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TERCENTENARY?

EXHIBITION?

Both Want Money but Both

May Not Get It.

Joint Meeting Held on Saturday Night,

Will be Continued This

Afternoon—Neither

Will Back Down.

A meeting of the programme committee of the tercentenary celebration was held in the mayor's office on Saturday night. Mayor White was in the chair and D. R. Jack acted as secretary. Among those present were: D. J. Purdy, M. P. P., C. A. Robertson, M. P., Police Magistrate Ritchie, Rev. W. O. Raymond, Col. Markham, Ald. Macrae, Roland Frith, D. C. Clinch, Ald. Bullock, R. O'Brien, William White, C. A. Macdonald, and a number of others.

The chairman first called on the secretary to state the object of the meeting.

D. R. Jack said they were there to discuss as to whether it would be possible to hold both the Champlain celebration and the St. John exhibition, or whether one or other should give place.

Ald. Bullock said that the tercentenary celebration was a historical matter and one which touched the citizens of St. John very closely.

R. O'Brien said that if the exhibition was put off until 1906, the government could only grant \$5,000 each year for exhibition purposes. The St. John exhibition needed the whole \$5,000 to make it a success, and when the government gave this sum, it was on the distinct understanding that it should be only asked for in alternate years. The exhibition authorities were asked to hand over this money for the tercentenary fund, but he thought the matter rather rested with the government.

George Robertson, M. P., said that while he could not speak with authority, he told the president of the exhibition authorities that the government would give them the \$5,000 grant if they could proceed. Without the money the government felt they could not give two such large grants to St. John in the same year. The government would be willing to divide the grant, he suggested that the St. John members should ask the government if they would give the grant next year if the exhibition was held.

D. J. Purdy, M. P., thought the Fredericton exhibition would take place next year, which would mean that the funds would not be available for St. John.

Ald. Bullock asked if the two attractions would not interfere with each other.

Mayor White said if the grant is divided neither will be a success, and if one got it the other could not be held.

W. White thought the committee was in a position from which they could not proceed. Without the money they could not make the celebration a success. The tercentenary celebration must not be dropped, and the only way he saw was for the exhibition people to withdraw from their position.

R. O'Brien said that he did not wish it to be thought that the exhibition association was in conflict with anyone. If the association did not get the grant, the exhibition could not be held, and he thought this would be a loss to the people. No financial liability had yet been incurred with regard to it.

He said it was not for the exhibition association to decide, but for the government and common council.

W. White thought that as much money would come into the city from the Champlain celebration as from the exhibition. He realized that the association had the welfare of the city

at heart, but thought the tercentenary should come first.

Geo. Robertson said in answer to Mr. O'Brien that the government had already decided in favor of the exhibition and felt themselves pledged to that. But this decision was made before the question of the tercentenary was raised. If the exhibition association were willing to give up the money to the tercentenary, the government would give it. The government would not come to St. John, but to the province. The exhibition association would waive their just rights, that would settle the whole affair.

Judge Ritchie said that they might look at it in a broader manner. The celebration is a provincial matter. The city cannot have a successful exhibition without the money, nor can the celebration be a success without the money. The exhibition might be held next year, but to hold the tercentenary celebration next year was impossible. We can hardly expect the other bodies to withdraw.

The mayor said the common council had already resolved to help the exhibition.

Mr. O'Brien said that both the government and common council could make extra grants if they liked.

Ald. Macrae said the money did not come to St. John, but to the province. It would be a disgrace if the celebration was not properly carried out.

Ald. Bullock said the exhibition had been preparing for two or three years and the tercentenary for two hundred and ninety-nine years. He thought the latter should take precedence.

While thought the outside people would not come to both celebration and exhibition, and the latter if held this year could not be a success.

Mayor White considered this a very strong opinion.

Col. Markham considered it very unfair that the Exhibition Association should be asked to say they did not want the money. The association are the people who are doing the work for the province and are receiving no pay for it. It would be necessary to hold a meeting of the whole association before any conclusion could be come to.

Mr. O'Brien suggested that if they (the association) had a guarantee from the government for the grant for 1905 they would seriously consider the question of withdrawing their claim this year.

Col. Markham said that Fredericton and Sussex would want the money next year.

Judge Ritchie suggested that Fredericton and Sussex be shifted on a year. The matter could not be settled without a little give and take.

Ald. Bullock did not think it would hurt the city if the exhibition was not held till 1905.

Rev. W. O. Raymond thought the celebration had to go on. He did not think they were there to dictate to the association. There are certain features which would go on whether or no. The warships would come to St. John and if the government and common council would do nothing the celebration would be held.

Rev. W. O. Raymond and Judge Ritchie were appointed.

A MURDER'S YARN.

One of the Chicago Barn Gang Puts Up a Confession.

