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WANTED—Parties having dry hard wood ready for shipment to write stating price and quantity to J. S. Gibbon & Co.

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FOUND—A bracelet on New Year's Day on Suspension Bridge. Owner can have same by proving property and paying for this ad. Call at C. V. Cowan, 48 Adelaide.

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Western Beef, Pork, Butter, Eggs, Cheese, Potatoes, Lamb, Poultry. Game in Season.
'Phone Main 252. 8-11 City Market.

Musical Instruments Repaired.
VIOLINS, MANDOLINES, and all stringed instruments and bows repaired. SYDNEY GIBBS, 81 Sydney Street.

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If you want a watch I can supply you with the best makes at reasonable prices. Special attention given to fine watch repairing. ERNEST A. LAW. Issuer of Marriage Licenses.

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There's no shoe requirement we cannot fully satisfy at a pleasing price. Will you not come here and learn of the Superiority and Excellence of our shoes, and see how fittingly our name stands as a sign of Good Shoes?
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Medicated Wines
In Stock—A Consignment of
Jerez-Quina Medicated Wines
Indorsed by the Medical Faculty.
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Direct importers and dealers in all the leading brands of Wines and Liquors; we also carry in stock from the best houses in Canada very Old Ryes, Wines, Ales and Stout. Imported and Domestic Cigars.
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William L. Williams, Successor to M. A. Finn, Wholesale and Retail Wine and Spirit Merchant, 110 and 112 Prince William St. Established 1870. Write for family price list.

We are now in a position to quote very close prices on structural steel work of all kinds, delivery of which is not required until after February 1st, 1912. Parties having work coming up next spring or summer can save a great deal by placing their steel orders now. We can now submit estimates and plans very promptly and we solicit all inquiries for structural iron or steel work. The capacity of our plant is now 700 tons per month.
W. M. P. McNEIL & CO. Ltd., New Glasgow, N.S.

W. FRANK HATHEWAY, M.P.P. ADDRESSED SOCIALISTS

Causes of Poverty, Subject of His Address—Then He was Kept Busy Answering Many Questions.

W. Frank Hatheway, M. P. P., addressed a large meeting in the Socialist Hall last evening on the causes of poverty. He said he did not belong to the Socialist party, though he believed there was some good in socialism, and that socialists were trying, according to their lights, to solve the problem of poverty. He said it was a disgrace to Canada that we had to have poor houses. In Australia, where the labor party was a power, they had no poor houses, the state paying all old people a pension, not as a charitable dole, but as a legal right.

Some well-meaning people claimed that intemperance was the cause of poverty. But investigation showed that this was an absurd idea. An examination of 5,000 poor families in New York showed that in the case of 66 per cent. poverty was due to unemployment.

In St. John 1,300 persons made application to the Charity Association last year. Of these 800 asked for work, not charity.

The causes of poverty lay deep in economic conditions. In old times when the means of production and transportation were crude, a failure of the crops brought poverty. But today owing to improved methods of production and transportation, there was no need of suffering from this cause, as, if nature did not perform her functions in one district she usually gave good crops in another.

At the present time poverty was caused by the greed of the few who seized possession of the land, or got control of industries and utilized their powers for private profit instead of allowing the people to use the land and industries to produce things for their own needs. To accomplish this the workers should elect their own class to parliament.

Mr. Hatheway condemned the policy of alienating public property, pointing out that the old government of New Brunswick had given a few men the sole right to the oil and gas in 10,000 square miles of provincial territory for 198 years, and had given a few men the water powers of Grand Falls in perpetuity.

After the lecture Chairman Hyatt said the Socialists were always willing to allow a Conservative or a Liberal to address their meetings, and told the lecturer that he would be expected to answer questions from the audience.

Mr. Hatheway was kept busy answering questions for a while. Then Comrade Askins made a speech. He said the lecturer did not know what he was talking about when he said that unemployment was a cause of poverty. Employment itself was a condition of poverty. Any man who had been rich and who became forced to work eight hours a day for $2.00 or $3.00 would think he was very poor.

