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MAY AVERT THE BIG COAL STRIKE

English Miners and Mine Owners Are in Conference in Hope of Peace

(Canadian Press)

London, Feb. 19.—While all the preparations that have been made in the coal field of the United Kingdom are for rather than for peace, there is just a gleam of hope that the threatened strike of nearly a million of men at the end of the month will be averted.

It has just been disclosed that William E. Harvey, the labor member of parliament for Northeast Derby, who is secretary of the miners' federation, accompanied by five representatives of the English miners, is holding meetings privately with five mine owners, in the hope of preparing a basis of peace.

Should progress be made in the effort to reach a settlement in England, South Wales, and Scotland, will remain the chief obstacle to an agreement.

The authorities look upon Wales as the most dangerous spot, and, having regard to the disturbances which occurred last year, the chief constable of Glamorgan-shire has suggested to the magistrates that an application should be made for the drafting of a body of 1800 infantry and 1,100 cavalry into the affected areas.

SAYS SIR EDWARD GREY WILL BE THE NEXT PREMIER

London Standard Writer Says This is the Real Inside Information

London, Feb. 19.—While the fact that no official denial has been given to the persistent report of the impending retirement of Premier Asquith and the succession of David Lloyd George, or Sir Edward Grey, to the premiership is itself fully significant, we well know parliamentary correspondents of the Standard, John Foster Fraser, says he has definite knowledge on the subject.

He is able to state, he writes, that "Premier Asquith will shortly resign the premiership and that, contrary to popular expectations, Sir Edward Grey, not Lloyd George, will be appointed prime minister. Lord Lorton will retire from the premiership, which office will be filled by the present prime minister."

NEW ZEALAND POLITICS

London Paper's Views on the Situation And the Future

London, Feb. 19.—The Pall Mall Gazette, discussing New Zealand's radical legislative programme—which includes nationalization of all lands and oil industries, increased graduated land tax, reduction of the duties on tobacco and other articles used by farmers and workers, extension of the system of state owned coal mines, establishment of a co-operative miners' bank and establishment of a state gas supply—says everybody recognizes that these big bids are inspired by the preponderance of the labor party.

Sir Joseph Ward will probably be defeated on a motion of no confidence, says the paper, and it adds that Massey will form a new government which will then take office. This again will be defeated, says Massey will then probably ask for a dissolution, which request is unlikely to be granted.

WEATHER BULLETIN

Issued by authority of the Department of Marine and Fisheries. R. F. Stupart, director of meteorological service.

Table with 4 columns: Location, Max, Min, Dir. of Wind. Rows include St. John, Charlottetown, Miramichi, etc.

The Time Ball on Customs building is set at 12:55, full station at 12:59, and drops at 1 p.m. standard time of the 99th Meridian, equivalent to 6 hours Greenwich mean time.

CARUSO SUED FOR BREACH OF PROMISE

Italian Girl Brings Action in Milan and Asks Heavy Damages — Defence is Blackmail

(Canadian Press)

Milan, Feb. 19.—The breach of promise suit of a sales girl, Anelli, against Enrico Caruso, the operatic tenor, has been occupying the court here. Counsel for the young woman gave the details of the alleged courtship of the girl by the singer and told how the promise of marriage was alleged to have been made. He also produced love letters which passed between Caruso and the girl and told of presents made and money sent.

"After all this," said counsel for the girl "the singer refused to marry her." He demanded that Caruso be mulcted in moral and material damages. The latter he estimated at \$50,000.

The defence was practically that the case was one of blackmail. Counsel for Caruso asked for damages which he said Caruso would give to some charity selected by the court, and would add \$1,000 out of his own pocket.

MINISTER'S LETTER VEXES UNCLE SAM

Grave Diplomatic Situation Declared to Have Been Precipitated

Washington, Feb. 19.—A grave diplomatic situation between the United States and Colombia has been precipitated by the publication of a letter which Senator Pedro Ne-hopkin, the Colombian minister, has written to Acting Secretary Huntington Wilson of the state department suggesting that it might be "inopportune" for Secretary Knox to visit Colombia during his projected tour of Central America.

The Colombian minister, first drawing attention to the fact that the views are his own and not officially those of his government, seriously criticizes the United States for not submitting to arbitration the differences with Colombia growing out of the Panama zone. Incidentally, as the letter, admittedly, is the personal expression of the minister, written without having communicated with his government, it was received at the state department in the nature of a personal insult to the government.

THE ONE-ARMED WONDER

Joe Ketchel Fatally Hurt in Bout at Naval Training Station

Chicago, Feb. 19.—Joe Ketchel, a Chicago pugilist, is reported to be dying as a result of a boxing exhibition with "Big Boy" Maloney at the naval training station in Annapolis, Md., yesterday.

BOXER DYING

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Ketchel collapsed in the fifth round of the contest and physicians say he cannot recover. He is suffering from a fracture of the brain and his right side is paralyzed. An investigation was opened today.

GENERAL OTTER IS IN FREDERICTON TODAY

Temperance Federation's Meeting With Government — News of the Capital

Fredrickton, Feb. 19.—(Special)—General W. D. Otter, commanding the Canadian militia, arrived here from Halifax this morning to inspect No. 3 Regiment depot. Tomorrow will be the last on which city taxes can be paid in order to qualify for the civic elections. There was quite a rush at the city treasurer's office this morning.

Representatives of the Temperance Federation will meet the local government in St. John on Friday and ask for enactment of a prohibitory law.

Rev. Dr. Cutten, president of Acadia College, preached very acceptably to large congregations in Brunswick street Baptist church yesterday.

The vote on church union in St. Paul's church was completed yesterday and the result will be announced next Sunday.

Rev. Dr. Smith and family will sail from Montreal for the old country on July 28.

OLYMPIC GAMES MIX-UP

New York, Feb. 19.—The receipt of a notice from the Swedish Olympic games committee, to the effect that entries for this year's Olympic contests will close in Stockholm on June 6, has caused some uneasy moments for the American committee.

This will make it necessary for the entry blanks to leave New York about May 29, in spite of the fact that the official try-outs do not take place until the first week in June.

TENNIS CHAMPION TO WED

San Francisco, Ca., Feb. 19.—At a luncheon to thirty society friends, Miss Hazel Hotchkiss, the champion tennis player of the United States, announced her engagement to George W. Whitman, a Harvard University student, and son of a Brookline, Mass., capitalist.

A PLEASANT TIME

The members of Rev. T. J. Deinstadt's ladies' Bible class were entertained by Mrs. Deinstadt on Saturday afternoon from four to six, at her residence 282 Duke street. About thirty-five members were present, and spent a most delightful time.

SAVED AT BRINK OF GRAVE

Three Year Old Girl Found Alive as Burial Service Was Being Read

WOMEN STRIKERS DEFEY THE POLICE

Assemble in Lawrence Church and Are Dispersed With Some Difficulty

(Canadian Press)

Lawrence, Mass., Feb. 19.—A band of Polish women operatives, who are participating in the great textile strike, assembled in St. Anthony's Syrian church early today and defied the police and militia authorities to disperse them. They were engaged in picketing the vicinity of the mills. They did not scatter until a squad of about thirty police, a small detachment of infantry and a troop of cavalry were sent to the scene. Three of the women were arrested, charged with disorderly conduct.

Thousands of operatives returned to the mills this morning when the gates were opened. In the case of some of the mills considerable increases in the numbers remaining work was announced, but there seemed to be little change at the plants of the American Woolen Company.

SIX COURTS IN TWELVE DAYS

Royal Functions in London to Follow Quickly After Mourning Period—The King's Plans

London, Feb. 19.—Court functions, which were deferred until after the beginning of the half mourning period, are to be run together with astonishing rapidity.

The king and queen have little taste for ceremonial and by having six functions in twelve days seem anxious to dispose of the necessary but unenjoyable business as soon as possible. George V. is not a mere sailor king, but an imperial sovereign, with a genius for great affairs, and a courage to act upon his own initiative.

KING'S PHYSICIAN TO VISIT UNITED STATES

St. John's Church Pastor Is Voting on the North Shore

New York, Feb. 19.—Sir Bertrand Dawson, of London, physician to King George, will sail for the United States within a fortnight, to spend several months in surgical studies on this side. Most of his time will be spent in Rochester, Minn., and in the Johns Hopkins hospital in Baltimore.

"America has surpassed Europe in surgical science," Sir Bertrand declares, "and hereafter we must come to you to learn. It is time your methods received universal adoption."

C. N. BEAL ESTATE

Inventory Shows Total of \$18,250 — The J. J. Rippey Property

In the probate court today the matter of the estate of Charles N. Beal, liquor merchant, came up. Probate of the will in this case having been issued without the usual valuation of the estate, pending inquiries, the Eastern Trust Company, the executors, filed an inventory giving the valuation of the estate as follows: Real estate, \$2,200; personal estate \$18,250; total \$18,250. Dr. R. F. Quigley, K. C., is executor.

In the matter of the estate of Count R. V. Debury, one of the counsel being indisposed, the further hearing was adjourned until Tuesday next.

The matter of the estate of John J. Rippey, of Charlottetown, came up. He died intestate in 1907. On the petition of his son, Thomas Rippey, grocer, and his daughter, Margaret, the son was appointed administrator. Real estate is \$700; leasehold \$300. Baxter & Logan are executors.

THOUSAND DELEGATES THERE

E. N. Stockford, who with Rev. R. H. Staver, of Hartland, was a New Brunswick delegate to the Dominion Alliance Temperance Convention in Toronto last week, returned on Saturday and speaks highly of the success of the congress and the manner in which every detail was carried out. There were upwards of 1,300 delegates at the convention, and some excellent addresses were delivered on temperance work.

Prohibition was the feature which seemed to receive the greatest share of favor and attention. The introduction of government ownership caused much discussion and was not favored. Exception to it was taken by Rev. Dr. Carman and many delegates discussed the question. The delegate from Nova Scotia was Rev. H. J. Grant, while Rev. George Pull represented P. E. Island.

JUDGMENT FURTHER POSTPONED

Montreal, Feb. 19.—There was another delay today in the much-delayed Hebert wedding case judgment, in which had been fixed for this morning. Judge Charbonneau was still unprepared to give the verdict on which the legal status of the Ne-Temere case in Canada hinges. No definite date for the announcement was made.

ITALY'S PLANS IN TRIPOLI

Tripoli, Feb. 19.—General Caneva, commander-in-chief of the Italian expeditionary forces in Tripoli, who has been on a visit to Rome for the purpose of consulting the government, has returned here and resumed command. General Caneva left here for Rome on February 4 and returns with a carefully mapped out plan of campaign.

SOCIETY GIRLS MUST NOT WED

Misses Morgan, Society Belles of Wilkesbarre, Lose Fortune if They Marry

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Feb. 19.—In order to share in the estate of their father, the Misses Ruth and Tacie Morgan, daughters of William P. Morgan, a wealthy real estate man, must stay unmarried for life. The will of the father, just made public, commands that the two daughters are to be given "a suitable living while they remain single." In the event of marriage their allowance is to be completely cut off. The Misses Morgan are prominent in society. The will of their father came as a great surprise to them.

LATEST PICTURE OF THE KAISER



Kaiser Wilhelm and the gop-haired and motherly looking Kaiserin, from a photograph taken on the emperor's birthday, January 27 when he celebrated his fifty-third birthday.

REV. MR. FULTON NOT IN FAVOR OF UNION

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Chatham, N. B., Feb. 19.—(Special)—Rev. R. J. Fulton dealt with church union in his sermon last evening and declared himself as opposed to the plan at present outlined. He quoted from various authorities to show the effect that the proposed union would have and said he did not favor it.

Mr. Fulton's stand has created considerable comment among church members of St. Luke's and the Presbyterian churches, as it was generally thought that he was in favor of the union.

Rev. J. M. McLean, of St. John's church, spoke strongly in favor of union. He explained the basis of union and expressed his own personal approval of it. Voting is now going on and will continue until the end of the month.

YELLOW JACK ON BOARD

San Diego, Cal., Feb. 19.—With five cases of yellow fever among its crew, the Irish ship Akalis put into Salina Cruz for medical aid, last week, according to advices just brought here by the American Hawaiian steamer Nebraskan.

SON HELD AWAITING INQUEST

Beaver, Pa., Feb. 19.—John M. Shroades, steward of the Beaver County Home, was shot at his residence last night during a family quarrel, and died this morning in a hospital in Rochester.

In spite of the fact that the man is said to have made a statement to physicians concerning his son Herbert, the young man is being held to await the coroner's inquest.

GOING AHEAD

"Construction," Toronto, says: St. John's new buildings in 1911 were valued at \$872,700, as compared with \$550,425 in 1910. It adds:

"In the maritime district, Sydney and St. John are ahead by a margin of 42 and 10 per cent, in order named. Halifax, however, is behind, the loss noted being 39 per cent. It is regrettable that so few eastern cities are represented in the list as it is definitely known that Campbellton and a large number of other places witness the heaviest operations in their career."

GOVERNMENT IS PROSECUTING

New York, Feb. 19.—Preliminary proceedings instituted by the government to obtain the punishment of those concerned in the destruction of a trunkful of documentary evidence intended to be used in the prosecution in the equity suit for the dissolution of the United States Steel Corporation, at Trenton, N. J., are under way today before the federal grand jury here.

THE LATE A. P. DELANEY.

Keen regret was expressed about the city yesterday when it became known that one of the North End's most popular young men, Arthur P. Delaney, had passed away, after an illness of a few weeks, at his home 24 Adela street. News of his death was heard with deep regret among a wide circle of acquaintances, with whom he was decidedly popular and esteemed. Particularly among the members of the Y. M. C. A. of St. Peter's the news of his death brought sadness, for he had long been actively interested in the welfare of that body, and had the honor of being its president during last year, a position which he filled capably. He was also a member of the C. M. B. A. Branch 134, and of the single men's Holy Family of St. Peter's. His father, Arthur Delaney, of the North End fire department, survives, with one brother, Maurice T. of Jones & Schofield, and four sisters, Mrs. Katherine Sweeney, Mrs. Edward Emery, Mrs. John D. Hardy, and Miss Ethel Delaney, all of this city. The funeral is to be held tomorrow morning at St. Peter's church. The members of the Y. M. C. A. will attend in a body.

ILL IN HOSPITAL

Friends of Arthur Hamms of the customs house staff will regret to learn that he is quite ill in the hospital. He was operated on a few days ago.

SITUATION IS NONE TOO GOOD

Manchuria's Rebellious Against New Order of Things — Yuan Shi Kai Needed in Nanking

(Canadian Press)

Tien Tsin, Feb. 19.—The situation in Manchuria is daily becoming more desperate, Kang Yu Wei, who led the reform movement in 1898, has thrown his influence in with that of Chao Hsun, the viceroy, and together they will make a determined fight to resist the new order of things.

Chao Ehr Hsun still refuses to meet the demands that he give up his office, and, with the aid of Kang Yu Wei purposes to rebel. It is said that the chief of the coalition of the two leaders is to establish a constitutional monarchy in Manchuria.

Prince Su, it is reported, is giving the two leaders financial assistance. The Hungtzes have resigned en masse and are openly defying the orders and authority of Yuan Shi Kai, and will use all their power and endeavors to oust him.

Nanking, Feb. 19.—Dr. Sun Yat Sen and the members of the republican government as well as the national assembly are still waiting for the official reply of Yuan Shi Kai to the request that he come to Nanking. If the former premier should refuse to come south, the situation will be very much complicated.

The observance of the Chinese New Year on Sunday passed off without any disturbances. This is the last occasion on which the New Year will be celebrated according to the old Chinese custom. In the future the calendar is to be changed and brought into accord with the western system.

DIES ON GALLOWES, UNREPENTANT, FOR TRIPLE MURDER

Melville, Alt., Feb. 19.—Lawrence Odum, convicted of the murder of three persons, was hanged here today. He repented the ministrations of a clergyman, who labored with him all night, and those of his own son, a Catholic priest. He mounted the gallows stoically, and laughingly asked to see his wife.

Odum was convicted of killing Charles Colony, Joseph Stokes and Billie Gurtman, the latter a sixteen-year old boy. They had been witnesses against him in a police court, on a charge of cruelty to a dog. The killings took place on March 18, at Chironville, Ala. Odum was tried twice, and declared guilty each time. He was wealthy.

ENGINEER ARRAIGNED ON MANSLAUGHTER CHARGE

Montreal, Feb. 19.—James C. Hamilton, engineer of the Quebec train which crashed into a waiting Montreal express at St. Vincent de Paul, last month, was arraigned this morning before Judge Lafontaine, on a charge of manslaughter. The hearing was postponed until Feb. 27.

Hamilton was allowed out on \$1,000 bail. He had both legs broken in the wreck, which caused the death of five people. He was held responsible by the coroner's jury.

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The Yellow Letter

A Fascinating Mystery Story
By WILLIAM JOHNSTON

Reading the letter which had been impulsively written by the man who had been in the habit of writing to her in Madison Avenue. Just as he reached the door, however, the family physician arrived in haste and Harding learns that Katharine Parish, the sister of Louise, had just attempted to kill herself. General Parish, the father of the girls, is amazed, and in great distress.

CHAPTER I.—(Continued.)

I had before seen strong men in grief but never had I witnessed such a wave of heartrending agony as swept over the general. He came into his home erect, military, slightly perturbed, but still in manner and bearing the vigorous old soldier, fully master of his emotions. My words that told him as gently as possible what had happened seemed to sap all his vitality. His face became ashen pale, his lips quivered, great tears coursed down his cheeks, his shoulders bent under the weight of his grief and he tottered as if about to fall.

While he was fond and proud of both his daughters, the elder had always been his favorite. As is often the case with fathers who have no sons, Katharine had been both son and daughter to him. Since her mother's death some years ago she had been practically head of the household. It was on her that he relied for everything, and it was with her that he discussed all his business affairs. Such association between them naturally had strengthened the bonds into far more than the ordinary father-and-daughter affection.