CHICAGO, April 3.—Almost within the coils of the hangman's rope, Peter Niedermeyer, one of the car barn bandits, today made what he declares was a true confession, to save two other men from the gallows and one from long imprisonment in the penitentiary.

"I killed Patrick Barrett in his saloon at 4215 Wallace street last May," said Niedermeyer, "John Lynch and James S. Jones, who are under sentence of death for the crime, and also Hugh Kelly, who has been sentenced to the penitentiary, are innocent. They had nothing to do with the raid."

"I shot and killed Barrett. I make this statement solely to save innocent persons to suffer for what I have done."

On the strength of Niedermeyer's statement, the attorneys for the convicted men will tomorrow apply for a writ of habeas corpus.

RUSSIAN PAPERS CRITICIZE LORD CURZON'S SPEECH.

The Battle Predicted for April 2nd Did Not Come off—Further Reports of the Port Arthur Engagement.

SEOUL, Korea, April 3.—3 p. m.—Five Japanese transports, carrying light artillery, cavalry and infantry, have arrived at Chemulpo. The men are entirely new and are equipped with the latest arms.

General Haraguchi, the newly appointed commander of the Japanese forces here, has arrived.

TOKIO, April 3.—7 p. m.—The advance guard of the Japanese army in Northwestern Korea occupied the town of Seng Cheng yesterday afternoon without opposition. Seng Cheng is on the Peikin road, 18 miles west of Cheng Ju, about 40 miles south of Wiju. When the Japanese drove the Russians out of Cheng Ju last Monday, the Russians withdrew in two columns, one going over the Koak San road and the other over the Peikin road. The Japanese advance from Cheng Ju was made very rapidly. It was anticipated that the Russians would resist the advance, but they failed to do so, and news is not probable that there will be any further opposition south of the Yalu river.

Cheng Ju because of its superior natural surroundings is the strongest place between Ping Yang and Wiju. Besides these natural advantages, there is an old Korean fort there, which had been defended with spirit. The fact is that the British foreign policy is now in higher hands than Lord Curzon, and we all know that a sincere, peaceful and loyal ally seems to have been merged with British neutrality, and there is no reason for apprehension regarding the promises of a friendly agreement with Russia concerning Tibet and the Yalu. The fact is that the British only curtail to see how Great Britain will explain armed aggression in a Chinese province."

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The Novoye Vremya says: "Two American millionaires have changed the destinies of India. Since Lord Curzon became Lord Kitchener's brother-in-law (sic) their personalities seem to have been merged. Curzon spoke with the words of Kitchener and adopted the policy of Curzon on seeing an alleged diplomatic misadventure concerning Tibet and the Yalu all right so long as it has to do with unarmaged foes."

ST. PETERSBURG, April 3.—Reports by the minister of the interior indicate that the precautionary measures taken to prevent anti-Jewish disturbances during Easter week, when the ignorant are easily aroused to a sort of religious frenzy against the Jews by the dissemination of false stories regarding "blood stonement," will result in the avoidance of serious trouble. In spite of the precautions, however, it is considered possible there may be attempts at rioting, but the authorities may be called upon to suppress these with a strong hand.

The following private telegram was received today from Odessa:

"Reports of anti-Jewish disturbances in the country east of the Yalu river, Easter time, cause more alarm than usual this year because of the occurrences last year. The Jews here are nervous, but the authorities have confidence in Governor Eichard, who is in charge of the city, and who is an energetic and humane man, as well as in Baron Kaubarr, commander-in-chief of the troops in Southern Russia, and in the military authorities. Therefore, anything like a serious disturbance is regarded as impossible."

"The official newspapers have published strong words of warning, and all who disturb the peace will be severely punished."

PORT ARTHUR, April 3.—Preparations have been made to give the Japanese a warm reception in case they again attempt to block the harbor.

Vice-Admiral Togo was right in surmising that Vice-Admiral Makarov is responsible for the change in Russian naval tactics and for the inspiration of Russian seamen.

A signal man named Andronenko, who during the bombardment of Vladivostok remained in the small signal station on Askold Island, near the enemy's ships, and wired information of the movements of the enemy to the fortress, has been decorated with the Cross of St. George.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 3.—The Novy Kral of Port Arthur describes the scene on board the cruiser Bayan during the recent bombardment in which she distinguished herself, as follows: "Bursting shells bowled over man after man until the decks were slippery with blood. Amidst this hell the captain stood unmoved in the conning tower, calmly telephoning his orders to the gun captains. His wonderful calmness had a marvellous influence on all the officers."

"The cockpit was soon crowded, 39 men being there before the fight ended, but amidst the crash of guns, the hiss of flying projectiles, the thunder of explosions, the racket of splinters and the din of the working engines, the surgeons labored over the wounded at the hospital operating table. Although some of the men suffered frightful agony, there were few groans in spite of the fact that anaesthetics were administered in only one case."

