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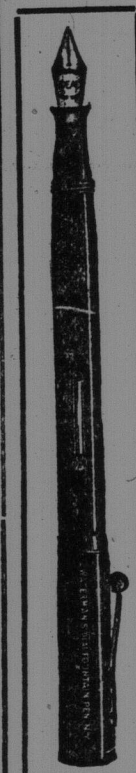
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## LOCAL NEWS

**TO JURY THIS AFTERNOON.**  
The case of the King vs. Harry Mc-  
Lellan is being continued in the County  
Court today. This morning's session was  
taken up with the cross examination of  
the defendant by the Attorney General.  
It is expected that the case will go to  
the jury this afternoon.

**RIVER RECORDS.**  
River records show that the St. John  
usually closes in from the 18th to the  
21st of November. Last year it was on  
November 20th that the river froze over,  
but the Purdy ploughed its way through  
two trips after that, and essayed a third,  
but was forced to quit before it reached  
Fredericton. It was November 15th of  
the previous year that navigation ceased.

**LONG SERVICE MEDAL.**  
George I. Vevey of Apohaqui has re-  
ceived his long service medal from the  
C. G. R. Mrs. Vevey was employed in  
the track department of the railway for  
more than forty years, and retired near-  
ly two years ago. He is well known  
along the line from St. John to Mon-  
cton, and was for a time a section fore-  
man.

**CELEBRATED GOLDEN WED-  
DING.**

Relatives and friends of Mr. and Mrs.  
Henry Redmore gathered at their home  
in Whitehead, Kings county, to celebrate  
their golden wedding on Saturday even-  
ing, Nov. 10. A coach was sent to the  
bride and groom of fifty years. After  
spending a very enjoyable evening, "God  
Save the King" was sung and the gath-  
ering broke up with renewed best wishes.  
Mr. and Mrs. Redmore were married  
on Nov. 10, 1868, at her father's resi-  
dence at Moss Glen, by Rev. Elias  
Scovil, rector of Kingston. Mrs. Red-  
more was formerly Miss Mary Ann  
Brien. Mr. Redmore worked in the old  
shipyard at Moss Glen. They have six  
sons and one daughter. Mrs. Scovil  
White of White's Mills, Mrs. Robert  
Macfarland and Harry of Whitehead,  
George and William of St. John, and  
Herbert at home; also thirteen grand-  
children, all of whom were with them  
on the occasion.

**KETCH-WHIPPLE.**

A pretty wedding was solemnized in  
St. John's church on Wednesday after-  
noon when the rector, Rev. J. H. Holmes,  
united in marriage Miss C. Dorothy  
Whipple, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J.  
A. Whipple of West St. John, and  
Gordon S. Ketch of Woodstock, N. B.  
The bride, who was unattended, and  
who was given away by her father, look-  
ed very dainty in a dress of white silk  
with veil and orange blossoms, and car-  
ried a bouquet of bridal roses. The  
choir was in attendance and rendered  
beautifully "The Voice that Breathed  
O'er Eden," and other appropriate  
music. After a dainty luncheon the  
happy young couple left for a short  
honeymoon trip to the upper provinces.  
The bride wore a travelling suit of navy  
blue trimmed with seal and a black hat.  
They were the recipients of many  
useful gifts, including a purse of gold  
from the branch of the English and  
Scottish Woolen Co., where the bride was  
formerly employed; also beautiful cut  
glass from the St. John's choir, of which  
the bride was a member. On their re-  
turn Sat. and Mrs. Ketch will reside in  
West St. John.

## LIEUT. WM. L. CALDROW AND MISS MACLAREN MARRIED IN ENGLAND

Romance Which Began in St. John  
Before the War Reached Its  
Climax to Accompaniment of  
Wedding Bells

John S. MacLaren of Laurin Lodge,  
Coburg street, experienced mixed emo-  
tions while he signed the messenger's  
book for a calcestrin this morning, for  
he has a brother, two daughters and a  
son-in-law overseas, and pretty nearly  
anything might have happened. But  
when he opened the envelope and read  
its contents he surely did get a surprise  
—a new war-time thrill, for the cable  
tersely stated: "Married twenty-fifth, St. Andrew's  
Presbyterian, Reading, England, Rev.  
William Armstrong. Uncle Murry gave  
me away."

