

GOOD THINGS COMING TO THEATRES OF ST. JOHN.

FAMOUS BALL PLAYER HERE

"Pop" Anson, Former Manager and Star Player, at Opera House—Other Good Vaudeville Numbers.

Baseball fans throughout the city will have an opportunity during the week-end of seeing and meeting Adrian C. "Pop" Anson, famous big league player and manager, who is appearing in the Opera House in a snappy baseball skit, written especially for him by a famous sport writer, Ring W. Lardner.

EVER HEAR OF DANISH PASTRY?

St. John Soon to Be Treated to This Popular and Tasty Palate Regulator.

L. C. Klitting, a native of the Isle of Lessee, Denmark, and the man who introduced the delectable pastry of that land to Canada and the United States, is in town and is at the Royal.

In Marion, O., on route here, he gave a demonstration of his skill as a pastry baker in a local bakery, the first 100 pieces baked being presented to President-elect and Mrs. W. G. Harding.

In 1918, two days after Klitting's arrival in the United States he furnished sweets for the White House wedding. He is at present on a tour of the world to spread Danish pastry "propaganda" in every civilized country.

In New York the new culinary creations have taken hold to the extent of almost 1,000,000 pieces a day, and visits to Hawaii, Japan and China are expected to produce equally favorable results.

Mr. Klitting has toured thirty states and also demonstrated his culinary art in Toronto, Montreal and Quebec.

LOCAL NEWS

Parity sale Portland Methodist church, in Court Building, corner Main and Portland streets, Saturday, Feb. 19, 2-5 p. m.

SAY IT WITH FLOWERS. Special sale of spring flowers. Daffodils, 75c-\$1.00 per dozen. Tulips, 75c-\$1.00 per doz. Narcissus, \$1.00 per doz. Potted plants, 75c-\$1.20. K. Pedersen, Ltd., 36 (wrong side) Charlotte St. 2117-2-21

ONE MORE DAY OF DOLLAR BARGAINS. Men's suits, regular from \$22 to \$50, today \$14.98 to \$38.98. Boys' suits, regular from \$10.50 to \$16, special for bargain day \$6.98 and up. Men's pants from \$2.98 up. Men's caps, special today, \$1.98 and up. Men's dress shirts at 75c. Also a full line of men's and boys' furnishings, suitcases and trunks. Union Clothing and Furnishing Co., 300 Union St. 2-20

Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths, 50 cents.

DEATHS. PRICE—In this city on the 18th inst., Joseph H. Price, leaving his wife, two children, father, one brother and eight sisters to mourn. Funeral from his late residence, 92 Somerset street, on Saturday at 2-30. Friends invited.

WARD—In Melrose, Mass., on February 18, 1921, Catherine, widow of John Ward, leaving five daughters and two sons to mourn.

CARR—In this city on February 17, William Carr, son of the late James and Catherine Carr, in the sixty-fifth year of his age, leaving a wife, three brothers and two sisters to mourn.

FUNERAL from the residence of his brother, Henry Carr, 74 Forest street, Friday, service at 3-30.

TOWNSHEND—At Detroit, Mich., on February 16, Murray Llewellyn, elder son of Frederick E. and Bessie Townshend, in the sixth year of his age.

PURDY—On February 17, 1921, at 281 Douglas Ave., Miss Anna Theresa Purdy. Funeral from 141 Douglas Avenue, at 2-30 p. m., Saturday.

IN MEMORIAM. McBEATH—In loving memory of Brannen McBeath, who entered into rest Feb. 15, 1920. Gone but not forgotten. WIFE AND DAUGHTER.

KELLY—In loving memory of Bandman Vincent J. Kelly, who died Feb. 18, 1918 at the First Eastern General Hospital, Cambridge, Eng. Gone but not forgotten. WIFE, MOTHER AND CHILDREN

CARD OF THANKS. Mrs. J. McIlveen and family wishes to thank her many friends, and relatives for kindness shown in her recent sad bereavement and for the beautiful flowers sent and especially thanking the "Longshoremen's Association, Local 278, and the Ship Liners Union Local 2089.

The family of Mrs. J. T. Mann wishes to thank their many friends for kindness and sympathy shown in their recent bereavement; also for floral offerings.

MURDER CHARGE AGAINST STEEVES

Man Whose Wife and Five Children Died in Fire Near Moncton, Under Arrest.

As a sequel to the fire near Moncton on Tuesday in which Mrs. Gains Steeves and five children lost their lives, Gains Steeves, the husband and father was arrested last evening in Moncton charged with murder. The coroner's jury in its verdict recommended further investigation into the circumstances surrounding the fire if necessary and the attorney-

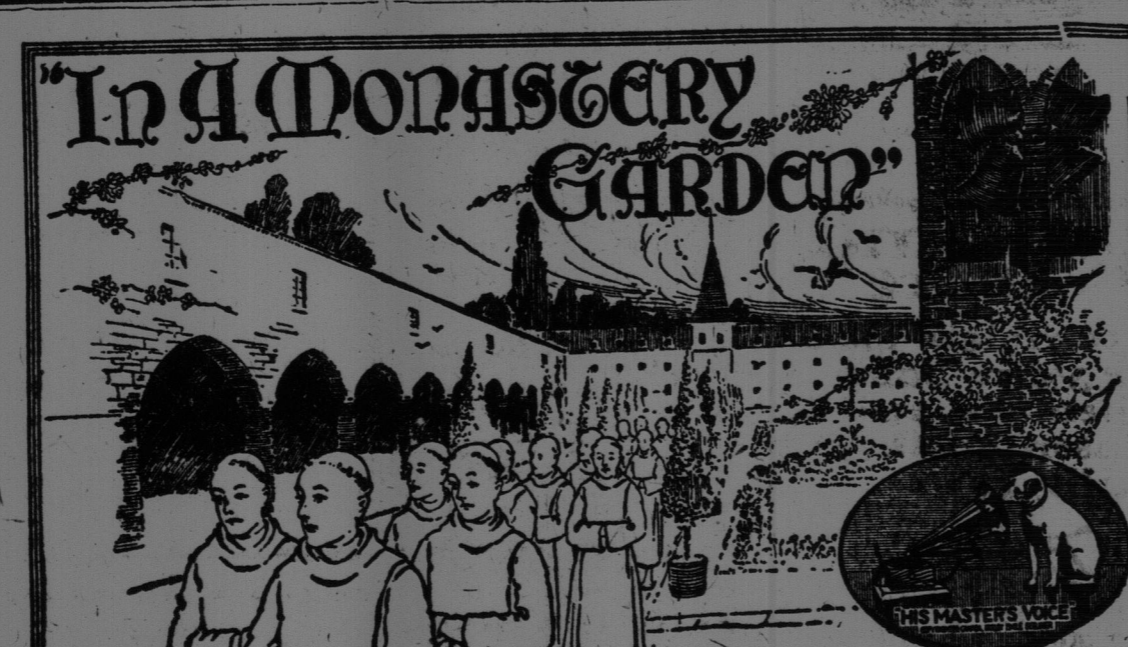
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KIEV THREATENED

Herne, Feb. 18.—Kiev is threatened by insurgents, who are rapidly growing in numbers, according to news from Ukraine. The Soviet government is sending reinforcements from Kharkov and Moscow to the Kiev garrison, which now amounts to 40,000 men. It is reported that there was a reign of terror in the city of Kiev during January, and nearly 1,000 persons were killed.