LORD CURZON'S SPEECH

Has Created a Lot of Excitement in Russia.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 3.—The speech of the viceroy of India, Lord Curzon, of Kotelnoe, March 29, at Calcutta, when he reviewed the last five years of Indian administration and referred to the government's watchful policy for India, has created a lot of excitement in Russia.

The Novoye Vremya says: "The Russian papers are full of criticisms of Lord Curzon's speech. The fact is that the British only curtail to see how Great Britain will explain armed aggression in a Chinese province."

THEMISTON, Conn., April 3.—Boring and night and at the base of the dam at Moncton station Friday night, a heavy rain fell, which caused the work of muskrats caused the dam to give way early today and almost every last night of the pond. The muskrats covered four acres of land, rushed down the hill and settled through the main street of the town, flooding many cellars. The downpour of water caused considerable damage among the residents in the vicinity of the pond. Damage amounting to about \$3,000 has been done by the water. The dam was 100 feet long and fourteen feet high.

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The company have also under contemplation the erection of blast and open hearth furnaces, blooming mills, rod, rail and billet mills, and other machinery, which is only a short distance across the Minas Basin.

Coal from the Springhill collieries will be utilized in the coke ovens, and in connection with the works, the required amount of capital is now well subscribed, and work at Torbrook begins within the next few months. The company will confine its operations here for the present, expanding in time so as to undertake other works contemplated.

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POINT LEPREAUX, April 4.—The highway bridge at Dipper Harbor was carried off by ice on Friday night last. Teams can only cross now when the tide is out, when they are able to ford the creek.

BEGINNING ANOTHER YEAR.

We have finished our 3rd year in St. John. The amount of business last year shows an increase of over 100 per cent. This speaks well for the Quality, Style and Wear as well as the low prices of the Clothing we sell. Saturday was our 3rd anniversary, and biggest day we've ever had. We begin the 4th year with the brightest possible prospects. About double the stock we've ever shown, all marked at prices that are bound to maintain the reputation this store has made of giving the best Clothing values. All are invited to look through our Spring Stock.

MEN'S SUITS, - - \$2.98 to \$15.00
BOYS' SUITS, - - 5 to 7.50

J. N. HARVEY,

AN INSANE WOMAN Causes Some Trouble to the Immigration Officials and Carleton Police.

Mention was made in Saturday's Sun of the fact that a German woman, whose name is Cecelia Kuhnen, and been brought here by U. S. Immigration Inspector Rath from Boston for deportation by the str. Lake Champlain to Liverpool, from which port this inspector represented she reached Quebec on the Champlain last spring. She was left at the immigration shed at Sand Point, and J. V. Lantulum was notified of the matter. The woman was declared to be insane and the inspector who landed here stated that she had escaped from the Quebec detention quarters and proceeded to Boston.

Mr. Lantulum telegraphed to Quebec Friday night to the agent there asking if a woman of this name had run away in July last. The reply came promptly that no one had run away from there.

Mr. Lantulum, convinced that the matter was not such as the U. S. inspector from Boston represented, and he gave orders that no responsibility should be assumed here in connection with the woman. The U. S. inspectors were told this, but the woman was left in the immigration building.

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DIARY OF THE WAR.

Feb. 6.—Japan breaks off diplomatic relations with Russia.

Feb. 8.—War begins, the first shot being fired by Russian gunboats at Chemulpo at Japanese transports and naval escort.

Feb. 9.—Japanese torpedo boats attack Russia's Port Arthur squadron at midnight, disabling three Russian ships: Tachibana, battleship 13,000 tons, speed of 19 knots, 18 guns; Retvizan, sister battleship; Pallada, cruiser, 6,620 tons, speed of 20 knots, 8 guns.

Feb. 9 (forenoon).—Action between the two fleets at Port Arthur. Four Russian ships damaged: Pallada, battleship, 10,900 tons, 18 guns; Diana (sister ship to Pallada); Askold, cruiser, 5,900 tons, 12 guns, speed of 14 1/2 knots; Novik, cruiser, 3,000 tons, 6 guns, speed of 25 knots.

Feb. 9.—Engagement off Chemulpo. Two Russian warships sunk: Variaz, cruiser, 6,500 tons, 12 guns, 22 1/2 knots (set on fire and sunk); Korien, gunboat (sunk). The crews, numbering about 600, surrendered. Twenty thousand Japanese troops landed at Chemulpo.

Feb. 10.—Japanese troops enter Seoul, the Korean capital, and hold the southern port of Manpo (reized on Sunday) for a naval and military base.

Feb. 11.—Declarations of neutrality by England and other Great Powers.

Feb. 11.—Russian squadron from Vladivostok meets two small Japanese merchantmen off the northern coast of Japan. One steamer was sunk, but the other escaped to port.

Feb. 11.—Russian torpedo transport Yentel accidentally blown up by a submarine mine in roadstead of Taku-lan-wan; 95 lives lost.

