scotland the snowdrifts are audience of lawyers. He carefully MONTREAL, Q., March 1.-J. S avoided any reference to politics and avoided any reference to politics and White, proprietor of a business college confined himself to the subject matter at Ottawa, was found dead at the St. ten and fiften feet deep. It is expected that the railways will be blocked for of his address. In the course of his remarks he declared that he did not a considerable length of time because equipment for clearing the tracks of remarks he declared that he did not such obstruction is lacking. A passen- share in the views expressed by critics ed strangely and had a revolver with ger train was stalled between Glason the change which has "come over

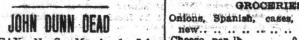
construction work. There were no tourists there. The village post office GREAT ACTIVITY ON

him, which was removed, but later our form of government by the inwas found-by a bell boy with a bullet and relief trains were unable to reach crease of national and the decrease of wound in his stomach and a revolver it for 27 hours. Meanwhile the passen- the state powers under the legisla- lying besire him. He had then been

dead several hours.

Eggs, per dozen. ... 0 28 Sausage.. 0 15 * 0 00 and Francis V. and Cyril V., of Boston. The sisters are Madame Jennie, Hallbut 0 15 " 0 00 a nun in the Sacred Heart Convent, Fresh cod and had-

Malta; Marie, wife of P. Charles dock, per lb 0 05 " 0 07 Schenkelberger, M. D., Chirgo; Mrs. Finnan haddles 0 09 " 0 00 Daniel Mullin, of this city; Miss Made-Boneless cod, per 1b ... 0 12 " 0 00 line, a student at Mt. Allison Ladies' Medium cod.. 4 40 " 4 59 Sm'kd herring, per box. 0 13 " 0 14 College, and Miss Gertrude, at the Sacred Heart Convent, London, Ont. Salt shad, each 0 25 " 0 30



HALIFAX, N. S., March 1 .- John Rice, per 15 0 08% " 0 08% Cream of th tar, pure Dunn, aged 75 years, former manager of the Morning Chronicle, died at his/ home in this city tonight, after brief illness. He was for nearly half a century connected with the Chronicle. Bicarb soda, per keg., 2 10 " 2 20 entering the employ of the paper as foreman of the composing room. He was known all over the Maritime Provinces and was highly esteemed. Barbados, choice 0 27 " 0 28 Barbados, fancy, new..... 0 30 0 00 He leaves a widow, three sons and four daughters. New Orleans (tierces) .. 0 00 " 0 00 Sugar-CONTRASTS.

Standard granulated, yellow bright, It is when we have wrongs that we most distinctly feel that we have rights Pulverized sugar 0 06 " 0 07 Several large fortunes have been made Teaby picking up money that has been Congou, per 1b. finest ... 0 21 . 0 24 thrown away. Congou, per lb.common 0 15 " 0 00 " Oolong, per lb 0 29 " 0 49 avalanche descended today near the committee on naval affairs today heard respects never think of keeping their Coffeeopinions to themselves. Java, per lb. green 0 24 "" 0 26 panied it demolished a hotel at the the construction of battleships and as tion of the railroads than the man who Jamaica, per 15 0 24 0 25 mouth of the Lochberg tunnel works. the authority for the charges made by has forgotten his pass. Salt-Liverpool, ex vessel .. 0 00 ... 0 00 Liverpeol, per sack, ex A CHILD CAN DO THE FAMILY WASE

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per bag, factory filled. 0 00 " 1 00 Spices-Ginger, ground 0 15 " 0 20 Pepper, ground 0 18 " 0 21 Black chewing 0 45 " 0 66

FRUITS, ETC.

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Dates, 10. pkg 0 36% " 0 07 Dates, newstp. "10" 0 04% " 0 05% Figs, new, per 1b.. 0.09 " Bigs, bag, per 1b.. 0 04 " 0 05 Seeded raisins, per lb. 0 11% " 0 11% Malaga, London layers, 1 90 " 2 99

Churning Made Easy Oranges, Valencia 3 00 " 4 00 "Favorite" Churn is worked by hand, or Oranges, Cal., Navel .. 3 25 foot, or both. Roller Bearings mean Raisins, Sultana, new .. 0 00 Bananas.. 1 75 " 2 50 quick, easy churning. Cccoanuts.. 0 00 " 4 50 Built for strength. 8 sizes Lemons, Messina, per bx 3 00 " 3 50 to churn from 1/2 to 30

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to churn from ½ to 30 gallous of cream. Write for booklet of these "Household Neces-Apples, per bbl...... 2 50 " 4 00 PROVISIONS. American clear pork., 19 00 " 20 50 American mess pork .. 19 50 " 20 00 sities" if your dealer Plate beef ... FLOUR, ETC.

DAVID MAXWELL & SONS Manitoba..... 6 75 " 6 80 Medium Patent..... 5 65 " 5 70

abused and also had the tendency to abuse the same thing. From earliest times there had been a

tendency on the part of mankind to regard the wealthy man with hatred and dislike. It could be noticed in almost every literature. Even the Bible contained references which showed that the rich man was villified and abused. The parable of Dives and Lazarus showed plainly that the possession of much of this world's goods was taken as an indication that the future existence of the rich man was generally thought to be one of torment Mr. Dickie went on to say that a

rich man was to be sympathized with and pitied rather than abused. The rich man was unable to enter into the "kingdom of usefulness" on account of the fact that his wealth set him apart_ from his fellow-men. Many rich per-sons desired to help their fellows and to enter into their life, but were prevented by their riches. Carnegie and Rockefeller attempted

to use their money to benefit their fellow-men, but as a result were they regarded with reverence or affection? them was one of hatred and dislike. The proper distribution of wealth in the estimation of the preacher was such that would prevent certain men becoming so wealthy that they could oppress their neighbors or that others could be so poor that they would suffer in con-The right kind of wealth to be ob-

ained was that which would benefit in the world to come as well as in the world of the present.

SIX CHILDREN IN ONE YEAR ANTWERP, Mar. 1.-Six brothers. born of the same mother in the same year, appeared before the astonished military authorities here yesterday to participate in the drawing of lots for compulsory service in the army. The case, which is probably the most

remarkable on record, is explained by the fact that the mother gave birth to two sets of triplets in the same year, the first set being born in January and cember.

> SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Feb. 28 .-Wu Ting Fung, for the second time appointed Chinese minister to this country, arrived today on the Pacific mail liner Siberia, with a large retinue of secretaries, consuls and attaches, numbering seventy persons.

You cannot possibly have a better Cocoa than A delicious drink and a sustaining 3 75 food. Fragrant, nutritious and economical. This excellent Cocoa maintains the system in rob





