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SCOUR WOODS FOR CURLEY

Alleged St. John Man Hunted for Part in Big Camp Row

FIFTY WERE DRUNK

Trouble Among New Hampshire Loggers Followed by Arrest of Curley and Companion—Former Escapes and Takes to Woods—Searchers on All Hands

Woodstock, N. H., Jan. 19.—(Special)—Another man hunt, the second in the foothills of the White Mountains since last summer, has aroused the sheriffs, deputies, and constables of central New Hampshire, and blooded will probably follow.

The man hunted is a young giant named Frank Carey, of Curley, about 200 pounds. He comes from St. John, N. B. He is 34 years old and is powerfully built, tall and broadshouldered.

Together with a comrade, Henry Fiske, also from the Canadian provinces, he came here several days ago. He had been drinking. He applied for work at Johnson's lumber camp, and readily obtained employment. Within twenty-four hours fifty men in the camp were badly intoxicated and one had a hurt followed.

Officers came to the camp from Lincoln, Plymouth, and Johnson and arrested Carey and Fiske. They handcuffed them and started for Lincoln, where they were to be held until they could be removed.

On the way Carey suddenly jumped from the sleigh. The officers gave chase, but he was going down and they made good his escape into the dense woods.

Gets Away Again

The officers of the surrounding towns were at once notified and men surrounded the woods but Carey managed to keep his pursuers at bay. Days were brought into play, but to no avail.

Early this forenoon two officers, John Gray and Harvey Tucker, both of the town of Thornton, who had been given a description of the man, and were on the lookout for him, saw him near the road tracks of the Boston & Maine about half way between the stations of Thornton and West Thornton.

They called to the man to halt, and started after him, but he again dashed into the woods and vanished from their view. They were sure that the man was Carey.

Officer Mitchell of Plymouth in an interview this afternoon said that Carey was armed. Every town for miles south of the scene of the trouble has been notified and the railroad terminals are being watched.

The deputies, on account of many desperate crimes of Carey, and they are prepared for a battle.

At a late hour tonight the man had not been seen farther south than Thornton.

Curtiss Declines

FLIGHT TO SAN DIEGO

Los Angeles, Calif., Jan. 20.—With the end of the aviation meeting at hand, Glenn H. Curtiss, made it known today that he had no intention of making a flight to San Diego for the \$5,000 prize offered by the business men of that city.

"Hamilton may attempt the flight if he remains over for a day or two," said Curtiss. "The amount of money for Hammond's flight will be at least \$10,000."

By many at aviation field this was taken to mean that Curtiss doubts the ability of the planes he has built to make the flights over mountains and across the Bay and inlets of the sea that lie on the air line route to San Diego. The assumption was strengthened by the further announcement that as soon as Curtiss finishes with his appearance in Court, in connection with the infringement suits instituted by the Wrights, he will begin constructing an immense flying machine of the biplane type.

CHICAGO LOOKS FOR 20C. BUTTER

Chicago, Jan. 20.—Local commission men predict that the price of butter will fall to 20 cents a pound. The fact that butter of the first quality is coming into the local market in excess of the present demand is given as the reason for anticipating a lower price. The amount of butter in storage is said to be normal for this season of the year.

EUROPE STORM SWEEP, WIND 10 MILES AN HOUR

Paris, Jan. 19.—Storms of exceptional violence have been raging for the past 24 hours, the centre being in the east of France. The rivers have overflowed their banks in many places. Belfort is completely under water and Moselle is partially flooded.

Geneva, Jan. 19.—Scores of American visitors at the fashionable Alpine resorts are impressed indefinitely on account of continuous rains. In the upper regions snow has fallen on many of the peaks.

C. N. R. LINE TO OTTAWA ADVANCING

Has Progressed Far Enough to Have Stations Named—Construction of Central Ry. of Canada Believed Assured

Toronto, Jan. 20.—(Special)—Development along the right of way on the Canadian Northern line to Ottawa has progressed far enough to allow naming of the stations along the route. There will be sixteen stations, both the union station and Trenton, the eastern terminus of the building division.

Every confidence is expressed at headquarters here that the road which is being constructed, the line to go up north side to the Great Lakes and it is said Mackenzie & Mann will get running rights from Montreal to Havasburg.

Toronto, Jan. 20.—(Special)—Mr. Blake, more proprietor and editor of The Week, a semi-political paper issued in Victoria (B. C.) who is in the city, says the deep-rooted objection of British Columbians to the employment of Orientals in the project is leading to an organized attempt to bring in Italians for railway construction and public works. There is 10,000 needed for railway work alone.

J. G. Merrick, president of the Canadian Amateur Athletic Union, says the union stands on the side of the amateur officiating as referees of professional hockey matches is apparently misunderstood in the east. In view of the fact that Russell Bowen and Duncan Campbell of the Montreal-Ottawa Stanley Cup games in the capital a small vote of the board of governors will be taken right away and is expected to make it clear that amateurism in hockey is a professional one will not be tolerated.

The report of the special committee appointed to investigate the recent fire in St. Clair Avenue public school will recommend that the senior boys in the schools be trained in the use of fire extinguishers so as to assist the caretaker in putting out incipient blazes before the fire department arrives.

SOCIETY WOMEN BLAMED FOR KEEPING UP STRIKE

New York, Jan. 20.—The part taken by women of means, refinement and education in supporting the striking shirt-waist makers, is strongly criticized here in a petition just submitted by the employers to the supreme court.

"This strike would have been called off long ago," says the petition, "if it had not been for the support of society women."

The employers ask that a temporary injunction already granted, which forbids the strikers from picketing a factory, be made permanent. Justice Gerard has reserved decision.

HUGH GASOLINE TANK EXPLODES, MAN IS KILLED

Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 20.—One man was consumed by the flames and six others are in hospitals suffering with burns received a little after 3 o'clock this morning, when a huge gasoline tank exploded in the soap works of Walker Bros., on Kirtz Island, a few miles from this city, on the Allegheny.

The tank was 20 by 10 feet, and was almost full. The explosion caused a fire that consumed the big garbage drying plant and it was in this blaze that one man lost his life. The cause of the explosion is not known.

WANT BEST THERE IS IN BASKETBALL

Chicago, Jan. 20.—Charles A. Dean, chairman of the National A. A. U. championship basketball committee announced yesterday that the unlimited championships would be held in the First Regiment Armory on March 17, 18, and 19. As an incentive to bring the best teams together in this meeting, Dean has offered to pay the expenses of the Montreal five champions of Canada, the Birmingham, Ala. team, one of the strongest aggregations in the south; the Salt Lake City Y. M. C. A. which has had an unbeaten record in the last few years, and the San Francisco A. C., which is represented by one of the strongest teams on the coast.

URUGUAY'S TURN FOR TROUBLE NOW

Montevideo, Uruguay, Jan. 20.—The surgeons are reported to be on the Argentine border today still holding the position in which their presence was first learned. The Uruguayan government has taken the precaution of requisitioning all the horses in that vicinity so that in the event of an invasion the rebels will be unable to augment their transport facilities.

ENDS SENSATIONAL CAREER WITH ACID

Boston, Jan. 20.—Eugene Lefevre Stafford, whose career as an aeronaut and parachute jumper was only exceeded in sensationalism by his killing of his first wife's friend, Maxine B. Trussell in Boston six years ago, is dead here as the result of swallowing carbolic acid with suicidal intent.

Stafford was discouraged because he could not support his second wife as he had wished.