"My poor little girl—Katharine—my little Katharine," he moaned in tones of agony that wrung my heart for him.

The first thought was to go to her, but the doctor forbade his presence in the room. I persuaded him to go to his own apartment, leaving him in the hands of his valet and promising to keep him informed as to Katharine's condition.

Deeply as I felt for him, it was of Louise I thought most. I wanted to see her constantly, to give her the support of my presence. As soon as Doctor Wilson's assistants arrived, bringing with them a nurse, Louise and I were both banished from the room. Gently I drew her into a little sitting-room, with the door ajar, we waited to see if our aid might be needed. Fearless sorrow now weighed heavily on me.

"Tell me everything," I said, with my arm about her. "Why did she do it?"

"I don't know," she cried. "I can't understand it at all. There is some mystery, some terrible mystery that I can not fathom."

"When did you see your sister last?"

"We had luncheon together. She was sweet as kind, as she always was, and I could see that something was worrying her. We were to have gone shopping to either the afternoon or the evening, but she had an errand that would make it impossible for her to go with me. I had received your note, so I told her that it would suit me much better to put the shopping off until tomorrow. Right after luncheon she went out, and I don't know. She did not use the car or call a taxi. All I know is that she was gone about two hours. When she returned she was arranging the flowers in the dining-room. I heard her enter and came out into the hall. She walked straight past me without a word and went upstairs to her own room. I ran up after her, thinking she might be ill, but just as I got to the door I heard her turn the key. I understood that she was to be alone. About half an hour later I saw a shadow across a shot and rubbed upstairs, calling to the servants. We found the door still locked and we could hear her sobbing. I tried to bawl her out, but she would not open the door and there we found her, just where she was when you saw her, still as death, with her right hand the revolver clutched in her hand."

"What do you suppose made her change her mind about going shopping with you?"

"I asked, 'Did she receive any letters or telegrams today?'"

Louise thought for a moment before answering, her slender form still shaken with silent sobbing. Gently I brushed away the tears that had gathered in her eyes and drew her to me until her head was pillowed on my shoulder. I doubt that if in her distress she noticed my action, save the sense of comfort that it brought her. How terrible it is to see the woman that you love suffer so much and feel powerless to do anything to help her!

"No," said Louise, "I am positive Katharine received no letter or telegram to read except an invitation or two that we were to have breakfast. We were together practically all the time until after lunch."

"Perhaps some one telephoned to her?"

Louise did not recall any message. We summoned her sister's maid, who was crouching outside the door like a faithful animal, and put the question to her. She was in such a hysterical state that it was difficult to make her understand what we wanted, but finally she remembered that there had been a telephone call just before lunch.

"Who wanted her?" asked Louise and I together.

"The girl shook her head as if bewildered."

"Think, think," I commanded. "What was the name? Who was it? If you answered the telephone, whoever it was must have given his name."

Stupor she shook her head again.

"Was it Mr. Crandall?" asked Louise.

"Light came into Hilka's face at once."

"Now I remember," she exclaimed. "Dot was him. It was Mr. Crandall."

The name meant nothing to me and I turned to Louise for explanation. Though there were many callers at the Parishes home, I never had met a Mr. Crandall, nor had I even heard the name mentioned.

"It must have been Hugh Crandall," said Louise. "It was afraid that it was he."

Her remark puzzled me. The only Hugh Crandall I knew anything about was a prosperous young broker whom I never had met personally, though I had seen his name occasionally in connection with exchange and club affairs.

"Do you mean Hugh Crandall, the broker?" I asked.

Louise nodded, and leaning against my shoulder, told me of a chapter of the family history with which I was wholly unfamiliar. This man, it seems, had met her

The Evening Chit-Chat

By RUTH CAMERON

"MY son, if you would be wise, open first your eyes, next your ears, and last of all your mouth, that your words may be words of wisdom and give no advantage to your adversary."—Old Indian Proverb.

The value of knowing when to keep one's mouth closed is a very old story, but a letter friend has presented it to me in a new aspect, which is more than worth passing on.

It seems that the above Indian proverb was brought into English three quarters of a century ago by a man named George Catlin. This man, being on the verge of consumption, went and lived outdoors among the Indians. From this wild life, he brought back his health and this interesting observation—that the Indians make a very special point always to keep their mouths shut, except when eating or speaking. And as anyone who knows anything about Indians will testify, that latter process wouldn't keep their mouth open very long.

Not only did he notice that the adult Indians observe this rule, but also that all the squaws were most careful to see that the babies' mouths were closed when they were sleeping. He found that the Indians were almost entirely immune from decayed teeth—think of it, with no dentures, nor tooth brushes, nor dental floss, nor tooth powder, to have them—and, and from almost troubles, and he was so much impressed that he adopted the practice of keeping the mouth closed as much as possible. To that and to the fresh air, he ascribed his recovery.

Mr. Catlin must have been the original grandfather of health faddists for he was so thoroughly convinced, that he wrote a pamphlet to show that all humors could be avoided if one would always breathe through the nostrils. This pamphlet was entitled "Shut Your Mouth," and closed thus, "If I were to endeavor to persuade to posterity, the most important motto which human language can convey, it should be in three words: 'Shut your mouth.'"

It is interesting to observe how closely the old Indian wisdom tallies with modern medical teachings. Just the other day, in a progressive dental magazine, I read a long article, telling how many of the defective and delinquent children were found to be afflicted with decayed teeth and how much improvement in them had been made by attending to the defective tonsils or protruding teeth, which caused this continual mouth breathing. And to think that the Indians had been practicing this century before the habit of keeping his mouth carefully closed in the daytime, and sleep with a hand tied under his chin and over his head, to make sure that his mouth shall not drop open when he is asleep.

We all know that mouth breathing is harmful, but I think it will not hurt any of us to be reminded anew of the advantages of breathing our nostrils for food, and especially recommended to mothers the wisdom of the Indian women who, a century before the day of health fads, were forming this health habit for their little papooses.

"Just a few minutes, children"

HUNGRY children soon become cross children. But children never get cross waiting for Tillson's Oats, for they need never wait more than 15 minutes. Mothers who have many mouths to feed at breakfast time must make every minute count. The time saved by the quick cooking Tillson's makes many hours saved in the course of a year. No food that you can give your children furnishes them more energy or saves more of yours.



Canadian Cereal & Milling Co., Ltd., Toronto, Ont.

La MARQUISE de FONTENOY

Disraeli Was Very Anxious to Be Made Knight of Garter as Commoner—The New Lord Chamberlain

Lord Sandhurst, the new Lord Chamberlain at the court of St. James, is the brother-in-law of his predecessor, the Earl Spencer. The late Lady Sandhurst was Lady Victoria Spencer. Lord Sandhurst has been connected with the court for the last thirty-two years or more, having joined the royal household as Lord in Waiting to the Queen Victoria, as far back as 1850, after seven years' duty as a subaltern of the Coldstream Guards. Since then he has been under secretary of state for war, and governor of Bombay, during perhaps one of the worst vibrations of fame to which India has been subjected in modern times.

Moreover he may be regarded as one of the founders of the Order of the Garter, having been the principal member of the royal commission sent out to South Africa for the purpose of investigating the merits and recommending the form of constitution to be granted to the Transvaal and Orange Free State. He was also one of the worst vibrations of fame to which India has been subjected in modern times.

Lord Sandhurst's patronage is Mansfield, chief justice of England during the reign of George IV. He was created Lord Sandhurst in 1833 and was the fifth of his name. He was a member of the House of Commons from 1833 until 1838, when he was appointed to the rank of commander-in-chief in 1838. He was also a member of the House of Commons from 1833 until 1838, when he was appointed to the rank of commander-in-chief in 1838. He was also a member of the House of Commons from 1833 until 1838, when he was appointed to the rank of commander-in-chief in 1838.

Daily Hints For the Cook

PEANUT STUFFING FOR DUCKS.
Chop fine a cupful of roasted, shelled and skinned peanuts and add them to one cupful of bread crumbs, softened, with melted butter and seasoned with pepper and salt. Use this as you would any other dressing in stuffing the duck.

SHIPPING

ALMANAC FOR ST. JOHN, FEB. 19, 1912.
High Tide.....12.30 Low Tide..... 6.41
Sun Rises..... 7.23 Sun Sets 6.53
The time used is Atlantic standard.

PORT OF ST. JOHN.
Arrived Sunday.
St. Regine Harb. 1610, Kane, from
Candia via Quebec, Wm. Thomson & Co.
Sailed Saturday.
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MARINE NEWS.
Fears are entertained for the safety of the Heid-Neuwalland steamer Glouco which left Lonsburg on Monday, Feb. 12, for Port Aux Basques and has not yet been heard of.

CHILDREN INJURED

Ordinary Cathartics and Pills and Harsh Physic Cause Distressing Complaints
You cannot be over-careful in the selection of medicine for children. Only the very gentlest bowel medicines should ever be given, except in emergency cases. Ordinary cathartics, castor oil and purgatives are apt to do more harm than good. They cause griping, nausea and other distressing after-effects that are frequently health-destroying.

ALL YOU NEED IS A CASCARET TONIGHT

No Sick Headache, Bilious Stomach, Coated Tongue or Constipated Bowels by Morning
Turn the rascals out—the headache, the biliousness, the indigestion, the sick, burping, stomach and foul gases—turn them out tonight and keep them out with Cascaret.

Millions of men and women take Cascaret now and then and never know the misery caused by a lazy liver, clogged bowels or an upset stomach. Don't put in another day of distress. Let Cascaret cleanse and regulate your stomach and foul gases—turn them out tonight and keep them out with Cascaret.

AN UNUSUAL ATTRACTION
In addition to the regular vaudeville between the acts the Young-Adams Company has added the Ramballo Trio to its programme of specialties at the Opera House tonight. St. John has seldom heard the superior of these Italian singers outside the big operatic productions and they are bound to create an unusual amount of interest in musical circles this week. The trio is composed of a first and second tenor and high soprano voice. The artists are less than six weeks from Italy where they sang leading roles with the Milan Opera Company. They have a large repertoire and will sing all new numbers this evening.

TENNIS CLUB DANCE
A subscription dance will be given on Tuesday evening in Keith's Assembly rooms by the St. John Tennis Club for the purpose of clearing off the deficit incurred in holding the provincial tournament last year. Jones' orchestra will furnish the music. The ladies committee is composed of Miss Vivian Barnes, Mrs. Gordon Saxon, Mrs. P. W. Thomson and Miss Frances Hazen. The men's committee includes P. W. Thomson, C. F. DeLoe, K. S. Barnes and T. M. McAvity.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY
TAKALATIVE BROMO QUININE TABLETS. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.

HAD ROUGH TRIP
The Headliner Bengore Head, Captain Kane, arrived in port yesterday from Cardiff via the Azores, and docked at the B. C. terminals. The captain reports a very rough trip. The steamer was blown back about thirty miles when it was a few days out from the other side.

AND STILL GOING.
Mr. Gray had been away from home on business for some time, and the exact hour at which he would arrive in Toronto was uncertain. Jack and Molly, twins, and little Senda at that were determined

That first gray hair

Oh how disappointed you are to see it—Gray hairs take away that youthful appearance that you are so anxious to, and should keep—For beauty and good looks depend so much upon natural color, thick, glossy and healthy hair. Everyone is attracted to the woman with beautiful hair. Why not have it—get rid of the gray hairs—keep them out altogether by using HAY'S HAIR HEALTH.

You'll be surprised how quickly it will restore those gray hairs to their natural color and how well it will keep them so. It is not a dye but the most satisfactory and reliable restorer.

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DR. A. W. CHASE'S CATARRH POWDER 25c
is best used in the diseased part by the improved method. Heals the inflamed membrane, stops discharge, and restores the eye to its normal condition. Prepared by Dr. A. W. Chase, Hay Fever, Eye Specialist, 111 St. John Street, St. John, N.B.

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Railroad Signal Overalls are guaranteed by the makers for 30 days from the date of purchase—these being union made. We also carry the famous Faultless Brand Clothing for men and guarantee a good fit in every suit. Shirts and Collars—we have the famous M. J. L. Austrian made and a full assortment of Neckwear and Working Shirts. Shoes—we have the best money can buy. Ask to see our special shoe called the (HUB). This is a winner—also other shoes which we recommend. Hats and Caps in great variety.

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32 Mill Street

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Men's Trousers, best tweed \$1.00.
Men's Overalls (Shirts), 20 cents.
Men's All Wool Shirts, 40 cents.
Ladies' Kimonos in heavy Flannel and pure silk. Special prices from \$1.50 to \$3.00.
I have also a fine stock of Youth's Boots and Rubbers at an exceedingly low price.
Call and you will call again.

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Stoves Lined with Fire Clay
Lined Put in Fire Clay Cup-pled For All Stoves
"Don't let the fire burn thru to the oven"
Make appointment by mail or telephone Main 1935-21.
Fenwick D. Foley

GILMOUR'S HOME OF 20TH CENTURY BRAND CLOTHING

SUIT SALE NOW UNDER WAY

Ready-to-wear Suits, including the most popular styles, are now discounted 20 per cent. to 40 per cent.

Such discounts are remarkable when you consider the sale ability and genuine worth of the suits.

But to appreciate their worth you must see them—and an early call will enable you to see them at their best.

VESTS now discounted 20 per cent. to 50 per cent., and all well worth the original moderate figures.

TROUSERS, several broken lines, desirable in every way; including many patterns, but not all sizes in all patterns. Discounted heavily—some fully 40 per cent.

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The Merchants' Bank of Canada

Capital \$6,000,000. Reserve Fund \$5,400,000

Deposits over \$54,000,000

Total Assets over \$76,000,000

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St. John Branch; 58 Prince William St.

Municipal Bonds

Offer The Highest Form Of Security Obtainable

We have for sale at present—

\$730,000 Province of N. B. Guarantee 4 per cent. due 1912 at 99 1/2 and interest to yield 4.10 per cent.

\$3,000 St. John (tax exempt) 3 1/2 due 1942 at 99 and interest to yield 4.10 per cent.

\$3,000 Town of Gatham 4 per cent. due 1942 at 98 1/2 and interest to yield 4.40 per cent.

\$500 Town of Dalhousie 4 1/2 per cent. due 1928 at 98 1/2 and interest to yield 4.85 per cent.

\$7,000 Town of Newcastle, N. B., 5 per cent. due 1931 at 102 and interest to yield 4.82 per cent.

\$2,500 Town of Sackville, N. B., 4 per cent. due 1930 at 91 and interest to yield 5.4 per cent.

\$1,000 Town of Sydney Mines 4 1/2 per cent. due 1929 at 92.81 and interest to yield 4.78 per cent.

\$3,800 Bathurst-School districts 5 per cent. due 1931 at 100 and interest to yield 4.82 per cent.

Do not hesitate to write us regarding these or any other INVESTMENTS.

COMMERCIAL

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET

Quotations furnished by private wires of F. C. Mackintosh & Co., (Members Montreal Stock Exchange, 111 Prince William Street, St. John, N. B., Canada's corner)

Monday, Feb. 19, 1912.

Amalgamated Copper	65 1/2	65 1/2	65 1/2
Am Best Sugar	35	34 1/2	34 1/2
Am Car & Fdy	31	31	31
Am Cotton Oil	20 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2
Am Sugar	119	119	119
Am Zinc	119	119	119
Alameda Copper	38 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2
Alchison	104	104	104
Baltimore & Ohio	102 1/2	102 1/2	102 1/2
Ches & Ohio	78 1/2	78 1/2	78 1/2
Ches & Del	71 1/2	71 1/2	71 1/2
Ches & Pot	104 1/2	104 1/2	104 1/2
Chino Copper	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
Consolidated	31 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2
Gen'l Electric	138 1/2	138 1/2	138 1/2
Gen'l Motors	138 1/2	138 1/2	138 1/2
Great North Pfd	120 1/2	120 1/2	120 1/2
Great North Ord	37 1/2	37 1/2	37 1/2
Int'l Harb	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2
Lehigh Valley	157 1/2	157 1/2	157 1/2
Nevada Con	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
Nor Pacific	30 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2
N Y Central	110 1/2	110 1/2	110 1/2
North Pacific	117 1/2	117 1/2	117 1/2
North West	119	119	119
Pacific Mail	157 1/2	157 1/2	157 1/2
Pennsylvania	123 1/2	123 1/2	123 1/2
Pacific Tel & Tel	47 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2
Reading	157 1/2	157 1/2	157 1/2
Rock Island	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
St Paul	108 1/2	108 1/2	108 1/2
Texas & Pacific	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2
Union Pacific	164 1/2	164 1/2	164 1/2
Utah Copper	37 1/2	37 1/2	37 1/2
Union Pacific	164 1/2	164 1/2	164 1/2
U S Steel	50 1/2	50 1/2	50 1/2
Virginia Chemical	30 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2
Western Union	84 1/2	84 1/2	84 1/2

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Be the Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Watson*

PLANS OF C.P.R. ANNOUNCED

Mr. Downie Speaks of Work on His Division—Generous Appropriations

The appropriations for expenditures on the Atlantic Division of the C. P. R. during the present year which have been received by the general superintendent, William Downie, show that this division has been treated very generously and that during the next season a very large amount of money will be spent in making improvements to the line.

The work included the relaying of about thirty miles of track on the main line of the division with eighty-five pound rails replacing eighty pound rails, which have been slightly worn. About the same amount of rails will be laid on the branch lines, replacing the present with heavier rails.

About twenty-five miles of relabelling will be done on the main line, and about forty miles on the branch lines. A large amount of work will also be undertaken in the way of ditching, fencing, replacing culverts, erecting new section houses, installing electric crossing signals, etc. The sums involved range from small to very large amounts and the aggregate means the expenditure of a big sum.

There will be no work replacing bridges or culverts on the main line, as all the structures of this kind here are in good condition and are now in permanent shape, being built of steel, concrete and masonry. The station houses are also in good condition and there are none to be replaced this year.

The company had hoped to make a start at West St. John this year to provide more siding space, but they will not be able to make a start until the government has erected the sea wall along the forty acre strip to project the filling.

