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Have you seen this Range?
Over 300 satisfied customers are
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Made by skilled workmen and of the best cloth;
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Perfect fitting.

Prices, \$65.00 to \$85.00.

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The present season seems to favor the Fancy
Vest more than ever. They live up a plain
suit without giving a loud appearance. Our
patterns include the very newest conceits, from
the quiet designs to some that are quite strik-
ing—something for every taste.

Prices, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.25 and \$3.50

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Smoker's Tables in Mahogany and Walnut,

From \$2.50 to \$10.00.

Smoker's Sets, from \$1.50 to \$15.00.

Thomas J. Flood, 60 King St.,
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OVERCOATS and SUITS.

They Cannot be Matched for the Prices

So many people have said, "It's really wonderful the large business you
have worked up here in such a short time." As an answer they have been
shown through our stock room on some of the garments, seen how they fit,
shown the quality of cloth and the prices that are marked, then
understand that the people come here because of the satisfaction they
can get at the saving in price. You can save \$2.00 to \$3.50 on a Suit or
Overcoat here.

Men's overcoats \$5.00 to \$24.00
Mens Suits \$3.00 to \$20.00
Also Underwear Hats and Gloves.

J. N. HARVEY, Clothing and
Furnishings,
199 to 207 Union St.

CALGARY PEOPLE DOUBLE THE
AM OF THEIR
CITIZENS' CLUB

A Population of 50,000 Was
Not Sufficient, So They
Made Their Figure 100,000
and Are Enthusiastically
Working Toward This
Desired End.

Calgary has been excited over what
was originally a \$50,000 club, but which
has now doubled itself. A copy of the
Daily Herald of Nov. 9 contains a
lengthy account of a public meeting
held to raise the aim of the organiza-
tion to 100,000. The proposal to have a
50,000 club did not offer sufficient in-
centive to the local hustlers so they
doubled their figure. On Thursday of
last week, a meeting was held accom-
panied by a parade, torchlight pro-
cession, fireworks and band music,
with small boys in abundance. From
all accounts, the meeting was most
enthusiastic.

Mayor Emerson who presided, stated
that the object was to interest every
citizen of Calgary in the development
of the city and to give the people a
greater opportunity to realize what
conditions they enjoyed, conditions
which they never properly appreciated.
Senator Lougheed took a share in the
enthusiastic utterance and said that,
generally speaking, no more noble pro-
ject for advancement by the town
could be put on foot. He was heartily
in favor of a club which would ad-
vocate by advertisement the develop-
ment of their place. The citizens as
a whole are greatly interested in the
movement, and now that it has
been well under way it is the duty
of all to put their shoulders to the
wheel and make their club a success.
Since Calgary has reached its present
population without any effort on the
part of the citizens and simply through
natural increase, now that the people
are getting together to name the orga-
nization, it is the duty of each citizen
to better the city's interests, there
should be no limit set to what can be
done by advertisement to the people
of Calgary at present has been before
Canada as an example of what can be
done without concerted action, and it
rests with the people to show what
can be done by unity. It was enthus-
iastically decided to name the orga-
nization the 100,000 club instead of the 50,
000 club.

BIG INCREASE IN
COUNTRY'S WEALTH

U. S. Census Bureau Estimates Total
Sum in 1904 to be
\$106,881,415,000.

The United States census bureau in
Washington, Wednesday estimated the
total wealth of the country for 1904 to
be \$106,881,415,000. This shows an in-
crease in wealth over estimates for 1900
of nearly 21 per cent, and is 44 per
cent over the estimate for 1890, when
the total wealth was \$65,037,091,197.
In 1890 the value of the real property
taxed was \$26,607,712,425; real property
not taxed, \$8,289,257,174; live stock,
\$4,072,791,732; railroads and their equip-
ment, \$11,244,752,000; materials and
products of manufactures, \$7,409,286,
000; furniture, carriages, etc., \$3,700,
000,000; manufacturing machinery, etc.,
\$3,297,754,180; gold and silver coin and
bullion, \$2,002,539,572; clothing, \$2,000,
000,000.