CHARGE THAT PREMIER ASQUITH HAS PLAYED FALSELY WITH IRISH

BREAKS IN ON POKER GAME IN AMHERST

Police Chief Arrests Eight Young Men—Town Tax Rate Likely \$2.00

Amherst, N. S., Jan. 19.—Nominations for town councillors will take place next week. So far their only on team talked of that of the labor party headed by Mayor Lowther who offers for re-election with Henry McLean, Howard Ripley and James Forsyth for councillors.

The retiring councillors are J. M. Curry, A. S. Chapman and A. C. Casey. Mayor Lowther's report for the year gives the following figures of assessed valuation:

Real estate, \$2,308,967.00. Personal, \$229,968.00. Income, \$74,680.00. The rate will be about \$2. The year has been a fairly satisfactory one in all departments.

For some time it has been known to many that gambling joints have been run in different parts of the town in open violation of the law. Since Chief Corlies was appointed he has in a quiet way been trying to have these places closed but without avail. Many complaints have been made to him by members of the families of those frequenting these places.

Early last Sunday morning, armed with a warrant issued by Stipendiary Magistrate Corlies, he raided one of the most objectionable and found eight young men with the necessary poker equipment. He arrested them and seized the table and cards. Each man gave bail to appear Monday morning to answer the charge. The case was adjourned and will come up later. The chief is to be commended for his work and law-abiding citizens must stand behind him or not complain if this sort of thing continues.

GREW HUNGRY, DISTRESS SIGNALS WERE RUN UP

Schooner for Lunenburg, Four Days Out of Provisions, Encountered Off Seal Is

Digby, N. S., Jan. 20.—(Special)—The Digby fishing schooner, Albert K. Lutz, Captain John A. Lutz, which arrived at Lower East Point on Tuesday night, reported falling in with the schooner, Lilla B. Hurler, Captain Gildert, from St. Martins, West Indies, bound to Lunenburg, her home port with a cargo of seal. She was putting out distress signals and was about thirty miles south west from Seal Island.

The captain says he went to and waited for her to come up. Capt. Gildert reported he had been out of provisions for four days and the weather being thick he did not care to approach the harbor.

Capt. Gildert sighted Cape Sable light on the 14th inst. and had to put to sea again as a gale was coming on. He broke his main boom and tore his mainmast badly. When the gale abated he was able to signal in seventeen fathoms of water. On the 16th inst. he signalled a steamer for provisions, but the steamer paid no attention to the signal.

This is the second vessel Capt. A. Lutz has fallen in with this season and supplied with provisions. Both were coming from the south.

COMMISSIONERS ON WEST INDIES TRADE ARRIVE IN NEW YORK

New York, Jan. 20.—English members of the royal commission on trade relations between Canada and the West Indies, arrived in New York tonight on the steamship Oceanic, ready to join a delegation from Canada before setting out for Jamaica next Saturday. They will visit various islands in the West Indies with a view to increasing their trade with Canada.

Among those who arrived tonight in the delegation are Lord Balfour of Burleigh, chairman, and Sir Daniel Morris.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

(Times Special Cable) London, Jan. 20.—The returns of yesterday's elections are:—Kent (Tunbridge) Clay, Unionist, 9,249; Hedges, Liberal, 3,909. Wiltshire (Chippenham) Terrell, Unionist, 4,408; Beck, Liberal, 4,129.

The state of the parties at noon was:—Unionists, 128; Liberals, 119; Labor, 22; Nationalists, 4; Unionists gains, 67; Liberal gains, 12; Labor gains, 2. Berks North, Henderson, Unionist, 4,829; Straus, Liberal, 3,776. Yorkshire (Cleveland) Samuel, Liberal, 7,841; Lewis, Unionist, 5,491. Lancashire (Chorley) Lord Balcarras, Unionist, 7,735; Bleasde, Liberal, 6,523. West Down, McCaw, unopposed, 1,908. Hampshire (Fareham) Lee, Un., 10,117; Sandy, Lib., 5,783. Dorset North, Baker, Un., 4,063; Wilks, Lib., 3,944.

IMMIGRATION TO CANADA IN 1909 SHOWS GREAT GAIN

Ottawa, Jan. 20.—(Special)—The immigration into Canada for December was 8,672, as compared with 4,969 for December 1908. The total immigration for the nine months from April to December was 158,928 as compared with 129,763 for the same period of last year, an increase of 31 per cent. For the calendar year 1909, the immigration was 181,281 and for the calendar year 1908 it was 148,799. The immigration from the United States during the period was 99,996 as compared with 57,124.

SOME LONDON PAPERS ATTACK HIM AND SAY HE HAS HEDGED ON HOME RULE—UNIONISTS HAVE MADE GREAT GAINS IN LONDON AND ARE DOING WELL TODAY IN THE RETURNS

(Times Special Cable) London, Jan. 20.—The state of the parties in the returns of yesterday's elections were:—Essex (Chelmsford) Prettymann, Un., 6,816; Oatherton, Lib., 4,771. Somerset East, Jardine, Un., 4,997; Thompson, Lib., 4,790. Surrey (Kingston) Cave, Un., 10,912; Holespelt, Liberal, 6,814. Westmorland (Kendal) Bagot, Un., 5,278; Smith, Lib., 2,798. Essex (Chelmsford) Prettymann, Un., 6,816; Oatherton, Lib., 4,771. Somerset East, Jardine, Un., 4,997; Thompson, Lib., 4,790. Surrey (Kingston) Cave, Un., 10,912; Holespelt, Liberal, 6,814. Westmorland (Kendal) Bagot, Un., 5,278; Smith, Lib., 2,798. Essex (Chelmsford) Prettymann, Un., 6,816; Oatherton, Lib., 4,771. Somerset East, Jardine, Un., 4,997; Thompson, Lib., 4,790. Surrey (Kingston) Cave, Un., 10,912; Holespelt, Liberal, 6,814. Westmorland (Kendal) Bagot, Un., 5,278; Smith, Lib., 2,798.

UNIONISTS' GAIN IN LONDON

London, Jan. 20.—A wave of tariff reform swept over a majority of the constituencies, mostly county districts, which voted for members of parliament yesterday and the Unionists, on completed returns, show a total net gain thus far of fifty-eight seats. The state of the parties as shown at 3 o'clock this afternoon was:—Government coalition, Liberals 122; Irish Nationalists 128; Opposition Unionists 128.

London, Jan. 20.—A succession of Unionist gains without a single loss, marked the related returns from yesterday's elections to parliament received up to 1:30 o'clock this afternoon. At that hour the state of the parties was:—Government coalition, Liberals 122; Irish Nationalists 128; Opposition Unionists 128.

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THEY OBJECT TO SHADOWING

YORK JOINS IN CALL FOR RAILWAY

County Council Passes Strong Resolution Endorsing Valley Line—Woodstock Speaker Says This Project Forms People's Politics

Fredericton, N. B., Jan. 20.—(Special)—The York County council this morning adopted, without discussion the following resolution, on motion of Coun. Grant, seconded by Coun. Timmins:

"Whereas we note with gratification the signs of expansion and development in the different sections of the province, and whereas transportation is the basis of a country's commercial growth and industrial expansion and further more,

"Whereas we believe that the St. John Valley possesses natural conditions favorable to unexcelled possibilities, therefore—

"Resolved that we, the York municipal council, do hereby endorse the movement now on foot to secure the immediate construction of the Valley Road and we most heartily endorse the guaranteeing of bonds in a sufficient sum to provide or facilitate the road being built without further delay with the understanding that the road to be of such a character as to be suitable to form part of a transcontinental line."

"Furthermore we desire to place on record our unanimous approval of the recent resolution of the Carleton County council in demanding prompt recognition of justice for the valley people from the federal and provincial governments' proposed line from Millville to Pokokki was also endorsed by resolution and a committee was appointed to wait on the local government and urge that the company be granted the assistance asked for."

