

## Poll Will Tell 'Em



Cabinet secrets may be proclaimed to the world, if the secretaries don't use a little precaution. For Secretary Wallace has a new parrot. The bird, a rare specimen from Bolivia, was brought back by Dr. Mann, one of the department's traveling explorers. No, Poll doesn't speak English yet.

## POWER COMPANY DIRECTORS DISCUSS NEW ENTERPRISE

Officials Say Advent Into Manufacturing Would Stimulate Business Here

The directors of the New Brunswick Power Company are considering extending the scope of the company's operations to include the actual manufacture of street cars here in the city, according to an announcement made yesterday in the course of an interview with members of the mechanical department.

M. A. Pooler, general manager of the company, last evening said that it was probable that this new departure would be made some time this year.

The new industry would furnish employment for 50 men whose wages would aggregate about \$75,000 a year, it was said.

### Street Cars Improved.

During the last few months many comments of satisfaction have been heard around the city in regard to the improvement effected in the general appearance of the street cars, which have been gradually assuming a brighter, cleaner and more attractive appearance. A considerable number of the cars has been rehabilitated. The work will be continued until all the cars have been practically rebuilt.

An idea of the scope of the company's present operation in the line of manufacturing cars may be gleaned from the fact that two new snow plows of the rotary type were built and equipped completely at the company's shops at the corner of Wentworth and St. James streets this winter.

### Would Give Much Work, He Says.

The sweepers were designed on modern lines and, working in conjunction with those formerly in use, have provided the city with a snow-fighting equipment in its street railway that is said to be equal to that of any city of its size in Canada.

Asked what the extension of the plant operations would mean to the city, one of the officials answered as follows:

1. The providing of employment for 50 men on practically a year-round basis.
2. Considerable increase in local purchases of material of various sorts, thus stimulating trade in the stores.
3. The maintenance of an annual payroll approximating \$75,000, which, with the large amounts paid out for supplies, would mean a greatly increased circulation of money among the merchants and families of the city.

### Shop Equipment.

The present shops in Wentworth street will be enlarged to accommodate the increase in activities. The machine shop at present is equipped with a 150-ton wheel press and lathes of various sizes and grades, power saws, grinders and polishers. The carpenter shop is modernly equipped but there would be a considerable extension in this department with the commencement of the new work, it was said.

In the electrical department is seen a large baking oven for repairing and impregnating armatures, field cores and all the necessary requirement for complete repairs on motors and other electrical equipment. There is also a paint-

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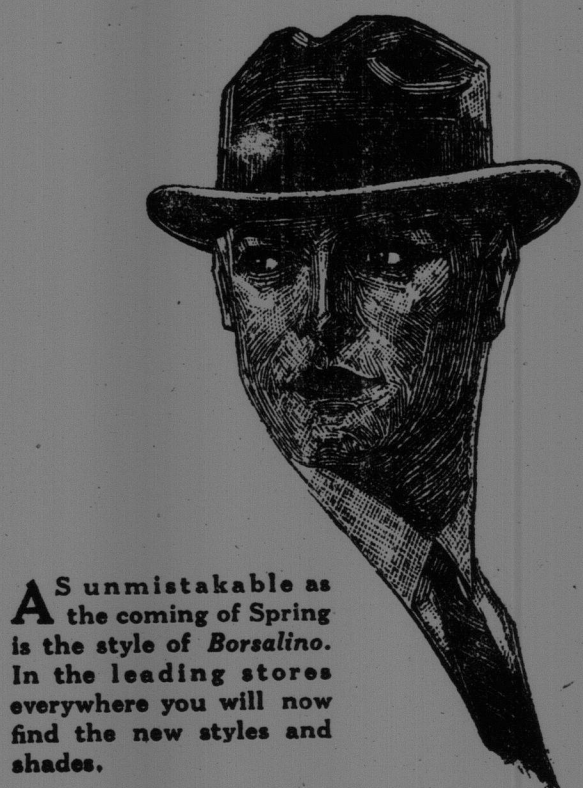
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ing and glazing shop and a testing and finishing department.