Converted into one dollar bills, placed
end to end, the stack would be long
enough to reach from the earth to the
moon and back 30 times.

ALEX. BURCHILL LEFT
AN ESTATE OF \$5,500

FREDERICTON, N. B., Nov. 16.—The
will of the late Alex. Burchill has
been probated. The estate is sworn at
\$5,502, of which \$4,000 is real and \$1,502
personal. The will is dated Oct. 10th,
1906, and is witnessed by E. S. Barker
and F. St. John Blass. The executors
are C. A. Burchill, a son, and A. E.
Massey, son-in-law, of the deceased. F.
S. John Blass, proctor. The property is
to be divided equally among the sur-
viving children.

WHITES AND NEGROES
KILLING EACH OTHER

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 16.—News ar-
rived here last night of the killing of
a white man and a negro and the
wounding of two other men yesterday
at Bogalusa, La. After negro laborers
had killed one of their number a
shortly's posse went in pursuit of the
alleged murderers, one of whom bar-
reled himself in a car and killed J.
S. Woods, a policeman.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., Nov. 16.—
Michael Ward, the pugilist of St. Louis,
Ont., died this morning as the result
of a knockout in a fight last night
with Harry Lewis of Philadelphia.

MAD RUN WITH A WILDCAT

Farmer Travelled Four Miles for Aid,
Clutching the Feroocious Animal
to His Chest.

SIOWAS CITY, Iowa, Nov. 15.—With
a struggling wildcat held tightly to his
chest, John Sieh, a farmer near Lake
City, Iowa, ran four miles for aid last
night. The animal had leaped at the
farmer's throat as he was hunting
quail in a plum thicket. The heavy
collar of his coat saved Sieh. The far-
mer threw his arms about the animal
as its claws lacerated his flesh and
tore his clothing. Then ensued a fight
for life between the hunter and the
wildcat. The struggle required all of
Sieh's strength. He was four miles
from home, and when he obtained a
grip on the animal he started to run
home. Two neighbors killed the wild-
cat with a rifle, while Sieh still held
it. Sieh collapsed when freed from his
dilemma.

DISCHARGED LUNATIC
SUICIDES BY HANGING

Body of Frederick McRae, of Little Sand's,
P. E. I., Found in a Barn.

CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I., Nov. 15.—
The death of Frederick McRae, aged
fifty, occurred at Little Sand's, yester-
day, under very strange circum-
stances. Being much improved he was
removed some days ago from Falcon-
bridge asylum where he had been con-
fined for some time. Since then he
has been living with his mother and
brother, Yester, and his wife. The
lifeless body was found hanging in the
barn, where he quietly gone.

SUPREME COURT.

FREDERICTON, N. B., Nov. 16.—The
supreme court met this morning, the
full bench with the exception of Jus-
tice Barker being present.
Decisions were given in three cases.
J. W. Dickie ex parte Russa Williams.
In this case an application was made
for a writ in the nature of quo war-
ranto calling upon Dickie to show
cause by what right he held the posi-
tion of councillor of the county of
Queens. The investigation was based
upon the fact that Dickie, being a
liquor licensee vendor debarred him
from being a councillor, and secondly
that Dickie being a councillor was one
of those who appointed the inspector.
The chief justice said that it was
the duty of the court to view the
going into particulars that there
was sufficient ground for granting the
writ.

In re the Sheldale Boot and Shoe
Company and its winding up, this case
was referred to Justice Landry, and
submitted by him to the full court.
Drafts to the amount of \$50 had been
issued by the bank of Montreal and
dishonored. An agreement had
been made between the manager of the
shoe company and the bank regarding
the drafts. The shoe company went in-
to liquidation and the question arose
whether the money to pay these drafts
should be paid to the liquidator or to
the bank. Mr. Justice Landry delivered
the opinion of the court that under all
the circumstances the bank was enti-
tled to the money and directed that it
be paid to the bank and not to the
liquidator.