A report from Scott Act Inspector McFarlane showed that \$350 had been collected in fines during the year and \$2,000 worth of liquor seized. Included in the inspector's expense list was an item of \$130 for counsel fees in a suit brought against him by Spitzer Belya for alleged breach of contract. Exception was taken to this item and also to the expenditure of \$60 incurred in connection with Scott Act prosecutions.

Coun. Essany moved that Mr. McFarlane be offered \$100 in settlement of his costs. (Continued on page 3; fourth column)

FOUR GIRLS AND MAN LEAP TO DEATH

Panic Follows Fire in Shirt Waist Factory in Philadelphia

Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 19.—Five persons, four girls and one man leaped to their deaths today in a panic caused by a fire in the four story factory building at 200-30 Chancery street, near Second and Walnut streets. Five others suffered injuries from which they will probably die, and many more were less seriously hurt.

The dead: Morris Pessen, aged 20 years, fractured skull. Clara Swartz, aged 18, crushed by fall. Ida Greenburg, aged 20 years, burned and crushed.

Rebecca Kaufman, aged 10 years, fractured skull. Elizabeth Chackin, aged 16, burned and crushed.

Nearly all of the dead and severely injured were employed in the shirt-waist factory of Joseph Chackin, which occupied part of the fourth floor of the building. Chackin himself was injured. One of his daughters is dead and another dying. A third daughter probably escaped a life fate by being at home attending the mother who is critically ill.

The flames, which originated in the elevator shaft on the fourth floor, are supposed to have been caused by the short-circuiting of the electric motor which ran the elevator.

THE SKATING TROUBLES

Chicago, Jan. 20.—President E. C. Brown of the Amateur Athletic Union last night refused finally, he said, to interfere for the Eastern Amateur Skating Association recently voted from the International Skating Union of America. This action was taken on a direct appeal from the officers of the deposed eastern association.

STORROW GAINS ONE MORE

Boston, Mass., Jan. 20.—At the close of the recount of the mayoralty vote for city last night, James J. Storrow, the defeated candidate for mayor, had made a net gain of 34 votes over Mayor-elect John F. Fitzgerald, reducing the latter's plurality announced by the election commissioners to 1,381 from 1,415.

MOTHER'S SACRIFICE VAIN; SHIPLEY BOY DIED TODAY

New York, Jan. 20.—Six-year-old Arthur Shipley gave up his brave fight for life today. His mother's sacrifice had proved vain, the blood infused from her veins giving only temporary relief to the desperately wounded lad.

Another murder is charged against the maniac who appeared among a party of boys coasting on Washington Heights last week and shot and killed six-year-old Robert Lomas, and wounded the Shipley lad. The search for the murderer went on with fresh eagerness today and another suspect was taken into custody at Astoria, Long Island.

ADIAN RAILWAY MEN PROTEST AGAINST BEING WATCHED CHIMES SILENCED

Woman Gets Injunction to Prevent Peal of Bells at Night—Alberta Has Scheme for Government Owned System of Pork Packing Plants

Toronto, Jan. 20.—(Special)—A demand will be made by representatives of the Railway Brotherhoods when they meet the general managers of the roads in Montreal, soon, that the practice of shadowing employees while on duty be abolished. During the past year, on pay days employees while off duty have been followed by secret service men, and if they enter saloons the fact is reported to the divisional superintendent. The men say this practice must be stopped.

Alleging nervous collapse caused by the shadowing of the quarters, Catherine Fraser, of Stratford, obtained, at Osgood Hall, yesterday, a week's injunction restraining St. James' Episcopal church from allowing the church chime of bells in the steeples to ring between 9 o'clock at night and 7 in the morning.

Legislation will be asked for at the coming session of the legislature to give power to the city of Toronto to appropriate the Street Railway Company. A resolution to this effect was adopted at a meeting of the board of council yesterday.

Several commercial travelers and the family of J. France, the proprietor, had a narrow escape from a fire that destroyed Windsor hotel at Bradstreet, Man., yesterday.

Edmonton, Alta., Jan. 20.—(Special)—Premier Rutherford and the minister of agriculture, Mr. Marshall, at a meeting of the United Farmers' Association yesterday made some important announcements. The premier gave assurance that a government owned system of pork packing plants would be established provided they guaranteed the necessary supply of animals to keep the plants running.

Mr. Marshall said that the government would lay before the railway commission the matter of railway charges for transportation of coal to isolated interior towns, which he characterized as simply outlays and demand material excess.

ONE CAR FARE A WEEK WOULD EVANGELIZE WORLD

New York, Jan. 20.—Less than one street car fare a week from every church member of the country would evangelize the world in this generation, according to a declaration of J. Campbell White, general secretary of the women's Missionary Movement.

GRAIN VIA PACIFIC COAST AND MEXICO

Edmonton, Alta., Jan. 20.—(Special)—General Manager Worsop of the Canadian Mexican Steamship Co., is here promoting his project and endeavoring to secure the support of the government and the Farmers' Association necessary to establishment of a shipping route for grain via Pacific coast and Trans-Mexican Railway.

Mr. Worsop afterwards went to England to open a connection there for marketing and for completion of his scheme.

NEGROES HANGED FOR FIENDISH MURDERS

Oceod A.R.K., Jan. 20.—William and Charles Mullin, negroes, were publicly hanged yesterday before 3,000 spectators for the murder of A. Robinson, and his daughter, houseboat dwellers.

They gave out a statement just before their execution that they shot the daughter and burned her body in a blanket saturated with oil and shot the father in a loading water and then shot him. Their purg was robbery.

OTTAWA WOMEN FORM A CANADIAN CLUB

Ottawa, Jan. 19.—The capital is to have a Women's Canadian Club and a constitution has been drawn up and approved. Countess Gray (or her successors) will be patroness, and the wife of the prime minister honorary president. Mrs. Adam Shortt occupied the chair at the inaugural meeting.

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ST. JOHN INDUSTRIES

The present year should witness considerable industrial development in St. John, whether certain large projected industries materialize or not. The fact is becoming more widely realized that successful industries can be conducted here, and that local investors need not send their money to help build up factories in Quebec, Ontario or farther west.

UNHAPPY MR. CROCKET

The disillusionment of Mr. Crocket goes on at Ottawa. The evidence given before the public accounts committee yesterday, relative to the Richardson wharf, must have contributed in no small measure to his enlightenment. He had fondly believed that in this wharf transaction he had discovered a means of getting himself with glory and the hated Liberals with shame.

FRAUD ON EMIGRANTS

It is charged that there are emigration guilds in Scotland which profess to be semi-religious or semi-philanthropic, but which are in business to make a profit out of intending emigrants to Canada. It is alleged that they induce people to emigrate from Scotland on terms which on being enquired into are really unfair, and to the disadvantage of those who accept them.

MRS. STETSON DESERTED

New York, N. Y., Jan. 20.—The last vestige of the former power of Augusta E. Stetson, deposed leader of the First Church of Christ, Scientist, disappeared last night, when the four remaining trustees, who were her supporters, resigned.

the investigation of references. They are also required to sign an agreement that each will accept such domestic position as the agencies may be able to provide, that she will remain in that position for one year, or until the amount advanced for her passage is repaid; while she is obliged to authorize the deduction of two-thirds of her monthly wages until her indebtedness is wiped out.

The Scottish agents, at their meeting the other day discussed the matter, and former an association and elected officers. It is understood that at some meeting in the immediate future, a definite line of action will be decided upon.