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THIS is positively the greatest one dollar's worth of music ever placed on a 10-inch record, and is more over a triumph in the art of up-to-date recording, being absolutely perfect in tone and entirely free from all disagreeable surface noises—a musical gem that should be added to your collection. Be sure to hear it at any "His Master's Voice" dealer.

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LOCAL NEWS. LEVINE'S FOR BARGAINS. SALE OF CANDY. WALL PAPER.

DISTURBANCE AT TORONTO MEETING. Four Interruptors Ejected as Major Putnam and Rustomjee Try to Speak.

Hoots, hisses, cat calls and boisterous conversation interrupted both speakers, and not even the appeal of Major Putnam that "an old man of seventy-seven years," be allowed to finish what he had to say was heeded.

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OPERATION OF HOME RULE ACT

British Determination to Apply it Opens New Complications—Much Speculation on Result.

Dublin, Jan. 30.—(Associated Press Correspondence)—British determination to apply the newly-enacted home rule bill has injected new complexities into the Irish imbroglio.

Preparations for the application of the act in Northern Ireland are in an advanced stage. There is to come into force at the earliest possible moment the splendid Belfast City Hall.

It is assured that the Carson adherents will have a working majority in the result will depend on the extent to which the Nationalists in northeast Ulster, dissatisfied with its severance from the rest of Ireland, go to the polls.

From several sources, "federal" are being put forth in the endeavor to bring about a coalition of opinion among moderate Home Rulers to accept office.

The old Irish parliamentary party has made no move, and its members seem indisposed to run counter to Sinn Fein sentiment.

The act even provides that local parliaments may, if they choose, abolish themselves altogether and return the central council into one parliament for the general body, this single parliament if it is ever constituted, would exceed in importance and functions the home rule parliaments contemplated by Parnell and Redmond.

LOCAL NEWS

Commencing Saturday, The Strand Cafe will serve dinner for 85c, and will sell a six meal ticket for \$1.90.

OLD COUNTRY CLUB Don't forget weekly dance, 7 p. m. tonight. Orange Hall, German street.

Wanted to buy two or three family house. Address P. O. Box 1150.

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UNION MADE GOODS. Peabody and Brotherhood overalls, gloves, underwear, boots, shirts, sweaters and pants at low level prices.

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Two dollars worth of music for 25c. Five cents extra for postage. McDougal's Piano Music Co., 7 Market Square, St. John.

White ash stove or nut hard coal. Special coal for feeders. J. S. Gibbon & Co., Ltd. Phone Main 2886 or 594.

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To Get a Cold in One Day. Take GIBBON'S LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE TABLETS. The genuine bears the signature of E. W. Grove.

HERE'S A NEW USE FOR MONEY Zurich Brewer Labels His Bottles With Bank Notes.

Zurich, Feb. 18.—Labelling beer bottles with bank notes is the latest money-saving plan devised by a thrifty Swiss brewer.

The members of the sewing circle of Dominion L. O. B. A. No. 18 had a very enjoyable sleigh drive last night and returned to the home of Mrs. George Oram, 148 Britain street, where after a bank supper had been served, the rest of the evening was spent in games.

Mr. and Mrs. John Raymond of Norton, have recently received two illuminated imperial scrolls, in commemoration of their two sons, who gave their lives in the great war for King and country.

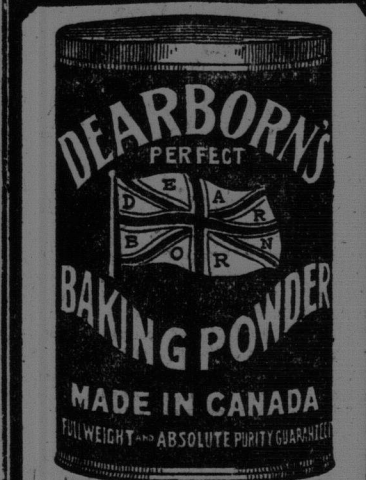
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Strictly Fresh Eggs, per doz. 65c

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Potatoes, 1/2 bbl. bags... \$1.50

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3 lb. Tins... 75c
5 lb. Tins... \$1.25
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BLUE SUITS—\$45 reduced to \$30. Broken lines at \$40 in small and large sizes, for \$25.

SHIRTS—\$1.00, now 75c. Neckties—75c, now 49c; \$1.00, now 67c; \$1.50, now 95c.

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1 lb. Tin Maple Butter... 25c
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35c Castile Soap... 4 for 1.00
40c Norway Pine Syrup... 3 for 1.00
35c Peroxide Cream... 4 for 1.00

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A. O. H. CELEBRATES The twenty-eighth anniversary of Division No. 1 of the A. O. H. was celebrated last evening by an entertainment and smoker held in their rooms in Union Street.

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Choice Round Steak a pound... 30c
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The Evening Times and Star

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"THE ANCIENT GRUDGE"

A group of citizens, one of whom was a native of the United States, but long a resident of St. John, fell into a discussion of international relations. One St. John man smilingly objected to the claim that the United States was ignorant of things Canadian. It was conceded by two who had lived for years in the United States that they had never heard an unkind reference to Canada or Canadians. They did hear such references to England. This brought forth a discussion of "the ancient grudge" which still to some extent poisons the air in New England and some other states against England, and in Canada against the United States.

The writer in the Post contends that "services like these are public services and should be paid for by the public." That is the view that obtains in the Canadian department of labor, and is being carried out in Winnipeg. In the words of the New York Journal:—"Sooner or later the public will make vocational guidance and employment supervision part of the programme that includes continuation schools—which are themselves 'financing' agencies for boys and girls who have gone too early into industry."

The proposed public meeting in the interests of vocational training in St. John should be marked by so large an attendance of the friends of the cause as would leave no doubt about the sentiment of the people at large regarding a matter which affects in so vital a way the interests of those who seek knowledge and training to fit them better for the tasks of life.

The Board of Trade is on solid ground in advocacy of the continuance of vocational training classes. So are the Trades and Labor Council and the Local Council of Women. Other organizations should not be indifferent.

The late Senator McSweeney's successor in the senate is a Conservative. Under the Melghen government no Liberals need apply. Union government is now the order of the day.