Feb. 12.—Russia's Vladivostok cruisers put to sea.

Feb. 12.—Admiral Alexief announces that the Tesevitch, Pallada, and Novik have been sunk and are being repaired.

Feb. 12.—Vladivostok-Nagasaki cable cut.

Feb. 12.—Admiral Alexief and his staff leave Port Arthur for Harbin.

Feb. 12.—Japanese torpedo-boat destroyers attack the Russian fleet at Port Arthur. Russian fast cruiser Boyard sunk.

Feb. 15.—Japan's new cruisers Nihin and Kanaga, arrive home from Genoa.

Feb. 15.—Newchwang recaptured by Russian troops.

Feb. 15.—Chefoo-Fort Arthur cable cut.

Feb. 18.—News received of the seizure by Japan of two vessels off Hakoda.

Feb. 20.—Five Japanese soldiers, an officer and two civilians, captured by Cosacks in Wiju. Bands handed for blowing up bridges in Manchuria.

Feb. 21.—Another attack said to have been made on Port Arthur.

Feb. 22.—Russian cavalry at Anju, North Korea.

Feb. 23.—Attempt to block the channel at Port Arthur by sinking Japanese steamers, four of which were sunk at a distance by Russian guns.

Feb. 24.—Russian cut the telegraph between Anju and the Yalu.

Feb. 25.—Reported landing of a Japanese force at Posel Bay, about 50 miles south of Vladivostok.

Feb. 25.—First land skirmish near Ping Yang.

Mar. 1.—Japanese move their base to Chinnampo (Korea).

Mar. 2.—Japanese troops reported to have landed at various places on the North-eastern coast of Korea.

Mar. 6.—Seven Japanese warships bombard Vladivostok. Russian assault damaged to be incalculable. Russian torpedo boat of the Western Squadron, lost on voyage home.

Mar. 10.—Sharp action at Port Arthur. Russian torpedo boats attack Japanese squadron. Russian claim to have sunk one of the enemy's torpedo boats, and admit losing one of their own torpedo boats, part of the crew of the latter being rescued by the Japanese.

Mar. 15.—Rumored withdrawal of the Russian fleet from Port Arthur and dash for Vladivostok.

BEATS ST. JOHN.

HALIFAX, April 3.—John Hatfield, Henry Inglis and Joseph Young, three men who have been sentenced for theft, effected their escape from the city prison some time last night, and are now at liberty. Their escape was not discovered until this morning, and the only clue found as to how they got out was a crooked piece of wire. The police and military have been notified, but parties sent out have so far seen no trace of them, although other parties claim to have seen the three men working towards Truro.

R. A. ESTEY ILL.

FREDERICTON, April 3.—R. A. Estey, well known lumberman, who returned last evening from the scene of his lumber operations on the Tobique River, was early this morning seized with severe illness at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Bedford Phillips. The attack was in the nature of paralysis and Dr. Albertson, who was summoned, was obliged to bleed the patient.

SYDNEY CHURCHES CLOSED.

SYDNEY, April 4.—There were no Easter services in Sydney today, the churches all being closed on account of the prevalence of smallpox. This is the first time that churches in Sydney have been closed over Sunday since the smallpox epidemic over twenty years ago. Another case broke out today. There are now fourteen houses under quarantine and about twenty-two cases of the disease.

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LOCAL LEGISLATURE

FREDERICTON, March 30.—The house met at three o'clock.

Mr. Tweedie laid before the house copies of the correspondence between the Royal Trust Co. and the crown land department with reference to the lands leased by the Maritime Electric Fibre Co.

Mr. Tweedie said—It is a question of privilege. I am not in the habit of objecting to newspaper criticism, because I recognize the fact that such criticism is proper when based on the truth.

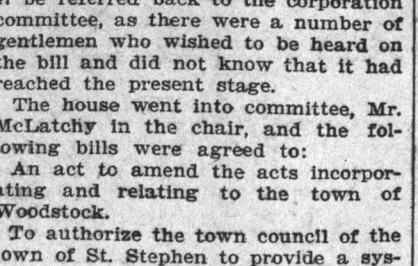
The Speaker took the chair at nine o'clock. Mr. Smith moved that the bill No. 47 be referred back to the corporation committee, as there were a number of gentlemen who wished to be heard on the bill and did not know that it had reached the present stage.

The house went into committee, Mr. MacLachlan in the chair, and the following bills were agreed to: An act to amend the acts incorporating and relating to the town of Woodstock.

To authorize the town council of Gloucester county to effect temporary loans in certain cases. To incorporate the Andover Masonic Hall Incorporation.

To authorize the county council of the municipality of York to assess in aid of the Victoria Hospital.