THE VALLEY RAILWAY

The Standard endeavors to throw the blame upon the federal government for the delay in regard to the St. John Valley Railway. The facts, however, are against it. Mr. Hazen is doing nothing. He has been asked for information and has not given it. He is trifling with the people.

EX EMPRESS STEAMERS

6 Crates Cheap Crockery Our New Goods are coming in every day. 60 Bales of New Wall Paper to open at WATSON & CO., Cor. Charlotte and Union Sts.

A BOON TO THE TENDER SKINS

McGregor's Healing Cream Will cure all roughness of the skin in any form. Get a bottle today and try it—25c. the bottle.

TRADES COUNCIL AGAINST METHODS OF STRIKERS

Cleveland, O., Jan. 20.—The United Trades and Labor Council here last night denounced the strike of 10,000 workmen against the eating of meat and called on union laboring men to refuse to sign the anti-meat pledge.

TOO LAZY TO WRITE

Publisher—This 'MS you sent in for publication is merely a lot of telegrams. The Humorist—I know. I call the book 'The Letters of a Lazy Lover.'

FATAL DEFECT

First Sport—Think Brulsem will ever become a great pugilist? Second Sport—No, he's tongue-tied.

MEN'S EXTRA TROUSERS At Specially Low Prices

This is the time of year when an extra pair of Trousers come in good play. They brighten up the Coat and Vest of the Suit you have been wearing all Fall and Winter, and make your Suit presentable until time to get a new Spring outfit.

If You Need Extra Trousers, See This Stock: Prices: \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$2.75, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$3.75, \$4.00 and \$4.50.

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

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TAN FOOTWEAR

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STIR CAUSED BY LETTER OF O'LEARY

Tories Discomforted by Contradiction of Written Word and the Evidence

Richibucto Wharf Matter. Before Public Accounts Committee at Ottawa—Production of Letter Surprise to O'Leary's Friends

Ottawa, Jan. 19.—The production of two letters from Richard O'Leary and A. & R. Loggie, of Richibucto, in the public accounts committee, this morning, placed an altogether different face upon the purchase of the sawdust wharf and adjacent property from T. O. Murray by the public works department.

what located so suitably for the uses of the railroad. We would say if we had owned the wharf we certainly would not have sold it for \$5,000, as we would consider it good value at a higher price than the government paid for it.

Yours respectfully, (Sgd.) A. & R. LOGGIE, Resident Engineer Sted, who was being examined, explained that he was led to inquire into the valuation of the wharf some time after the purchase because of some rumors that became current that too much had been paid for the property, and one inquiry was of A. & R. Loggie, who had large business interests along the coast as well as in Richibucto.

Enclosing the Loggie's reply he wrote under date of February 6, 1909, to the minister of public works: Dear Sir,—In further reference to the wharf property lately acquired by the department at Richibucto (N. B.), on which I reported to you on the 21st January, 1909, I beg to say that I wrote to Messrs. A. & R. Loggie, who are well known as being one of the largest and most reliable firms in New Brunswick, and who from their business interests in Richibucto have a good knowledge of land and wharf values there, asking their opinion on the value of the department's recent purchase.

Since my report on the 21st January I have further information in regard to the prices of land at Richibucto. Would you therefore substitute the following for the second paragraph on page 2 of the report where some changes should be made: A small lot, 60 feet frontage, just opposite the wharf, brought \$400; another adjacent to the wharf with 44 feet frontage, \$300, and a small corner lot also just opposite was held at \$700.

The lot on which the government building stands with a frontage of 230 feet, facing the wharf, was bought for \$800. An adjacent lot with 40 feet frontage was sold by the former owner of the wharf property for \$100 and afterwards bought back again. At these prices the value of the street frontage of the wharf property varies from about \$850 to \$2,500. As the land value was difficult to determine I simply mentioned it in my report as an increment to the chief value of the property, i. e., as a wharf.

I am, dear sir, yours faithfully, (Sgd.) GEOFFREY STED, Resident Engineer.

These letters were the main features of this morning's session and the charge that the department had paid too much for the property was effectively disproved for the tomorrow the committee will meet again and Richard O'Leary, W. D. Carter, D. H. Waterbury and James B. Irving will be ready to give evidence.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, ss: I, Frank J. Cheney, do hereby certify that the within and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original of the same as the same appears from the records of the said city of Toledo, Ohio.

From Dalhousie, Jan. 18, 1910. To Hon. Wm. Dugdale, Ottawa, Ont.: Regret I am unable to be present at Ottawa 19th, being confined to house for some time with bronchitis and asthma. Returning summons with doctor's certificate. Will wire you fully today. ANDREW LOGGIE.

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LIBERALS KEEP HOLD IN SCOTLAND

Unionists Make Five Net Gains in First Returns of Yesterday

Midlands Lean to Tariff Reform—Three Cornered Fights Still Hurt Liberals—So Far Looks Like Government Majority Over all

London, Jan. 19.—Of the elections for eighty-one members of the new parliament held in Great Britain today, the result of less than half was announced tonight, the others being in widely scattered districts where it takes considerable time to collect the ballot boxes.

In Northern England the Liberals generally hold the seats won in 1906. This also is true of Scotland, but the Midlands continue to go over to the party of tariff reform. The London seat which the government lost was Hackney (North), where Raymond E. Greene, the Unionist candidate, defeated T. Hart-Davis, C. W. Bowerman, a prominent Laborite, retains his seat.

The Liberals continue to lose through three-cornered fights, the Labor candidate invariably receiving just sufficient support to allow the Unionists to succeed. Already this has occurred in five constituencies, and twenty-four more are thus threatened.

The Unionists faced the same difficulty in Canterbury, J. Henniker Heaton being opposed by an independent Conservative, besides a Liberal.

Nottingham (South)—Bentinck, Unionist gain.

THE SECRET

All true success is the outcome of real personal interest and genuine endeavor. You may be designing a battleship or you may be thinking out a bright idea for a 15 cent toy, controlling a commissariat or puzzling and experimenting with fruits and spices in order to perfect a new relish for the home table, but the real road to success is just the same in one case as in such of the others. It is not what work you are doing, but how you are doing your work that really counts.

far, if the Liberal, Labor and Nationalist votes were grouped there would be a considerable majority for the reform of the House of Lords. Many Unionists also are now in favor of some change, and the Unionist leaders are finding a strong current of feeling in the country in this direction.

It is almost impossible at present to gauge popular feeling on home rule, for while Premier Asquith placed it in his platform many Liberal oscillates have been compelled to repudiate it. Practically all the Unionists are tariff reformers, but some would hardly follow as far as the Chamberlainites would lead.

London, Jan. 19.—The following are the results: Birkenhead—Vivian, Liberal, 8,120; Bigland, Unionist, 7,978. (No change).