LIGHTS OF HOME

The lights of home, the lights of home. That glimmer through the orchard trees. Of all the lights of all the world. There are no other lights like these.

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LIGHTER VEIN

Cold waves, like tax collectors, come around every year. But you can't escape the latter, even if you go to Florida.

Terrible

"But, father," said the pretty heiress, "if you refuse, Jack will die of a broken heart."

"You are a poor diagnostician, my child," returned her parent. "The trouble he is more likely to die of is starvation."

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ALMAHADE FOR ST. JOHN, FEB 18. A.M. 7.48. L.A. Tide. 2.00. High Tide. 7.19. Sun Sets. 5.56.

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Seventy-six in New Westminster Ignore the School Board Ultimatum.

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BROME MEMBER ATTACKS WIGNORE

Says He Pledged Himself First to Look After St. John—League of Nations Expenditure Criticized in the Senate.

Ottawa, Feb. 18.—(Canadian Press)—In the common sense yesterday L. J. Gauthier, St. Hyacinthe-Rouville, made a sharp attack on the Liberal party and on some of its leaders. He foretold something of a great leader from the Province of Quebec.

LOCAL NEWS

At a meeting of the French Club this week at the residence of Miss Miriam Hatheway, Horsfield street, a letter expressing gratitude was received from the town of Saint-John, for a donation from the club. The subject last evening was French law.

MRS. E. A. SMITH AGAIN PRESIDENT

Gratifying Reports Presented at Annual Meeting of the Hospital Aid.

It was with feelings almost of jubilation that the Women's Hospital Aid heard the splendid reports given at its second annual meeting in the board of trade rooms yesterday afternoon.

At a meeting of the board of commissioners of the general public hospital yesterday, it was decided to refuse admission to the hospital to any patient having no legal settlement in New Brunswick, unless the government underwrites the maintenance of the patient while there.

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STRANGEST MASCOT STORY OF SEASON

Ship News Reporters' Credulity Severely Taxed by Yarn From Liner.

New York, Feb. 18.—The strangest mascot story that has ever taxed the credulity of ship news reporters reached New York when the United States mail liner Old North State came into port, carrying, in addition to her passengers, a small but gallant Scotch terrier and two tiny kittens. The terrier, Sandy, was picked up in a suburb of London two trips ago by the ship's commander, Captain Marshall, of the United States Naval Reserve.

Sandy became the ship's mascot. One of the crew this trip stumbled upon the pair of kittens, who had in some mysterious manner found a berth in the fore-cabin. Sandy and the kittens became fast friends, and Sandy got into the habit of giving his companions an airing by carrying them, one at a time, in his mouth from their quarters below up to the bridge.

Last Thursday, Captain Marshall said, they ran into a short but fierce gale. Just as Sandy was carrying one of the twins up to the bridge, her plump neck fast between his teeth, a huge wave hit the deck and took with it Sandy and the kitten. Captain Marshall and the passengers were quite bowed down with grief when another wave struck the vessel, and when it had washed its way back into the sea, lo, and behold, there was Sandy wet and bedraggled, his right forepaw broken, but the kitten safe and sound still clutched in his teeth.

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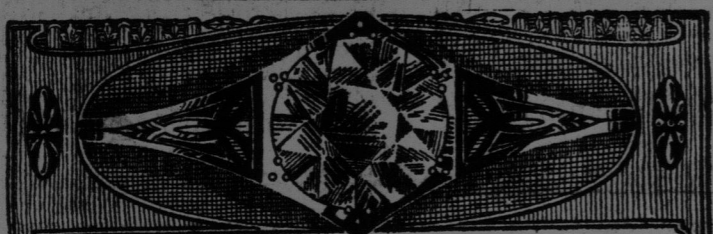


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WOULD NEGOTIATE FOR WEST INDIES

U. S. Senate Suggests This as Means of Britain and France Paying War Bills.

Washington, Feb. 18.—As a means of permitting England and France, the two largest debtor nations of the United States, partly to reduce their indebtedness to this country, Senator Willis of Ohio, who took Senator Harding's seat recently, suggests that negotiations be begun with a view to ceding the French and English West Indian possessions to the United States.

From England the United States would obtain, under Senator Willis' plan, the island of Jamaica, the islands in the Bahama group, the Windward Islands, and the islands of the Lesser Antilles, including Trinidad in the Caribbean Sea, just north of Venezuela.

From France the United States would obtain the island of Guadeloupe and a number of smaller islands in the West Indies.

Acquisition of these islands by the United States would give this nation complete control of the West Indies and the smaller islands which extend south from the Florida Keys to the coast line of South America.

"If we are to be a great maritime power," Senator Willis declares, "control of these islands is necessary for the United States. Cuba looks upon us as a big brother. Porto Rico is an American territory. We are virtually in charge of Haiti and Santo Domingo, while we have recently acquired the Virgin Islands. These islands are necessary to the United States not only from an economic standpoint but also as a future means of safeguarding the Panama Canal."

The Ohio senator does not propose that the United States accept the islands in return for cancellation of the debt, which totals \$4,277,000,000 in so far as Great Britain is concerned, and \$8,974,000,000 in so far as France is concerned.

"The islands are not worth this sum to the United States," he declared, "but they are worth quite a sum of money. I would be willing for congress to authorize a liberal allowance for their acquisition. They could be made valuable dependencies of the United States."

TO PUT CURE ON BILLIARDS.

Bill Coming to Limit Hours and Prohibit Stakes.

Albany, Feb. 18.—An elaborate bill to regulate billiard and pool parlors will be introduced by Senator Seymour Lowman of Chemung, and Assemblyman George F. Wheelock of Livingston. The measure which is headed by the New York State Civic League, of which Chase of Brooklyn, is the head, provides that pool rooms and billiard parlors must close at one o'clock and remain closed until seven o'clock in the morning.

The bill also decrees that blinds must be raised one-third the height of the windows to give at all times an unobstructed view of the interior from the street. Two violations of the proposed law would debar any person conducting a billiard parlor from continuing the business even as an employer.

The measure contains severe provisions against billiard games for stakes.

Additional subscriptions to the mayor's list for the victims of the recent fire in West St. John were received yesterday. H. S. Gregory & Sons donated \$20 and Baird & Peters \$20. From anonymous sources \$12 was received. The total to date is \$88 and the list is open still.

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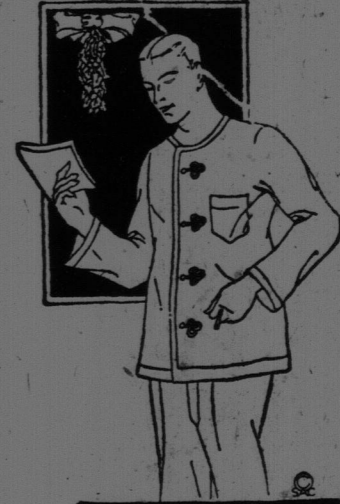
Our Spring assortments not only include correct models and tailoring of unflattering quality, but they embrace suits built with an appreciation of the varying needs of different types of figures, different statures and different needs.