As for the cause of poverty it resided in the capitalist system of industry, and the only way to abolish it would be to take the control of the means of production out of the hands of a class and place it in the hands of the mass of the people.

The lecturer had said the people of Denmark, Germany and Belgium were more advanced than Canadians, because they elected labor representatives and adopted old age pensions and a few labor laws. Well, the people of those countries were glad to come to Canada and get a job at $6 a week. When conditions were as bad here as in Germany or England, we would be given old age pensions too. Lloyd George was a poor kind of a hero. Old age pensions were not a cure for poverty. The average length of the life of the workingman was only 27 years. An old age pension 33 years after he was dead wasn't much good to the average workingman.

Sabbath School Treat.

In the vestry of Ludlow street church on Friday evening an enjoyable time was spent when the Sabbath school of the church held its annual treat. A large number attended, the vestry being crowded. R. J. Anderson, superintendent of the school presided and the following programme was rendered: Solos, Robt. Mawhinney, Gene Burton, Muriel Stuart, Frances Lanyon; readings by Miss Pearl Wayne and Blanche Ring; piano duet, Evelyn and Gertrude Gaetz; exercises by the classes. Addresses were given by Rev. W. R. Robinson and Ald. Kierstead. A feature of the entertainment was a musical tree beautifully decorated and laden with 300 bags of candy and fruit which were distributed to the children. Prizes were awarded to the following members of the school whose attendance during the year was perfect: Walter Allan, Clyde Carson, Angelina Roxborough, Hazel McLoon and Ada Carvill. A number of presentations to teachers of the school were made by Deacon John Ring. Miss Annie Mullin presided at the piano during the entertainment.

Sunday Night Concert.

The second series in connection with the C. M. B. A. lecture course was opened last evening with a sacred concert. The increasing popularity of the course was emphasized last evening by the large attendance, the hall being too small to accommodate the crowd. The programme rendered consisted entirely of sacred music, and was greatly appreciated. R. J. Walsh, president of the society acted as chairman and the following took part in the concert: Frank I. McCafferty, Miss Cassie McQuaide, Barton Wetmore, David Higgins, Miss Frances Travers, Frank Hazel, Mrs. W. P. Harrington, Miss Bessie Wetmore, Miss Nellie Coholan, F. Joyce, William Wallace and Thos. J. Morrissey. The lecture of the present series will be given on Sunday next by Rupert M. Rive, B. A., who will speak on Imperialism. The accompanists last evening were Miss Josephine Fitzpatrick, Mrs. Alex. McMullin, Miss Maud Sweeney, Miss Wetmore, and D. Arnold Fox. At the request of the chairman, Mr. Fox rendered two piano solos which were greatly enjoyed.

Thorne Lodge Meeting.

Thorne Lodge held their Gospel temperance meeting yesterday afternoon at four o'clock. D. C. Fisher presided. St. Mary's orchestra played several selections during the meeting. Archdeacon Raymond was the speaker.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Victoria.

James E McAuley, Lower Millstream; Jas Buchanan, Truro; O L Hoyl, A R Mowatt, McAdam; Geo Graham, Toronto; Robt Dodd, Charlottetown; W R Gillin, Hartland; Miss Gordon, Winnipeg; Miss Dockendorff, Nelson, BC; R W Bowell, J C Middlemar, D O'Neill, E A Hillard, Montreal; W H Sharpe, Pinkville; D J Barrett, East St John; Jas W Day, Halifax; W H Baird, M H Doherty, Montreal.

Dufferin.

John C Hilderbrand, New York; E J McCready, Toronto; Harry H Frize, Boston; D J Rupert, Kentville; J P Marlow, Toronto; Thos A Ward, Montreal; W R Finson, Bangor; D W Burns, Stratford; Jos Courtean, Montreal; Mrs H Godfrey, Somerville, Mass; Jas Simard, Montreal; A T Grant, Halifax; Thos J Cunningham, Montreal.

Park.

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SMART SET ITEMS.

One begins to read The Smart Set right at the front cover page these days, for each month the cover illustrates some clever epigram in a clever way. The design for February is by R. M. Crosby, and gives a novel twist to Kipling's now famous line, "The female of the species is more deadly than the male."