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- ist, 6,434; Richardson, Labor, 6,000. (Unionist gain).
Yorkshire (West Riding) Elland Division—Trevelyan, Liberal, 7,468; Ramadan, Unionist, 4,886. (No change).
Glasgow (Tradeston)—Corbett, Independent Liberal, 2,996; Main, Unionist, 2,773; Mason, Liberal, 2,673. (Liberal gain).
Nottingham (West)—Yokell, Liberal, 8,065; Lygon, Unionist, 6,632. (No change).
Cardiff—Thomas, Liberal, 13,207; Stuart, Unionist, 11,632. (No change).
Hackney (Central)—Spicer, Liberal, 4,429; Cassel, Unionist, 3,883. (No change).
Glasgow (Central)—Scott-Dickson, Unionist, 6,713; Morrison, Liberal, 6,958. (No change).
Lancashire (South East) Stretford—Nuttall, Liberal, 12,917; Samuel, Unionist, 10,628. (No change).
Glasgow (Camelthie)—McKinder, Unionist, 3,277; Cross, Liberal, 2,703; Kessock, Labor, 2,443. Unionist gain).
Glasgow (St. Rollox)—Wood, Liberal, 10,019; Chamberlayne, Unionist, 6,291. (No change).
Deptford—Bowerman, Labor, 6,899; Coates, Unionist, 6,385. (No change).
Newry—Mooney, Nationalist, 1,079; Cusack, Unionist, 842. (No change).
Flint—Sommers, Liberal, 2,159; Tibby, Unionist, 1,728. (No change).
Glasgow (Bridgeton)—Cland, Liberal, 5,338; Lang, Unionist, 3,253. (No change).
Glasgow College—Watt, Liberal, 6,232; Maxwell, Unionist, 5,823. (No change).
Glasgow (Blackfriars and Hotel-stewart)—Barrow, Labor, 4,488; Constable, Unionist, 2,706. (No change).
Hackney (South)—Bottomley, Liberal, 628. (No change).

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1 Brown Cheviot Paddock Overcoat. Size 37. Regular price \$20.00. Sale price 10.00.
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2,200; Warrington, Unionist, 4,304. (No change).

Hackney (North)—Green, Unionist, 5,629; Hart-Davies, Liberal, 4,773. (Unionist gain).

Middlesex (Eding)—Nield, Unionist, 12,916; Hulbert, Liberal, 8,210. (No change).

Middlesex (Hornsey)—Ronald Shay, Unionist, 12,014; Dummett, 8,633. (No change).

Lancashire (Southeast Middleton division)—Adkins, Liberal, 7,609; Innes, Unionist, 6,396. (No change).

Carmarthen—Burgis—Williams, Liberal, 4,197; Tiverton, Unionist, 1,965. (No change).

Yorkshire (West riding)—Oley—Duncan, Liberal, 6,911; Thompson, Unionist, 5,010. (No change).

East Denbigh Boroughs—Ormsby—Gore, Unionist, 2,438; Edwards, Liberal, 2,430. (Unionist gain).

Cork City—O'Brien, Independent Nationalist, 4,533; Roche, Nationalist, 4,438; Healy, Nationalist, 4,229; Murphy, Nationalist, 3,778; Fitzgerald, Nationalist, 2,601. (East Coast—Young, unopposed).

Pembroke boroughs—Phillips, L., 3,282; Armstrong, Un., 2,877. (No change).

Leicestershire (Melton East)—Walker, L., 7,748; Yate, Un., 7,625. (No change).

Monmouth boroughs—Cayser, Un., returned. (Un. gain).

(Toronto Telegram Special Cable).

London, Jan. 19.—The chill weather, and long drawn-out polling combine to kill off the interest of the populace in the parliamentary struggle.

Scotland deals a smashing blow to the Unionist party, increasing the Liberal majorities everywhere. The Unionists now realize they will be fortunate if they escape from Scotland without having their representation decreased to seven seats.

Mr. Norris was careful to declare that his visit here had no political significance but was purely a business matter. He stated that he was investigating a Canadian paper manufacturers' methods in regard to yardage and the allowances to be made for extra heavy wrappers. He was in consultation with the leading paper men of Hull and Ottawa for several hours on Monday and Tuesday but had nothing to say regarding any arrangements which, in any event, were commercial and concerned only those in the trade.

In the opinion of Mr. Norris the proposed prohibitory clause contemplated by Quebec province regarding the export of pulp wood from crown lands would be enforced next September, as announced by premier Gouin and Hon. Jules Allard.

E. J. Armstrong presented the reports of the trustees, which showed the standing of the corporation to be very good. The expenditures for the past year were considerably heavier than in the years previous, owing to the extensive church repairs and the other unusual expenses incurred. The ordinary revenue of the congregation was \$500 in excess of that in the year previous.

The trustees' report was submitted by J. H. Crockett, that on church repair fund by H. H. Burns, and the report of the Sunday school by C. H. Deig.

Mrs. A. G. Hamm presented the report of the W. F. M. S., and Miss Mary Smith the report of the Ladies Aid Society. Both reports showed healthy activity and much increased contributions. Miss Mona Robin-

son and Miss Bessie Dobson gave the reports of the senior and junior mission bands.

The report of the Young Men's Guild, the newest organization in the church, was read by Lansdowne Belyea.

The following new trustees were elected: S. Cunningham, E. J. Armstrong, J. H. Crockett, J. V. Russell, H. H. Burns, W. J. Parks, W. E. Clayton, J. C. Henderson and C. H. Deig.

A pleasing feature of the evening was the presentation of an appreciative address and a handsome purple gown and caudex to the pastor, made by W. J. Parks on behalf of the ladies of the congregation.

The pastor in a few appropriate words thanked the ladies and congregation generally for the token of their esteem and good will.

During the evening refreshments were provided by the ladies.

CALVIN CHURCH

At the annual meeting of Calvin church last night the report of the treasurer, E. B. Hayward, showed expenditures of \$2,176.45, including \$700 for painting and lighting. For mission schemes and other charities the sum of \$422.77 was given, making a total of \$2,599.22.

The election of trustees resulted as follows: J. H. Murphy, chairman; F. S. Murphy, secretary; F. B. Hayward, treasurer; E. B. Hayward, assistant treasurer; and James Buchanan, O. J. Clark, Chas. O. Hanahan, S. E. Wark, the auditors, appointed were A. J. McKenzie and J. A. Robertson.

CARLETON CHURCH

In the Carleton church the pastor, Rev. H. R. Reid, presided. The meeting was mostly taken up with receiving the financial reports of the different organizations.

The following is the standing: Session board, balance for 1908, \$47.01; receipts, 1909, \$136.93; expenditures, \$158.60; balance, \$132.91.

Board of trustees balance 1908, \$20.72; receipts, 1909, \$173.76; expenditures, \$1,548.90; balance \$288.

Sunday school balance 1908, \$394; receipts, 1909, \$188.23; expenditures, \$137.29; balance, \$334.88.

Women's Foreign Mission Board balance 1908, \$242; receipts 1909, \$184.06; expenditures, \$126.48.

The following were elected to form the trustees board: W. L. McDermid, C. K. Stewart, Wm. Watson, T. Rippey, S. D. Wilson, A. W. Fraser, Fred. Lilly, Harold Roddick and Walter Brown.

Auditors—J. R. Cameron, Wm. Ruddick. Congregational secretary—R. A. Jamieson.

FAIRVILLE CHURCH

In the Fairville church the pastor, Rev. W. M. Townsend, occupied the chair. The reports of the various committees were read and were very encouraging. The election of trustees for the ensuing year was held and resulted in the following being chosen: John Gale, William Scrim-

CHURCHES IN ANNUAL MEETINGS

Presbyterian Congregations Hear Work of the Past Year Reviewed—Election of Officers

The congregations of the Presbyterian churches in the city held their annual meetings last night. In St. Andrew's church the attendance was large and the reports of the church officers and various organizations showed that the year had been an encouraging one. His Honor Judge Forbes presided. Rev. David Lang, the pastor, in presenting the seasonal report for the year announced that St. Andrew's led all the Presbyterian churches in New Brunswick in point of increased membership and since 1908 when he assumed the pastorate, it had increased about 60 per cent. The congregation at the time was 192 and now was 312. The financial report was presented by the treasurer, Dr. A. D. Smith. It showed: Receipts for the year, \$7,211.23; Cash on hand in bank Jan. 1, 1909, 35.80; Expenditures for the year, 7,227.91; Balance on hand in bank, 1,250.50.