Ragged clothes quickly— that's what common soaps with "premiums" cost; but



SUNLIGHT SOAP REDUCES EXPENSE

ber's desk before they were asked to pass it. Mr. Hartt thought the law would work great hardship, for it strikes at the manufacturer. The expense are not prepared for such legislation.

Mr. Lablillois—After years of experience we think that this is the only way we can get our roads into a better condition than at present.

Mr. Osman presented the petition of St. W. in April to examine into the condition of the wharf near the court house in the parish of Burton.

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Which Failed to Show Wherein the Advantage Would Be to Canada.

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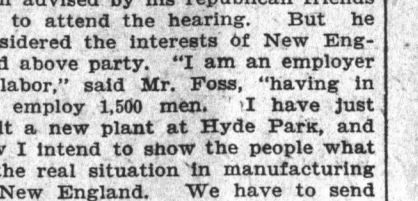
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THE BEST WAY TO REACH BRITAIN.

Mr. Reford Advocates the Galway-Helix Route.



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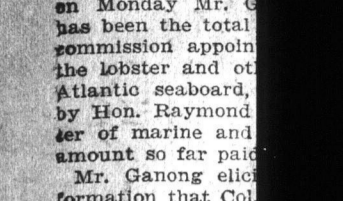
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THE SEMI-WEEKLY SUN.

ST. JOHN, N. B., APRIL 6, 1904.

ASSESSMENT AND FRANCHISE.

If the bill relating to St. John civil franchise becomes law in the form adopted by the municipalities committee of the legislature, with a majority of one, the number of qualified voters in St. John will be increased by some twenty-five hundred. Out of some forty-four hundred residents who are assessed on three hundred dollars or less income, almost exactly one-half at the beginning of this year, had not paid taxes for the last year or the year before.

ed that any such number would fall to pay if they did not know the weakness of the public creditor.

The thing to be done now is not to give the franchise to people who do not pay taxes, but to reform the law by relieving from taxation the small incomes. Some years ago the Board of Trade unanimously endorsed an assessment scale by which all incomes under \$200 should be exempt from tax, and those of \$400 and \$500 should be partially exempt, while all should pay a poll tax of three dollars.

It seems to us that the time is opportune to incorporate in the assessment measure now before the legislature a clause exempting small incomes. Of course such a change ought to be part of the much needed general scheme of assessment revision. But there is no general scheme in sight, and since some tinkering is to take place one more amendment might as well be made now.

If these small incomes are released, and a slightly increased poll tax substituted that poll tax ought to be collected. So should the taxes on large incomes and property, unless there are special cases entitled to relief in the usual way through appeal.

Now if the franchise amendment as reported from the committee should pass it would be almost impossible to restore the existing franchise condition in case a measure exempting small incomes should be adopted. Yet it would strike the average citizen as decidedly unfair that these income taxes should be swept away, and that the people relieved should have the right to vote even though they refused to pay the small poll tax that should be left.

THE JAPANESE ADVANCE. Russian dispatches still intimate that the fight at Chong Ju, the first land engagement in the war, was a victory for Russia.

On the other hand there are thousands of industrious mechanics and other working men who maintain their families, pay their debts and have a modest amount of household possessions, and who are never far from their tax bills.

No doubt there are many industrious and prudent working men who are not able every year to pay their taxes promptly. Ill-health, loss of employment, sickness in the family and other circumstances are liable to befall any person. Then the assessment system bears heavily on the men with the smallest incomes.

MR. BARNES THE ONLY ONE. The government organ in Richmond is quite positive that Mr. Barnes of Kent, should be survivor general. The case is thus set forth:

are said to be applicants for the office, one would say there should be little difficulty in making a selection. James Barnes, representative for Kent County, is the one man among the number who is eminently qualified for the position.

THE HATEFUL HIGHWAY BILL.

The people throughout the province are beginning to realize what is meant by the proposed highway act, with its absorption by the province of nearly all the privileges and powers now remaining with the municipalities.

The people of this country are not willing to hand over the money they contribute by direct taxation to Mr. Tweed's benchmen and healers. They have seen how the public money is absorbed by those persons, they have good reasons for thinking that government members and certain favored recipients of government money are in partnership and they object to assessing themselves for the purpose of swelling the funds that are used for the benefit of political parasites than for the public good.

The people are everywhere crying out against the injustice of this measure. If the warden of Northumberland had acted in accordance with the wishes of the parishes he would have taken the requisite measures for making an earnest protest and sending a delegation to Fredericton to work against this scheme.

The people of St. John county are in the same frame of mind as those of Northumberland, and the warden, who is himself a strong supporter of the government, went to Fredericton at the head of a delegation with a protest against the measure. It is said that a promise was given that the St. John parishes should be exempt from the provisions of the government bill.

If this is the case the government has admitted that the measure is not a sound one. There is no reason why St. John county should be shut out from a good measure. The conditions in the St. John parishes are not different from those in the neighboring counties of Kings and Charlotte. But there is a vacant seat in St. John county, and the government was plainly given to understand that if this tyrannical measure was imposed upon St. John the government might as well give up the constitution. If the other counties would speak out in this way they would accomplish something.