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RECENT DEATHS

C. H. Townshend, of the C. H. Townshend Piano Co., Limited, received death of his grandson, Murray Llewellyn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred E. Townshend, at Detroit, Mich., on Wednesday, February 10, after a very short illness of diphtheria.

E. L. Hagerman of Toronto, a native and former resident of Woodstock, died at his home yesterday in Toronto, at the age of sixty years. He is survived by his widow, two daughters, three brothers and two sisters.

The death of James Dickson of Upper Rexton, Kent county, occurred at the home of his son John yesterday. He was eighty-five years of age, and had lived in Rexton all his life. One son and two daughters survive.

HEAT TURNS BODY BLACK.

Gas Stove in Full Blast in Dead Man's Room.

Olean, N. Y., Feb. 18.—Turned from white to black by the terrific heat, which existed in his room for two days, John Sherwood, thirty-eight, was found dead, following a forced entrance into his room. Sherwood went to his room on Sunday night and had not been seen since.

A gas stove, which was still burning in the room when entrance was gained, gave forth a heat that staggered the first man to enter. Identification of the body was possible only through the clothing.

Locomotives and cars have been built for the French railroad in the Sahara that are specially designed to withstand the force and cutting effect of sandstorms.

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The most expensive food is generally the poorest in real nutriment. Considering its high nutritive value, Shredded Wheat Biscuit is without doubt the cheapest food in the world today. It contains all the rich muscle-making elements in the whole wheat grain. The price was not pushed up on account of the war so we don't have to come down. Shredded Wheat contains more real nutriment than meat or eggs, and costs much less.

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Linen Cup Towels, 21x32. Sale Saturday 43c.

Wool Dress Serges, several colors. Sale Saturday \$2.19 yard

Wool Dress Serges, regular \$3.45. Sale Saturday \$2.49 yard

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Stamped Tray Cloths, 18x27. Sale Saturday 58c. each

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Voile Blouses Sale Saturday \$3.00

Sale of odd Blouses, all good styles. Sale Saturday \$4.19

Children's Navy Referees, brass buttons. Sale Saturday \$6.75

Princess Slips, good quality. Sale Saturday \$1.38

Envelope Combinations, value \$1.68. Sale Saturday \$1.19

Flannelette Bloomers Sale Saturday \$1.19

Women's Summer Vests, light weight. Sale Saturday 59c.

Women's Winter Combinations Sale Saturday \$1.98

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Women's Ribbed Drawers, value \$1.25. Sale Saturday 89c.

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Tells Story of Privation in Soviet Jails

M. Schwartz, Once a Bolshevik, Sadly Enlightened

Lost Wife After Hunger Strike in Moscow—Escaped Himself Through Evasive Reply—Utters Warning to Reds.

St. John, Jan. 30.—(Associated Press Correspondence)—Prisoners in the jails of the Soviet Union, when condemned to death, called out to be shot by soldiers who led them into the cells at midnight.

(In a previous statement, Mr. Schwartz said of the death of his wife as a result of a hunger strike she began to end her imprisonment in Moscow, denounced munism in Russia and said he was back to America to tell the world the actual facts about the Russian situation.)

Tall and gaunt, his black hair and beard heavily streaked with grey, the American, who had been a Bolshevik before a visit to Russia "saddened and enlightened" him, described in a supplemental statement, the cold fear and trembling in which Soviet prisoners sit for the visits in the dead of night.



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But they him upstairs instead of down. He was taken before an official named Feldman, in whose hands was the power of life and death over all prisoners in his charge. This man said he had reviewed Schwartz' case and that American was free to go.

THE ARGUMENT FOR MOTHERS' PENSIONS

It Pays the State to Have Children Reared by Their Own Mother.

(The Outlook.) The other day in one of our courts a mother was separated from her children. One of the children was a boy seven years old and the other a girl four years old.



employs strangers to bring them up under the mothers' pension system this mother, instead of strangers, is paid by the state to do the very work she is presumably most fitted to do—bring up her own children.

Quebec Liquor Law. Quebec, Feb. 18.—(Canadian Press.)—Amendments made to the Quebec liquor bills, which were given third reading in the legislative assembly last night, only altered minor details.

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Table listing shoe prices: LADIES' (Black Kid House Slippers, Tan Calf Brogues, etc.), BOYS AND GIRLS' (Misses' High Cut Black Storm Boot, etc.), GENTLEMEN' (Splendid assortment High Grade Boots, etc.).

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Men talk a great deal about what they call "the conservation of natural resources." By natural resources they mean lands, waters, forests and mines.

MUTT AND JEFF—ALL WE'LL SAY IS THAT MR. HARDING HAS CHOSEN WISELY. By "BUD" FISHER. A political cartoon strip showing characters discussing President Harding's appointment.

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FOR SALE—IMMEDIATELY, NICELY located business, books, stationery, magazine, exchange library, news stands, toys, china, etc. Good paying business. Bargain. Apply 92 Wall street, evenings. 21086-2-21

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TO LET—UPPER FLAT, 6 ROOMS, 73 Queen street. See Tuesday and Thursday M. 4408-11. 21084-2-21

FURNISHED ROOMS
TO LET—FURNISHED ROOM, 42 Carleton street. 20702-2-21

WANTED—FEMALE
WANTED—GIRL CHAMBER-MAID, Apply Hotel Asia, Mill and Pond streets. 21087-2-25

WANTED—MALE HELP
Inspector Wanted
An experienced Life Insurance salesman is required by the Exclusive Life Insurance Company as inspector for New Brunswick. Salary and expenses paid.

FOR SALE—SUMMER COTTAGE, 4 rooms, River Road, Fair Vale, 4 minutes from station, 5 from River. Lot 100 x 240 ft. Box L 87, Times. 21085-2-21

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WANTED—GIRL OR WOMAN, Apply 110 Ludlow, West, or Phone West 768. 21026-2-23

WANTED—BOY TO LEARN THE Wholesale Dry Goods business. Good opening for bright boy, schooling 8 grade or higher. Apply to Times Office. 21120-2-2

DEMAND THAT PAY BE DOUBLED
Austrian Civil Servants Also Want Large Bonus—Railwaymen Threaten Strike.
Vienna, Feb. 18.—Civil servants have sent the government an ultimatum for immediate doubling of salaries and a bonus of 6,000 crowns each. The railwaymen demand a double allowance threatening that if it is refused they will strike on Saturday.