Reports were read on the work of the mission band, Sunday school, cadet corps, Women's Foreign Mission Society, Guild, East Coast Society, Ladies Aid Society, Ladies' Missionary Society and music committee. A hearty vote of thanks was passed to Judge Forbes, the Sunday school superintendent, who announced his intention to retire. A vote of thanks was also passed to Alec Wilson, chairman of the music committee.

Mrs. J. H. Thomson, Mrs. Kent Sovill and Miss Homer were appointed to the music committee.

The election of trustees resulted as follows: W. M. Angus, Alex. Watson, C. B. Allan, Dr. McIntosh, Frank Rankine, Dr. P. R. Inches, R. M. Magee, J. R. Stone, E. A. Smith, D. R. Jack, R. K. Cameron.

ST. DAVID'S

In St. David's church reports for the year showed as follows:

Receipts: Balance, \$2,138.65; For congregational purposes, 5,629.71; For debt account, 930.85; For missions and benevolent, 1,829.77; For other religious purposes, 271.66.

\$8,791.90

Disbursed: Congregational purposes, \$3,529.04; Debt account, 1,250.50; Missionary and benevolent, 1,979.47; Other religious purposes, 382.49; Repairs, 128.83.

\$9,319.74

Cash in bank, \$1,610.90

The following were elected trustees for the year: F. Burpee, A. R. Melrose, Neil J. Morrison, D. McClelland, Thos. J. McPherson, James Seaton, Fred. Shaw, Robert Strain, D. W. Willett, A. Douglas, Malcolm was elected congregational treasurer.

ST. MATTHEW'S

In St. Matthew's church a large number were present. The reports from the different committees were received and showed very satisfactory results. The report of the Sunday school showed an enrollment of 70 teachers and scholars for the year. The senior mission band reported that \$68 had been collected during the year.

During the evening a handsome mention was made of the St. Matthew's guild, an organization of young men devoted to the study of social problems.

The treasurer's report indicated a decided gain in the weekly contributions to the general revenue of the church.

The following were elected to a board of trustees: J. Fraser Gregory, Thos. McMaisters, Harry Keir, John Thornton, George T. Corbett, Harold Stevens, Thos. Hastings.

After the regular meeting the board of trustees met and elected J. Fraser Gregory chairman, John Thornton, treasurer, and George Corbett secretary.

ST. STEPHEN'S

The annual meeting at St. Stephen's church was held on George M. Robertson, chairman of trustees, in the chair.

The meeting was opened by devotional exercises by the pastor, Rev. Gordon Dickie, Thomas Stoddart acted as secretary.

ST. JOHN'S

After the devotional exercises in St. John's Presbyterian church, W. J. Parks was elected to take the chair and J. C. Anderson secretary.

The pastor, Rev. J. H. A. Anderson, read the report of the session for the past year in which encouraging reference was made to the several features of the church and its work.

E. J. Armstrong presented the reports of the trustees, which showed the standing of the congregation to be very good. The expenditures for the past year were considerably heavier than in the years previous, owing to the extensive church repairs and the other unusual expenses incurred. The ordinary revenue of the congregation was \$500 in excess of that in the year previous.

The trustees' report was submitted by J. H. Crockett, that on church repair fund by H. H. Burns, and the report of the Sunday school by C. H. Deig.

Mrs. A. G. Hamm presented the report of the W. F. M. S., and Miss Mary Smith the report of the Ladies Aid Society. Both reports showed healthy activity and much increased contributions. Miss Mona Robin-

son and Miss Bessie Dobson gave the reports of the senior and junior mission bands.

The report of the Young Men's Guild, the newest organization in the church, was read by Lansdowne Belyea.

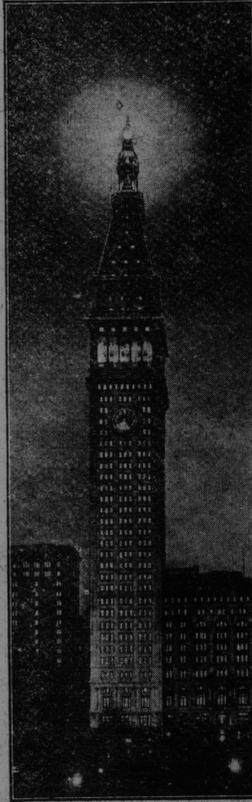
The following new trustees were elected: S. Cunningham, E. J. Armstrong, J. H. Crockett, J. V. Russell, H. H. Burns, W. J. Parks, W. E. Clayton, J. C. Henderson and C. H. Deig.

A pleasing feature of the evening was the presentation of an appreciative address and a handsome purple gown and caudex to the pastor, made by W. J. Parks on behalf of the ladies of the congregation.

The pastor in a few appropriate words thanked the ladies and congregation generally for the token of their esteem and good will.

During the evening refreshments were provided by the ladies.

THE LIGHT THAT NEVER FAILS CHRISTMAS ANNOUNCEMENT



THE Company has allotted extraordinary BONUSSES to its Industrial policy-holders payable in 1910. These are CASH BONUSSES which may be used in payment of premiums upon their Industrial policies. They were not promised in the policies, either expressly or by implication, the policies being strictly non-participating. No such bonus has ever been given by any company to its policy-holders, and no such bonus ever will be given by any other company.

BONUSSES TO LIVING POLICY-HOLDERS

To every holder of an Industrial whole life policy of the Company who shall pass the age of 75 during 1910, a bonus on its anniversary date thereafter equal to premiums for... 52 weeks

To every holder of an Industrial policy in force issued in 1879 and 1880, a bonus on its anniversary date equal to premiums for... 26 weeks

To every holder of an Industrial policy in force issued in 1881-2-3-4-5, a bonus on its anniversary date equal to premiums for... 20 weeks

To every holder of an Industrial whole life policy in force issued in 1886-7-8-9-1890, a bonus on its anniversary date equal to premiums for... 15 weeks

To every holder of an Industrial whole life policy in force issued in 1891-2-3-4-5, a bonus on its anniversary date equal to premiums for... 10 weeks

To every holder of an Industrial whole life or increasing life annuities and endowment policy issued in any year from 1896 to 1905 inclusive, a bonus on its anniversary date equal to premiums for... 5 weeks

These bonuses are thus for percentages varying from about TEN to ONE HUNDRED PER CENT. of the amount of weekly premiums for a year. It will be observed that the bonuses are graduated by the age of the policies.

The whole life policies issued between January 1, 1907, and July 1, 1909, have received a reversionary dividend of about ten per cent. of their face during the past year (that is, have been increased in amount about ten per cent.). This cost the Company \$600,000 in 1909; and will cost many hundreds of thousands of dollars in subsequent years in increased Reserve. The whole life policies, issued since July 1, 1909, have been increased about ten per cent. in amount above the amount of insurance previously provided for the same respective premiums.

BONUSSES ON DEATH CLAIMS

Death Claimants on whole life policies issued between January 1, 1907, and July 1, 1909, whose claims had been settled, have received in the last six months a payment of mortuary bonuses of about ten per cent. in addition to the amount previously received, at a cost to the Company of over \$250,000.

Payment on Death Claims in 1910 will be increased over and above the face of the Industrial policies by amounts determined by the following scale:

When death occurs after policy has been in force over 5 years... 5%

When death occurs after policy has been in force over 10 years... 10%

When death occurs after policy has been in force over 15 years... 15%

When death occurs after policy has been in force over 20 years... 20%

When death occurs after policy has been in force over 25 years... 25%

When death occurs after policy has been in force over 30 years... 30%

The cost to the Company of these CASH bonuses is estimated at

\$5,204,639.95

Added to the bonuses heretofore paid for the last sixteen years OVER AND ABOVE THE PROMISES MADE IN THE POLICIES, this will bring the total CASH bonuses up to

Twenty-one Millions of Dollars in CASH in 17 Years!