A picture certain to make a popular appeal is Harry S. Potter's frontispiece in The Smart Set for February. The artist found his inspiration in the magazine's new department for the revival of the art of letter writing, "The Trunk in the Attic," and it appears that the real attic of an old Dutch manor house in New York served him as a background.

The Smart Set recognizes that its readers are great travelers, having received letters from people who have bought the magazine in the book shops of Shanghai, Buenos Aires, Copenhagen and Johannisburg, and so introduces this month a department under the caption "Where Shall We Go" devoted to the seasonable travel resorts.

Lovers of poetry will be interested in the announcement by editors of The Smart Set that the "Chant Royal of Hack Work," by M. K. Powers, in their February issue is only the second appearance of the chant royal in periodical literature in America in many years.

St. Stephen's Guild.

St. Stephen's church Guild will meet tonight at 8 o'clock. Rev. Bruce Muir, of Annapolis, will speak on the life of Burns and give selections from his works. There will be Scotch music also. The public are invited.

IN THE COURTS.

Probate Court.

Estate of Charles Napier Beal, liquor merchant. Deceased died on 17th inst. There being urgent and special reason why the will should be proved prior to the usual lapse of fourteen days from the death of deceased, the last will and codicil are admitted to probate, whereby the deceased nominates The Eastern Trust Company to be the executors and trustees thereunder, and directs that the property be held in trust; the house at Sackville and furniture for the use of the widow for life and the sum of $500 annually for her support, and a like sum for the support of his children, Ruth Margaret, and Charles Alfred Beal, the balance of income to be added to the corpus of the estate, but if such sum is insufficient for the support and maintenance of the children, then the trustees are empowered to expend so much more as in their discretion shall be deemed necessary, and on the younger of the children attaining the age of 23 years, the estate to be divided among his said wife and children; in case of the death of the wife and the death of the children without issue, then the estate to go to deceased's sisters, namely, Mrs. Annie Clement and Mrs. Jane C. McConkey. He further directs that the trustees are to wind up his business within a year and in the meantime to employ his present bookkeeper, Daniel J. Corr, at a sum stated in such will, in whom the testator expresses confidence. The will is witnessed by five persons. The codicil provides for cremation and subsequent disposition of the ashes in deceased's burial lot in Sackville rural cemetery. Attached to the will is the certificate of two medical men as to the testator's mental capacity.

Pending further information, the value of the estate is to be given later. Dr. R. F. Quigley, K. C., proctor.

The Na-Dru-Co. Almanac for 1912.

A good almanac is ever welcome. The annual number of the Na-Dru-Co. Almanac, the 1912 edition, now out, is if anything more interesting and more useful than its two predecessors

Besides the usual solar and lunar tables and dates of eclipses, the Na-Dru-Co. almanac gives much information which it would be difficult to find elsewhere. Examples of this are the Map of Altitudes, exports and imports, records of Canadian Premiers, Governors-General, etc.

Nearly all leading druggists have copies of the Na-Dru-Co Almanac for their customers, or it may be had by writing the National Drug & Chemical Co., of Canada, Limited, Montreal.

C. P. R. steamship Montcalm, Captain Hodder, arrived off Partridge Island last night from Avonmouth, G. B., and will come up to her berth on the West Side this morning. The steamer has no passengers, but has a large freight for this city and the west. The steamer sailed from the other side on January 5th and met with some heavy gales on the passage.

FREE!! $200.00 IN CASH
AND 1,000 VALUABLE PREMIUMS GIVEN AWAY
1st Prize, $50.00 in Cash - 3rd Prize, $35.00 in Cash
2nd Prize, $40.00 in Cash - 4th Prize, $25.00 in Cash
5th to 9th Prizes, each $10.00 in Cash.

Herewith will be found the picture of a stylishly dressed lady. Around her figure are concealed the faces of her seven daughters. Can you find their seven faces? If so, mark the faces with an X. Cut out the picture and send it to us, together with a slip of paper on which you have written the words, 'I have found the seven faces and marked them.'