NEW SENATORS
The vacancies in the senate caused by the death of Senators William Dennis of Halifax and Peter McSweeney of Moncton have been filled by the appointment of John Stanfield of Truro and John A. McDonald of Amherst and Shediac.

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WANTED—FLAT, 6 ROOMS, FAMILY, 8 adults. Fairly central. Box L 83, Times. 21058-2-24

TO LET—SMALL FLAT, 2 ROOMS AND BATH, 140 Waterlo, Phone 2098-2-21

TO LET—SMALL FLAT, 4 ROOMS, 111 King St. West, Telephone 133 West. Thompson. 20935-2-19

WANTED—GIRL OR MIDDLE aged woman for light house work. Apply 23 Dock street. 20704-2-21

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WANTED—POSITION AS CALCULATOR Operator. Experienced. Box L 80, Times. 21014-2-21

TOOK ONLY MONEY
Hamilton Robbers Left Stock in Jewelry Store Untouched
Hamilton, Ont., Feb. 18.—Two armed barfitts held up Frank Strickton, jeweler, in his shop at noon, yesterday, and while one of them pointed a revolver at the jeweler's head, the other cleaned out the till. They took \$800 in cash, but did not touch any of the stock.

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New York, Feb. 18, 1921.
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Allis Chalmers	89 1/2	90 1/2	90 1/2
Am. Can. Co.	20 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2
Am. Car & F.	128 3/4	129 1/2	129 1/2
Am. Locomotive	89 3/4	89 3/4	89 3/4
Am. Smelters	48 3/4	48 3/4	48 3/4
Am. Sunbeam	82 3/4	82 3/4	82 3/4
Am. Woollens	66 1/2	66 1/2	66 1/2
Am. Copper	88 1/2	88 1/2	88 1/2
Atchafalpa	82 3/4	82 3/4	82 3/4
Bait & Ohio	34 3/4	34 3/4	34 3/4
Baldwin Loco	94 3/4	94 3/4	94 3/4
Boycott	82 3/4	82 3/4	82 3/4
Can. Pac.	110 1/2	110 1/2	110 1/2
Central L. Co.	36 1/2	36 1/2	36 1/2
Corn Producers	71 1/2	71 1/2	71 1/2
Crucible Steel	95	94 1/2	94 1/2
Erie	13 1/2	13 1/2	13 1/2
Gen. Elec.	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
General Motors	14 3/4	14 1/2	14 1/2
Greath Nor. Pfd.	7 3/4	7 3/4	7 3/4
Goodrich Rubber	26 3/4	26 3/4	26 3/4
Knucener Copper	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
Lackawanna Steel	85 1/2	85 1/2	85 1/2
Mex. Petrol.	161	160 1/2	160 1/2
N. Y. Central	72 1/2	72 1/2	72 1/2
Northern Pacific	84 1/2	84 1/2	84 1/2
Pan Am. S.S.	76 1/2	76 1/2	76 1/2
Reading	74 1/2	74 1/2	74 1/2
Rep. I & S.	67 1/2	67 1/2	67 1/2
Southern Pac.	78 1/2	78 1/2	78 1/2
Southern Ry.	22	22	22
Studebaker	60	60 1/2	60 1/2
Union Pacific	121	120 1/2	120 1/2
U. S. Steel	82 1/2	82 1/2	82 1/2
Utah Copper	87 1/2	87 1/2	87 1/2

The Business Outlook

for 1921 is discussed clearly and briefly in the current number of Investment Items. Reasons are given why Canadian business men should face the coming twelve months with confidence and optimism. Every business man and investor should read Investment Items regularly. A letter, or a postal note, with your name to our mailing list.

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FOREIGN TRADE HAS SLOWED UP
 New York Banks Report Slump Since January 1—Long-Term Credits Held to Be Only Solution.

New York, Feb. 17.—Reports emanating from leading banks and trading companies in this city show their foreign business to have decreased extensively since the first of the year. The head of the foreign department of one large national bank in the Wall Street district admitted today that this decline was as much as 60 per cent. compared with an average of the business done in the last six months of 1920.

This decline has been steady since January 1, and in the opinion of bankers and experienced exporters will continue until some form of long-term credit to foreign buyers replaces the system of short-term credits now existing that makes it increasingly difficult for overseas customers to buy in American markets. Foreign orders now going forward and supplying the current business of the banking institutions were placed in many cases months ago. As they are being filled few new orders are taking their place.

The head of the foreign department of one large bank in discussing the situation, said:—"Since January 1 there has been a decline in the foreign business of this bank matching the decline in the country's export trade. Our business in this department is now just about what it was a month ago. We are highly conservative in handling foreign business we scrutinize it with the utmost care, and this may account for the falling off. It is possible, of course, that other institutions may not have experienced so great a decline as ours from what we learn of conditions generally I think our experience is the experience of many, if not of most, of the banks in the city. I am convinced that this falling off is to be attributed to a genuine and heavy slump in export and import trade."

THE BRITISH BOOT TRADE
 (Northamptonshire Journal of Commerce for January.)

There are clear indications that the present conditions prevailing in the boot and shoe industry have commenced to improve. By the excellent system adopted in this country of resorting to short time in slack periods instead of wholesale discharges, boot and shoe manufacturers retain their employees, and are always able to resort to full production immediately the circumstances allow. The trade is ready at any moment to step from quietness to full activity, we do not anticipate a serious return to pre-war level, and it is only by re-establishing something like general values the free exchange of the production of different countries can be restored. It is fortunate for Northamptonshire that apart from shoes—the production of which trade centres are just those commodities which are first to be required by civilized peoples. There is no progress in any nation without good boots. As soon as any community obtains sufficient food the first requirement is boots and shoes. We can therefore rely upon the British shoe trade being among the very first to participate in industrial prosperity. Both manufacturers and work-people are at their posts ready to respond at the first signal. If that signal has not yet been made those with keenest vision see the preparations for it.

WARSHIPS FOR THE SCRAP HEAP.
 (Wall Street Journal.)

Apart from the necessity to limit the expenses of government and restrict naval armament to bare necessities, there is a practical business reason why the three billion dollar fleet is no longer building "capital ships," and has scrapped those she had already begun. Apparently this fact has not reached Washington intelligence, and, as might be expected, Secretary Daniels is the last person to see the fundamental change in naval armament. Capital ships on the plan he lays down would be worse than worthless. This is the plain business reason why his three billion dollar navy project should be forthwith abandoned. Great Britain learned this lesson from the battle of Jutland, and from subsequent naval activities. Every effort to bring battleships and cruisers of enormous gun power and displacement into contact with the enemy was followed by submarine menace, just as Germany's effort to surprise the British fleet was prevented by wireless warning. Since the battle of Jutland, Great Britain has

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EDISON DOESN'T LIKE FAT MEN ON THE PAYROLL

(Bertram Lebar in New York Evening Post.)