"The independence of Parliament," said the Palladium, "is the Palladium of our liberties. But we should give the Palladium, like the policemen, a holiday once in a while."

So says the Toronto News. It may be remarked that the Palladium is on perpetual vacation in this province.

SATISFIED The Surgeon's Assistant in a Dangerous Case.

The surgeon who is attending a dangerous case praises the food that helped his little patient.

"I have a story to tell about what Grape-Nuts did and is still doing for my child, a story marvelous indeed, which seems almost incredible but which is an absolute fact.

"Two years ago in March my little four-year old daughter was stricken down with Tuberculosis of the right hip joint. We put her in charge of a specialist for treatment. He told us that our only hope of saving her hip and perhaps life in addition to his surgical treatment was to build up her system with good nourishing food to make good rich blood, bone, muscle and fat which in time would cure the disease by absorption.

"This sounded easy but proved a difficult case to treat as there were many foods recommended that did not agree with her or that she did not like, and therefore would not eat.

"For a year and a half she barely held her own until Grape-Nuts was tried which she liked from the first and in two months gained two pounds weight when during the 18 months preceding she had lost weight.

SHIP NEWS.

PORT OF ST. JOHN.

Arrived. March 31—Sch H A Holder, 84, McIntyre, from Boston, A W Adams, tar, etc. Sch Quaysy, 12, Wadsworth, from New York, J W Smith, coal. Coastwise—Sch Nollie, 59, Sullivan, from Meteghan; Fred and Norman, 31, Cheney, from Grand Harbor; Effie, 65, Milner, from Annapolis; Viola Pearl, 23, Wadlin, from Beaver Harbor.

DOMESTIC PORTS.

Arrived. HALIFAX, March 30—Arld, str Silvia, from St. John's, Nfld, and sid for New York; str Manchester Commerce, from Manchester, str St John, str Columbia, from Gloucester, Mass, and sid for Boston.

BRITISH PORTS.

Arrived. LIVERPOOL, March 30—Arld, strs Ottawa, from Port of Sagamore, from Boston; Corinthian, from New York, for Glasgow; Parisian, from Halifax.

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VERY TRYING TO WOMEN

Are the Peculiar Ills Brought on by Catarrh of the Pelvic Organs. (Pe-ru-na is a Tonic Especially Adapted to Their Peculiar Diseases.)



Mrs. Louise Westbrook, No. 9 East Columbia St., Detroit, Mich., Secretary of the West Side Lotus Club, writes: "Peruna has been a blessing to me and gladly do I endorse it. For two years I suffered with catarrh of the stomach. I lost flesh and grew thin and emaciated, nervous and exhausted, so that I could neither work or enjoy life. I began taking Peruna and can now eat and enjoy everything I eat. I have been well over a year now." —Miss Jessie Westland, Detroit, Mich., District

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CAPE HATTEN, April 3.—A despatch received here from Monte Christo, Santo Domingo, reports that Generals Epifanio Rodriguez and Ciro G. Navarro attacked the place and that General Jimenez being without ammunition, abandoned the town and embarked on the German steamer Hispania for St. Thomas.

PEOPLE OF THIS PLACE. There are people in every town and village of this country who have been cured of itching, bleeding and protracting piles by the use of Dr. Chase's Ointment. Ask your friends about this great preparation, they can tell you of its great soothing, healing and antiseptic powers. More reputable persons have endorsed Dr. Chase's Ointment than any preparation you can mention.

WOMAN FROZEN TO DEATH. CHATHAM, N. B., April 2.—A fatal fatality occurred here this week. Mrs. James Thomas, while travelling through the woods on snow shoes, from the home of her father, Maxim Martins, to her own home, a distance of three miles, lost her way and perished. Her body was recovered on Saturday.

TO cure Headache in ten minutes use KUMPORT Headache Powders.

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Bicyclists and all BENTLEY'S Limbs joints limber and

J. R. Cowans, of his beautiful mare Mr. King, wanted a driver, of speed. When she sped away, she is to Cowans to be used

Messrs. Clarke day out on Mr. E. Slay, 12 cows of 12 months in six ho Leonard engine, wood fuel, at \$5. per five foot seems hard to be

Chronic Constipation back to LA never fail. Small easy to take. Price 50c.

Advices received from the army service 5th, has been in as the colonel of The course may ever until after

People grow the weak when the break. What is needed is a little but healthy muscles, riching the blood, nourishing quality. Food adds new life. Body well as it. You can prove the increase in weight food cure.

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Rheyclists and all athletes depend on BENTLEY'S Liniment to keep their joints limber and muscles in trim.