Write the above words plainly and neatly, as in case of ties, both writing and neatness will be considered in this contest. Should you not happen to be a neat writer, point out this advertisement to some friend of yours who can write plainly and neatly, and have him or her enter this contest in his or her name for you. First, agree with the person who is to do the writing, that you are to receive any prize money or prize that may be awarded. This may take up a little of your time, but as there is TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS in cash and One Thousand premiums given away, it is worth your time to take a little trouble over this matter.

Remember, all you have to do is to mark the faces, cut out the picture, and write on a separate piece of paper the words, "I have found the seven faces and marked them."

We do not ask You to Spend One Cent of Your Money in order to enter this Contest.

Send your answer at once; we will reply by Return Mail telling you whether your answer is correct or not, and we will send you a complete Prize List, together with the names and addresses of persons who have recently received over One Thousand Dollars in Cash Prizes from us, and full particulars of a simple and easy condition that must be fulfilled. (This condition does not involve the spending of any of your money.)

Winners of Cash Prizes in our late competitions will not be allowed to enter this Contest.

Below will be found the names and addresses of a few persons who have won some of our larger prizes in recent contests. Your opportunity to win a good round sum is equally as good as that of anyone else, **as all previous winners of cash prizes are debarred from entering this contest.**

Names and Addresses of a few Prize-Winners in Recent Contests

Mrs. W. A. C. Orr, 298 Gannell St. W'peg, Man.	$50.00
Mrs. H. McMillan, 335 Medland St. W. Toronto	50.00
Mr. Alphonse Drouin, Dept. Sec. of State, Ottawa	50.00
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Miss H. C. Powell, Ac'n Br'ch, P O. Dept. Ottawa	40.00
Mde. J. B. Girouard, 646 Maisonneuve, Montreal	35.00
Mrs. A. Ferguson, 99 Sorbert Block, Winnipeg	35.00
Mr. Thos. Blakey, 56 Huntley St. Toronto, Ont.	25.00
Miss Mary Lamb, 22 Spencer St., St. John's, Nfld	25.00
Miss E. A. Kennedy, 18 Railway St. N. Hamilton	25.00
Mr. Jules Vanconcelles, Onuhua River, Que.	25.00
Mr. B. Bugden, Merry Meeting Rd. St. John's.	20.00
Mr. H. C. Mason, 2475 Hutchesson St. Montreal	20.00
Mr. John W. Marshall, St. John's, Nfld	15.00
Mrs. Alex. Calder, 296 Gannell St. Winnipeg	10.00
Mr. W Brewer, 345 Shaw St. Toronto, Ont	10.00
Mr. Hervie H. Turner, 86 Ossington A. Toronto	10.00
Mr. Walter Reid, 271 Bulmouie St. Montreal	10.00
Mrs. C. M. Adams, Cobourg, Ont.	10.00
Mr. E. M. Bobier, 1019 Gloucester St. Ottawa	10.00
Mr. Thos. Humphries, 15 Young St. St. John's	10.00
Mrs John Cooper, 140 Gladstone St. Winnipeg	10.00
Mademe Cecile Belair, Avenue de la Cure, Louiseville, Q	10.00
Mr. Alfred A Copping 194 Bloor St. E Toronto	10.00
Mr. J. E. Letourneau, St. Come Liniere, Que	10.00
Mrs. O. Piett, 39 Brookline Ave Toronto, Ont	10.00
Mrs. W. St. Johnson, 562 Redwood Ave Winnipeg	10.00
Miss E. Brodeur, 6 Gillespie St. Sherbrooke, Que	$50.00
Mr. Louis Quintal, Charlemange, Que	50.00
Mr. J. A. St. Pierre, Arthabaska, Que	50.00
Mrs Andrew Johnson, Box 101, Roblin, Man	40.00
Mr. Norman Robinson, Milford Haven, Ont	40.00
Mr. P. A. Ferguson, 221 James Ave. Winnipeg	40.00
Miss Mary Cochrane, 114 Preston St. Ottawa	35.00
Mr. R. E. Strange, 300 Rockland Rd. St. John's, N. B	35.00
Mrs. G. H Benson, 33 Hargrave St. Winnipeg	35.00
Mrs. E. H Lounsett, 308 Hughson St, Hamilton	25.00
Mrs. H. W Healey, Box 171, Ingersoll, Ont	25.00
Mr. J. M. Sullivan, Duckworth St., St. John's	25.00
Mr. Wm. Sage, 56 Colonial St., St. John's Nfld	20.00
Miss Bride Power, Freshwater Rd. St. John's N'd	15.00
Mrs. Roland Dixon, Temple Bldg. Winnipeg, Man	10.00
Mrs. Geo. Brighton, 339 Magdline St. Montreal	10.00
Mrs. T. W. Ross, Lancaster, Ont.	10.00
Mr. George Cecil Moore, Heart's Content, Nfld	10.00
Mrs. J. A. Foster, Hignett, Ont	10.00
Miss M. Fahey, 609 Cumberland St. Ottawa, Ont.	10.00
Mrs. D. Brown, 1186 Dorchester St, Montreal, Que	10.00
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Miss Ethel M. Pitcher, 34 Gerrish St. Halifax N S	10.00
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Its fine porous particles quickly absorb dirt
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NOTICE