A STEP UP THE LADDER

F. G. SPENCER GETS CANADIAN RIGHTS TO BERNHARDT PICTURES

F. G. Spencer, who came home from New York on Saturday, announces that he has secured the sole Canadian rights to the presentation of Madame Sarah Bernhardt in "Camille" and Madame Rejane in "Madame Sans-Gene" in motion pictures. In New York he completed arrangements with Anderson-Ziegler, Ltd. for the sole rights through Canada, involving a large sum of money. He will leave this week for New York in connection with the arrangements.

Three companies will be put on the road one for Ontario, another for Quebec and Western, and another for the maritime provinces.

PRINCESS WOULD BE FREE FROM A GILDED CAGE

Indira, Daughter of Gaekwar of Baroda, Engaged to Maharajah of Gwalior

PREFERS AN ENGLISHMAN

Has Wonderful Jewels and All That Wealth Can Command, But Visits to England Has Filled Her With Desire to Leave Home

(Times Special Correspondence.)

Delhi, Jan. 20.—Princess Indira, daughter of the Gaekwar of Baroda, the second ruler of India, who is acknowledged to be the most beautiful of dusky royalty, longs to marry outside of India. Although she is betrothed to the fabulously wealthy Maharajah of Gwalior, she has just confessed that she much prefers the freedom accorded a wife in England.

The confessor of the princess was made by Margaret Montgomery, a visitor at the Maharajah's palace, who became an intimate friend of the daughter of the indiscreet ruler of Baroda. Here is the way Miss Montgomery told it to me:

"I travelled on the same boat from England as did the princess and we became great friends. She is a wonderfully attractive girl slightly under middle height, with a round face, soft brown eyes, long straight lashes, and a fair skin like that of most Hindu ladies who lead an exclusive life. Her hair is quite curly and is made to shine with unguents. One might almost say that the little princess is inclined to plumpness, though the graceful dress known as the sari covers all deficiencies, draped as it can be in twenty odd ways and being of every color of the rainbow.

"The sari is, in fact, the nearest solution to the eternal problem of woman's dress. In the zenana or women's quarters nothing is worn under the sari, though the sari is a petticoat and a blouse may be added by way of compromise, fifteen yards of material, crepe de chene or soft silk edged with gold or passementerie and the costume is complete.

"Her Highness, like most of her countrywomen, is a connoisseur in jewels. In the Maharajah of Baroda there are three rooms filled with jewels. She has made her choice of the beautiful things she wears. Her diamonds and emeralds adorn her and her diamond and emerald earrings are so heavy that they pull down her shoulders. Her hair is painted green and she wears diamond bracelets met quite casually on her arms like painted glass.

"The princess told me that Scindia, the Maharajah of Gwalior to whom she is betrothed, has little taste in jewelry. Having heard one day that she had admired something in a shop window she had bought it for him. He was surprised and sent it to the hotel. She intends to take charge of that domestic department in any way.

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LOCAL NEWS

Band on Carleton rink tonight.

See the Vic's ad. on Page 7.

Photos in carnival costume-half price. Lagrin Studio, 28 Charlotte street.

Rock Maple wood for grates—Gibson & Co., 1589-21.

During our end-of-season sale, we are pushing down prices to push up business. Come, see. C. B. Fiddler.

The Comfort Circle of the King's Daughters will give a concert at the Grand Hotel, Feb. 20, from 4 to 7 p.m.

Tonight—St. David's Y. P. A., literary programme.

The ice in the Vic is in excellent shape for tonight's big band concert and carnival. Admission 25c.

Coming Lyric, G. B. chocolate creams with a delicious filling—Phillips, Union and Main streets.

The Unique Outing Club will hold their assembly tomorrow evening in the O'Regan Hall. 1905-20.

Furniture repaired and upholstered. Sinclair, 77 Prince street; phone Main 1831-41.

When buying your new spring hats remember that we carry them in the largest and most complete stock in the city. We have just received the new spring styles, at Colbert's, 106 Union street.

MINISTERS TONIGHT.

Every Day Club minstrel first appearance at 8 o'clock. Music and song. Admission fifteen cents.

Tonight is the night of the big carnival in the Vic. A selected continuous two city bands in special costumes. Don't miss it tonight.

TO LET—Store, situated 48 Mill street, one of the best business stands in the city. Can be taken possession of the first day of March. Apply C. Brager & Sons, 48 Mill street. 191-1f.

Monday evening next at eight o'clock St. David's Y. P. A. special meeting; the boys of the Firebirds Club have charge and have prepared a programme lasting 140-1f.

THE REASON WHY?

The Rex Cleaning & Pressing Co., 23 Mill street, St. John, N. B., will press, clean and repair your clothes. Ladies' clothes a specialty. Mail orders receive strict attention. Telephone Main 2282-11. Goods called for and delivered. 3-20

Tomorrow, Tuesday, will be the final day of the sale of the winter costumes at F. W. Daniel & Company's, corner King street. This early opening is in the interest of the public, and the sale, leave your order tomorrow. The fitting is guaranteed in every case. Special provision for stout figures also.

crop prospects. About all that can be said is that wheat has had a good snow covering; the land has lots of reserve moisture.

The supreme court meets today, and we may get some decisions, such as an attractive case, or the commerce court decision. Should either of these come, it might give us temporary relief.

Roosevelt will make his much-discussed speech at Columbus on Wednesday, the 21st. We hear it will be most progressive. It is, however, now generally thought that he will not touch on his attitude towards the nomination for president.

The market for the present has a solid appearance, and any good news could send it to a rally, but it remains very professional and is any one's guess.

SHEARSON HAMILLY & CO.

Wall Street Notes.

New York, Feb. 19.—Americans in London quiet and fractionally lower.

U. S. Supreme Court meets today. Do not look for any important decisions.

Banks now hold \$38,000,000 actual reserves.

House committee on banking and currency will take up the plan of inquiry into the so-called money trust today.

Sentiment in the street is not so overwhelmingly bearish as it has been. Some very good people think that on any special weakness good stocks can be bought.

On the other hand, things might happen that would create some liquidation and it will take that to give us materially lower prices. The market looks like a trading affair.

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FOR MANY YEARS OF SERVICE

Chief Inspector James L. Hughes, of Toronto, who has resigned after thirty-eight years' service in Toronto. He was the oldest public school inspector in any city of service in any city on the American continent.

The New Bruce

The Reid-Newfoundland company's new steamer Bruce has arrived at North Sydney on her first trip. The Sydney record says: "It is safe to say that there is no ship in the world that can do the same work in ice that this vessel can. She is strongly built and is immensely powerful as to engines and steam. If knots, and her taking up of the lead service will mark a new epoch in mid-winter navigation in the Canadian waters. She is 237 feet long, 38 beam and 22 deep, displaces 1300 tons and no expense has been spared on her in any way."

TEACHERS' S. S. CONVENTION.

Plans are now being made for the holding of a Sunday school teachers' convention in this city next week under the auspices of the St. John County association, in three districts, north, south and west. Two of the churches where the convention will meet will be Centenary and Ludlow street west and the north and south streets. The latter church will be the headquarters of the convention.

J. B. T. Caron, J. C. R. solicitor, of Montreal, was in the city today, passing through on the Montreal train.

Ladies' \$3.00 Boots

We are showing this spring a very select array of Boots at this price.

Ladies' Tan Button Boots, high heel, short vamp.

Ladies' Patent Button Boot, plain toe or toe cap, neat creation.

Ladies' Gun Metal Boots, button or lace, high or low heel.

If you are going to wear a \$3.00 or \$3.50 boot this spring select it from our \$3.00 line.

PERCY J. STEEL

Better Footwear

519 Main Street.

"NEW BRUNSWICK'S GREATEST DEPARTMENTAL DRUG STORE"

Why Not Save Money On Medicines?

To save about one-third on the medicines you buy is a mighty big item in the long run and the only drug store in St. John where it is possible to save money is at **WASSON'S**. It will directly affect your purse if you do not keep this name in mind, so remember that anything at all in Drugs, Prescriptions or Patent Medicines cost less at the Anti-High-Price Drug Store.

MIRRORS for reflecting picture post cards upon a curtain, each \$4.00. Also to hire. Call and see them.

WATCH THIS SPACE FOR WEDNESDAY'S SPECIALS

WASSON'S 100 KING STREET

"WHERE GOOD THINGS ARE SOLD"

MILL ENDS. - MILL ENDS

An other splendid lot of **Factory Cotton Mill Ends** 5 to 15 yard ends, 36 to 40 inch wide, selling from about 5 1-2c to 8c yard.

CARLETON'S, Cor. Waterloo and Brussels Sts.

Furniture Sale Drawing to a Close

The annual furniture sale is rapidly drawing to a close. This week we have received a lot of new furniture and will be included in this sale.

\$10.00 MORRIS CHAIRS, reduced to \$7.00

11.50 MORRIS CHAIRS, reduced to 8.50

14.50 MORRIS CHAIRS, reduced to 12.75

26.00 MORRIS CHAIRS, reduced to 22.00

NOTICE—You can select any amount of furniture required for your new home, and have same stored free until June 1, by leaving a deposit.

AMLAND BROS. LTD.

19 Waterloo Street

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Too late for classification

WOMAN'S EXCHANGE
Tea and Lunch Rooms 158 Union Street
For Strictly Home Cooking.
Special Gales 35c Each, Oyster Stew 25c, Cream Stew 20c.
White and Brown Bread.
SPECIAL Lunch
15 to 35 Cents

TO LET—Small flat, 3 rooms. Apply 152 Sewell street. 1282-24.

ROOMS WITH OR WITHOUT BOARD
24 Wellington Row. 1602-26.

BOY WANTED—To learn clothing business. Henderson & Hunt. 217-1f.

TO LET—Upper flat 238 Douglas Ave., Apply afternoons. 1581-2-26.

LOST—Child's Beaver Collar. Finder, kindly leave at Walker's grocery store, King street East. 1586-2-21.

TO LET—Large room top floor 57 Charlotte street. Apply Magee, Limited, 20 Charlotte street. 215-1f.

WANTED—Cook. Apply Salvation Army, Metropole, Prince William St. 1604-3-20.

WANTED—By young lady position as stenographer or office assistant; salary moderate. Apply Box 87, Times office. 1587-3-20.

WANTED—Girl to care for children; good home, 207 Brussels street. 1603-3-20.

WANTED—A plain cook. Apply with references to Mrs. W. E. Foster, 36 Coburg street, City. 219-1f.

WANTED—Position with private dressmaker, experienced. Address Box X, R. 1, 1582-2-25.

TO LET—Self-contained house 138 Duke street, eleven rooms. Can be seen Thursday afternoons. Apply 104 Union street. 216-1f.

FOR SALE—A second-hand Merry-go-round. Apply Messrs. Haley Bros & Co., City. 218-1f.

TO LET—74 St. James street, lower flat. Apply R. N. Dean, on premises. Telephone 712. 172-1f.

FOR SALE—Freehold property, Double tenement house at 178 Water street, West End. Apply on the premises to F. A. Craft. 1593-3-11.

FLAT TO LET—102 Waterloo street, eleven rooms, hot water heating. Seen Thursday and Friday afternoons. Inquire of P. Fitzpatrick. 1587-3-11.

FOUND—Purse containing small sum of money and key. Owner can have same by calling at 183 Carleton street, proving property, and paying for this ad. 1605-2-21.

TO LET—Upper and lower flats corner Wall and Cannon streets. Can be seen Tuesday and Friday afternoons. Inquire 37 Weight street. Phone 1292-21. 1590-2-25.

FLAT TO LET—Corner Rockland Road and Millidge street. Heated and electric light. May be seen Tuesday and Friday afternoons. Apply at store on premises. Phone Main 2253-41. 1-1f.

WANTED—Five or six rooms unfurnished or partially furnished, from May 1st to Oct. 1st, by responsible party. Address X. Y. Z., Times office. 229-1f.

TO LET—From May 1st two flats of house containing 6 and 7 rooms each, all modern conveniences, 123 Rodney street west. Seen Tuesdays and Fridays from 3 to 5. Apply 330 Union street. 1601-2-25.

Tonight—St. David's Y. P. A. literary programme.

DEATHS

DELANEY—In this city, on Feb. 18, Arthur Patrick, eldest son of Arthur and the late Katherine Delaney. Funeral on Tuesday morning at 8.45 from his father's residence, 24 Adelaide street, to St. Peter's church for requiem high mass at 9.

PERSONALS

H. A. Powell, K. C., left last evening for Ottawa on legal business.

D. J. Brown, J. T. Knight and W. J. Sutherland, St. John, and G. H. Slickway, St. Andrews, were registered at the Canadian office in London, Feb. 8.

J. C. Saunders and F. Geerson, of Ottawans are at the Royal Hotel.

Frederick Gleason, Saturday—Mrs. Grace Fleming, of St. John, and Mrs. Gertrude Jones, of Woodstock, are the guests of Mrs. John Harvey. Miss Logan, of St. John, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Stewart Neil.

City Clerk J. W. McCready, of Fredericton, will leave on Tuesday evening for Ottawa where he will attend a convention of the Municipalities Union.

J. E. Wilson, M.P.P., left at noon today for Campbellton.

D. B. Donald returned this morning from Montreal.

H. G. Marr, accompanied by his brother, F. A. Marr, of Halifax, will leave this evening on a visit to New York. They will be away about ten days and will return via Toronto.

PUTTING HIS FOOT IN IT

A local preacher who was in the habit of taking his wife to his preaching appointments said, on arrival at the chapel, "My dear, you go in there; you will be all right. I must go round to the vestry."

In the vestment the wife was met by a kindhearted steward, who, after giving her a hearty welcome and a hymn book, conducted her to a comfortable seat.

At the close of the service the same kind hearted steward gave her a hearty shake of the hand, adding how pleased he would be to see her at the services each Sunday.

Then, whispering, he said: "But, let me tell you, we don't get a duffer like this in the pulpit every Sunday."

Fifteen to twenty thousand people attended a home rule meeting in Trafalgar Square, London, on Saturday, A. C. Bland was among the speakers. Several M.P.'s were on the platform.

The Evening Times and Star

The St. John Evening Times is printed at 27 and 29 Canterbury Street every evening (Sunday excepted) by the St. John Times Printing and Publishing Co., Ltd., a company incorporated under the Joint Stock Companies Act.

AFFAIRS IN CHINA

Yuan Shi Kai has asked Dr. Sun Yat Sen to take his place as president of the Chinese republic. He says that his health is impaired and he desires to retire to his estate.

There is one certainty, however, and it is that in one section of China the horrors of the famine are being felt by two and a half millions of people, and an appeal is being made to the world at large to contribute to their relief.

THE GERMAN DEAD-LOCK

If the story told by the Cologne Gazette is true, a remarkable condition of affairs exists in Germany. After the recent elections the Socialists succeeded in electing one of their number as first vice-president of the Reichstag.

TRIBUTE TO A. B. COPP

In a sketch, with portrait, of Mr. A. B. Copp, leader of the Liberal opposition in New Brunswick, the Canadian Courier has this to say of "the eloquent young fighter from Westmorland county."

THE APPLE INDUSTRY

The Maritime Merchant in an article on the question: Can we overdo the apple industry? refers to the coming growth of orchards in New Brunswick as well as Nova Scotia and makes some observations which the Times comments to all who may be interested in apple growing in New Brunswick, especially those who are about to establish commercial orchards.

apples. The thing that will give permanency to our apple industry will be the reputation for high, uniform quality on all counts. The man who produces the best apple that can be produced and markets it in the most pleasing manner will have to fear nothing from extended developments of archarding—his business will be secure; it will be the survival of the fittest.

A cake of ice in Halifax harbor saved a man from drowning. There is reason to believe it was artificial ice.

Orders have been issued in Toronto to round-up all suspicious characters. These rory towns have a lot of trouble.

Dr. Pugsley's plans of East St. John harbor presented a very attractive appearance on the first page of the Standard this morning.

The present winter will long be remembered as an ideal one for skaters and for sleighing parties. February thus far has been marked by exceptionally fine weather.

When the citizens of St. John can get into a street car at any point in town and ride to East St. John, the street car habit will grow. So will East St. John.

It seems to be the policy of the Borden government to gain time rather than to face a situation with courage and a clearly defined policy.

Sir Daniel Mann says that the Canadian Northern will have a train service from coast to coast in two years. The East St. John terminals cannot be provided too quickly for the Canadian Northern will doubtless do business at this port as soon as its connections and other arrangements can be completed.

The Standard says: "It is firmly believed by all who have gone into the details of the proposed development work, that the new harbor (at Courtenay Bay) will be one of the most up-to-date in the world." The Laurier government did things well.

The Women's Canadian Club pay a high compliment to the aged poet, H. H. Spencer. He will be 84 years old in April, and long for the spring days when he can go forth again into the open air and the sunshine.

Montreal people are showing a considerable interest in St. John. A St. John man remarked on Saturday that a few years hence the citizens of Montreal would be able to make summer as well as winter excursions to railway junction points, to see the long trains of freight cars passing down to this great Canadian port for shipment.

The coal strike which threatens England is a very bad affair. Sir Edward Grey declares it would be a national catastrophe. There is still some doubt as to the attitude of the foreign workers, and the transport workers, but if these join in the strike the tie-up would be complete. The government is giving the subject its most serious attention, but gives no indication as yet of the course it will pursue if the strike is declared. It is fortunate that at this time the relations between Britain and Germany appear to present a more friendly aspect.

Country Life in Canada is severe on the western farmers who are robbing the soil of its fertility by a reckless desire to gain wealth quickly. It says: "The farmers who have come into the Canadian west so far, have stumbled on a lot of wealth deposited near the top of the ground by a beneficent Providence and they have been lifting it out and spending it. They have just been mining the soil. The man who raises forty or fifty bushels of wheat to the acre calls himself an expert agriculturist and goes on year in and year out, regardless of advice or caution, wearing the very heart out of the land by his trust-in-God method of farming."