**MARY CALDROW.**  
Of course Mr. and Mrs. MacLaren  
were in happy spirits to learn that in  
St. John private life and culminated  
with the principals both in uniform in  
Mother England, had taken place despite  
what excusable parental regrets they  
may have at not being able to give their  
blessings in person.

Needless to say, news of the marriage  
of Miss Mary Laurence MacLaren, sec-  
ond daughter of the household, to Lieut.  
William L. Caldrow, the former Bank  
of British North America, in this city,  
comes to their many friends with that  
tinge of romance associated with all the  
overseas weddings of the war. While  
closest friends and relatives suspected  
the event might take place before the re-  
turn to Canada, yet the bride and groom  
kept their secret well.

Reading between the lines of the cable-  
gram, it can quite safely be assumed that  
the nearby St. John friends of the con-  
tracting parties were present at stately  
old St. Andrew's Kirk in Reading, Eng.,  
when the nuptial knot was tied, the  
bride in her V. A. D. uniform and the  
groom in the khaki regimentals of the  
artillery, he being a member of Major  
Cyrus Ingham's battery. Colonel (Dr.)  
Murray MacLaren, one of Canada's  
ablest men in England, represented the  
bride's father in leading Miss MacLaren  
to the pulpit rail and doubtless Mrs.  
Ronald MacLaren, sister of the bride, and  
her little daughter, were also present, as  
well as Captain MacLaren himself and as  
many of the St. John colony of V. A. D.'s,  
Nursing Sisters, officers and doctors as  
could get off duty. It is not difficult  
to imagine the scene.

Mrs. Caldrow is one of the brightest  
spirits in the Daughters of the Empire  
order in St. John and is a member of  
Loyalist Chapter, I. O. O. E. She has  
been especially energetic and clever in  
originating and directing the musical  
revues of late winter seasons as well as  
taking part herself. Socially she is a  
favorite and in charitable work and  
community spirit she has always been  
active and sympathetic. The groom,  
prior to his enlistment, was acting man-  
ager for the Bank of B. N. A. here, and  
also in the Yukon. He is a native of  
Scotland, and enjoys the warm friend-  
ship of a large circle here and elsewhere.  
Cabled congratulations buzzed under-  
neath today when the news spread around,  
and Lieut. Caldrow and his V. A. D. wife,  
at work in a hospital at Reading, will get  
many a hearty greeting from home be-  
fore the setting of the sun.

## LATE ENGINEER

WAS SATISFIED,  
HE EXPLAINS

R. W. Wignome, Former Commis-  
sioner, Tells Council That Mr.  
Murdoch, Himself, Laid Out  
Route for Water Main

That the late William Murdoch was  
a party to all the arrangements made  
for the extension of the water main  
around Lake Fitzgerald, that he was the  
city engineer at the time and that he  
personally strongly favored the new pipe  
line route around the lake were state-  
ments made this morning by R. W.  
Wignome, M. P., formerly commissioner  
of the water and sewerage department  
of the city, who appeared before the  
common council to explain his version  
of the alleged trespass on the Murdoch  
estate.

When the meeting was called to order  
the mayor explained that Mr. Wignome  
had been asked to appear to give some  
information regarding the claim of the  
estate of the late William Murdoch for  
alleged trespass on their property at  
Lake Fitzgerald.

Mr. Wignome said that at any time he  
could render any service to the city he  
would gladly do so. He produced a blue  
print of the upper end of Lake Fitz-  
gerald and showed markings where it  
had been decided to lay the new pipe  
line. The late Mr. Murdoch, who was  
the city engineer at the time Mr. Mc-  
Lellan of Boston surveyed the property,  
was strongly in favor of having the ex-  
tension made around the lake, he said,  
and was associated with Mr. McLellan  
in making out the plans for the work.