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that a Bill will be presented for enactment at the next Session of the Provincial Legislature to further amend the "St. John Assessment Act, 1909," and amending Acts.

The objects desired to be attained by this Act are:

(1) To provide that after the 1st day of January, 1913, the tax on buildings and improvements be reduced fifty per centum and after such date still further reduced from time to time until the tax on such buildings and improvements disappears altogether; also that the land exclusive of buildings shall be assessed at twice the true value, to provide for the revenue lost on account of the decrease in the taxation of such buildings and improvements.

(2) To provide that personal property be exempt from taxation as soon as circumstances will permit.

(3) To empower the Common Council of the City of Saint John to appoint a Commission which shall become a permanent Court with power to adjust as equitably as possible all difficulties which may arise on account of the Change above mentioned, more particularly with reference to long renewal leases.

(4) To provide that the Five dollar poll tax be reduced to Two dollars.

(5) To repeal Section 1 of the Act of Assembly 10 Ed. 7, Cap. 64 (1910), which provides that the rate of taxation for the years 1911, 1912, 1913, 1914, 1915 and 1916 shall not exceed the tax rate for the year 1910.

Saint John, N.B., the fifteenth day of January, A.D. 1912.

HERBERT E. WARDROPER,
Common Clerk of the City of Saint John.

Assessors' Notice

The Board of Assessors of Taxes for the City of Saint John hereby require all persons liable to be rated for the year 1912 forthwith to furnish to the assessors true statements of all their property, real estate, personal estate and income, which is assessable under "The Saint John City Assessment Act, 1909," and hereby give notice that blank forms on which statements may be furnished can be obtained at the office of the assessors, and that such statements must be perfected under oath and filed in the office of the assessors, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

Dated this Second Day of January, A.D., 1912.

ARTHUR W. SHARP, Chairman.
URIAH DRAKE,
TIMOTHY T. LANTALUM,
JOHN ROSS,
Assessors of Taxes.

Extracts from "The Saint John City Assessment Act, 1909."

"Sec. 32. The assessors shall ascertain as nearly as possible the particulars of the real estate, the personal property, and the income of any person, who has not brought in a statement in accordance with their notice and as required by this law, and shall make an estimate thereof at the true value and amount, to the best of their information and belief; and such estimate shall be conclusive upon all persons who have not filed their statements in due time, unless they can show a reasonable excuse for the omission."

"Sec. 43. No person shall have an abatement unless he has filed with the assessors the statement under oath within the time required; nor shall the Common Council, in any case, sustain an appeal from the judgment of the assessors, unless they shall be satisfied that there was good cause why the statement was not filed in due time as herein provided."

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that a Bill will be presented for enactment at the next session of the Provincial Legislature to further amend an Act to unite the City of Portland with the City of Saint John and to amend the Charter of the City of Saint John and the laws relating to Civic Government, the object of which is to change the present system of Civic Government of the City of Saint John from a Mayor and seventeen Aldermen to an elective Commission of five persons, consisting of a Mayor and four Commissioners.