Some Are Younger at 65 Than Others Are at 40 Years

So many people begin saying "Well, I'm getting old now," about the time they reach 60, and then let themselves act old—and the fact is they could stay young for a long time, in all but years.

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IN LIGHTER VEIN

Little Eva observed a flock of noisy, chattering birds. "Mamma," she said, "I guess they are having a sewing society."

WHICH?

"Mother—if you're very good, Edith, I'll take you to the circus." "Little Girl—Do you really mean it, mother or is it just a promise?"—Life.

SOCIETY DRAMA

"Your play contains too much conversation. You need a hairbrush, toothbrush, and soap."

"What's the matter with the third act?" demanded the dramatist, "where the heroine narrowly escapes being talked to death?"—From the Louisville Courier-Journal.

LESS EXPENSIVE THERE

"We keep our automobile in the garage," said Mrs. Blunderby. "That's where most of us keep our automobiles; returned her caller with an inward smile.—Boston Transcript.

STALE BEN FRUIT

Waiter, (observing diner's dissatisfaction)—Isn't your egg cooked long enough, sir?

Diner—Yes, the trouble is it wasn't cooked soon enough.—Boston Transcript.

PRECOCTIOUS

Distracted Parent—Hushaby baby! Baby—Gwan! Edison says we sleep too much.—New York Sun.

THE GOLDEN RULE

FAY F. CHERIDAN, FUNERAL DIRECTOR AND LICENSED EMBALMER. Our motto is the Golden Rule. Advertisement in the Carroll County Ill. Mirror.

THE PROMISE OF SPRING

The price of coal is going up. The mercury goes down. Pneumonia nips the pampered pup. And zero grips the town.

The chauffeurs chafe their frigid ears. Policemen beat their breasts; Jack Frost beats windowpanes. And birds seek last year's nests; The welkin rings with raucous coughs. All Arctic—the air.

The ground-bog grunts and gaily scoffs. While lingering in his lair. But hope eternal makes us sing. "Hooryay! We're one day nearer spring!" —Thomas B. Chrysalis.

THE AID-NESS OF THINGS

Apple green west and an orange bar. And the crystal eye of a lone, one star. And "Child" take the shears, and cut what you will. Frost tonight—so clear and dead still. —Ed. M. Thomas, in Buffalo News.

Pea green piffle and orange bunk. And the ragged rhyme of one mad or drunk. And this version of this approacher Miss Edith's verse—but we can't sell this. —John D. Wells, in Buffalo News.

Crushed pumpkin down and a lemon squeeze. Child, lend your mother outdoors to freeze. At stuff like this we could never fail, But we'll never dare offer this stuff for sale. —Jed Mortimer Lewis in Houston Post.

Also-bis cheese and a plate of tripe. And the eerie glow of the knowsome fife. Verbs like these make a bosom throb. I hope it won't cause me to lose my job. —Milwaukee Sentinel.

Pale glummed eye and a herd of whang. Dark blue eun and a sore of kang. Wool warped gauge and a blotch of ooz. Bartender, what did you put in the booze? —Cincinnati Inquirer.

A pale pink guess and some nice black ink. And a jonsome star with a glass eye wink. Uh, yah, take the shears, child, and cut up the stuff. It is not clear, but still it's a frost sure enough. —Indianapolis News.

Provable-red east and a half-stewed sigh. Ten-cent ante and a lone jack high. And "Child" go the limit, do what you will. It may please the Harper's man, but still—Nashville Banner.

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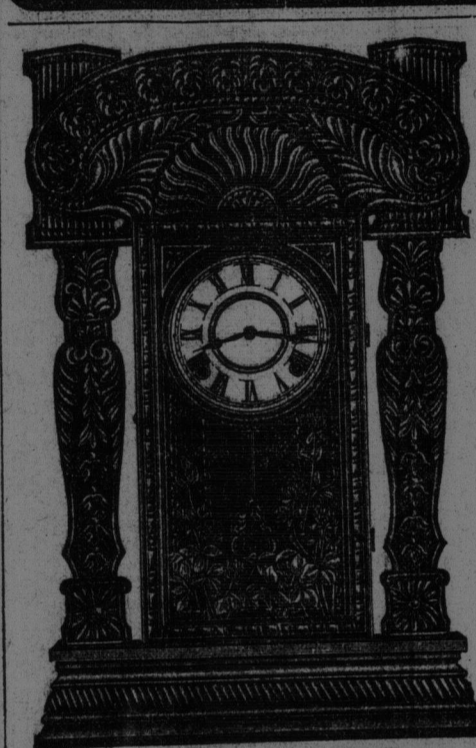
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Clergyman and Family, Footman and Maid to Emigrate to Vancouver Island

London, Feb. 18.—The Rev. R. E. Walker, rector of Frank, with his wife, Lady Emily Walker, his five children, Mr. Potter, the footman, a maid, and Mr. and Mrs. Wicker, two of the villagers, will set off to seek fortune in Vancouver Island early in July. All are to begin a new life—the life of agriculturists—in the far west, and if they were setting out to assist in the discovery of the South Pole they could not have aroused more excitement in this pretty little village.

"It's that Lloyd George who's robbed us of our money," an elderly villager said and later the rector confirmed the statement.

"There are two reasons for my leaving England and the old rectory," he said. "The first is Lloyd George. We are being taxed out of our money, and I see no future in this country. I wish we had left long ago. Here Lady Emily backed up her husband, 'If you make money,' she said, 'Lloyd George runs away with it.'

"But it's not so much us," the rector continued, "there are the children to think of, and they are the second cause of our starting life in a fresh country, for that you see, is what we are going to do. I have no prospects for them here. I have four boys and I want them to have the opportunity of succeeding in the world. It is a difficult thing in this tax-ridden country. The living is a good one, but to not see how I can do the best for my boys with the present and ever-increasing burden of taxation.

"That wonderful country we shall be able to settle down comfortably to, and my boys will have a fine home."

During her ten years in the cosy little rectory Lady Emily has studied the problem of raising chickens, and though he declared, "it is impossible to make them pay over here," she considers that he will do well on the island of Vancouver.

"The rector has not had such luck. His wife was to watch over the pigs, which, unfortunately, were overcome with swine fever, and succumbed. Mr. Walker has never decided whether or not he will practise his clerical duties on Vancouver Island."

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Famous Artist Writes of Royal People Who Have Sat For Him

PEN PICTURE OF POPE PIUS

How Gladstone Had His Portrait Painted—A Royal Table Rapping Seance—Helping a Social Climber up the Ladder

(Times Special Correspondence.)

London, Feb. 9.—Remarkably frank and intimate sidelights are to be thrown on many interesting members of European royalty by H. Jones, the famous portrait painter, in his new book "The Recollections of a Court Painter." The volume is not yet out of the press, but a glimpse of the proof sheets by special permission, shows enough to indicate that the book is destined to cause a sensation when it is published in the near future.

Few men have had more opportunities than Thaddeus to mix familiarly with the great and the almost-great. For thirty years he has been painting the famous portraits hang in most of the royal palaces of Europe. He was on terms of intimacy with the Duke and Duchess of Devonshire, the Duke and Duchess of Cambridge, Charles Stewart Parnell and Gladstone. He painted both the present Pope and his predecessor.

In writing of his first visit to the Duchess of Cambridge, the painter tells of the aged woman's admiration for Gladstone and approval of his home rule bill, and incidentally he indirectly tells the universal hatred of the great statesman by the members of the royal family.

"In 1887," he says, "I was called at St. James's Palace by the Princess Mary of Teck to her august mother and to her sister, and after a short interval I had the honor of an audience with the venerable Duchess of Cambridge then approaching ninety years of age. When H. H. had concluded her inquiries regarding her royal daughter and grandchildren in Florence, she also returned the complimentary question of the moment, Mr. Gladstone's home rule bill, a subject which seemed to interest her greatly. To my surprise, the venerable duchess spoke most admiringly of Mr. Gladstone, being therefore, to my knowledge, the only aristocratic lady of the royal family who did not positively hate that statesman; neither did H. H. share the animosity with which the bill was regarded by the royal family and the Conservative party; on the contrary, she deplored their bitter opposition to the measure.

"Home rule must come some day," said the duchess with emphasis, "and I should rather see it great today than a good grace than grudgingly tomorrow."

Later Thaddeus tells of a table rapping seance at which the present Duke of Devonshire and his parents, the Duke and Duchess of Teck were present.

"It was after dinner," he says, "that I was present for the first time at a table-rapping seance. The Duchess of Devonshire, the Duke and Duchess of Teck, some other guests, Peter Wells and myself. We all sat round the great mahogany dining-table, which it would probably have taken half a dozen men to move about, and we commenced the seance in quiet conversation. The table began to quiver slightly, the movements increasing gradually until it began to sway in quick convulsive jerks, such as no human power could produce, with so heavy a weight. Several questions were asked and answered by the number of jerks, the movements becoming so violent at last that we were obliged to rise from the table, still keeping our hands in place, and follow its jumping progress around the room."

"Suddenly it lurched in Princess Mary's direction, who got entangled in her gown, tripped and fell, with the edge of her massive table upon her. Most fortunately she was not hurt, although it took our united strength to raise the table to its center leg again."

When Gladstone Passed

When Gladstone sat, or rather stood, for his portrait, Mr. Thaddeus found that the best way of keeping the statesman's attention fixed was to hang the picture of a beautiful woman in his line of gaze.

He came at ten o'clock accompanied by Mrs. Gladstone, who whispered to me as she entered, "Above all things, my dear, agree with him in everything he says."

It was aware that Mr. Gladstone had an irascible temper, easily aroused by those who differed with him, and gratefully accepted the advice. Mr. Gladstone consoled me somewhat for the wait of forty sittings by saying that he would remain there until he had already prepared my canvas with a rough presentation, having decided the pose of the head from my studies; consequently the color was wet and the proportions more or less correct when I commenced operations. By twelve o'clock the head was practically finished, and the next difficulty was the hands which could not possibly be painted in the time at my disposal. I asked Mr. Gladstone to take a natural attitude, one customary to him when addressing the house.

"After thinking a moment he placed his right hand in the breast of his frock-coat, only the wrist being visible; and then, to my supreme joy, put his left hand behind his back, thus solving my difficulty entirely."

"Mr. Gladstone had a keen eye for a pretty face, and I really think he forgot the fatigue of standing, in his rapt contemplation of the head of a very beautiful woman which I judiciously hung on the wall in his line of vision, and which he never ceased admiring."

Pope Pius

A portrait painter has special opportunities and often special gifts for estimating the characters of the men and women whose faces he studies. Thaddeus never forgets to tell the judgments which he formed of his clients, and particular interest attaches to the following sketch which he gives of His Holiness Pius XII.

"To build the Pope is a short and quick set, with heavy limbs, which causes him to walk rather awkwardly. His face marked with the wholesome creases of a peasant, was a dull olive in tone.

"Far from being Italian in type, it bore the impress of a purely Teutonic origin. The hands of His Holiness, singularly large and powerful, are not unlike those of a farm laborer, accustomed to heavy work.

"Physically he is as unlike Pope Leo XIII. as Cromwell was unlike Richard Leo. Leo gave one the impression of intellectual dignity and austerity, whilst the characteristics of Pius X. are homely benevolence and simple religion.

"To expose the face is sad, almost stern; but when it lights up with a pleasant smile, the radiance of the expression obliterates all traces of sadness, and beautifies the actual plainness of the features.

"I understood later that the set stern expression was contemporary with his responsibilities, and that he accepted so willingly, and found such a heavy burden

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We suggest an early inspection of these charming spring styles as now is the time to leisurely study the delightful models and choose the most becoming for your own.

The coats are semi-fitting, some with cut-away fronts, fur cuffs and pockets. The skirts are wider than last season and with both regulation and high waist lines; plain, satin braid, and button trimmed—a few skirts have insets with stripes running across.

Costumes in Novelty Stripe Suitings, grey with black stripe, grey with white stripe, fawn with brown stripe, black with white hair line stripe.

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Prices of all Costumes in this exhibit range from \$13.75 to \$35.00

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At The February Sale—There Are Still Decided Bargains in Men's Suits, Boys' Two and Three-Piece Suits and Boys' Pants

There are still plenty of opportunities to choose wisely and save much money this sale. The time to profit though is growing less with each day, so better come at once if you have garments to purchase. Read the following bargains carefully.

- MEN'S SUITS**, in all this season's patterned Cheviots, Saxons, Worsted, Tweeds; decidedly fashionable fabrics in browns, greys, greens, affording a variety of effects in stripes, checks and mixtures.
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 - 15.00 to 16.50 Suits, Sale price 13.50
 - 17.50 to 19.00 Suits, Sale price 15.00
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- Boys' Two-Piece Suits**, in grey and brown Tweeds; Bloomer pants with neat stripes. Ages 8 to 12 years. Sale price \$2.60.
- Boys' Two-Piece Suits**, in good serviceable Tweeds, medium and dark shades, browns, greys, greens; in stripes, mixtures and checks. Double-breasted coats; Straight or Bloomer pants. Ages 6 to 16 years. Sale price \$3.75.
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- Boys' Three-Piece Suits**, in Tweeds and Worsted, strong wearing fabrics in medium and light shades of greys and browns in stripe effects; double-breasted coats, Bloomer pants. Ages 13 to 16 years. Sale price \$3.75.
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IN HONOR OF HIS WORK IN CANADA

Handsome gold casket containing the freedom of the city of London, presented to Earl Grey, late governor-general of Canada, on the occasion of the banquet given in the Guild Hall in London. On the top is a figure of Britannia, and on the end are figures symbolical of mining and agriculture, which were assumed by the London designers to be chief industries of Canada.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS —AND— REAL ESTATE NEWS —ON— PAGES 6 AND 7

"When I arrived in Homburg I noticed at the springs a lady generally walking alone, sometimes accompanied by a small child. Her attractive figure and sparkling eyes riveted my attention, but as no one seemed to know her—certainly none of my friends—perforce I had to find an occasion for myself to speak to the charming stranger.

"The occasion arose, and I discovered that my new friend hailed from New York, her husband was with her at Homburg, but he was of a retiring disposition and kept in the background. As they knew no one, she did not find the sojourn agreeable. Such in short was the tale unfolded as we sat under the trees.

"I later met her husband (a very rough diamond, indeed), who had transformed his original name into that of a well-known family in New York, which it somewhat resembled. It is unnecessary to say that no change of name could alter the ancestral character of his features. He had amassed considerable wealth in America, and was thinking of settling near Frankfurt, the birthplace of his parents.

"The fair lady easily prevailed on me to introduce her to several of my titled friends (she seemed to have quite a passion for titles) and then, mounting higher, confided to me that the one ambition of her life was to obtain the honor of being presented to the Duke of Cambridge.

"Not being sufficiently intimate with H. H. to present her myself, it occurred to me that Sir George Wombwell, with his usual good nature, would be the very person to do so; accordingly, as I have mentioned, I made him acquainted with my fair friend, and from that moment I noticed that the selective smiles previously reserved for my benefit were now exclusively employed on Sir George.

"It was arranged for the following morning that Sir George, meeting the sister at

The Airtight Package Keeps Tea Good.

RED ROSE TEA "is good tea"

THE TIMES AND STAR CLASSIFIED PAGE

Want Ads. on This Page Will be Read by More People Than in Any Paper in Eastern Canada.

PHONE

Your Ad. to Main 2417 Before 2.30 p.m. And it will appear the same day.

WHERE ARE YOU GOING TO LIVE AFTER MAY 1?

Here's a Long List of Houses and Flats in St. John, Which are Open For Your Inspection and Selection.

TO LET—House North street, second floor from Mill street, contains two flats and shop, formerly kept by late Mrs. Nugent as boarding house. Apply Felix McElroy, 47 St. David street, City. 1482-2-26.

TO LET—Modern flat from May 1st; rent \$200 (occupied by E. A. Kline, Esq.); 181 Queen street, seen Tuesday and Friday afternoons. S. B. Bustin, 62 Princess street. 294-4f.
TO LET—Modern flat from May 1st; rent \$250 (occupied by E. O. Ellis, Esq.); 181 Queen street, seen Tuesday and Friday afternoons. S. B. Bustin, 62 Princess street. 294-4f.
TO LET—Flat of seven rooms; may be seen Tuesday and Thursday afternoons. Apply 29 St. Paul street. 1482-2-23.
TO LET—Small flat, 3 rooms. Apply Sewall street. 1392-2-24.
TO LET—Self-contained flat, five rooms, \$120 a month; seen Tuesdays and Fridays, Sparks, 194 Queen street. 1429-2-21.
TO LET—Two self-contained flats, with modern improvements, corner Charlotte and Ludlow streets, Carleton. Apply to Louis Green, King street. 1462-2-22.
TO LET—Flat 206 Douglas Ave., inquire on premises. 190-4f.
TO LET—Flat, inquire at 79 Hazen St. 171-4f.
SEVERAL NEW FLATS for rent by May 1st. Patent closets, \$8-10. Baths and Electric light, \$11-14. Apply Arthur Walker, 112 1/2 Harrison street. 1392-2-21.
FLAT TO LET—Lower flat at 48 Summer street containing 7 rooms and bathroom, hot and cold water. Modern improvements. Seen Monday and Friday from 3 to 5. For particulars, Apply Miss Magno, 60 Summer street. 184-4f.
TO LET—Upper flat, 7 rooms and bath, electric lighting. Apply F. E. Watters, 98 Wright street. 180-4f.
TO LET—House 191 Union street, 8 rooms and bath room. Seen Tuesday and Thursdays, 3 to 5. Apply to W. T. Bell. 175-4f.
TO LET—74 St. James street, lower flat. Apply R. W. Dean, on premises. 172-4f.
TO LET—Self-contained house, Dorchester street, 7 rooms, hot and cold water, Apply 115 Charlotte street. 170-4f.
TO LET—In the new building corner Union and Brussels street five apartments, heated, electric lights and gas stove, each apartment contains a parlor, three bedrooms, dining room, kitchen, scullery and bathroom. These apartments are the newest, most modern and brightest in the city. They will be open for inspection on Feb. 18th. Apply to H. McCullough, Rooms 12, 71 Dock street. Phone 500. 1292-2-22.
TO LET—Four rooms, including kitchen and lower flat, 75 Sewall street. Apply on premises. 152-4f.
FLAT TO LET—Small furnished flat of four rooms, West Main. Phone W. 20. 163-4f.
TO LET—Self contained flat with modern improvements, corner Charlotte and Ludlow streets, Carleton. Apply Louis Green's, King street, City. 1053-3-10.
FLAT TO LET—102 Princess street. Apply to 2 Barkers, Ltd., 160 Princess street. 146-4f.
TO LET—From list of May the self-contained Brick House No. 122 King street East. For particulars apply to John S. Hall, 120 King street East. 577-2-20.
FLATS TO LET—Apply to W. Humphreys, 116 St. James street, City. 1102-3-5.
TO LET—Two flats, 69 Elliott Row; for particulars apply J. E. Dean, 100 Prince street. 132-4f.
TWO FLATS—Six and seven rooms, 138 Elliott Row; modern improvements; seen Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Apply Mrs. Lennon, 184 Duke street, west, or phone West 45. 1450-2-22.
TO LET—Flat 7 rooms and bath. Hot and cold water, open plumbing, 140 Waterloo street. Enquire Edward Hogan, Phone 1537. 187-4f.