The pipes, which are on the property of  
the Murdoch estate, Mr. Wignome added,  
had been placed there with the approval  
of Mr. Murdoch. All the transactions  
were a matter of record.

With regard to compensation for the  
use of the property, he thought it was  
settling this late hour to bring the  
matter up. The work had been going  
on for two years and there was no men-  
tion of compensation. The water and  
sewerage act allowed them to make the  
extension, but that Mr. Murdoch assisted  
in the plans and was perfectly satisfied.

It was decided to refer the matter to  
the commissioner of water and sewerage  
and the city solicitor.

**Action Postponed.**  
Urban J. Sweeney and Peter Chag-  
naris were present for the meeting. The  
former explained that his client had  
been unable to come to an understand-  
ing with the returned soldier, esle, re-  
siding at the purchase of Chagariar's  
stock and building. He said that the  
soldier was willing to purchase the build-  
ing, but that he did not wish to buy  
any fixtures or goods. His client, he  
said, was asking for a given period in  
which to dispose of his stock.

Commissioner Bullock explained that  
a meeting between the two had been  
held in his office and they had been un-  
able to come to terms as to the time.  
The members present agreed that  
nothing could be done at the meeting  
owing to the absence of Commissioner  
McLellan and they did not desire to act  
unless there was a full meeting. It was  
finally agreed that those interested would  
be duly notified if any action is taken.  
**Contractor's Claims.**

The question of settling with Con-  
tractor R. M. Tobin was extended  
until the water main to East St. John,  
but whose contract was taken from him  
owing to his inability to complete the  
work in time, was taken up and dis-  
cussed at some length. The figures  
submitted by the contractor were con-  
siderably in excess of those presented  
by Engineer G. G. Hare and the mat-  
ter was given careful consideration.  
Finally, it was decided to allow the mat-  
ter to stand over until Monday when  
the engineer was instructed to present  
a detailed account.

Regarding the application of George  
W. Parlo to locate a lunch wagon in  
West St. John, Commissioner Bullock  
reported that he would be un-  
able to grant him the site at the head  
of No. 4 warehouse as the fire insur-  
ance writers would not meet for some time  
and the applicant wanted a location im-  
mediately. He said he would move that  
he be given a piece of property near the  
corner of Rodney wharf and Union street  
at 10 a month. This carried unani-  
mously.

**Tender for Wharf.**  
One tender was received for the pur-  
chase of the wharf at present under  
lease to George Dick and known as the  
"Quinn property." The sole tenderer  
was Mr. Dick, who offered \$10,000. No  
action was taken and the matter was re-  
ferred to the commissioner.

**PURSE DISAPPEARED.**  
Lawrence O'Connor, storekeeper for  
Grant & Horne at the McAvity plant,  
was before the magistrate this morning  
on suspicion of stealing a pocketbook  
containing \$87 belonging to Alfred Byers,  
another employee of Grant & Horne.  
Byers told of going into the store to get  
his check cashed and of leaving his  
pocketbook containing the \$87 on the  
shelf. When he returned, about half an  
hour later, the purse was gone. Three  
other witnesses were examined and all  
told of seeing the purse. The case will  
be resumed this afternoon.

**POULTRY ASSOCIATION.**  
At a meeting of the Poultry Associa-  
tion held on Monday evening in Fred-  
erickton, it was decided agreed upon to  
hold the provincial poultry show at  
Fredericton, Jan. 7, 8 and 9.

**GERMANS FORWARD  
APPEAL FOR CLEMENCY  
THROUGH PRISONERS**

Hull, England, Nov. 27.—British civil-  
ian prisoners arriving here from Ruh-  
leben, Germany, say that when they  
were leaving the prison camp there a  
long written document was handed them  
by the Germans, appealing to them to  
intercede with the British people in be-  
half of the people of Germany "who  
have freed themselves from the chains  
of a barbarous system" and not to hold  
the German people responsible for the  
deeds of their former autocratic rulers,  
"who are now utterly powerless."