W. H. BARNABY,
Chairman of Citizens' Committee.
Jan. 5, 1912.

NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that under Chapter 86 of the Consolidated Statutes of New Brunswick, 1903, License to transact business in this Province has been granted for one year from the First day of December A. D., 1911 to The Canadian Home Investment Company, Limited.

M. D. EMACK,
Manager.
Dated the 23rd day of December, 1911.

Estate William Deuchars

Separate tenders for Tailoring Stock, etc., taken at $1,311.61, and book debts of $446.80, will be received up to Tuesday, Jan. 23rd, 1912, by the Undersigned Assignee, at whose office stock books may be seen; also at office of L. R. Wilson, Chipman, who will allow inspection of stock, etc. Certified check for 10 per cent. of offer must accompany tender. Highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

H. H. PICKETT,
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Public Auction

ESTATE LATE MARY JANE COCHRAN, DECEASED.

In the interests of the Heirs of the late Mary Jane Cochran, of Saint Martins, in the City and County of Saint John, there will be sold at Public Auction at the Post Office, Saint Martins, at 10 o'clock in the morning of February 3, 1912.—

That Lot of Land and Premises, situate in Saint Martins aforesaid, fronting on the Main street thereof, with the building thereon.

Terms of sale, 50 per cent. on sale, and 50 per cent. on delivery of the Deed.

Saint Martins, Saint John County, January 2, 1912.

HANNAH V. MORAN,
Address, Saint Martins.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Pier at Upper Salmon River N. B.," will be received at this office until 4.00 P. M., on Wednesday, February 14, 1912, for the construction of a Pier at Upper Salmon River, Albert County, N. B.

Plans, specifications and form of contract can be seen and forms of tender obtained at this Department and at the offices of E. T. P. Shewen, Esq., District Engineer, St. John, N. B., Geoffrey Stead, Esq., District Engineer, Chatham, N. B., and on application to the Postmaster at Alma, N. B.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed forms supplied, and signed with their actual signatures, stating their occupations and places of residence. In the case of firms, the actual signature, the nature of the occupation, and place of residence of each member of the firm must be given.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank, payable to the order of the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, equal to ten per cent (10 p. c.) of the amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the person tendering decline to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or fail to complete the work contracted for. If the tender be not accepted the cheque will be returned.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order,
R. C. DESROCHERS,
Secretary.
Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, January 17, 1912.

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SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST LAND REGULATIONS.

Any person who is the sole head of a family or any male over 18 years old, may homestead a quarter section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. The applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-agency for the district. Entry by proxy may be made at any agency, on certain conditions by father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister of intending homesteader.

Duties—Six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres solely owned and occupied by him or by his father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister.

In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter-section alongside his homestead. Price $3.00 per acre.

Duties.—Must reside upon the homestead or pre-emption six months in each of six years from date of homestead entry (including the time required to earn homestead patent) and cultivate fifty acres extra.

A homesteader who has exhausted his homestead right and cannot obtain a pre-emption may enter for a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price $3.00 per acre. Duties.—Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate fifty acres and erect a house worth $300.00.

W. W. CORY,
Deputy of the Minister of the Interior.

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TO PLUMBERS

Sealed tenders, endorsed "Tender for Heating, Etc." will be received by the undersigned up to noon of Friday, 26th inst., for Hot Water Heating and Plumbing required in the Board of Trade Building.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the Board of Trade, Prince William street.

W. E. ANDERSON,
Sec. the St. John Board of Trade.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NEW BRUNSWICK

All persons seeking legislation at next session of the legislature, are requested to have one hundred copies of bill printed and folded.

At last session of the legislature the following resolution passed by committee on municipalities: "Resolved, that it would be advisable when reference is made to any act of assembly that in addition to the usual reference, the year in which the same was enacted, shall be inserted as herewith shown, 'The Act 4, Edward, VII., Chapter 40, 1904. And the following recommendation was made by the committee on corporations: That plans and specifications of proposed works with sufficient data be submitted with bill relating thereto.

Dated 11th day of January, A. D., 1912.

HENRY B. RAINSFORD,
Clerk of Legislative Assembly