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HE SOON GREW TIRED OF HIS PEASANT WIFE

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—A despatch from Vienna to a newspaper here says: "Archduke Leopold Salvator, who renounced his family rights four years ago and married Wilhelmine Adamovic, a daughter of a post office employe with whom he has since lived near Geneva, is now seeking a divorce."

STOCKHOLM, Sweden, Dec. 26.—The Morning Bulletin issued by King Oscar's physicians today announced that his majesty's temperature is reduced but that the condition of his heart and lungs is unchanged.

BUCHARIST, Roumania, Dec. 26.—The Zionist Congress in session at Crinova, was invaded today by members of the anti-Jewish Society. A riot ensued, during which many Jews were injured. The authorities intervened and restored order.

Cut Prices Before Stock Taking.

- Table Raisins, 20c lb, now 15c; 30c lb, now 20c; 40c lb, now 25c. Citron Peel, 20c lb. Lemon Peel, 10c lb. Orange Peel, 10c lb. Smith's Original Camp Coffee, 20c size, now 12c bottle. Mixed Candy 10c lb, now 7c. Gilt Edge Soap, 4c cake, 7 for 25c. Grape Fruit, 5c. lb. \$3.50 case. Baker's Cocoa, 1-2 lb tins, 25c. Baker's Chocolate, 1-2 lb. cake, 22c.

XMAS COSSAGUES FOR JUST HALF PRICE.

- Cow Brand Soda, 3c package. Cadbury's Chocolates In Fancy Boxes, 2c, 7c, 15c up. Milk Chocolates, 5c size, 3c. Milk Chocolates, 60c lb, now 40c. Jelly Powder, 10c lb, now 7c. Canned Beans, 10c size, now 7c. Wood Pipes, SPECIAL VALUES, 20c each, 3 for 50c. Warranted All Havana Cigars, 4c. each.

ALSO—NUMEROUS OTHER LINES These prices hold good for CAS SALES ONLY.

WALTER GILBERT, 143 Charlotte St., Cor. Princess St., Tel. 812.

MRS. WALKER AGAIN

To the Editor of the Star: Sir,—Since the publication of my letter I have been fairly besieged with requests from parents not to let the subject of the overheating of the schools fall, but for the sake of their suffering young offspring to "strike while the iron is hot." In writing you again I am, therefore, still pleading their cause, I must say which seems to me a very great one, if what they say is true, and I believe them, that their children's lives have been risked through this neglect of proper ventilation of the public schools. With reference to Aid. Bullock's visit to the schools, I have it now on good authority that it really is a fact that the school authorities "saw him coming" for that very morning much to the astonishment of the pupils a thermometer suddenly sprang into existence in Grade IV. (my eldest girl's grade) was carried about from wall to wall, so foreign was the use of this precious little instrument to the teacher. Finally when Aid. Bullock appeared and inquired how long that thermometer had found a dwelling there, indicating such a correct temperature, the answer came: "Oh, I guess quite a while." (I quote the exact words of a willing witness who has twice suffered from pneumonia.) What would you do if the poor girl had to work for her living and she naturally thought it polite to "keep in" with her school trustees. Such young minds cannot be expected to dwell upon main issues, let alone the righteousness of answers at such times. Moreover, the responsibility of teaching city children (an unheard of thing in our English schools) is more than enough for one young teacher without having to attend to the sanitary arrangements of the school and the physical comforts of the children. The above little incident, however, proves clearly things are not as they should be, and it really must seem to any one desirous of an ordinary amount of intelligence that it is quite a reasonable hypothesis to assume that it is absolutely necessary to keep the temperature of the rooms of the sick in a hospital it should be equally so there at the schools. In public schools. The old adage, "prevention is better than cure," strengthens this theory. Once more, therefore, on behalf of the mothers of St. John, by your courtesy, through the medium of your paper, I appeal to the public and the date on which the schools re-open, to make arrangements for a tour of the rooms during the whole of the school hours, morning and afternoon, for the purpose of checking the thermometers which shall never exceed 68 degrees which, I am told by a highly esteemed and well known doctor in this city, is the correct temperature for a room full of healthy school children. Mothers, too, should be delegated to superintend the clothing of every child before leaving the schoolrooms—for which duty a small remuneration should be offered. This way many dread diseases may be warded off, and the risk in attending the public schools thus lessened. I have not investigated the matter but, judging from some pupils remarks, I have no doubt the underground lavatories might benefit by inspection. As an Englishwoman I fail to fathom the nature of the residents of St. John, I should have thought there might have been found one man at least with real energy to take up this immensely important subject. Facts are facts. It is a fact that all the schoolrooms of the St. John public schools are not furnished with thermometers. It is a fact that the rooms frequently exceed 68 degrees. It is a fact that there is such a thing as a fire call when all children are made to rush out of their rooms minus extra clothing, no matter what may be the outside temperature, and it is now a fact that parents are tired of this state of affairs, and ask me to request the school trustees to answer this letter through your paper promising to comply with the above petition, and thus save a possible disturbance at the beginning of the next term.