Protest was made in the Spanish  
chamber of deputies over the burning of  
an American flag by workmen at Caba-  
dell, a town in Catalonia.

The German cabinet, at a meeting on  
Tuesday, considered a bill providing for  
elections to the national assembly.

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weight you wish.

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**FINE CASHMERE SOCKS** in natural color, black, browns or white.

**35 cents a pair for MEN'S WINTER WEIGHT COTTON SOCKS**

**\$1.00 for SHIRT OR DRAWERS** for \$1.50 quality; good, warm winter ones. These will be  
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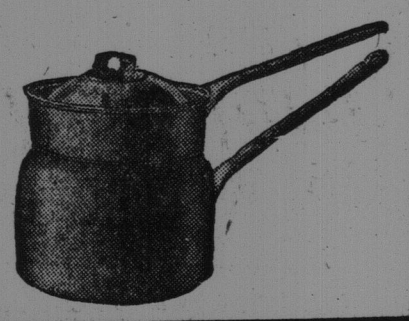
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## Another Sale of Kitchen Necessities For Friday and Saturday

These weekly specials have proved themselves winners. Here are ten more for this  
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| 8 qt. London Stove Pot, 99c.     | No. 8 Tin Wash Boiler, \$1.89           |
| 6 qt. London Stove Pot, 79c.     | No. 8 Galv. Wash Boiler, \$2.00         |
| 3 qt. Enamel Double Boiler, 99c. | Self-Basting Roaster, 89c.              |
| 14 qt. Slew Kettles, 89c.        | Nickel-plated Electric Toast-er, \$2.89 |
| 8 qt. Enamel Tea Kettle, \$1.45  | 2 qt. Enamel Tea Pot, 69c.              |

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## Ladies' Sporting Togs For Winter Days



### SWEATERS

Pretty Brushed Wool Sweater in dark brown, detachable collar, \$7.85  
Pullover Sweater in rose, with collar and cuffs of white, \$8.45  
A Very Dainty Brushed Wool Coat Sweater in corn color with collar and cuffs of dark brown, \$12.00  
Plain Knit Coat Sweater in a charming shade of green with corn color trimmings, \$13.50  
Girls' Fine Wool Sweaters in either plain stitch or brushed wool effect, sailor and shawl collar styles, in colors of scarlet, Copenhagen, navy, brown, Emerald. Price, \$1.40 to \$7.75

## Wool Cap and Scarf Sets

Girls' Brushed Wool Sets consisting of long wool scarf and toque making a pretty and serviceable combination snowy weather outfit. Colors are rose, tan, blue, white, Saxe, rose and white, Saxe and white, yellow and white.  
Prices per set ..... \$2.50 to \$3.00  
Scarf and Tam Wool Sets in rose, tan, blue, and other colors. Price per set \$3.60

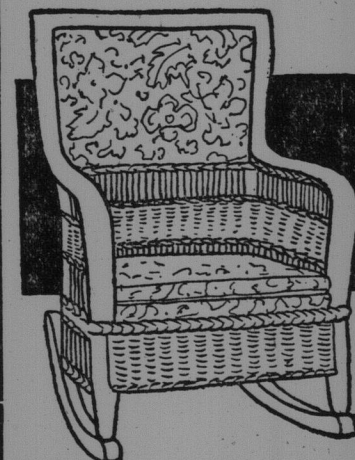
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lar merchandise to Discharged Sol-  
diers purchasing their first civilian  
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O'Donnell Sale of Men's and Boys'  
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The finishes are: Old Ivory, Fumed and Natural.  
Upholstering is in Tapestry and Striped Creton.  
Loose cushions; and chairs have spring seats—  
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See Window Display Now Showing.

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You ought to see our Fur Window. It contains three Muskrat Coats of differing  
lengths, displayed in order that you may better appreciate the decided bargains you may ob-  
tain this week-end.

FOR \$128.50 you may own any one of these \$150.00 MUSKRAT COATS provided you  
purchase Thursday, Friday or Saturday of this week.

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