J. R. Cowan, of Springhill, has sold his beautiful mare, Rock Farm Grace, to Mr. King, of Moncton.

Messrs. Clarke & Usher the other day out, on Mr. Evans farm in Grand Bay, 12 cords of long wood into 16 in.

Chronic Constipation cured or money back. LAXA-CARA TABLETS never fail.

Advices received by the militia department here state that the course of instruction which Col. G. Lyon-Biggar was to give to the newly-formed

SCRAWNY PEOPLE.

People grow thin, scrawny, pale and weak when the blood is thin and watery. What is needed to round off the angles and fill out the form, is not fat but healthy muscular tissue.

DIED ABOARD.

The Assault Standard of March 18 falls of the death at Missoula, Mont. of Mrs. Dinsmore Pond, aged 86, who went there from Fredericton about nine years ago.

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WANTED—RELIABLE MEN—\$80 per month and expenses \$120 per day to reliable men in every locality, introducing our goods, taking up show cards on trees, fences, along roads and all conspicuous places; steady employment to good, honest, capable men; experience needed; writes at once for particulars. THE EMPIRE MEDICINE CO., London, Ont. 1213

MISCELLANEOUS.

LADIES' STRINGES—Fountain and Bulb, "Marvel Whirling Spray." The "Ladies' Stringe" is the best. Price List to the LADIES' SPECIALTY CO., 15 Wentworth Street, St. John, N. B. 01.

FOR SALE

PIGS FOR SALE.—I have a number of pure bred improved large white Yorkshire pigs of choice breeding. Will sell same for three dollars and upwards, according to age at time of delivery. Address ALFRED E. SLIPP, Central Hampton, N. B.

FARM FOR SALE.—Farm owned and occupied by H. H. Fowler, situated at Central Norton, Kings County, N. B. Contains 300 acres, well wooded and watered. Good pasture lands, cuts a lot of hay, large intervals and marsh. Large house and four large barns. Nicely situated, two miles from Hampton. "Frocks" river. Good opening for cattle raising. Will sell with or without farm tools and stock. Post office address, Hampton, N. B.

TO LET.

FARM TO RENT.—From the 1st of May, a farm with stock and implements, good buildings, a few miles from the city of St. John; terms moderate. For particulars address H. W., care of Daily Sun, St. John. 409

DEATHS AND ACCIDENTS.

Old Moncton Man Dies from Effects of Fall.—Expert I. C. R. Trackman Passes Away.

MONCTON, N. B., April 2.—John H. Marr, one of the oldest residents of Moncton, died last night from the effects of a fall on the stairs of his house about a month ago. He was seventy-five years old. The deceased was a native of Annapolis, N. S., but came to Moncton and engaged in the boot and shoe business from which he retired several years ago. He is survived by a widow and two sons and two daughters. The sons are H. G. Marr, of Moncton, and P. A. Marr, of Halifax.

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One of the worst wrecks in the history of the I. C. R. occurred at Rothesay Sunday morning when a dozen cattle loads of cattle and five car loads of other freight jumped the rails with such force that they were broken into fragments. Mangled carcasses, gushing streams of blood, cars broken into atoms, and the moans of the animals in their last agonies, all combined to make a catastrophe appalling to witness. Fortunately none of the crew of the train were killed. A short time before the accident occurred they had gone forward into the car next to the locomotive, and as that did not leave the rails their lives were saved. But the loss of animal life and damage to rolling stock is heavy.

The cause of the accident has not yet been determined, but it is thought to have been due to the breaking of one of the American cars, which formed part of the train.

It was 2.40 o'clock Sunday morning when the cattle train, which consisted of Coroner Wilbur, passed Rothesay station for St. John. A moment later the cattle cars, which made up the centre, and five other cars, were derailed, while the locomotive and the remaining freight cars, loaded with iron, sugar and coal, remained on the rails.

The wreck occurred at the switch just this side of Rothesay station, and the cars went off on the upper side of the track. Two were thrown sideways and the rest in one confused mass. Most of the cars were badly smashed and forty-four of the two hundred cattle are dead. People near the scene of the accident heard the train pass, but did not hear the crash which followed. Some of the cars were thrown on their side, and in one instance a big steer was found standing on his head, with hinder parts in the air. His neck was broken and driven into his back by another animal which was found crushed flat. All that was not fatally injured were at least dazed. Four butchers went out from the city and shot and otherwise killed those animals that were badly injured. Hay was brought from barns near and given those that were able to eat. As soon as possible they were loaded on box cars and brought to the city, reaching here at an early hour this morning.

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When the St. John wrecking train got to the scene the men started to knock over or break the posts. An effort was made to save three-quarters of the cattle. All had to be dragged from under the cars by ropes passed round their necks. There still remained in or on others which were so badly injured that they had to be slaughtered. Some twenty-five or thirty were so hidden in the wreck that they could not be got out. As some of the cattle were so badly injured that they had to be slaughtered, some twenty-five or thirty were so hidden in the wreck that they could not be got out. As some of the cattle were so badly injured that they had to be slaughtered, some twenty-five or thirty were so hidden in the wreck that they could not be got out.