The King vs. James Kay, stipendiary
and police magistrate for Westmorland
and the King vs. Henry Cormier, Coroner
had been fined \$200 for the first offence
under the Canada Temperance Act and
an application was made to quash on
grounds of the fine being excessive and
beyond the power of the magistrate.
The chief justice speaking on behalf of
the court, said that the act reads, the
fine for a first offence shall not be less
than \$20. The object of the act is to
prevent the sale of intoxicating liquor
and the magistrate had power to fine \$200
and he acted within his duty in
doing so as long as the amount was
not less than \$20.
There might be circumstances where
the fine say, was \$1,000, that the court
may put its hand upon it as being ex-
orbitant but this is a sin and the
application is refused.

The following cases were then taken
up this morning on conclusion of de-
voting judgments: The King vs. W.
Wilson ex parte the Bank of Montreal,
C. H. Allen moved that an order dis-
charging one Charles Hay from arrest
and imprisonment made by Judge Wil-
son, Rule absolute to quash ordered.
The King vs. Patrick J. Swenney and
I. Bourque ex parte Cormier; Mr. Barry
moved to make absolute an order nisi
discharging the Bank of Montreal, made
by Justice Landry. Rule absolute.
Announcement was made today of
the result of the season's operations of
the boom company at Douglas and Mit-
chell booms as well as at Springfield. The
total amount of lumber rafted was
123,181,138 superficial feet.

WANTED.—At once parley girl, Ap-
ply NEW VICTORIA HOTEL.
16-11-4

REV. E. B. HOOPER TO
COME AT CHRISTMAS

Will Preach His First Sermon
in St. Paul's Dec. 23rd.

Ho Regrets Leaving Moncton—Saxxon Man
Fined for Assault—School Children
Receive Their Medals.

MONCTON, N. B., Nov. 16.—At Aber-
deen school this morning John T.
Hawke, chairman of the school board,
presented the prizes won by pupils last
year as follows:
Governor General's medal, Miss Katie
McKenney, best average of marks.
Lieut. Governor Snowball's silver
medal for best high school entrance,
Conroy of Westmorland, Miss Jean
Lutz.
Local prizes given by Ex-Aid, James
Doyle and Rev. E. B. Hooper, were also
presented.
Fred Reilly, of Sussex, was this
morning fined twenty dollars for as-
saulting Richard Peters. Reilly had
harbored a grudge against Peters for
some time and struck him in the post
office yesterday.
Speaking this morning to your re-
presentative Rev. E. B. Hooper, rector
of St. George's church here, said he
would undoubtedly accept the call ex-
tended to him by St. Paul's church,
St. John, as he felt that that field of-
fered him wider scope and greater op-
portunities.
He would leave Moncton, however,
with great regret. Last night Mr.
Hooper received a telegram from the
senior warden of St. Paul's church an-
nouncing that he had been the unani-
mously elected rector of St. Paul's church
here to take effect on December twen-
tieth, leaving him free to begin his la-
bors at St. Paul's on the Sunday before
Christmas. Mr. Hooper's departure will
be generally regretted in Moncton.

THE HEARING ABOUT SHILOH

Some Important Evidence Brought Out
Thursday at Augusta.

