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## Movements of The Ventures.

The S. S. Adventure is due here this evening with a load of coal from Syd-The S. S. Bellaventure has entered inte another contract with the Dominion Coal Company. She will ply in the Cape Breton coal trade, then loading coal at Sydney before returning to St. John's. The S S Bonaventure is now ten days to the northward collecting fish. The steamer had stormy weather to contend with since she left. Fish exporters here are aanxiously awaiting her arrival as they are sending her to southern ports codfish laden.

## Fishermen Meet.

The S. U. F. held their regular monthly meeting in the British Hall last night and there was a large at-tendance of members. Several new candidates were initiated. After the roll was called, dues collected and other routine matters of business were disposed of, the arrangement of a series of lectures for the winter secson was talked of.

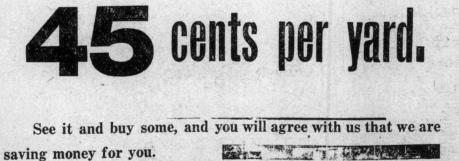
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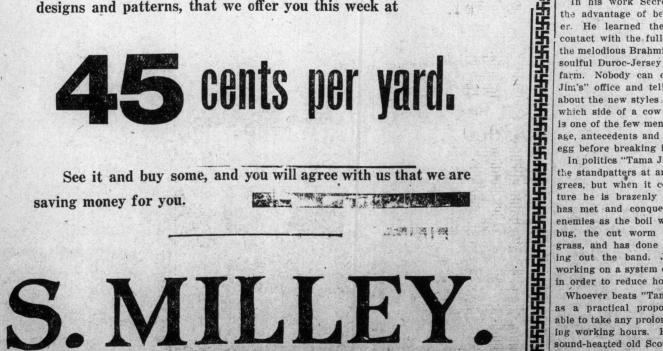
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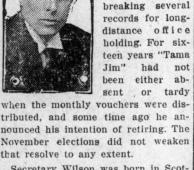
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that resolve to any extent. Secretary Wilson was born in Scotand and still has good command of the language. He is a mild man, but when his blood is up he can disperse a large variety of astringent Scotch words which sound like a ducl beween a grindstone and a power saw. le came to the cabinet from Iowa, where he gained farm knowledge, political sagacity and cockle burrs in great profusion.

In his work Secretary Wilson has the advantage of being a real farmer. He learned the trade by close contact with the full-lipped Guernsey, the melodious Brahmin rooster and the soulful Duroc-Jersey pig, on his Iowa farm. Nobody can come into "Tama Jim's" office and tell him anything about the new styles in potato bugs or which side of a cow to milk on. He is one of the few men who can tell the age, antecedents and disposition of an egg before breaking it into the coffee. In politics "Tama Jim" leans toward the standpatters at an angle of 95 degrees, but when it comes to agriculture he is brazenly progressive. He has met and conquered such public enemies as the boil weevil, the chintz bug, the cut worm and the quack grass, and has done so without calling out the band. Just now he is working on a system of Turkish baths in order to reduce hog cholera. Whoever beats "Tama Jim's" record as a practical proposition won't be able to take any prolonged siestas during working hours. He is a sensible sound-hearted old Scotchman who has done a great work for our greatest industry.

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