STERLING REALTY, LIMITED.

Two flats at 75 Metcalf street; rent \$40.00 and \$30.00 monthly.
Flats at 264 Duke street, West; rent \$8.00 and \$9.00 monthly.
Cottage at 294 Victoria street; rent \$8.00 monthly.
Upper Flats 114 and 116 Lancaster street, West; rent \$7.50 monthly.
Lower Flat 88 Emmouth street; rent \$12.00 monthly.
Cottage 3 St. Davids street; rent \$9.50 monthly.
Flats 108 St. Patrick street; rent \$7.00 and \$8.00 monthly.
Four Flats, 17 St. Andrews street; rent \$8.00 to \$9.50 monthly.
Two Flats, 120 Victoria street; rent \$10.50 monthly.
Flats 181 and 183 Brussels street; rent \$14.00 monthly.
Upper Flat 317 King street, West; rent \$7.00 monthly.
Basement Flat 102 Metcalf; rent \$8.00 monthly.
Inspection Wednesday and Friday afternoons.
Buildings Bought and Sold.
Apply to JAMES W. MORRISON, 85 1/2 Prince Wm. Street. Phone 1813-31. STEPHEN B. BUSTIN, SOLICITOR, 62 PRINCESS ST.

COAL AND WOOD

SALVATION ARMY WOOD YARD - Dry kindling wood, 8 barrels for \$1.30, delivered. Phone Main 1861. 1549-2-24.

SYDNEY and other good soft coal at \$5 a ton up. James S. McGivern, 5 Mill street. Telephone 42.
SCOTCH AND AMERICAN Anthracite, Broad Cove and Reserve Spiny soft. Orders promptly attended to. T. M. Wiggins & Co., 321 Brussels. Phone Main 1027.

ENGRAVERS

F. C. WESLEY & CO., Artists and Engravers, 39 Water street. Telephone 862.

IRON FOUNDERS

UNION FOUNDRY AND MACHINE Works, Limited, George H. Waring, manager, West St. John, N. B. Engineers and Machinists, Iron and Brass Founders.

HAIRDRESSING

MRS. N. McGRATH, 124 Charlotte street (New York Graduate), Hairdressing, Manicuring, Shampooing, Facial Massage and Soils, etc. (Electrical Hair Work Speciality). Phone 1414-31. 365-13 Apply Ashkin's, 221 Union street.

MR. ADVERTISER

The Circulation of the Evening Times For Each Day of last week was as follows:-

Table showing circulation of Evening Times for each day of last week: Feb. 12 Monday (11,106), 13 Tuesday (11,215), 14 Wednesday (11,211), 15 Thursday (11,400), 16 Friday (11,116), 17 Saturday (11,697). Week's Total - 67,745. Average Daily - 11,290.

Mr. Advertiser—If your Ad. isn't in the Times to-day, hadn't you better call, write, or telephone? Think it over.

WANTED

WANTED—An assistant book-keeper (Lady), one willing to give instruction on sewing machine. Apply P. O. Box 206. 177-4f.

WANTED—People to buy Griz. Griz comes in 1 lb. bags and cost only 25c a bag. It makes Porridge, Pancakes, etc. See recipes on the bag. 192-4f.
WANTED—First class Coat Makers, constant employment. A. Gilmore, 60 King street. 192-4f.
WANTED TO RENT—Small flat, modern conveniences, electric light, central, professional mass, married, no children. Apply P. O. Box 333. 150-4f.
WANTED—Experienced floor manager for one of the finest dancing clubs in the city. Apply stating salary to Box 73, care Times. 145-4f.
SELF-CONTAINED House or Flat wanted with lawn or yard, situated before May 1. H. E. T. Tinsley, 47-4f.
FIRST OF MAY—A centrally located up-to-date flat or house, self-contained, with eight or nine rooms, with garage—but must be heating preferred (no basement). Address A. A. care Times. 673.
WANTED—60 men and boys for free shave and haircut; first class barber done by H. J. Grange, Barber College, 734 Main street. 1700-4f.
COOK WANTED—One of references, 60 Colony street. 1287-4f.

WANTED—MALE HELP

BOY WANTED—Boy to learn the shoe and clothing business. E. B. Pidgeon, corner Main and Bridge streets. 1382-3-26.

WANTED—One who has had some experience preferred. Apply Patterson & Co., Printers, Germain street. 201-4f.
WANTED—One first-class man for straight moulder. Good wages and steady work to the right man. Apply to Kin Bros., Ltd., Fairville. 1373-2-20.
WANTED—Hustling, accurate warehouse man for wholesale shoe firm in Western Canada. Salary \$10.00 per week. Apply stating age, experience and reference to Warehouse, care Times Office. 1397-2-20.
BOYS WANTED—Smart Boys 16 to 19 years of age for work in factory. Apply T. S. Simms & Co. 174-4f.
WANTED—2 Boys about 15 years old. References required. McRobbie Shoe Company, 94 King street. 167-4f.
WANTED—One Baker (must be steady man). T. Rankine & Sons, Limited, Biscuit Manufacturers. 194-4f.
WANTED—A reliable young man capable of giving instructions; constant and chance to advance. References required. Apply P. O. Box 165, City. 180-4f.
AT ONCE—Men wanted to learn Barber's trade; free instructions; constant practice; tools free; always sure employment for a barber; write for particulars. H. J. Grange, Barber College, 734 Main street, Corner Mill street, St. John, N. B. 1393-4f.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

WANTED—Girl for kitchen work and plain cooking, 27 Dorchester street. 1373-2-20.

WANTED—Scamstress to help with plain sewing. Apply 391 Union street. 1578-2-20.
WANTED—A maid for general housework; references required. Apply to Mrs. Keator, 187 King street east. 1-wk.
WANTED—Maid for general housework, references required. Mrs. Robinson, 18 Wellington Row. 1389-2-20.
GIRLS WANTED—Operators, good pay. Apply Goldman Bros., Opera House 3rd floor. 1332-2-24.
WANTED—At once, an experienced saleslady. Address Box M. C. care Times. 208-4f.
WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply to Mrs. R. N. M. Robertson, 74 Mecklenburg street, at once. 1382-2-21.
WANTED—First Class General Servant, light Row. 192-4f.
GENERAL GIRLS, cooks and housemaids always get best places and highest pay at Women's Exchange, 158 Union street. 1472-2-22.
WANTED—Two or three smart girls for factory work. T. Rankine & Sons, Limited, Biscuit Manufacturers. 194-4f.
WANTED—A good plain cook; no washing. Apply Mrs. F. P. Starr, 51 Carleton street. 88-4f.
WANTED—A dining room girl. Apply Winter Port Restaurant, West Side 1714.

SUBURBAN COTTAGES TO LET

TO LET—Ingledele, N. B., new cottage, seven rooms. Hot and cold water, set range, garden, plenty of milk, cream, butter and eggs delivered at the door a fine view. Telephone connection. E. Rowe. 156-4f.

TO RENT—By the year, Cottage at Hampton, occupied by Mr. Fielding. Inquire on premises. 106-4f.
TO LET—Self-contained cottage with modern improvements; electric lights and bath; situated on Dune Ave., Lancaster Heights, opposite Tilton's corner. Also upper cottage flat with modern improvements, electric lights and bath. Apply to Geo. Maxwell, Lancaster Heights, St. John West. 1472-2-22.
HOUSES at Onnetate and Westfield To Let. Apply C F Inches. 128-4f.
TO LET—Large stable, five stalls, one bay stall and carriage house, rear 53 Elliott Row. Apply L. Boyaner, 38 Dock street. 1523-2-20.
TO LET—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Apply 331 City Road. 109-4f.

FOUND

FOUND—A sum of money. Owner can have by writing to T. F. Times office. 23-2-20.

WANTED TO PURCHASE

WANTED—To purchase Gentlemen's cut-off clothing, footwear, for coats, sweaters, diamonds, musical instruments, cameras, bicycles, guns, revolvers, tools, kates, etc. Call or write H. Gilbert, 24 Mill street. Phone Main 2262-11.

A Few of the Bargains for Saturday and Monday at the 2 Barkers Ltd

100 Princess St., 448 Main St., 111 Brussels St. and 248 King St. West
2 Packages Jelly Powder, 25c.
3 Bottles Mixed Pickles, 25c.
2 Bottles Worcester Sauce, 25c.
1 lb. Regular 40c Tea, 25c.
2 Packages Malta Vita, 25c.
8 Bars Barkers' Soap, 25c.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—New Silk Parlor Suite, Solid Mahogany Dining Suite, consisting of Dining Table, 6 chairs, Sideboard, Heavy Mahogany Marble Top Bedroom Suite, 1 Mahogany Sewing Table, 1 Mahogany Hall Table, marble top; 1 Mahogany Den Table, 1 Mahogany Rocking Chair, 1 Singer Sewing Machine, 1 English Baby Carriage, 1 English High Chair, 4 Brussels Carpets, 1 Brussels Stair Carpet and Rug, 1 Mahogany 5 O'Clock Tea Table, 1 Mahogany Child's Folding Cot. Address, Box 47, care of Telegraph. 211-4f.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS

IMPROVED RAYMOND Latest and Best Sewing Machines

Sold direct from our store to customers without the aid of canvassers at a saving of \$10.00 or more to customers.

STOVES

GOOD LINE of Second Hand Stoves, well repaired, will sell cheap; also new stoves of all kinds. 155 Brussels street. Phone 1488-11. E. Milley.

MONEY TO LOAN

MONEY TO LOAN on satisfactory security. Stephen B. Bustin, Barrister, 62 Princess street. 293-4f.

SEWING

SHIRT WAIST MAKING, 123 B'n Street. 1410-2-28.

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The Montreal Express leaves Halifax week days at 8 a. m., St. John at 5.55 p. m., week days and Sundays. Due Montreal 8.30 a. m. THROUGH WITHOUT CHANGE Fast Express Trains for Boston leave St. John 6.45 a. m. and 6.40 p. m. daily except Sunday.

By Order of The Common Council of The City of Saint John

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that a Bill will be presented for enactment, the next Session of the Provincial Legislature, the object of which is to empower the City of Saint John, from time to time as it may deem it expedient to appropriate any poles or other structure within said City used for carrying Electric wire and cables, and also to empower the said City to place conduits underneath streets or sidewalks for carrying electric wires and cables, and to charge rental for the use of the same. HERBERT E. WARDROPER, Common Clerk.

RATES

One cent a word, single insertion; Discount of 33 1/3 per cent. on Advs. running one week or more. If paid in advance—Minimum charge, 25c.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Cheap, baby's sleigh; almost as good as new. Apply 146 Mecklenburg street. 1852-2-20.

FOR SALE—A late model Underwood Typewriter, in fine condition. A bargain. Address "M. D.", Times Office. 1430-2-21.
FOR SALE—Cabinet, (Mahogany) oak Hall Tree, Hair Cloth Rockers (Walnut). Apply 74 Camden street. 1392-2-20.
FOR SALE—New double bed, 79 Broad street. 1370-2-20.
FOR SALE—One Rosewood Roller Top Desk, \$17.00; 2 wardrobes, \$7.00 and \$10.00 each; 7 piece hair cloth parlor suit, \$15.00; 2 sideboards, \$7.00 and \$12.00 each. At McGrath's Furniture, Toy and Department Stores, 170, 172 and 174 Brussels street, St. John, N. B.
HOUSEHOLD BUG-KILLER—Eureka Cyclone Bug death, guaranteed to kill all kinds of bugs 1/2 pint can with sprayer. 25c—Colwell Bros., 61-63 Peters street. 89-4f.
FOR SALE—Eight Oak Dining Chairs, Leather bottoms, 1 sideboard, 1 extension dining table, 1 wardrobe, all in good order at a bargain. Address Box D, W. Times office. 1302-4f.

AGENTS WANTED

AGENTS—The Yellow Collar Lock, every wearer of close collars buys it on sight. Sewer collars, scarf, time and temper. The Continental Agency, Montreal, Que. 1034-3-6.

AGENTS WANTED

AGENTS WANTED—We have an unusual premium proposition, every patron will be interested. No outlay necessary. Apply B. C. I. Co., Ltd., 228 Albert street, Ottawa, Ont. 1852-2-20.

AGENTS WANTED—A line for every home. Write us for our choice list of agents supplies. We have the greatest agency proposition in Canada today. No outlay, necessary. Apply B. C. I. Co., 228 Albert street, Ottawa. 1234-4f.
AGENTS—100 per cent. profit. Brand's Automatic Razor Shaver automatically sharpens any razor in the world. Big seller. Every man wants one. Retailers Advertisers in leading magazines. Write quick for terms. N. E. BRANDT CUTLERY CO., 42 Hudson street, N. Y. 15-24.
YOU—YOU'RE THE MAN TO SUCCEED. You can make more money handling the improved 1912 "RADIOLITE" lamp burner. Its demand is everywhere. Used on common lamp and gives beautiful large white light. Steady, brilliant and ready. Handsomely nickel plated, simple, durable. Sold exclusively through agents who make wonderful success out of their territory. Haberdashery (New Mex.) wires: "Rush 6,000 burners by freight, gross by express." Has profit \$2.00. Burdick (Conn.), averages two gross weekly, profit 887. Written guarantee accompanies every burner. Sample outfit 50c, postpaid, will start you right. Remember—satisfaction guaranteed. A trial will convince you. Great White Light Co., U. Windsor, Canada. 1517-2-19.

ESCAPES ASSASSINATION.

A determined attempt was made at midnight to assassinate Chap-Burton, of the municipality of Chap-Burton. His assailants threw three bombs, none of which, fortunately, took effect. The assassins succeeded in escaping in the confusion.

EVERY DAY CLUB

Sons of England Band Play and Address is Given by Postmaster Sears

The Sons of England brass band played six selections at the Every Day Club last evening, and the new musical organization delighted an audience which crowded the hall beyond its seating capacity. There were three marches and three hymns with three instrumental pieces. The band played softly and without the drums, and the music was well received. The speaker, Postmaster Sears, delivered a very thoughtful and earnest address. Beginning with a reference to the war which abolished slavery in the United States, and the rapid development of the South since then, he passed on to speak of the marvelous change in China, and referred also to Spanish America, and to Russia.

IN THE CHURCHES

The forty-eighth anniversary church service of the Knights of Pythias held in Centenary Methodist church yesterday afternoon was an interesting and impressive. The attendance was large the different branches of the local knights being well represented. The service was presided over by Rev. H. R. Read, of Carlton Wesleyan church, a member of the order. Rev. D. Sanders and Rev. Mr. May took a leading part in the devotional exercises. A pleasing feature in connection with the service was the singing of the congregation which was led by a choir of 100 selected male voices from A. Chip Ritchie as leader. Speeches were also made by Charles A. Munro and the Pythian quartette. Dr. Arnold Fox presided at the organ. The net proceeds realized from the offertory are to be given to the Protestant Orphan Home.

The vote on church union was closed in city churches yesterday. In St. Mark's the vote was 125 to eight, and in the Armenian street church, fifty-nine to thirty-five, both churches voting against union.

In Centenary church yesterday morning Rev. D. Sanders gave a strong appeal in behalf of church union, taking as his text, "What They All May Be One."

C. P. R. Appointment Montreal, Feb. 18—George Hodje has been appointed general superintendent of the eastern division of the C. P. R., in succession to F. P. Guelius, who has been chosen to investigate the construction of the National Transcontinental Railway.

Mr. Hodje is a Montserrat by birth and is thirty-eight years of age. He entered the employment of the C. P. R. as junior clerk in the passenger department in March 1890. Since March of last year he has been superintendent of the Ontario division at London.

ONLY THING THAT DID Dealer: "Look here! That bill for that car I sold you has been running for six years now."

They keep the whole system in the pink of condition.

Their singular curative properties discovered by an Indian tribesman introduced to civilization nearly a century ago—compounded since 1857 in the Comstock Laboratories at Brockville, Ontario.

Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills have a remarkable record for consistently curing constipation, biliousness and indigestion, purifying the blood, banishing headaches and clearing the skin. 25c. a box everywhere.

SUNDAY LECTURES

Able Addresses by Rev. Dr. O'Reilly and J. Louis Slattery

One of the largest lecture gatherings ever in the St. Malachi's Hall, assembled last evening and listened with pleasure to an inspiring and instructive lecture by Rev. Dr. O'Reilly, on "Winston Churchill." More than 800 people attended, and the reception accorded the speaker was enthusiastic. Throughout his discourse he was frequently interrupted with outbursts of applause, and when he concluded with a brilliant peroration on the future of Ireland and the gaining of home rule, the whole assembly rose in a spontaneous outburst of applause and cheers.