If you are a fat man your chances of landing a job at the Orange, N. J., plant of Thomas A. Edison are depressingly slim. Socially the great inventor has no prejudice against people of too solid flesh, but he doesn't fancy them as employees or business associates. Men with heavy fronts and young women who take too much sugar with their coffee are scarce in the Edison offices and factories, as was observed by a visitor on Mr. Edison's seventy-fourth birthday anniversary last week.

The visitor asked William Maxwell, vice-president and general manager of Thomas A. Edison, Inc. if there was any special significance in the absence of avoirdupois in the plant. Mr. Maxwell admitted frankly that a man or woman seeking a place on the Wizard's payroll was likely to find weight a handicap.

"One reason why we are all so thin here is that it would be impossible to try to keep up with Edison without losing weight," he said, "but it is a fact that Mr. Edison has something of a prejudice against fat people as employees or business associates.

"I must not be thought, though, that Mr. Edison has a prejudice against fat applicants for jobs simply because they are fat. He merely goes on the theory that persons of endpoint are likely to be slow and ponderous physically, and he is inclined to regard physical activity as associated with mental activity.

"Apart from the question of avoirdupois, getting a job at the Edison plant is an easy matter, anyway. Probably there is no industrial concern in the United States which exercises more care in its selection of employees or in the manner of checking up on applicants, according to Mr. Maxwell.

"We go on the theory here that if you are looking for a better job as office boy or clerk is a potential executive, and that, therefore, it saves time and disposes of the matter more wisely to devote a little extra time and effort at the start to making sure that he made of the right material," he explained.

"In investigating his references we don't attach much importance to the testimony of the people whose names he gives us. We take it for granted that they will speak well of him, otherwise he would not have referred to them. But from these people we seek to learn the names of other people who have known him or come in contact with him, and we proceed to get in touch with these latter, thereby often getting a line on our man from sources so remote that he may not even be aware that they are in a position to furnish any information about him.

"Of course, in addition to our checking-up system, we go a whole lot by appearances. Mr. Edison is an expert reader of human faces and attaches considerable importance to the shape of a man's ears, chin, forehead, and cranium, and to the expression of his eyes. Aside from these physical peculiarities, though, he relies largely on his sense of intuition in slauging a person.

"I recall several years ago introducing to Edison a prominent business man whose reputation was ace high. Nevertheless, after the interview, Mr. Edison said to me laconically: "That man is crooked; be careful in your dealings with him." I thought he was wrong at the time, but subsequently I discovered that the man was untrustworthy to an extent which fully justified the warning.

"I have heard some men say that Edison is not a good business man," said Mr. Maxwell, "but this is far from the truth. I can say without hesitancy

that if Thomas A. Edison had embarked on a commercial career instead of devoting himself to science, he would have wound up by being one of the country's great captains of industry.

"The man who thinks he can fool Mr. Edison is usually fooling himself. He is careful not to give his entire confidence to any man in his organization until such man has, in his opinion, been thoroughly tried and proved, but once that stage has been reached he is as much pleased as he would be at the result of an important laboratory experiment.

"If he is called on to make a decision in a business matter, he demands what he calls 'data.' All of the essential facts arranged in the order of their importance must be presented to him, and he has little respect for the ability of a subordinate who lacks the capacity to dissect a problem in this way.

"Mr. Edison abhors snap judgment. He not only believes there are two sides to every question, but is inclined to go on the assumption that there are half a dozen. And until he has weighed the possibilities of each of these sides he cannot be beguiled into making a decision."

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PUBLIC MEETING IS NEXT STEP IN THE CAMPAIGN

At a meeting of the citizens' vocational committee, held last evening in the Board of Trade rooms, it was decided to call a public meeting at an early date, of those in favor of vocational training and a committee was appointed to draw up a programme for the meeting. W. K. Ganong was in the chair and others present were Mrs. J. W. V. Lawlor, Mrs. I. T. Vincent, A. M. Belding, George P. Hennessey, W. S. Fisher and R. E. Armstrong.

Mr. Ganong reported that, in regard to the questionnaire sent out by the mayor, between 200 and 300 were now ready for presentation to His Worship. The meeting last evening was to decide whether a public meeting should be held in the interest of vocational training. Mrs. Lawlor said that the committee had no status. She read the resolution appointing the committee and said that it had been appointed for a special purpose and was only temporary. The chairman said that the committee had been formed for the purpose of aiding vocational training and that it was permanent.

In regard to a public meeting Mr. Belding thought one should be called for not later than next Monday. The superintendent of education and provincial director should be asked to be present and also representatives of various organizations. The object was to have a thorough discussion of vocational training and get the city council to reverse its decision in regard to giving financial aid. He made a motion, seconded by Mr. Hennessey, that a public meeting of citizens be called for Monday evening, if possible, in the High School assembly hall. There was some discussion about the meeting and Mr. Belding thought it should be of those in support of vocational training so that no time would be lost in unnecessary debate.

Mr. Fisher expressed himself as in favor of vocational training, but said that there had been a difference of opinion as to the method of carrying it out.

A discussion followed as to whether the work should be carried on by the school board or a separate board. Mr. Belding said that the city had to take the act as it was and it could not be changed to meet the views of a few in St. John. He thought the city should be asked to carry on the present system otherwise nothing would be done.

Mrs. Vincent asked why the work was being carried on differently in New Brunswick from other places. The chairman explained how the present system came about. The government had appointed a committee to decide on what should be done before the act was passed. The committee had found that where the carrying on of the work was placed in the hands of the school boards it was not pushed, and explained the reasons. It was found that the only thing to do was to appoint a commission of citizens, as a special body appointed for the purpose would take more interest in it. In St. John the school board had four members on the board and three others.

Mrs. Lawlor said that the work should be carried on under the control of the board of education.

Mrs. Vincent wanted to know what was to be brought before the proposed citizens' meeting.

Mr. Fisher said they should prosecute the work. The legislation was fixed. He

did not know what was the best system, but they must have some kind.

Mrs. Lawlor and Mrs. Vincent both thought the present system wrong.

Mr. Belding said that everywhere evening classes were first started and were followed by day classes. He said that Dr. Scotton of Nova Scotia, had approved of the St. John system.

Mrs. Lawlor said that the work was for the boys and girls and nothing had been done for them.

Mr. Hennessey took objection to this statement and told of boys attending the evening classes.

After a general discussion, the motion to call a meeting was carried.

Mrs. Lawlor said that all were not in favor of approaching the city council for a grant. In reply to Mr. Fisher, she said she was in favor of vocational training. She said the advocates of the evening classes pointed to the success of the domestic science classes. The success was due to the fact that this work had been done for the last ten years by the Women's Institute for less money.