All these departments are under the supervision of Robert Harris, who has had a wide experience in the street railway field.

### SHOOT A HORSE.

Police Constable Totten, of the North End division was called to Metcalf street on Sunday for the purpose of shooting a horse in a barn at the request of the owner, Arthur Campbell.



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## 500 HEBRIDEANS WILL LAND HERE

Another Party of Scots Coming to Make Homes in Canada

A Montreal despatch last night said it was definitely ascertained at the headquarters of the Canadian Pacific steamships that 500 more Hebrideans would take passage to Canada via the steamer Marloch, when this liner calls at the northern ports of Barra and South Uist in the Hebrides, on March 28. The Marloch will come to St. John. These men and women are the followers of the party which sailed from Loch Boisdale last year.

This new movement has again been organized by the Rev. Father A. MacDonnell, the well known Canadian, who at present is in Barra completing final arrangements prior to the departure. Accompanying Father MacDonnell is Angus Campbell, now settled in Alberta. Unfortunately money is scarce in these islands, and the funds available for Father MacDonnell's movement being limited, only 500 are able to sail.

Like the men who came here last year, this new band of emigrants will settle near Red Deer, Alberta, where Father MacDonnell has arranged for

## ABOUT TIME TO TAP THE MAPLE TREES

Member From Kings Predicts Extensive Sap Collection Operations

Although not actively engaged in the maple sugar business this year, O. W. Wetmore, M.L.A., of Clifton, who was in the city last night en route to Fredericton, predicted in an interview that the sugar operations would be extensive this spring.

To his knowledge there had been no sap tapped thus far, although the exceptionally mild weather of the first of the month, he said, was excellent for collecting sap. March 20, however, he said, was the date when the big operators got out their apparatus and started in in real style. The sap would be running freely on southern slopes from now on, while on northern slopes it would not be collected in any quantities until much later in the season.

## PHANTOM SHIP HAUNTS SEAS

New York, March 17.—Liquor mariners, who were formerly fishermen, tell a story of a phantom grey cruiser which has haunted the waters of Long Island during the past three weeks pouncing upon the defenceless rum traffickers, as they were bound to run row with cash for new consignments of liquor.

So effective has been the operations of this nemesis, their yarn went, that a check has been put on rum-running in that sector. Armed with two machine guns, according to the story, the pirate cruiser swoops down upon the rum-runners, empties their tills and pockets of cash and then makes out to sea.

## TO GET SHARE OF MONEY.

A Canadian Press despatch last night brought the welcome news that the St. John Health Centre had been selected as one of the institutions in Canada to benefit by the proceeds of the sale of gramophone records of messages sent to the children of the Empire by the King and Queen on May 24, last. These records were heard in the schools in St. John. The \$800 realized

ed by the sale by request of the King children's hospitals. Allocation in recommendation of the Provincial and Queen, is to be divided among Canada has been made following the Governments.

## Most headaches due to lack of internal cleanliness

WHEN you are constipated, poisons form in the accumulated food waste. These poisons, absorbed by the blood, are carried throughout the body. Headaches follow. Biliousness, sleepless nights, lack of energy, all result from constipation. Each of these takes away piecemeal something of your health and strength. In time, intestinal poisoning due to lack of internal cleanliness may cause the breakdown of some vital organ.

In constipation, say intestinal specialists, lies the primary cause of more than three-quarters of all illness including the gravest diseases of life.



### Laxatives Aggravate Constipation

Laxatives and cathartics do not overcome constipation, says a noted authority, but by their continued use tend only to aggravate the condition and often lead to permanent injury.

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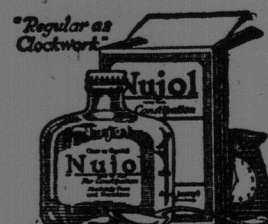


### Physicians Favor Lubrication

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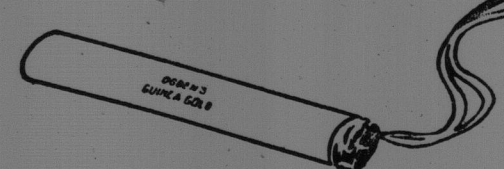
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