AUGUSTA, Nov. 15.—Hearings on
several important matters were ar-
ranged for the monthly meeting Thurs-
day of Governor Cobb and court, the
one of the most important being that on
the conditions alleged to exist at the
institution of the Holy Ghost and Us
Society at Shiloh, the leader of which,
Rev. Frank W. Sandford, is now sup-
posed to be in Palestine. This hearing
was announced by Gov. Cobb in re-
sponse to many appeals by letter to his
excellency asking that he cause some
action to be taken to remedy the evils
said to exist.
Reports by Dr. Ernest A. Crockett of
Lebanon and Miss Blarney Murray, a
trained nurse who visited Shiloh with
County Attorney Ralph W. Crockett,
Nov. 1, were presented.
"I found the inmates to be generally
healthy, although all of the adults
whom I saw had a weak, expression-
less appearance, which indicated to me
abnormal mental state. They appear-
ed simple in speech and manner, allied
with one idea of Sanctorism and
knowing and caring for nothing else."
"Visiting the sick, it was a very
warm and comfortable furnished."
Referring to the care of a Mr. Miller
who had been ill for four weeks with
typhoid fever, Dr. Crockett reported:
"The nurse, however, admitted that
she had not taken the patient's pulse
or temperature for two weeks."
"The children, of whom I saw about
100, for the most part looked healthy,
bright-eyed, well nourished and nor-
mally developed. All whom I saw,
both adults and children, were clean-
ly, although cheaply clad. I
visited the storehouse and kitchen and
found a very small quantity of food to
feed so many people."

WIND WAS VERY STRONG

The gale was particularly heavy in
the bay last night and for three or four
hours the velocity of the wind at Fur-
loreaux was fifty miles an hour.
About two o'clock this morning the
wind reached a velocity of seventy-two
miles an hour and lasted at this rate
for about twenty minutes. Fences
were blown down and other minor
damage done. A heavy sea was also
caused. In the city the highest veloc-
ity was forty-two miles an hour and
from three to eight o'clock this morn-
ing the velocity was from 23 to 33 miles
an hour.
The highest temperature was 48, at
Yarmouth 56, and at Halifax 54.
The rainfall here was three-quarters
of an inch, in Halifax eight-tenths and
Yarmouth two and quarter inches.
The probabilities point to colder
weather tomorrow.

PEARY SAILS FOR SYDNEY

CHATEAU BAY, Labrador, Nov. 16.—
The Arctic steamer Roosevelt with the
Peary expedition on board, which was
sent here by fog and head winds,
sailed today for Sydney.
A CENT WORTH MONEY.
NEW YORK, Nov. 16.—A specimen of
the first cent struck in the United
States mint in 1793, with thirteen
in a circle on the reverse, was sold
for \$82 yesterday at the end of a two
day's sale of coins held at the World's
Fairhold.

FLEEING FROM THEIR HOMES
TO ESCAPE
RISING WATERS

Thousands of Western People
are Encamped on the Hills
—Cooler Weather Prevails
and it is Thought the
Worst is Over—More Lives
Reported Lost.

SEATTLE, Wn., Nov. 16.—Homeless
and suffering from hunger and ex-
posure, and in hourly danger that the ris-
ing waters will overwhelm them, thou-
sands of residents of the fertile valleys
lying between Seattle and Tacoma are
camped today in the foothills nearby
with what few provisions and effects
they could carry in a hurried flight.
Six deaths have been thus far chronicled
and due to the floods which have
followed the rapid rise of the rivers in
King and Pierce Counties. The rising
waters in the Black, White, Green
Cedar, Stuck, Shoquamine and other
streams having their source in the foot-
hills of the Cascade Mountains have
flooded thousands of acres of land and
caused considerable damage. All the
valley towns are under water, the
depth ranging from eight to twenty
feet. Railroad communication has
been cut and the towns cannot be
reached except by message over the
long distance telephone wires. With
the water already standing on the
streets at such a depth that it is no
longer safe for residents to remain in
the first stories of their houses, the men
are organizing in each town and are
removing the helpless to the second
stories or carrying them away to places
of safety.

ABE RUEF INDICTED ON
CHARGE OF EXTORTION

Has Been Released on Bonds—He Makes
Light of the Prosecution.