Joseph Lewis, president of the Y. M. C. A., of St. Joseph, presided, and made a pleasing introductory speech, and also tendered the reverend lecturer at the close of his address, a hearty vote of thanks, moved by W. J. Magre, and seconded by E. J. Moran.

Doctor O'Reilly treated of Churchill as a member of one of the most distinguished families of England, a son of Lord Randolph Churchill. He referred to his career in the British army, as a brilliant writer, as home secretary under the Asquith government, as first lord of the admiralty and reformer of the British navy, and to his success as a home rule statesman.

The speaker said he believed that one-half of the Orangemen in Ulster were really Home Rulers or Nationalists at heart, but through the intervention of foreign money, mainly for political purposes, displayed an interest against home rule. He said that Churchill had done more in some respects for Ireland than had Gladstone, and had shown more courage than O'Connell. He paid a tribute to John MacNeill, the political writer, and to William O'Brien, though he said he regretted that the latter at present had separated from the party.

If Churchill could be congratulated on capturing Belfast, said Dr. O'Reilly, then the National party under John Redmond must be congratulated upon capturing Churchill. He spoke of the "Black and White" of the Irish nationalist in Belfast, and said that he believed that they could furnish a Napoleon to the Irish party in capturing the hitherto Unionist city of Belfast.

The speaker concluded after reading extracts from Churchill's speech setting forth the desirability of home rule. He said that Churchill had carried the campaign to such a point that it would be impossible for the government to shelve the issue, and Ireland before long would become one of the happiest centres of the empire, at peace with the colonies and at peace with herself, strong in her allegiance to Britain, and prospering more than ever in good, wise government.

The lecture last evening in the course conducted by the C. M. B. A. Branch 124 was delivered by J. Louis Slattery, of the Standard writing staff, who dealt with "Literary Lights of the Victorian Era," referring particularly to the lives of Longfellow and Tennyson, their career as poets and as men.

He analyzed critically some of their best works, and rendered citations from several of them. The lecture was heartily enjoyed by a large audience, and a hearty vote of thanks moved by F. J. Casey and seconded by H. Bridger, was tendered to the speaker at the close by the chairman, R. J. Walsh, grand deputy, who presided.

POPE HAS REGAINED EXCELLENT HEALTH His Holiness Never so Active as in the Last Few Weeks After the Consistory

Rome, Feb. 18—The Pope has completely recovered from the slight indisposition which he has suffered from since his elevation to the papal throne. He is now enjoying excellent health, as is proved by the fact that he is able to participate in his simple but abundant meals with the greatest relish. A marked change for the better, is distinctly noticeable in the Holy Father's appearance, and his customary charming good humor, the absence of which had been one of the most striking symptoms of his illness, has now completely returned.

Since his elevation to the papal throne, Pius X. has never before so used during the last six weeks. The consistory has taken a load off his mind, as he had long felt that it was necessary to reorganize the Sacred College to fill the gaps left in its ranks, and to leave it in full working order, should that august body be called upon to elect his successor. All this has been accomplished and Pius X. feels correspondingly relieved.

RECENT DEATHS M. D. Butler, a former resident of Queens county, died yesterday at his home in Medford, Mass. He is an uncle of Captain H. V. Butler, signal master at the customs house. His sister, Mrs. Matilda Reese, is at present visiting Mrs. J. B. Granville here.

LEADING NEW YORK POLITICIANS DRAGGED INTO THE BRANDT CASE



Some leading New York politicians are expected to figure in the case of Foulke E. Brandt, former valet of W. Murphy, leader of Tammany Hall, in relation to a report that Tammany was opposed to a pardon for Brandt. Former Inspector of Police McLaughlin forgets all about the case. Several witnesses, including C. P. Williams, Carl B. Sampson and Mrs. Augusta E. Johnson, all testify to the honesty of Brandt.

Developments add to real estate interest. The Welland Canal. The intimation that the revised plan for the Courtenay Bay work will place the breakwater further out towards Red Head, than was shown in the plans has added to the interest in property further around the bay. It is believed "that the big cost that the Municipal house will be needed eventually for harbor works. The rumor that another railway is seeking entrance to Courtenay Bay around that place has also served to make investments in that quarter more attractive.

An increasing number of people are joining the ranks of those who are selling to place their property on the market at a reasonable price, realizing that it is better to profit by the present upward trend of the market and either turn over their property at a reasonable advance or make a little ready money by giving an option which may not be taken up than to let the opportunity pass without profit.

The Asquito Soap Co. Ltd. have sold their large building on the corner of Hill street and the present upward trend of the market and either turn over their property at a reasonable advance or make a little ready money by giving an option which may not be taken up than to let the opportunity pass without profit.

W. F. Hage has secured an option on the Haganah-McGrath farm in East St. John, adjoining the Davidson farm. The property is about five acres and the price is said to be \$15,000.

THE STREET RAILWAY H. M. Hopper, general manager, and F. R. Sayre, one of the directors of the St. John Railway Co., Ltd., who were sent to Ottawa for the purpose of securing an amendment of the conditions under which the company would be allowed to cross the I. C. R. tracks at Haymarket Square for the extension into the city, returned yesterday and expressed themselves as very well satisfied with the result of their visit.

At her hotel the bride received reporters and told them the story of her wedding. With Mr. Also she had gone but for an afternoon stroll, it having been planned that their wedding should take place at a later date. He had decided, however, that they might avoid notoriety if their wedding occurred without any display.

With this in view he telephoned to his sons to meet him at four o'clock in the afternoon at a Broadway restaurant. There he suggested to his fiancée that they get married at once. She agreed and the license was made in taxicabs to the marriage license bureau and to Trinity church. At nine o'clock in the evening Mrs. Al. Doan, bridegroom's two sons, Harold P. A. Also and Edward Halsey Also, Harvard students, and his nephews, Jesse D. Also, son of Rev. Dr. Jesse F. Also, of Brooklyn, were guests, the bride returned to her mother, Mrs. John J. Hill, and the bridegroom adjourned to his own hotel, where he continued the wedding festivities until late into the night.

In this he was assisted by his sons and Doan's Kidney Pills Are the Best Remedy in the World FOR BACKACHE.

Many people fail to understand the significance of a lame, weak, sore or aching back. You overtax the kidneys—give them more work than they can possibly do—then they cry out in protest through the pain in the back.

Backache is simply kidneyache and the best remedy in the world for backache and all kidney troubles is Doan's Kidney Pills. I have thousands of testimonials from all quarters of the globe to prove this. Here is one from a party who used them in England, but who is now a resident of Canada.

Mr. P. R. Cianville, Wyndford, B. C. writes:—"When living in the 'Old Country,' three years ago, I suffered severely from pains in the back, and had to give up work. The pain was so bad that when I stooped down to pick anything up, I felt my back must break. I tried all sorts of remedies and several doctors, but all to no purpose. One day I read of Doan's Kidney Pills, and thought I might as well try them, and to my surprise, before I was half through one box the backache had entirely disappeared, and it has not caused me any trouble since. I always keep 'Doan's' in the house and shall always recommend them to all sufferers."

Price 50 cents per box, or 3 boxes for \$1.25, at all dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of the T. M. Millburn Co. Limited, Toronto, Ont. When ordering direct specify "Doan's." Masonry

Chas. Borden EAGLE BRAND CONDENSED MILK Has nourished three generations of babies, and started them on the road to a healthy maturity. W.M. H. DUNN, Agent. Some Quick Selling Cold Weather Specialties. Melrose Cream Chewing Bar, Ice Cream Bar, Buttercups Parasol, Cocoa, Coffee, Glazed Cocoa Bon Bon, Etc., Penny Cakes brought from us all afford you the same profit—we have not raised our price. Emery Bros., - 82 Germain St.

NOTED PAINTER HAD STRUGGLE TO CLIMB

Altman's Work on Piece of Wrapping Paper While Erand Boy Gave Him Start

Paris, Feb. 18—As M. Alexandra Altman, an impressionist painter, who was once an erand boy, stood surrounded by critics, connoisseurs, elegant people of Paris, and wealthy patrons at the exhibition of his pictures in the Devaux Gallery here, he must have thought, with some bitterness, of the gloomy hours he spent before the easel, and the struggle he had to climb to reach the position he now occupies. M. Altman was born in 1882 in a village near Kieff. At the age of nine he was sent to school in Paris, where he found a teacher who was a grocer's errand boy at Odessa at \$175 a month. He was a student of the Ecole des Beaux-Arts, and then a customer discovered some of his work on a piece of paper in which he had written the name of the artist. At last Altman reached Paris, poor and friendless. He nourished his soul on the masterpieces in the Louvre, and earned meals by working as a kitchen scullion.

MORNING LOCALS

Rev. L. A. McLean delivered an address at the temperance meeting held in the Seaman's Institute on Saturday evening under the auspices of W. C. T. U. Dr. Dressed the seamen and music was furnished by the choir of St. Stephen's church.

Charles Cochrane, a longshoreman, was taken ill while at work yesterday morning and was taken to the hospital. It was found necessary to operate for an abscess in the stomach.

The national value of the Welland Canal, which connects Lake Erie and Lake Ontario and makes possible an All-Canadian waterway for Canadian grain from Winnipeg to the sea, is regarded as immense. In the first place the canal is necessary because the Niagara estuary blocks navigation on the Niagara River. The picture of the present Welland Canal, which falls short of the making the All-Canadian waterway the great highway to its great competitor the Erie Canal, through New York state, to the Hudson River and thence to the sea.

GROOM 80; BRIDE 20 Out for a Walk, Decide on Immediate Wedding—His Sons Witnesses

New York, Feb. 18—Edward B. Also, 80, a wealthy retired steel merchant, and Miss Edith Pope Hill, 20, of Washington, D. C., were married last week in Trinity church by Rev. Dr. Sutton. Following a dinner at a downtown restaurant, at which the bridegroom's two sons, Harold P. A. Also and Edward Halsey Also, Harvard students, and his nephews, Jesse D. Also, son of Rev. Dr. Jesse F. Also, of Brooklyn, were guests, the bride returned to her mother, Mrs. John J. Hill, and the bridegroom adjourned to his own hotel, where he continued the wedding festivities until late into the night.

UNIQUE EVENT IN MASONIC HISTORY

Spokane, Wash., Feb. 18—When jewels of elaborate design and workmanship were presented to ten members of the Scottish rite in Spokane, who have attained the degree of inspectors general honorarium, (33 Hon.) in the presence of 1,000 members of the Masonic order and their families at Masonic temple here, there was performed a ceremonial for which there is no official record or precedent in Masonic history. The unique presentation was followed by a banquet.

The highest authority of the rite informs us there is no official ceremonial for the presentation of jewels, as heretofore there has been no such occasion," said R. E. Pinney, master of Albert Mackey Lodge of Perfection. "In consequence we arranged the ceremony according to our best judgment as to what was proper and fitting. The brethren in Spokane are to be congratulated on the ceremony, which was very interesting and which will be long remembered."

The purpose of inviting the members of the three blue lodges and visiting members was to interest them in Scottish rite masonry.

FEARFUL TALE OF THE SEA

Liverpool, Feb. 18—The British steamer Cuban, which arrived here tonight from New Orleans, brought into port nine of the crew of the British ship Erze, which was wrecked in a heavy storm at sea. The Erze was bound from Boston, Feb. 1, for Buenos Ayres. The Cuban passenger on Feb. 8, in latitude 40 north longitude 20 west, and rescued those of the crew who managed to keep themselves afloat. Six of the crew were drowned, while the master of the Erze, Captain Pickett, his wife, the second mate and a passenger are missing. Only the cargo was kept from the wreck about the DeWaltz. The survivors of the Erze tell a terrible story of a hurricane on Feb. 3 which carried away the ship's deck cargo and wrecked the ship. The gale raged till Feb. 5, when Captain Pickett's wife was badly injured by a heavy sea which swept aboard the ship. The crew found that the captain and his wife, the second officer and a passenger were missing, having apparently left the ship in the only life boat which had not been carried away.

MANITOBA BOUNDARY QUESTION

Ottawa, Feb. 18—Notice has been given by Premier Borden of a resolution proposed for the extension of the boundaries of Manitoba, and for the readjustment of the financial terms governing the payment of federal subsidies to the province.

The resolution is a precursor to another resolution extending the boundaries of Ontario and Quebec, which resolution will refer only to the territories to be added, there being no readjustment of financial terms in the case of the latter two provinces.

The resolution in the case of Manitoba is provisional in its carrying out, the consent of both the legislative assembly of Manitoba and of the parliament of Canada to the terms in regard to the allocation of the boundary, and the terms of the acceptance of these terms. It will rest primarily with the provincial legislature.

This may mean that the whole matter will remain over for final action until next session, the delay in securing the consent of the Manitoba legislature being a convenient excuse for the federal government to postpone action for the present on a question fraught with many embarrassments.

SUSSEX PERSONALS

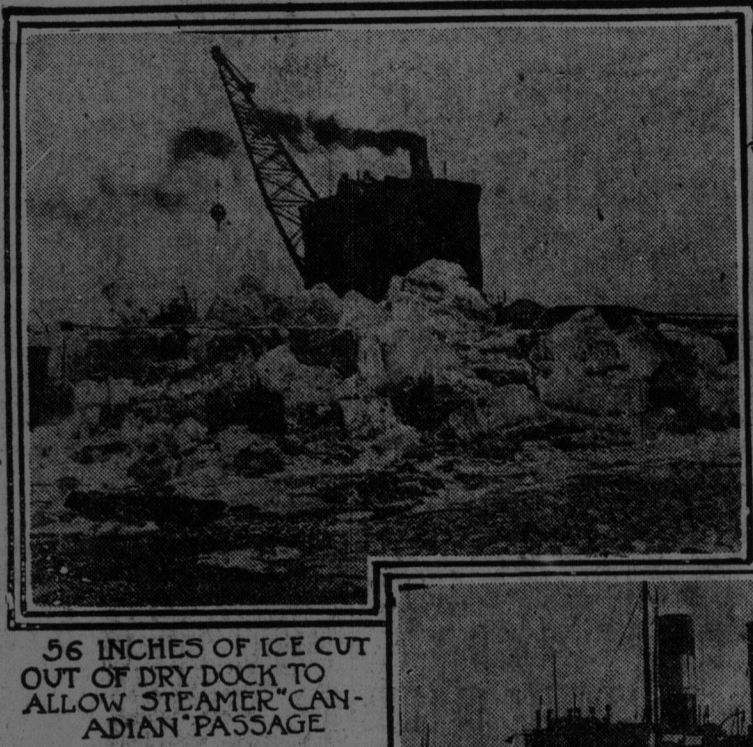
Sussex Record—Eric MacNeil, St. John inspector of the Bank of Nova Scotia, last been here for the last week. Miss Peacock, of the domestic science class is ill. Miss Curran is still on the sick list. Dr. W. S. Carter, chief superintendent of the schools, was here on Thursday visiting the schools. Mr. and Mrs. A. Saunders, of St. John, spent Sunday in Hampton, the guests of Mrs. J. Murphy.

SUCCESSFUL MOTHERHOOD

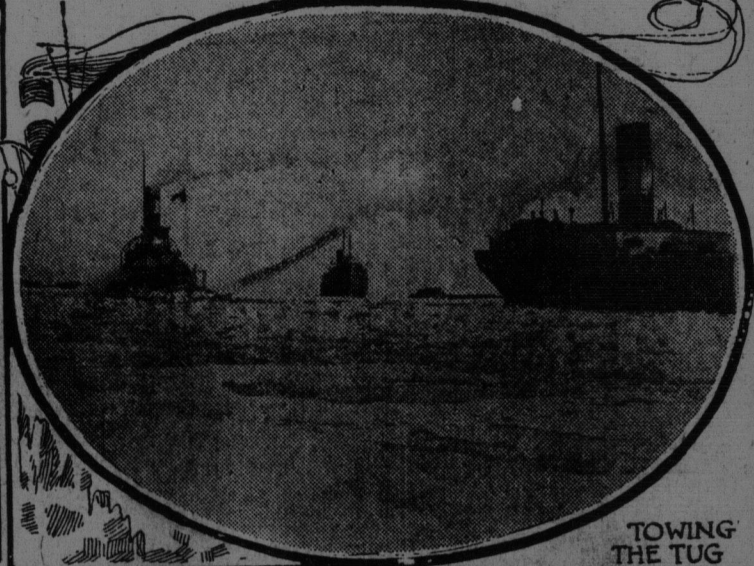
means more than a fat baby. It means laying the foundation of a strong, sturdy constitution. Fat alone is not enough; there must be bone, muscle, brain and nerves.

Scott's Emulsion is the Acme of perfection for Mother and Child. ALL DRUGGISTS 11-41

ICE HOLDS UP CANADIAN GRAIN



56 INCHES OF ICE CUT OUT OF DRY DOCK TO ALLOW STEAMER CANADIAN PASSAGE



TOWING THROUGH PIER'S INTO PORT ARTHUR HARBOR TO BE LOADED

DRAMATIC SCENE IN MURDER TRIAL

Fatal Quarrel Started in Planning of a Christmas Party

HUSBAND KILLED WIFE

In London Court he Breaks Down as he Tells His Story—Sentenced to Death, But This May Be Commuted

London, Feb. 19.—There were many dramatic moments at the trial of a French conductor, William Henry Philpot, who has just been found guilty of murdering his wife Agnes, by strangling her, Justice Ridley passed sentence of death after the jury had made a recommendation to mercy. The crime was the outcome of a quarrel and evidence was given by the prisoner's father that Philpot had twice had his skull fractured, with the result that he often did strange things. The most dramatic evidence was that of Philpot himself, who went into the witness-box for a minute or two his emotion mastered him, and he was given a glass of water. Then he answered one or two questions in a broken voice, and finally broke down. Resting his head on the witness box he burst into sobs. When he recovered, he said: "We started talking of the Christmas party, and I asked my wife to pay for the tree. She said, 'No, I expect you to pay. You don't expect me to pay for your debts, do you? I'm not going to anyway.' "I said I was short of money, and she said, 'You must have a poor memory not to remember what happened five or six years ago.' "I said, reproachfully, 'You needn't throw that up in my face.' "She got excited, and I told her not to let all the neighbors hear. She became nasty, and gave me a smack on the head. I jumped up and caught her by the throat. She struck at me with her hand, and as I held her by the throat I lost control of myself altogether, and did not know what I was doing. Something in my head snapped. I felt as if I had hold of a strong galvanic battery and I wanted to leave her but could not. "When I did leave go she fell. I realized almost in a moment what I had done. I felt her heart, and felt a mirror to her mouth. My first thought was to kill myself as well, but I thought of my children. I carried her into the front room and laid her on the couch, and pulled down the blind. I intended to give myself up. "This was told jerkily, and with great emotion, and the prosecuting counsel asked no questions. In passing sentence of death, Justice Ridley said that the jury's recommendation and the other findings of fact and expression of opinion would be laid before the home office, the proper quarter, where no doubt it would be most carefully and mercifully considered.