A general discussion then took place

ENTERTAINMENT BY SUNDAY SCHOOL OF CENTENARY CHURCH

The members of Centenary church Sunday school gave a remarkably fine concert last night in the hall of the church, and pleased a large audience. As page, Gordon Elkin made the announcements. In the Barnyard sketch, Billie Hayward, Isabel Gardiner, Jean Humphrey, Guthrie Gunn, Constance McLaughlin and Norma Chamberlain took part. The parts in Cinderella were taken by Jean Jenkins, Shirley McKinnon, Muriel Langstroth, Betty Williams, Nansene Sawaya, Stanley Nixon, Roderick McAlpine and Harold Hall, with the following in the chorus; Fred-

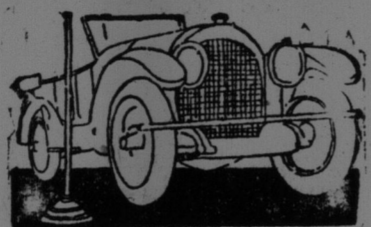
rick Morgan, Harold Goodwin, Jack Phyllis Woods. The costume sketch, "Playing Grandma" was given by Margaret Hayward, Annie McCavour, Jean Donald, Vivian Colpitts and Lillian Thoms. Marion Henderson and Lillian Clark gave piano solos and Harrison Morgan a violin solo, and readings were given by Jack Gunn and Edgar Williams. Those taking part in the C. G. I. T. initiation ceremony were Alicia McCavour, Ruth and Margaret Hanson, Louise Adams, Edith Austin, Marion Winchester, Mildred Macaulay, Norma McAlpine, Mary Marie, Gloria Loge, Mary Bond, Muriel Curran, Char-

lotte Calkin, Mildred Reicker, Miss George Ebbett and Edward Whittaker. The pianists were Miss Hea and Miss Cole. The "Free to Serve" class, under the co-operation of Miss Helen Pendleton, had charge of a candy table. Those who assisted were the Misses Ambler Teed, Gwenie Perry, Margaret Parker Jenkins, Spicer, Leona Harrison, Gertrude Hentger, Muriel Turner and Mrs. Gamblin.

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SPORTS NEWS OF A DAY; HOME AND ABROAD

HOCKEY.
Games Last Evening.
City League—Rambler, 4 points; Nationals, 0.
Wellington League—G. W. V. A., 3 points; Corona, 0.
Commercial League—Maritime Hall, 2 points; Emerson & Fisher, 2 points.
Y. M. C. I. League—Eagles, 3 points; Stars, 1.

FOOTBALL.
St. John Team Wins.
The St. John hockey team defeated the St. John team last evening by a score of 2-0. The St. John players were fitted with out playing and out skating their opponents.

MONCTON TEAM UNDER BAN.
For failing to appear in Sackville on January 10, President W. S. Hay, of Eastern Amateur Hockey League, fined the Moncton team \$100. This money refused to pay and have been blacked and all games played by them in league have been struck off.

FOOTBALL.
The English League.
London, Feb. 17.—English League football games played today were:
First Division.
Bradford City 2, Bolton 2.
Second Division.
Nottingham 0, Birmingham 0.
Scottish Cup second round replay was resulted as follows:
Clyde 2, Midlothian 3.
Alloa 1, Clydebank 0.
In the Scottish League game Falkirk won from Kilmarnock by 2 to 0.

KEY.
Sunder, 6; Sackville, 5.
Sackville, Feb. 17.—Sunder defeated Sackville in the Eastern Amateur Hockey League game tonight by a score of 6 to 0. The game was hard fought and close-played.

RYLING.
Chatham Retains Trophy.
Chatham retains possession of the gizzard Society cup as a result of a victory over Newcastle Wednesday, as they ran up a total of 118 points their opponents 91.

RACING.
Lucky Strike Wins Match.
A feature of the matinee races held at Sackville yesterday was a match race between "Lucky Strike" and Cassie W. The former won in straight heats, best time 30 3/4 seconds. In the class B race Peters won in straight heats, best time 30 1/2 seconds. In the class C race Adair won three out of five sets, best time 32 1/2 seconds. In a six race race between Jack D. and Don D., the former won in straight heats, best time 41 1/2.

TURF.
Toronto Horseman Suicides.
Memphis, Tenn., Feb. 18.—T. E. Davis, widely known horseman of Toronto, committed suicide by shooting himself while on his way from Hot Springs to Memphis last night. Dependently over his ill-health was given by his wife, who accompanied him, as he caused.

WRESTLING.
Bout in Boston.
Boston, Feb. 18.—"Pinkie" Gardner, heavyweight wrestler, former middleweight wrestling champion of Philadelphia, won the first fall in a two hour and thirty-five minutes, set night.
Lewis Used Headlock.
Kansas City, Feb. 18.—Edward "Strangler" Lewis, heavyweight wrestling champion, defeated John Peck, assistant to the title, in straight falls here last night. Lewis won the first fall in one hour, ten minutes and fourteen seconds, after having applied the headlock several times. He won the second fall with a headlock in twenty minutes, thirty-two seconds. Peck appeared to be unconscious for several minutes after the second fall. As Peck lay on the floor, the crowd, which had jeered Lewis frequently during the match, closed round the ring. Several policemen surrounded the champion.

CATING.
Championship Entries.
The following entries have been received for the matinee skating championships to be held under the auspices of the Y. M. C. I. at Sackville.
200 yards—16, E. Gibbons; 17, Charles Gorman; 18, Frank Garnett; 19, Murray Bell; 22, Fred McGovern; 23, Fred Cane; 35, Noel Jenkins; 48, A. Logan; 1, Roy Moore; 52, Robert Belyea; 53, John Nixon; 54, Percy Belyea; 55, E. Gordon Logan; 59, Gordon Logan; 61, M. Wans-

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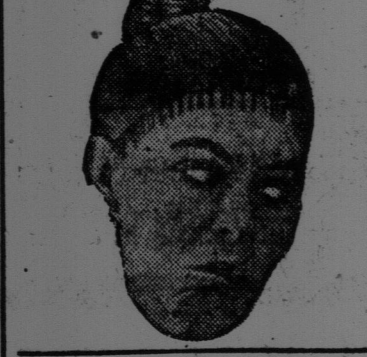
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BAR'S SPIRITUALIST BOOKS.

Pittsfield (Mass.) Library Will Not Admit Them to its Shelves.

Pittsfield, Mass., Feb. 18.—All books on Spiritualism have been barred from the Berkshire Athenaeum by the Librarian, Harlan H. Ballard, who says they are unfit for public reading. In a paper read to the Massachusetts Library Club on "The Psychology of Spiritualism," Mr. Ballard told how to out-ouija the ouija board.