SAN FRANCISCO, Calif., Nov. 15.—
Abraham Ruef, who with Mayor Eu-
gene Schmitz, was indicted yesterday
on charges of extortion, went to the
home of Superior Judge Murasky last
night where he surrendered himself.
Representatives of a surety company
accompanied him there and signed his
bond, which amount on the five counts
to \$50,000. An order of release from
custody was then made by the judge.
When asked for a statement, Ruef
said:
"John D. Rockefeller was indicted
yesterday and I am indicted today.
The matter is too absurd to be worth
a statement for me. All I ask for is
an immediate trial on the charges on
which I have been indicted by the
Grand Jury."

ANOTHER SCHOONER
ASHORE ON P. E. I. COAST

The A. J. McKean Will be a Total Wreck
—Fate of the Crew as Yet
Unknown.

CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I., Nov.
15.—The schooner McKean, Capt. Des
Roches, owned by J. H. Myrick & Co.,
Tignish, left Tignish this morning for
Alberton and is now being driven
ashore at the latter place before a fur-
ious northeast gale. It is not yet
known whether the crew can be saved.
The vessel will be a total wreck.
CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I., Nov.
16.—The schooner A. J. McKean, Cap-
tain DesRoches, is now on her beam
ends on Alberton bar with the seas
breaking over her. She is in a very bad
position. She went on about four
o'clock this morning and at five Cap-
tain John Champion with nine men
at noon in a seine boat to their rescue.
Orilla last night. They are John
Velle, a contractor, and Pat Callahan,
a farmer. They went on to the shore
stock in a pasture directly across
the White river. This morning their rid-
erless horses were found at the end of
the bridge but no trace has been dis-
covered of them.

WOMEN WHO WEAR FURS ARE
BARBARIANS AND MURDERERS

Sensation at a Convention in Chicago—
Strong Views Expressed by
Howard Moore.

CHICAGO, Nov. 16.—Teas and his-
torical denials on the part of women
delegates, who had heard themselves
called "barbarians and murderers,"
marked the close of the convention of
the American Humane Association last
night. The women for half an hour
had listened patiently while a speaker
bitterly denounced the wearing of furs
and bird carcasses. Adornment of such
character was evident in all parts of
the hall. Apparently unable to listen
further, two women finally left the
convention hall. Another burst out into
tears when the husband of a fourth
rose to his feet to defend the action
of women who wore fur pieces. It was
the ideas of J. Howard Moore "On the
Cost of Fashion," that caused the stir.
"Nobody but a barbarian would
adorn her head with the carcass of a
bird or the heads of grinning weasels,"
said Mr. Moore. Such things appeal
only to the vulgar. Such a woman is
about as attractive as if adorned with
a string of dried skulls. She excites
pity, for she is a murderer.
"Furs are the most costly of luxuries
because to secure them men must be
most conscienceless and inhuman.
When I think that in this day of ad-
vanced education and supposed refine-
ment, brutalities such as are necessary
to secure the furs of these little animals
are practiced, I am heartily ashamed
of the sex to which I belong."

BOYS BROKE INTO
RUSSELL'S CANDY SHOP

Crowd of Lads Divided the Stolen Goods
—Police Have Been Notified.

A. J. Russell's confectionary store on
Garden street was broken into early
this morning by a small boy, and a
quantity of candy and cigars and a
sum of money taken.
When the store was opened by the
clerk this morning she found that a
box of candy, cigars and a large quan-
tity of other candy, were missing. A
small sum of money which was left in
the till over night was also gone. A
little later a lady came to the store
and said that she had seen a number
of boys about the front door about 7:15
this morning. She had watched them
from her window and had seen one of
the boys get in a window which is
used for putting ice in the cellar,
while the others watched outside. The
boy was in about five minutes, and on
his return handed out a cigar box and
a large paper bag. The boys were
then joined by another group on Gar-
den street and the stolen articles were
divided amongst them. The lady did
not recognize any of the boys.
On an investigation being made the
window was found broken in the cel-
lar where it had been forced off its
hinges. The back door was also found
open.
Mr. Russell was notified and he im-
mediately sent word to the Central
Police Office.