TOO HEALTHY. "The doctors have given Johnson up." "Dear me, he is as ill as that." "No, he's quite well. That's why they've given him up."

WAS A GREAT SUFFERER FOR FIVE YEARS FROM DYSPEPSIA.

Dyspepsia is one of the most prevalent troubles of civilized life, and thousands of people suffer untold agony after every meal, for nearly everything that enters a weak dyspeptic stomach acts as an irritant. The long train of distressing symptoms, which render life a burden to the victim of dyspepsia, may be promptly cured by the use of Burdock Blood Bitters. Mrs. Wm. J. Boyne, Leppau, N.B. writes—"I thought I would write and tell you of the good Burdock Blood Bitters has done me and also tell you how thankful I am. "For five years I had been a great sufferer from dyspepsia, and tried different doctors and proprietary medicines, but could get no relief. One day a friend told me to try Burdock Blood Bitters. I did not have much faith in it, but I thought I would give it a trial. To-day I am completely cured, and I will always recommend it. Burdock Blood Bitters has been on the market for about thirty-five years and is manufactured only by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

TUG 'WHALEN' BREAKING 40 INCHES OF SOLID ICE IN AN EFFORT TO GET STEAMER 'BARLUM' TO GRANARIES FOR LOADING

Situation in the upper lakes, where millions of bushels of grain are awaiting transportation. The conditions are unprecedented, and thousands of dollars worth of products of the west are declared in danger of destruction as the result of the transportation hold.

A REASONABLE PLEA FOR THE STOMACH

If Your Stomach is Lacking in Digestive Power, Why Not Help the Stomach Do its Work?

Especially When It Costs Nothing to Try Not with drugs, but with a reinforcement of digestive agents, such as are naturally at work in the stomach's secretions, St. John's Dyspepsia Tablets, which contain pepsin, nitrogenous ferments, and the secretion of hydrochloric acid. When your food fails to digest, it is proof positive that some of these agents are lacking in your digestive apparatus. St. John's Dyspepsia Tablets contain nothing but these natural elements necessary to digestion and whose absence at work in the weak stomach and small intestine, supply what these organs need. They stimulate the gastric glands and gradually bring the digestive organs back to their normal condition. St. John's Dyspepsia Tablets have been subjected to critical chemical tests at home and abroad and are found to contain nothing but natural digestive agents. Chemical Laboratory, Telegraphic address, "Dihydro," London. Telephone No. 11029 Central, 20 Collier St., Fenchurch St., E. C.

London, 28th Aug. 1905. I have analyzed most carefully a box of St. John's Dyspepsia Tablets (which I bought myself at a city chemist's shop) for the purpose, manufactured by the T. J. Stuart Co., 56 Clerkenwell Road, London, E. C., and have to report that I cannot find any trace of vegetable or mineral poisons. Knowing the ingredients of the tablets, I am of opinion that they are admirably adapted for the purpose for which they are intended. (Signed) John R. Brooke, F. I. C., F. C. S.

There is no secret in the preparation of St. John's Dyspepsia Tablets. Their composition is commonly known among physicians as it is shown by the recommendations of 40,000 licensed physicians in the United States and Canada. They are the most popular of all remedies for indigestion, dyspepsia, water brash, insomnia, loss of appetite, melancholia, constipation, dysentery and kindred diseases originating from improper digestion and assimilation of foods, because they are thoroughly reliable and harmless to man or child. St. John's Dyspepsia Tablets are at once a safe and a powerful remedy, one grade of the active principle in these tablets being strong enough (by test) to digest 3,000 grains of steak, eggs and other foods. St. John's Dyspepsia Tablets will digest your food for you when your stomach can't. Ask your druggist for a fifty-cent box, we send to us direct for a free trial sample package and you will be surprised at the result. F. A. Stuart Co., 120 Street, Bldg., Marshall, Mich.

BOOSTING AMHERST

At a meeting of citizens of Amherst on Wednesday evening resolutions were passed asking town council to call a meeting of the ratepayers of the town, under the provisions of the Town Incorporation Act to vote upon the following question: "That the town council apply to the legislature of Nova Scotia for an act authorizing the town council to assess for and pay a sum not exceeding \$3,000, annually towards the salary and expenses of an industrial commissioner for the town of Amherst."

If the amount asked for is granted by the town, the board of trade, pilgrims, and a number of citizens have pledged \$2,000 additional to the fund. The News says:—We have lost several industries that would have located here just because we had no special official to take the matter up and give his personal attention to the matter. Amherst has a lot of busy hunting citizens, who are at all times ready to dip into their pockets for any good cause and are always willing to sacrifice time as well, but there is a limit to all things, and it strikes us that a live industrial commissioner would be a good thing for Amherst. Nothing can be accomplished without work and how much time have any of us to spare outside of earning a living for ourselves. If we are to have a bigger and better Amherst, let us contribute our share to the good work."

HIS FRIEND "Clerk—Can you let me off tomorrow afternoon? My wife wants me to go shopping with her. "Employer—Certainly not. We are much too busy. "Clerk—Thank you very much, sir. You are very kind—London Opinion.

VAUDEVILLE SPECIALTIES TONIGHT

Young-Adams Company at Opera House to Introduce New Acts.

The Young-Adams Company, comprising twenty players, will make their first appearance before a St. John audience tonight at the Opera House. H. Wilcox Young comes well recommended as a splendid actor, while Miss Marie Adams is famous among the stage folk as carrying the most elaborate costumes seen in the most elaborate costumes seen in the city.

Margie Adams plays at popular prices. The play selected for tonight tomorrow afternoon and evening is Under the Bear's Paw, a Russian drama by Count Leo Tolstoy. The vaudeville specialties promise to be a distinct feature. Among the latter are The Three Graces, hoop rollers and comedy jugglers; the Groom Sisters, a team of clever toe dancers; King Cole, a black-face comedian; Edward Stauffer, and others.

RELIEF OF STARVING RUSSIANS

St. Petersburg, Feb. 19.—The Czar has authorized a national Red Cross subscription for the relief of the distressed peasants. The government has already expended more than \$8,000,000 in the distributing of grain and in the organization of public works, and it is expected will spend a great deal more.

SUDDEN CHANGES MANY COLDS

And Colds are the Starting Point of Serious Trouble You Can Make Short Work of a Cold by Using DR. CHASE'S SYRUP OF LINSEED AND TURPENTINE

Sudden changes of temperature are fatal in results. The shock to the human system is more than most people can stand, and everywhere you hear sneezing and coughing. You may be sure that some of these colds will develop into pneumonia or consumption. Others will settle on the kidney, and result in serious disease or bring on rheumatic or bodily pains. The danger is in letting colds run on. By beginning promptly with Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine and talking small doses frequently you can keep the cough loose, check the inflammation, and soon rid the system entirely of the cold, and all the many possibilities for evil which it possesses. Don't think that anything is good enough for a cold. There are lots of cough mixtures. But if you want a standard medicine of proven merit, something that you can depend on in time of sickness, you will be satisfied with Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine. Children like it. Being composed of simple ingredients, it is particularly suited to their needs. Its enormous sales prove its effectiveness. 25 cents a bottle, or \$1.00 a dozen. Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto.

IN HYPNOTIC TRANCE IN DOCK

Formula Read From Book By Doctor Strangely Influences Prisoner

GOOD EVIDENCE FOR HIM

Was Charged With Forging Entries in Baptismal Register To Establish Right to Title of Nobility

Vienna, Feb. 19.—An extraordinary scene was witnessed at the Prague criminal court at the trial of a municipal engineer named Versbach, who is accused of the forgery of entries in the baptismal registers to establish his right to a title of nobility. Versbach pleaded "not guilty," and brought forward the defence that if he committed the forgery it was done in a trance under the suggestion of a certain hypnotist, whose name he was unable to reveal because he was forbidden. Versbach's family doctor was called as a witness, and gave evidence that the accused was neurotic and easily hypnotized, and then, to prove this, despite the protest of the judge, he began to read out a formula, beginning "Deus seaturus," from a French book on magic work he discovered the unknown hypnotist always used for Versbach. To the horror of the court the prisoner immediately fell into a hypnotic trance, with arms stiff and outstretched, while standing in the dock. The lawyers thrust needles into his head and attempted to move his arms to see if he were shamming, but without producing the least reaction. The prisoner woke only when the doctor breathed on him, uttering another formula. He expressed surprise that he was bleeding from his nose, and the continuation of the trial the prisoner fell spontaneously into a hypnotic sleep, from which it was impossible to rouse him for some time. The trial has been adjourned for the opinion of medical experts. The defendant's lawyer traces of the hypnotist's identity of the mysterious hypnotist.

UNDERWOOD TYPEWRITER CO.

Western Union Order Largest on Record—Details of Bids

Boston, Feb. 18.—Announcement has just been made public by the Boston News Bureau that the record-breaking order which the Underwood Typewriter Company has just booked with the Western Union Telegraph Company calls for delivery at the rate of 1,000 machines monthly. Shipments will be made from the company's plant. Eight years ago the General Electric placed an order for 800 machines, which, up to that time, was the record. The Dupont Powder Company likewise ordered a similar number. Never before had any company, however received such an order. This Western Union order was the result of competitive bidding on the part of the various typewriter manufacturers. The Remington Company named \$66 as the price at which it would supply the number desired. This figure compares with \$81, the lowest price ever named by that company before. The regulation retail price for the Remington is \$100. The L. C. Smith Co. is understood to have bid \$40 for furnishing the machines. The successful bid, that of the Underwood Company, is understood to have been \$22.50 per machine, which would necessitate the payment by the Western Union Company of \$225,000.

The specifications called for the delivery of the entire number within one year from the date of contract being signed. Further specifications called for a three-year guarantee against repairs.

JEALOUSY, THEN MURDER

White Plains, N. Y., Feb. 18.—According to Sheriff Doyle, John Cargin, arrested last night in connection with the murder of Frank Connolly at Katonah, has confessed that he had shot Connolly in a jealous quarrel. Cargin blamed Connolly for causing his separation from his wife two years ago.

Roosevelt, Jr., to Wall Street New York, Feb. 19.—Theodore Roosevelt Jr. is about to desert the carpet business in the west for a partnership of an important place in a prominent Wall street financial concern, according to the World. Young Mr. Roosevelt, with his wife and family, came to New York a month ago for a visit at the Oyster Bay home. They were expected to return to San Francisco on March 1.

Without Extra Cost What Would You Most Like in Your Own Home?

An attractively furnished home adds greatly to your domestic life. You can make your house as cozy as you desire without it costing you one cent. By the Asepto plan you can get all kinds of house furnishings, clothing of every description, china, cut glass, silver-ware, jewelry, watches, boots and shoes and hundreds of other articles free.

We would like to talk with you personally of the Asepto Factory to Family Plan. It is simply a matter of changing to a more economical way of buying your household supplies.

It is possible for you to get free as a premium from us any article you may select whether we are carrying it in stock at present or not.

The Asepto Plan of Doing Business is the only plan of its kind in Canada.

It works itself out in this way: If you spend five cents you get a check worth one cent. If you spend twenty-five cents you get one worth five cents. If you spend \$1.00 you get one worth twenty cents. If your purchase amounts to \$2.00 you get one worth \$1.00 and so on. These goods we sell to you at the same price that you would pay for them at any other store in the city. Instead of giving you a small cash discount we give you a check worth 20 cents for every \$1.00 you spend. We make a profit on the goods you purchase and pay for, while the goods you purchase afterwards with our checks are given you at the wholesale price. To get you to make the first purchase costs us something, while the second purchase, with our checks, you are bound to make from us. There is no selling expense attached to the latter.

FOR INSTANCE

Suppose you desire a piano, we do not sell pianos but we can arrange to enable you to get one as a premium, or any other selection, say a fur lined coat or a handsome set of furs. In fact we will arrange to supply you with any article you may name. If it is high priced you had better start at once. Come in and talk the matter over with our Mr. Gray at the store Corner of Mill and Union Streets and you will then understand how easy it is.

REMEMBER: that the first consideration with us is quality, that our price is no higher than that charged by any reliable dealer and in addition you save 20 per cent on all purchases made in our store and you will see by article 2 in this ad. how it is possible for us to do this.

There is no Mystery About Our Premium Plan.

We manufacture about 400 lines of our own and they are the goods that we are forcing the sale of. We sell these goods by the usual plan is to send out travelers and carry on expensive advertising, etc. which will cost over 40 per cent. We have discontinued all advertising except what applies to our store, and are taking our travelers off the road and are instead giving the purchaser of goods from us 20 per cent and making the other 20 per cent ourselves. Is this not a good business proposition? On lines that we sell that are not of our own manufacture, we give the consumer about all of the profit, through our coupons, but we do this in order to have in our stores sufficient lines of steady consumption to enable a family to secure coupons fast enough to enable them to get many articles of value in a short time. So you see that our plan is the only one that really saves the cost of high living and still gives us a living margin.

MOTHER we make it possible for you to give your husband, daughter or son that present you have had in mind so long.

CHILDREN we provide a way for you to present to Mother or Father that article of comfort that you have never felt able to give them.

ASEPTO STORE Cor. Mill and Union Streets St. John, N. B.

GOOD GIN! How it can be Recognized.

Canadian Red Cross Gin is produced by the transformation of grain into sugar, which, after fermentation, is combined with Juniper Berries and when distilled becomes the famous

"RED CROSS" GIN

Red Cross Gin is submitted to the rigorous inspection of the excise officers, even in number, who are present at all the various stages of its manufacture from the weighing of the grain, following the various operations of distillation, the rendering into alcohol, the aging in bonded warehouses, and "Red Cross" Gin is dispensed in its officially sealed bottles.

There is no other food product in the world so carefully and constantly inspected. The public therefore possesses the absolute guarantee of the age, purity and maturity of "Red Cross" Gin whereas imported Gins cannot offer the slightest guarantee, as they are submitted to no official inspection before exportation, and are not tested as to quality, purity and healthfulness on their importation here.

How can the Consumer hesitate between Canadian Gin and Imported Gin? We shall leave the public judge.



THE CHURCH AND PORTUGAL

Lisbon, Feb. 19.—The Portuguese Bishop and the Patriarch of Lisbon recently addressed an appeal to Dr. Arriga, president of the republic, asking him in the name of liberty and justice to revoke the punishment of temporary expulsion passed by the minister of justice on the Bishop of Braga and, consequently, on the other members of the Portuguese episcopate.

Dr. Arriga has now replied. He says he has the greatest consideration for the whole of the clergy, but as a constitutional president he was obliged to hand the letter to the cabinet ministers, who are responsible for the affairs of state. He feels convinced, however, that the government, with the assistance of parliament, will respect liberty of conscience, and will thus endeavor to maintain peace and harmony in the large Portuguese family.

LENTE PASTOREAL LETTER BY BISHOP

The annual pastoral letter of Bishop Casey was read in the Catholic churches of the city yesterday. In it his lordship deals chiefly with the Catholic doctrine of the communion of the saints. In pointing out the sublimity of this doctrine as understood by Catholics his lordship advances in a scholarly way the many reasons which Catholics have for making the doctrine an article of their belief. The regulations which Catholics are to follow during the Lenten season, which will commence next Wednesday, were also read in the Catholic churches yesterday.

BROUGHT IRISH POTATOES. The Allan liner Herportan, Captain Bluff, arrived this morning from Liverpool with 137 passengers and a large general cargo, including 5,000 bags of Irish potatoes, which will be landed here.

WOODSTOCK AS DIVISIONAL POINT ON VALLEY R.I.W.A.

Ross Thompson, chief engineer and Mes. Waughy, Howard and Lincoln, prominent officials of the Valley Railway, were in Woodstock last week in consultation with the town council over the question of the railway divisional point. It is understood that Mr. Thompson strongly favors Woodstock, as he considers the geographical situation excellent and also advantageous on the line from every point of view.

The negotiations have been carried to the point of the railway asking that the town will apply to the legislature with authority to act in conformity with wishes. The park is favored by the location and is strongly advocated by Thompson.



SPORT NEWS OF A DAY; HOME AND ABROAD

Thistle curlers took the second match of the series with the Carleton club Saturday, winning by 43 points. The total score stood at 185 to 112. The skips and were as follows:

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Table with columns for names, scores, and totals. Includes entries for Mrs. Williams, Miss Campbell, Miss MacLaren, and others.

There were two Commercial League records broken Saturday night. V. Johnston, for his three strings, while his team rolled 47 for a team single. The C. P. R. won from the St. Hayward Co. 3 to 1. The score was as follows:

Table with columns for names, scores, and totals. Includes entries for Bartach, Cronwell, Paterson, and others.

Robert McLean, Chicago school boy, age sixteen, won an indoor and outdoor championship race in St. Nicholas Park, New York on Saturday. He won the quarter mile and mile races. He won the first race in 42 seconds and the mile in 2:14.5.

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Advertisement for DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS, featuring a circular logo and text describing the medicine's benefits for kidney ailments.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that a Bill will be presented for enactment to amend the Act of the General Assembly...