The Additional Cost of Concessions in Reserve Liability has been Four Millions of Dollars

The sources of these bonuses are:

1. Decrease in expenses—TEN PER CENT. in nine years to the close of 1908.

2. Saving in the Mortality which was expected when policies were issued.

3. Gains in Interest actually earned over the amount required by statute for accumulation of Reserves.

4. The fact that on a premium income of nearly \$50,000,000 a year the Stockholders receive only \$140,000, which is more than earned from the income of their own capital and surplus; the balance of such income going to the increase of the fund from which Bonuses are paid.

METROPOLITAN LIFE INSURANCE CO.

JOHN R. HEGEMAN, President.

CHRISTMAS GIFT OF A GREAT LIFE INSURANCE CO.

The policy-holders of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company will read the "Christmas Announcement" just issued by that famous organization with a lively feeling of self-congratulation; and even those who have no personal connection with the company will examine the announcement with deep interest and appreciation of the spirit in which it is made.

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Afraid to use hair preparations? Don't know exactly what to do? Then why not consult your doctor? Isn't your hair worth it? Ask him if he endorses Ayer's Hair Vigor for falling hair.

Does not Color the Hair

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Dowling Bros. Ladies' Coats, Skirts and Blouses. The Largest Retail Distributors of Waists in the Maritime Provinces.

Our Whitewear Sale Goes Vigorously Along

Ladies say that Prices All 'round Are a Little Lower Than Elsewhere

Corset Covers
50c., 75c., \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.75

Drawers
33c., 50c., 65c., 75c., \$1.00 and \$1.25

Underskirts
95c., \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00

Nightgowns
85c., \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.35, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.50

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95 and 101 King St.

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

DYKEMAN'S

On Friday Morning
There Will Commence At Our Store a Tremendous

Sale of Pillow Slips, Sheets, Sheetings, Towels, Towellings, White Cotton and Lawns

40 inch Pillow Slips ready for use at 10 cents each
42 inch Pillow Slips ready for use at 12 1-2 cents each

The above two lines will not be sold in large quantities to any one person, not more than one dozen to each customer.

Hemstitched 40 inch Pillow Slips, nice fine quality of cotton, two for 25 cents; 42 inch, 14 cents each.

Sheets, ready for use, 2 1-2 yards long, 2 yards wide, 79 cents each.

A large lot of English Longcloth is on sale at 10 cents a yard, full yard wide, linen finish and soft, made without dressing.

A few pieces of Fine Globe Cambric, which got wet in shipment, will be sold at 10 cents a yard. It is not injured in the least, but is wet at the ends.

Towels. Some great bargains in huckabuck towels with hemstitched ends, 30c, 35c, 40c, 45c, and 50c a pair.

We do free hemming in all sheetings, pillow cottons, table linens, etc.

F. A. DYKEMAN & CO.
59 Charlotte Street.

January Sale

Special Discounts on all lines of **FURS, CAPS and GLOVES.**

Storm Collars, Stoles and Throws in Mink, Marten, Sable Fox and Persian Lamb.
\$3.00, \$4.00, \$5.00 and \$6.50 Specials.

Men's Fur Coats,
Women's Fur Coats,
Children's Fur Coats.
—Caps, Gloves and Mufflers—
Garments to order.

Anderson & Co.
Manufacturing Furriers,
55 Charlotte St.

For Outdoor Work

We choose to be first in Working Men's Shirts, Overalls, Smocks and Jackets. Today we call your especial attention to our line of Heavy Jumpers.

Heavy Duck Coats (Homespun lined) \$3.50
Heavy Duck Coats (lined with Sheep's Wool) 4.50
Corduroy Coats (Woolen lining) 4.75
Homespun Jumpers \$2.60 and 2.85

Free Hemming Sale Continues During January

S. W. McMACKIN
335 Main Street.

Tooth Care

No part of the body requires greater attention than the teeth. If you will undertake to pay periodical visits to our office, we will guarantee to keep your teeth in perfect condition, or as near so as possible. If you want the BEST TO BE HAD IN DENTISTRY, ours is the place to obtain it, and at most reasonable prices. If, on the contrary, you want inferior and unreliable work, you will have to look elsewhere.

BOSTON DENTAL PARLORS
Dr. J. D. Maher, Prop. 627 Main Street.

CIRCULATION

The following is the average daily circulation of the Times for the last twelve months.

January	6,716
February	6,978
March	7,165
April	7,189
May	7,003
June	7,029
July	7,038
August	7,022
September	7,018
October	7,063
November	7,267
December	7,267

The Times does not get its largest sale through newspapers. It is delivered at the homes. That is the kind of circulation which is of value to advertisers.

THIS EVENING

Every Day Club concert.
Moving pictures, Master Charles Parker, Miss LeRoy and other features at the Nickel.
Motion pictures and illustrated songs at the Star, North End.
Championship races at Victoria Rink.
Moving pictures and singing at the Gem, Waterloo street.
Skating at the Queen's Rink.
"Our Own" Stock Co., at the Opera House in "Lady Huntworth's Expedition."
Zero and Zeita at the Orphanum.
Grand Rally in interests of Laymen's Missionary Movement in Leinster street church.

LOCAL NEWS

An excellent concert for the benefit of the Every Day Club will be given in their hall this evening at eight o'clock.

St. John bank clearings for the week ended Jan. 20 were \$1,880,218; corresponding week last year, \$1,344,580.

The sleigh drive of the Centenary Sunday school tomorrow has been postponed and announcement will be made on Sunday in the school.

Ter on the roof of the Dominion Metal Company's premises, north end, caught fire this morning while the roof was being repaired and the blaze was extinguished by the chemical crew.

Manifests for seventy-two cars of United States products were received at the customs house yesterday. They include seven ten cars of cattle. The total number of cars manifested on St. John from the States this season has reached 1,927.

The basket ball team of the F. M. A. was downed in a game last night with a nicked team from the Y. M. C. A. of St. Peter's by a score of 16 to 8. The game took place in the old Alexandra hall, Main street. It was interesting on account of its one-sidedness.

The skating party which was to have been held on Tuesday night by the students of the C. B. U. will be held this evening. The party will assemble in the school room about 7.30 o'clock, and from there will go to the Queen's rink. Refreshments will be served when the skating is over.

Robert Burns' anniversary will be celebrated on Tuesday next by Clan MacKenzie. The chief of the clan, Dr. G. G. Campbell, will preside and the programme will include the best of local talent. The poems and songs of Burns will be the order of the evening and there will be Scottish dances. The ladies' auxiliary of the clan recently formed, are taking a large share in the arrangements for the event.

Seaman's Institute will probably be the place of meeting.

Speaking of Rev. G. A. Kuhring the Ottawa Citizen says: "many Ottawans will remember Gus A. Kuhring, who, some twenty years or so ago, was secretary of the Y. M. C. A., when that organization was located in the present Poulton building on the corner of O'Connor and Sparks street. Mr. Kuhring was ordered by the church of England some eighteen years ago, has been elected president of the Church of England S. S. Teachers' association of New Brunswick, which met in session in St. John last week. This is the second time Mr. Kuhring has occupied this responsible position."

At the home of Rev. M. E. Fletcher, 249 Watson street, West side, last night, a pleasant time was spent, when the members of the Senior Mission Band of the Charlotte street Baptist church, called on their pastor to pay a social visit. The president of the band, Miss Ethel Evans, presided. Rev. Mr. Fletcher gave an address on "The Telegu Feld," which was very interesting, and greatly appreciated. After this, the meeting was turned into a social and an enjoyable time resulted. Refreshments were served, and the gathering dispersed about 10.30 o'clock.