The wrecking crew will leave St. John early this morning to clear the main line, and put the track in repair. They will also bring what freight is worth picking up to the city.

The cattle were from the United States. They were owned by Donald Munroe of Montreal and were for shipment to the Dominion liner Marina. The steamer was to have sailed this morning, but will be detained until Tuesday at least. Mr. Munroe has been notified of the accident and is expected to reach St. John today. They were in charge of Thomas Metcalf.

THE DUNCAN CASE.

Coroner's Jury in Session Tomorrow Afternoon—The Witnesses.

The investigation into the death of Miss Mary Duncan is being carried on by Coroner McNally and although very little is being given out by that official, it is said that a net of evidence is being strongly woven and that some startling revelations will soon come out.

The coroner's jury will arrive in the city from their homes at Lower Pokok tomorrow morning and will be domiciled at the York hotel during their stay in the city.

The jury will meet at Clerk of the Peace Ratusford's office tomorrow afternoon at 1 o'clock. The following witnesses will be examined: Dr. McGrath, who performed the post-mortem examination; Dr. W. C. Crockett, who was called in to attend the deceased before her death; Hospital Sergeant Macaulay, who was engaged to be married to the deceased; Miss L. W. Bailey, Mrs. H. B. West and Miss Lattin—Gleaner.

TORONTO, April 4.—The Anglican house of bishops in Canada has been called for Thursday, April 14, at Kingston to elect a new primate of all Canada in succession to the late Archbishop Machray.

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Etou Sallor Suits, \$4.50, 5.50, 6.50
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Sallor Suits, - - - 75c. to \$10.00
Vest Suits, - - - \$3.00 to 7.00
Overcoats, - - \$5, 5.50, 6.00, 7.00
Raincoats, - - \$5, 5.50, 6.00, 7.00

MAIL ORDERS.

Out-of-town people remember if you cannot call there is still a connecting link between us—the mails. Write, and we will wait on you by letter. Our Spring Sample Book has been promised us by the printers this week. Write and we will send you one free.

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ICE STILL SOLID.

Reports From Along the River Show That There Are No Signs of Breaking Up.

Reports from points all along the river show that the opening of navigation this year will be quite a lot later than usual, as the ice as yet shows no signs of breaking up. Yesterday was received by the Sun as follows: Fredericton, still firm; teams crossing as usual. Mauderville—No change in appearance. The ice seems as solid as ever. Sheffield—Just as strong here as at any time during the winter, but a few days of very soft weather would make a big change. The ice seems to be breaking up.

Both Have Received Calls.

Although nothing definite has been done as to where Rev. W. J. Kirby and Henry Penna, the Methodist ministers of Fairville and Carleton Methodist churches, whose pastorates terminate in July, shall go, both these gentlemen have been invited to pastorates. Rev. Mr. Kirby has received a call to Richmond, Carleton county, and Rev. Mr. Penna to Springfield, Kings county. The Richmond circuit is what is known as a semi-independent circuit, and has more preaching stations than Mr. Kirby's present circuit. He has decided to leave the matter in the hands of the conference in June, and it is probable Mr. Penna will follow the same course.

W. A. Fremont, of the general superintendent's office of the C. P. R., has been transferred to Brownville, and left for that place on Saturday evening's express. Mr. Freese, who is very popular with his fellow clerks, will be generally missed.

Ill Effects of Indoor Life

Impure Air, Artificial Food, Lack of Exercise, Have Brought on Constipation, Clogging of the Kidneys and Liver Derangement.

The exceptional severity of the past winter is showing itself in the enormous death rates reported by the Boards of Health.

The extreme cold has necessitated indoor life. Rooms have been badly ventilated in the effort to keep them warm. Impure air and the use of artificial food have given rise to constipation, clogging of the kidneys, derangement of the liver, poisoning of the system and a complete upsetting of the organs of digestion.

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PROVINCIAL NEWS.

SUSSEX, March 31.—In the court of R. Morrison, stipendiary magistrate, the case came up of the King on the complaint of Havelock Brentnall...

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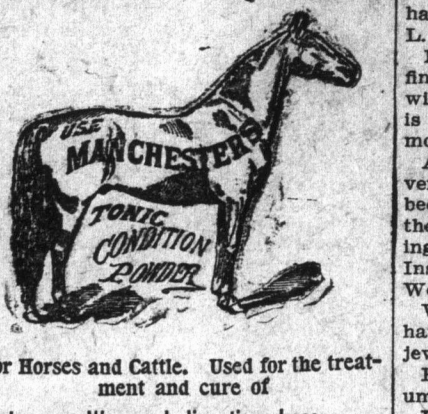
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