Yours truly, BEATRICE BRADDON-WALKER.

Common Clerk Wardroper is improving in health. Miss Helen Lunney is visiting her parents here.



Quick Work. Friend (examining sausage machine)—How long does it take for this machine to convert a pig into sausage? Sausage Maker—Well, we drive the pig in this end, and you can hear him squealing for about two minutes after the sausage comes out the other end.

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COMMERCIAL Xmas Sale.

A Fine Assortment of Watches and Chains J. STARK 142 Germain St. IN BRINDLEY STREET BARRACKS. The following programme will be given at Brindley street barracks on Dec. 27: Christmas Chorus by the children. The Grand Old Story. Recitation—A Stocking for Somebody Else—Hazel Hamilton. Hoop Drill—By the drill class. Song—Now Ring Around the Joy Bells. Recitation—Christmas Toys, by Ada Saunders. Song—Lullaby, by Alma Jenner. Christmas Exercise—The Star Bearer. Recitation—She Came to Me—Magie Johnson. Duet—Seeking For Me—The Weir Sisters. Recitation—Christmas Has Come—Ethel Farris. Song—Away in a Manger—Roy Little. Bar Bell Drill—Including Pendulum, Paddle, Circular, Cannon Loading and War Drill. Action Song—Two Little Hands. Recitation—The Railroad Crossing—Nellie Weir. Song—Christmas Bells—Four little girls. Visit of Santa Claus. This will be the most interesting part of the programme. Brigadier Turner will act as chairman.

PERSONALS

Miss Hattie Lindsay, of Rhode Island General Hospital staff, is spending Christmas with her father, John Lindsay, Celebration street. Mrs. W. Godard left last night on the Montreal express, on a business trip to Montreal, Toronto and London. Mrs. Mary Titus wishes to thank the friends, also the Organizers who so kindly assisted in her recent sad bereavement.

Public Notice!

The Undersigned, having been appointed by the Common Council of the City of St. John, a committee of the said Council for conducting the sale of the Fisheries on the Eastern side of the Bay, River and Harbor of St. John, and of the Fisheries on the Western side of the Harbor, in the City of St. John, for the ensuing year, pursuant to law, hereby give notice that the Fishery lots along the east side of the Bay, River and Harbor, and all the Fisheries heretofore enjoyed and possessed by the inhabitants on the East side of the Harbor, with those in and surrounding Navy Island, and also the Fishery lots on the Western side of the Harbor, will be sold at Public Auction on TUESDAY, the FIRST DAY OF JANUARY NEXT, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the old City Court Room, (so-called) in the Court House, in the City of St. John, for the fishing season of the ensuing year, to end on the 15th day of December, 1907. Dated the 15th day of December, 1906. T. T. LANTALUM, C. BEITON LOCKHART, JOHN MCGOLDRICK, J. B. M. BAXTER, ISAIAH W. HOLMES, HENRY H. PICKETT, JOHN W. VANWART.

NINE THOUSAND EMIGRATE FROM ONE TOWN

Every Lively Store where clothing materials are sold carries a full and comprehensive supply of the most reliable and dressiest domestic cloths. The Oxford Make.

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—A cable despatch from Madrid, published here today, says that nine thousand of the inhabitants of the town of Bolar, which is forty-five miles south of Salamanca, decided some time ago to emigrate in a body. A meeting was held Monday which approved the offer of the president of the town of Bolar, to transport the emigrants.