THE PRICES OF ICE

The St. John Ice Company have announced that they will sell ice this year at \$2 per 1000 pounds instead of \$2.50 to \$3, as formerly. This price will be for the wholesale trade.

Alderman Scully, manager of the Union Ice Company says their price will be \$1.50 per 1000 pounds as it has always been, or \$2.50 to \$3 a ton.

The St. John Ice Company state that they have about half their crop stored and the Union Ice Company is making good progress with their work, having started out on Tuesday last.

\$25.00 For The Best Suggestion To Boost St. John

A movement is afoot to boost St. John. How can it best be done? For the best suggestion, told in not more than 100 words, The Times and Telegraph will pay \$25.00. The contest will close on January 31. Try to suggest something practical. The award will be made by independent judges. Address "Suggestion," Box 14, The Times, St. John.

GIRL SKATERS' FLIRTATIONS MEET REBUFF

To Their Consternation and Confusion Find They Were Trying to Attract Attention of Two Young Clergymen

Having just a lovely time in their endeavors to get up an innocent flirtation with two skaters on Lily Lake two city maidens, who went out there Monday experienced a rude awakening that they are not likely to forget for some time. It was all a mistake, and a horrible one for that matter, for their romancing of the stalwart escorts for the return home was changed all abruptly to a hurried departure with not so much as a gentle wave of the hand to the graceful skaters.

The story in brief is that while two young women from the city were enjoying the skating on Lily Lake they beheld at the other end of the lake two gentlemen skaters. There, apparently was fun for the skating after, and after it they went. Nearing the skaters of the opposite sex they were surprised that the latter speeded in another direction. Every effort to getting within distance met with the same result.

Noticing the boots and overcoats of the gentlemen on the park pavilion they tied the boot laces into numerous knots and, turning the overcoats inside out, departed to watch results. It didn't work worth a cent, and the persistent females skated towards the "shoot the chutes" in a last vain hope, and they were glad as one of the gentlemen skated in their direction.

As he turned about they had a full view of his face under his cloth cap he was wearing pulled over his eyes; hearts stood still, they recognized a young city clergyman. Then his companion was also seen to be a fellow clergyman. The girls quickly removed their skates, hastened to untie the many knots in the shoe strings and fix up the overcoats, but they were not permitted to trip faces homeward before they were accosted by the clergymen whom they first recognized who asked quietly, "Now are you not ashamed of yourselves?"—and they were.

NURSES ENJOY THEIR RE-UNION

Dinner in White's Last Evening—Toast List and Good Time Generally

The dinner given by the Graduate Nurses' Association last night in White's restaurant, King street, was one of the most enjoyable events of its kind this season. It was attended by about forty of the members of the nursing profession and all enjoyed it to the fullest extent. The preparations were in the hands of the following committees, composed largely of the officers of the association: Mrs. W. O. Dunham and Misses Mitchell, Kellier, McCutcheon, Holt, Murray, Armstrong and Burns.

The president of the association, Miss E. J. Mitchell, presided at the table and Mrs. W. O. Dunham acted as toastmistress. The King being proposed all present joined in singing the National Anthem. The toasts then given were as follows: "The Nurses," responded to by Miss Mitchell; "Our Profession," responded to by Mrs. J. Henney and Miss Nellie Graham; "The Nurses' Association," responded to by Miss E. P. Hegan of the private hospital staff and Miss Alice Burns; and "The Evening," responded to by Miss L. Hewitt, of the general public hospital staff.

The dinner was served in fine style, and in a manner reflecting credit on the new manager of the White Catering Company, Mr. Vincent. The ladies enjoyed a programme of dancing and music until midnight when the gathering dispersed. A solo by Miss Frances O'Keefe was received with much applause. One of the entertaining features of the evening was a "veneer pie," from which each of the nurses took a piece, reciting at the same time a short appropriate rhyme.

The evening was brought to a close by the singing of "Auld Lang Syne."

MRS. OSBORNE MAY LOSE HER LICENSE

Commissioners Looking Into Westmorland Road Case in Police Court Yesterday

As a result of the case in the police court yesterday morning in which a fine of \$20 was struck against Mrs. Margaret Osborne, though not enforced, on a charge of having liquor on her licensed beer premises on Westmorland Road, it is said to be probable that her license will be taken from her, unless she can explain her conduct in a manner satisfactory to the commissioners.

At the meeting held by the commissioners yesterday afternoon, the preliminary steps were taken to cancel the license, and Inspector J. B. Jones, was authorized to notify Mrs. Osborne to be present before the members of the board at a meeting to be held on the 28th of the month, when she will be called upon to explain. In respect to this charge, the law states under section 124 of the liquor license act, that anyone found guilty of an offence of this nature shall have his license cancelled.

On Friday next the officers of the board will make an inspection of the premises of the saloon keepers in the city and, on the observations made in this inspection will to some extent depend the granting of licenses.

TABERNACLE CHURCH ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the Tabernacle Baptist church was held last night. The pastor Rev. G. D. Milberry presided and the election of officers resulted as follows: A. H. Patterson re-elected church clerk; L. Tower, re-elected treasurer; W. L. Hatfield, financial secretary; A. H. Patterson, James A. Beves, Hugh Parker, George Colwell, M. Lunn, Harry Jones, F. J. Allaby, E. L. Vincent, G. Weatherly, G. M. Tennent, C. L. Tower and E. W. Rowley, trustees.

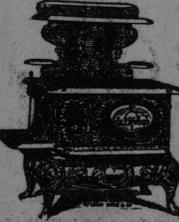
The report of the Sunday school was made by the superintendent, Edgar Campbell and showed the school in a flourishing condition.

The treasurer's statement showed the receipts for the year \$1,978.17 and the expenditures \$1,532.74.

25c. **G R I T Z** 5 lb. Bag

5 lb. Bag **G R I T Z** 25c.

You Don't Judge a Book By Its Cover and You Don't Want to Judge a Range By Its Nickel



In looking for a Range, you will find plenty of them in all sizes, covered with nickel and away below the price of the plain ones. But nickel on a stove won't make it work any better. In getting a Range, you want to know what kind of grate it has, what kind of draft, how the damper is arranged. If the firebox is built in proportion with the oven, it has to heat. If the stove will clean out right, if you can always get repairs when wanted, and many other smaller details, we have not room to mention. Our Glenwood Ranges are made to answer all these requirements, and we have placed on them just enough nickel to make them look right. Come and examine them for yourselves. Made in St. John.

McLean, Holt & Co., 155 UNION ST. Phone 1545

January 20, '10

Men are Buying Clothes for Next Winter, as well as for Present Wear at the OAK HALL January Sale

And they are wise men who appreciate the great economy of buying splendid clothing at such big savings. No clothing is better made or will give better service than ours, and the styles are so good and so conservative that next season they'll be just as much in fashion as they are now.

So whether you need clothing for immediate wear or want to provide for future use, it will pay you to take advantage of this sale.

At our regular prices this clothing would be cheaper by at least 25 per cent. than clothing sold elsewhere. Now you can buy it at big reductions from our usual prices, and the savings will average half or more than half of other store's prices for the same grade of fabrics and workmanship.

MEN'S OVERCOATS		MEN'S SUITS	
Regular \$8.00 Overcoats reduced to	\$ 5.90	\$ 6.50 Tweed Suits reduced to	\$ 4.30
Regular 10.00 Overcoats reduced to	7.35	8.50 Tweed Suits reduced to	6.35
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