On Moonsoath. Two races were held by the St. John's Curling Club on Moonsoath Park on Saturday afternoon, those for Class A and B rinks.

Mr. Trites' Horses. Bangor Commercial-A. W. Trites who has been in Bangor for the last week has a string of four horses which he has raced in the Nova Scotia races in the last two years with great success.

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MANAGERS OF THE BIG BALL TEAMS

Of the sixteen major league baseball managers now preparing for another campaign, Clark Griffith has filled the greatest number of engagements. When Griffith decided to become a team manager, he took hold of the Chicago White Sox and won an American League pennant.

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Advertisement for NICKEL--"A BLOT ON THE SCUTCHEON" ROBERT BROWNING'S TRAGIC POEM-DRAMA. POWERFUL LESSON ON THE FOLLIES OF VANITY

Advertisement for LYRIC, 19th 20th 21st MON. TUES. WED. FORCE & ROBINSON NOVELTY COMEDIANS AND CARTOONISTS

Advertisement for "MARY" QUEEN OF SCOTS, HISTORICAL. 1542-A. D.-1587. "A WINNING MISS" "AN INDIAN MAID'S ELOPEMENT"

Advertisement for GEM "A Chief's Daughter" Exciting Story of the Prairies--A Daniel Boone Adventure

Advertisement for "STAR" A Long List of Current Events from all Parts of the World MONDAY and TUESDAY

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A Decisive Clearance of Women's, Misses' and Children's Coats. A Great Opportunity That You Really Cannot Afford to Miss.

\$8.00 and \$10.00 Coats and one at \$25.00, for \$4.98. A limited quantity of stylish warm Winter Coats, full length, in Black and Navy Frieze, values up to \$10.00, and one Wisteria Novelty Cloth Coat, handsomely braided \$25.00, now \$4.98.

About 25 Black Frieze and Mixed Tweed Coats, 3-4 length, and a few full length, value up to \$7.00, now \$1.95.

About 30 imported Model Coats, rich and beautiful garments from the fashion centres of the world, in Gray, Brown and Black, values up to \$45.00, now \$10.00, \$15.00.

Children's Coats, sizes 4 years to 12, in Navy Frieze, Cardinal, Velvet and Bearskin, Teddy-Bear, etc., values up to \$7.00, now \$1.50 to \$3.90.

Our stock of Opera Coats at 25 per cent. discount. Great bargain in Evening Dresses and Lace Waists.

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A Customer's Reasonable Wish Is This Store's Pleasure.

DYKEMAN'S

HAVE YOU SEEN THOSE HOLLY BATISTES FOR SUMMER DRESSES
that are on display at our store?

They are creating a sensation. This is a material a little thicker than muslin, takes the pattern better and is more like an organydy. White grounds with the daintiest of flower and figure designs. Is 32 inches wide and only 16 cents a yard.

Irish Linette—A bordered material almost as fine as silk—white grounds with pretty floral and figure designs with contrasting striped and plain borders. These are daintiest of goods, 23 cents a yard, 30 inches wide.

Bazzi Silk—An American silk, 26 inches wide, and only 28 cents a yard, will make the daintiest waist or full dress imaginable and just think the whole dress would only cost about \$2.80

F.A. DYKEMAN & CO.
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The very choicest of our select showing of Furs are included in this sale, and, like other grades, are offered at a reduction of 25 Per Cent from regular prices.

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OVERALLS, JUMPERS, ETC.

are being shown here in abundance. We also have some good values to offer in Men's Pants, and below quote prices that deserve your careful attention.

Black Overalls and Jumpers, 50c., 75c., 95c. and \$1.00
Khaki Overalls, (double fronts and seat) \$1.35
Khaki Jumpers, \$1.35
Painters Overalls and Jumpers, 50c.
Men's Pants, \$1.25, \$1.45, \$1.85, \$2.00, \$2.25, \$2.45

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NOW IS THE TIME

If you are looking for a Piano for your home that will give you perfect satisfaction for all time, call and examine the choice assortment of

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LOCAL NEWS

THE BATTLE LINE
S.S. "Trebis," Starrett, for Aarhus, sailed from Bremerhaven yesterday.

BEQUEATHED A FORTUNE.
Mrs. Cameron of St. Peter's Richmond Co., C. B., has fallen heir to a fortune of more than \$100,000 on the death in Guelph of her late husband's brother.

FUNERAL ON SUNDAY.
The funeral of Joseph Shobridge took place yesterday afternoon at two o'clock from the home of his brother, Milford Shobridge, in Elm street. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. J. J. McCaskey, and interment was at Lorneville.

TEACHERS TO ENGLAND.
The Fredericton Mail says that a party of teachers is expected to go from St. John to England next summer to attend the conference in London and that Inspector Steeves of Sussex, and Dr. G. U. Hay of St. John may attend.

MARINE NEWS.
Recent letters from Capt. J. A. Read of the bark Edna M. Smith now in Buenos Ayres state that they encountered a tremendous windstorm during the passage down but pulled through it without mishap. From Buenos Ayres Capt. Read expects to proceed to Barbados for orders.

\$25,000 FOR DALHOUSIE.
New Glasgow has made a magnificent contribution to the new Forward Movement for Dalhousie University. President Mackenzie and G. S. Campbell, chairman of the Board of Governors have returned to Halifax with subscriptions amounting to about \$25,000 as the result of one day's canvass in Pictou's leading town.

A. C. P. R. RUMOR.
The Bangor Commercial Casuals correspondent writes:—A party of engineers are taking soundings and surveying in the C. P. R. dock at St. Stephen and rumors are that a new wharf is to be built there at an early date by the railway people.

TRAINS DELAYED.
The Boston train due here at forty minutes past eleven, was two hours behind time today, while the Maritime train, a special train of immigrants from the steamer Hesperian and Teutonic was brought through the city yesterday on its way west.

SIR FREDERICK'S GIFT.
Canning, N. S., now has a free public library, the gift of Sir Frederick Borden. He has secured a building, had it fitted for the purpose and engaged a librarian, this with the five hundred volumes being a present to his home town.

INSTALLATION.
The District L. O. B. A., has elected and installed officers for the year as follows: District mistress, Mrs. G. O. Akery; district deputy mistress, Mrs. Galbraith; district chaplain, Mrs. H. Knapton; district secretary, Mrs. H. Brown; district financial secretary, Mrs. Howard; district treasurer, Mrs. J. Brown; district D. of C., Mrs. Haines; district lecturer, Mrs. Edward Duff.

POLICE COURT.
In the police court this morning six prisoners charged with drunkenness were each fined \$8 or two months in jail. One other prisoner, charged with a like offence, was remanded to the next morning. One of the court that he was a stranger in town and that he was on his way to the States. He was sent into the lock but will likely be allowed out this evening on condition that he leave town.

THE LILLIE.
Contractor Roberts said today that Diver Howard of the Maritime Dredging Co. had been secured to work at the tug Lillie, and he had already made much progress, although at work a short time. The boat, he said, was now on an even keel with one sling beneath her and was in a fair way to be brought to the surface before long. The slings which had previously been placed beneath her had slipped out from under, or the boat would have been brought up some time ago.

TRIP FOR FRED CAMERON.
Amherst News—Fred S. Cameron, intends to go west with Silliker and Vall western excursion party which will leave Amherst on April 1. Arrangements will be made to have Cameron meet professional runners in Winnipeg, Calgary, Moose Jaw, Edmonton and other western towns and on the return trip a race between Longboat and Cameron will probably take place in Toronto.

ST. JOHN YOUNG LADIES THERE.
Miss Nan Thompson entertained at an at home at her residence in Fredericton, on Friday afternoon. The guests were received by Mrs. Thompson assisted by Miss Snowball of Chatham in the drawing-room, and afterwards repaired to the dining room which was very prettily decorated. Dorothy Thompson and Taylor waited on the table, and Mrs. A. B. Shipp served the tea and coffee. Miss Dora Massey and Miss Edna Logan of St. John.

REST ROOMS FOR MEN.
Halifax Chronicle—The first of the series of Rest Rooms, J. A. McDonald is fitting out for working men, it has been opened at 82 Bedford Row. Men working in this vicinity hitherto have been forced to stand round in the cold while waiting for their ships or go to places where they should not go to get warmer. Now by Mr. McDonald's generosity the men will have a nice comfortable room and enjoy a species of club life. They start with a membership of one hundred.

THE STEAMERS.
The C. P. R. liner Mount Temple, from Antwerp, will possibly reach port on Wednesday or Thursday.
The Furness liner Anapa left London yesterday for this port.
The S. S. Rhodesian, Captain Frost, arrived in port this morning at six o'clock from the West Indies with a large general cargo. She left Barbados on Feb. 9, and had a fair good trip. She docked at the Pettigill wharf.
The C. P. R. liner Empress of Britain arrived at Liverpool at half-past five o'clock Saturday afternoon.

CORKERY PROPERTY SOLD TODAY

Eighty Acres Near Shamrock Grounds Change Hands—Other Parcels Are Sold

It is announced today that a piece of property on which real estate men have had their eyes fixed for a long time, has at last changed hands. This is the large area to the north of Main street, North End, adjoining the Shamrock athletic grounds which was owned by David Corkery. The land contains about eighty acres and is almost entirely level. It is within a couple of hundred yards of the street car line and about 500 yards from the union railway station. Surrounded as it is by buildings on almost every side and right in the heart of the city it was looked at as offering good advantages for real estate operations. The land was surveyed several years ago and laid out in building lots by the late Hurd Peters, and no delay will be required to get it ready to place on the market.

The property has been secured by two well known local business men and it is their intention to offer the lots for sale immediately. There are between 500 and 1,000 lots in the property. The price paid is not announced but from the prices which have been refused for the land it can be judged that a large amount of money must have been required to acquire the property.

Mrs. George Robertson of Simonds street has purchased the three-story brick building 33-34 Main street from Sydney A. Sprague. About a year ago Mr. Sprague sold out his grocery business which he had conducted at this stand for some years. Arthur K. Meick has bought from Alfred E. Burley a five tenement house in Hilyard street.

Mrs. Wm. Sault has purchased from Mrs. George Robertson her three-story house in Simonds street.

HIS PARENTS DIED AT PARTRIDGE ISLAND

Thomas McLaughlin, Boston Pilot Passes Away in That City

Boston, Feb. 18—Thomas McLaughlin, one of the best known Boston pilots, is dead. He figured in St. John and Boston newspapers in 1897 by discovering in St. John a sailor whom he had not seen since 1884.

That year the family came from Ireland, but became separated by cholera epidemic on the steamer. Both parents died at Partridge Island. Mr. McLaughlin was adopted by a family of that name in East county, N. B.

A. Q. H. INSTALLATION

At a meeting of No. 2 Division A. O. H. in their rooms in Bedford yesterday afternoon, the following officers were installed by County President, Thomas L. Kiekman for the ensuing year:—President, N. Ryan; vice-president, James Downing; recording secretary, W. Terry; financial secretary, James Hanlon; treasurer, D. Murphy; sergeant-at-arms, M. Keane; chairman of standing committee, W. Evans.

After the installation, County Secretary Kiekman delivered a short address dealing with the working of the order in general. He was followed by President Ryan, Barrett of Division No. 1, who spoke on the social and financial benefits of the order. James McHugh also spoke briefly, making reference to the cordial way in which he was treated by the members of the Halifax division on his recent trip to that city. A. DeLong, T. Pope, C. O'Neill, J. Bain and J. Murphy, members of No. 1 Division, were also present at the installation.

TRIPLE ALLIANCE MEETINGS

Rev. J. W. Atkins of Toronto, who is here conducting the last week of Triple Alliance meetings, preached three times yesterday and those who have been looking forward with much interest to his coming were not disappointed. In the morning Dr. Atkins preached in the Waterloo street U. B. church on "Electrical Phases." In the afternoon he addressed the Sunday schools of the three allied churches in Brussels street U. B. church and in the evening, at the close of the regular services, spoke to the three congregations in the latter church. The building was crowded to standing room only, and the sermon was a most impressive one.

Dr. Atkins will preach in Emomoth street church tonight at eight o'clock; song service, commencing at seven thirty.

DEATH OF GREGORY McPEAKE

Word was received in the city this morning telling of the death of a young man well known in St. John some years ago in athletic circles—Gregory McPeake, son of Patrick McPeake, late postmaster in Fredericton. He died at three o'clock in his thirty-fifth year, after a lengthy illness. One brother and three sisters survive. One of the sisters is Mrs. O'Brien, wife of High Sheriff John O'Brien, of Northumberland county. Mrs. Timothy Burke, of Douglas avenue, North End, is an aunt of the deceased. Mr. McPeake was a frequent visitor to St. John some years ago, and had many friends here. He had been practicing law in Dawson city, Yukon, for some years.

ST. PATRICK'S DAY PARADE

A meeting of representatives of the Catholic societies in the city was held yesterday morning in the A. O. H. rooms, Union street. Delegates were present from the Father Mathew Association, the Y. M. S. of St. Joseph, the C. M. B. A., St. Peter's Y. M. A., the L. L. & B. association, and the A. O. H.

Plans in connection with the St. Patrick's day parade were considered, and some arrangements were made. It was said at the meeting that the indications were that the parade would be one of the largest of its kind yet seen in the city, and those having the matter in hand are endeavoring to make the most of the matter of engaging bands was taken up and a committee appointed for the purpose.

WINTER PORT STEAMERS ON THE WAY TO ST. JOHN

Manchester Commerce, Manchester, Feb. 3.
Mount Temple, Antwerp, Feb. 8.
Melville, Birkenhead, Feb. 10.
Montclair, Liverpool, Feb. 14.
Montrose, Antwerp, Feb. 14.
Tunisian, Liverpool, Feb. 18.
Anapa, London, Feb. 17.

Buy The Boy One of These Suits Today!

We're offering some wonderful bargains in Boy's Three Piece Suits—just the kind of suits that every particular boy will like to wear. Why not fit him out at once?

Boys' Three Piece Suits

\$4.50 Suits,	now \$3.98	\$6.50 Suits,	now \$5.98
5.00 Suits,	now 4.25	7.00 Suits,	now 6.15
5.50 Suits,	now 4.98	7.50 Suits,	now 6.45
6.00 Suits,	now 5.15	8.00 Suits,	now 6.8.

These Bargains Won't Last Forever.

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199 to 201 Union Street, - Opera House Block

COMFORTABLE SHOES

We make SLATER SHOES in a great many different shapes and styles—in fact, there is a "a shape for every foot," and styles to suit everybody. The style illustrated here has a broad flat toe and is getting to be very popular, we have it in Calf Skin or kid. PRICE \$5.00.

other styles from \$4.00 to \$6.00. For women \$3.50 to \$5.00.

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THE SLATER SHOE SHOP, 81 KING STREET.

FEBRUARY 19, 1912

OUR ADVANCE SHOWING AND SPECIAL DISPLAY OF COTTON AND LINEN GOODS THAT MEN AND BOYS WEAR WILL CONTINUE ALL THIS WEEK

In connection with this display we are showing the Cotton as it grows on the trees also a number of the different stages through which it passes in the course of manufacture. We have also invited a competition in writing an Essay on Cotton by the Pupils of the Public Schools for which we offer 18 prizes. We herewith again publish the terms of competition.

TERMS OF COMPETITION

We invite scholars of the Public schools studying in grades VII to XII inclusive to compete.

The work must be done by the pupil in own handwriting. Essays must be written in ink, on one side of the paper only, and bear the name of the writer and the school he or she is attending and the number of the grade. Essays must be received at our office not later than Saturday, February 24th. The points to be dealt with in the Essay are roughly as follows:—

1. Countries of growth;
2. Method of cultivation;
3. Countries of manufacture;
4. To what uses is Cotton put.

Essays are not to exceed 400 words, and writing as well as composition and the extent and accuracy of the information given will be considered in awarding the prizes. We offer three prizes of \$3.00, \$2.00, \$1.00 each for each of the six grades competing, making in all 18 prizes a total of \$36.00.

KING STREET COR. GERMAIN GREATER OAK HALL
SCOVIL BROS. LIMITED, St. John, N. B.

END OF WINTER CLEAN-UP SALE

This sale started with a rush on Saturday. If you want genuine bargains, the rush will continue until March 1st.

This is your time for the greatest bargains of the season.

HERE ARE A FEW ITEMS

\$10.00 Overcoats,	for \$4.98	Coat Sweaters, \$1.50 to \$3.50, values now	98 cts. to \$2.48.
12.00 Overcoats,	for 5.98	Child's Rubbers,	25 cts.
15.00 Overcoats,	for 7.48	Girls' Rubbers,	33 cts.
18.00 Overcoats,	for 9.98	Women's Rubbers,	38 cts.
20.00 Overcoats,	for 9.98	Boys' Rubbers,	48 cts.
8.00 Suits,	for 3.98	Youths' Rubbers,	36 cts.
10.00 Suits,	for 5.98	Men's Rubbers,	58 cts.
15.00 Suits,	for 9.98	Men's Overshoes, one buckle,	85 cts.
18.00 Suits,	for 13.48	two buckle, \$1.48.	
60c. Wool Underclothes,	25 cts.	Women's two buckle,	\$1.38
60c. Fleece Underclothes,	38 cts.	Girls',	\$1.18
85c. Unshrinkable Underclothes,	58 cts.	Child's,	98 cts.
All sizes in Stanfield's Unshrinkable Underwear,	88 cts.		

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If you are desirous of having a good set of Furs, a Fur Coat or a Fur-lined Coat, and also wish to save dollars, now is the time to purchase, as we are making great reductions in the price of all fur garments and articles in stock.

Mink Stoles and Muffs - - - - -	20 p. c. discount
Black Lynx Stoles and Muffs - - - - -	20 p. c. discount
1 Brown Pony Coat, was \$125 - - - - -	\$90.00
1 Hudson Seal Coat, was \$165 - - - - -	\$125.00
1 Muskrat Coat, was \$125 - - - - -	\$110.00
Marmot Stoles and Muffs - - - - -	At big discount

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