"Cover the alphabet upon an ouija board," he said, "with a sheet of cardboard for public reading. In a paper read to the Massachusetts Library Club on 'The Psychology of Spiritualism,' Mr. Ballard told how to out-ouija the ouija board.

Mr. Ballard said that mediums had card indexes giving facts regarding prospective clients and added:

"They used to work upon the longing of bereaved parents to communicate with their dead children, since the war they have descended to the more heartless plan of informing such parents of the agonizing desire of their dead children to speak to their fathers and mothers."

Lawrence Herold, a Cleveland, O., druggist, asked the police to locate a boy he hired to clean his cellar. The boy sold him 100 bottles shortly after taking the job. They were Herold's own bottles.

WHERE PROHIBITION IS FELT.

(Hartford Courant.)

Prohibition has changed the Windham county jail from a "responsible" self-supporting institution into an \$11,000 yearly liability. Against an average of forty-three husky inmates from September, 1919, the number has gradually decreased until at present the total registration at the county's free "winter hold" is six. And, unfortunately, these six are incarcerated for work. During the flourishing days of the institution, the inmates were "hired out" to farmers, and the resulting income for many years paid the expenses of maintaining the jail. The facts of the case were brought to light at the Windham county meeting at the capitol, where the county commissioners reported a deficiency of \$25,000.

The upkeep of the jail cost \$15,901.51 from September 30, 1919, to September 30, 1920, the deficiency for the jail alone being \$10,922.50. The average number of inmates during that period was fifteen and nine-thirtieths.

PLAN A "SPEAK ENGLISH" CAMPAIGN IN MANITOBA.

Winnipeg, Feb. 18.—A "speaking English" campaign in Manitoba will be initiated by the women's institutes of the province, according to a resolution unanimously endorsed yesterday. The sympathy of the teachers will be sought in this regard.

FOUGHT HIS CAPTORS.
Halifax, Feb. 17.—Alexander Carvery (colored), charged with assault and robbery, who jumped his bail and escaped from Halifax, was arrested at Sydney tonight. Carvery put up a stubborn fight before being over-powered.
Minard's Lintment For Colds, Etc.
Most of last autumn's football players are quite recovered by this time.

PECULIAR LAW OF 1643.

Daylight Saving Was in Force in Hartford Then.

Hartford, Conn., Feb. 18.—Daylight saving was in operation in Hartford in 1643, seven years after its settlement, according to an old record unearthed by Corporation Counsel Walter S. Schultz, who was looking up data for a map of the official boundary line of a certain section of this city.

F. Perry Close, of the city engineering department, who is an advocate of daylight saving, and who is doing the map for Mr. Schultz, points out that page thirty-five of copy No. 1 of the Hartford town records reveals that a general town meeting in Hartford on October 24, 1643, voted that there should be a bell rung by the watch every morning an hour before daylight, "and that they who are appointed by the constable for that purpose shall begin at the bridge and so ring the bell all the way forth and back, Master Moody's (wyllyshill) to John Prettis, and that they shall be in every house one up and some lights within one-quarter of an hour after the end of the bell ringing, if they can, or else then to be up with lights aforementioned half an hour before daylight and for default herein to forfeit one shilling and sixpence to be to him that finds him finally and sixpence to the town."

KINGS CO. FIRE

Corn Hill, Feb. 17.—James Robinson met with a heavy loss on Monday afternoon when his dwelling was destroyed by fire. Part of the contents was saved. The loss is \$2,000.

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SOME FUN DUE LATER.

It seems that the Chicago White Sox expect a suit on their hands with "Buck" Weaver as plaintiff, if the veteran third baseman is not paid this year when paydays come around. "Buck's" contract with the White Sox has another year to run. The players who got into trouble over the 1919 World Series were suspended, but not released. Weaver has made "a confession" and maintains that he was not mixed up in the scandal. Looks like some fun for somebody a little later on.

Wally Schang, who did not go south with the Red Sox last spring, is at odds with the Yankee management regarding salary. All winter the Yankee owners have been booming Wally's stock as an every-day backstop and the whole hitting going to be a great asset for the team this coming year. Schang knows how to make the most of this advertising and, on the face of it, is entitled to real financial consideration. He never has been a high-salaried ball player.

WILLARD DENIES THAT HE WILL FIGHT FULTON

Lawrence, Kan., Feb. 18.—Jess Willard has declared emphatically this week that he would not meet Fred Fulton on any of the summer-up in the heavyweight division prior to his championship bout with Jack Dempsey on Labor Day.
"If they don't let me meet Dempsey, I won't fight again, and that goes," the former titleholder declared. "I'm a former champion. The public did not ask Jeffries or Corbett or Fitzsimmons to go out and make a reputation when they wanted returned fights. I am in line for a return match. I don't want to meet second raters. I'm not broke and do not need the money."
Willard said it appeared that "a bunch of sport writers want to make the easy for the present champion." He said it would take a hundred years for him to meet all the "white hopes" that had been "dug up" for him. "It seems that New York does not want me to meet Dempsey," he said, adding that "everybody there is picking an opponent for me."
"I am after Dempsey," continued Willard. "They stepped out on me at New York. I didn't make Dempsey and his manager put up any money for the March 17 date. They took advantage of that to run out to the Coast for a movie contract. It was lots softer for the champion."
"Dempsey's manager said I ran out of New York. I am ready to put up \$30,000 in cash for my appearance Labor Day. I dare Dempsey to do the same."

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LOCAL NEWS

THISTLES HOME.
The members of the Thistle Curling Club, who played in St. Stephen last evening, returned home on the Boston train at noon today.

MORE MONEY RECEIVED.
Four dollars from sympathizers and \$9 from G. H. Waterbury were added this morning to the fund being collected in the mayor's office for residents of West St. John who lost their homes by fire recently. The mayor said that there was worthy cause for more contributions.

HOME AFTER HONEYMOON
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Catlow arrived home today after a honeymoon trip to upper Canadian cities. Mr. Catlow is head of the C. P. R. Investigation department of the C. P. R. New Brunswick district.

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ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED.
Colonel and Mrs. Montgomery Campbell announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Florence, to P. G. Murray, son of the late Mr. J. Murray of England. The wedding will take place early in April.

CITY PAY DAY.
The fortnightly payment of wages for the laborers in the city employ was made at city hall this morning. The amounts paid out to the various departments were: Public works, \$5,607.80; water and sewerage, \$2,282.81; harbors, \$1,477.17; ferry, \$461.55; total, \$9,849.29.

PROBATE COURT.
In the probate court, in the matter of the estate of Annie W. Robertson, late of Rothesay, sentence on granting letters of administration de bonis non was passed. The value of the undistributed estate is \$6,875.00. H. F. Puddington, who was proctor, was appointed administrator.

MRS. JOHN WARD.
The death of Mrs. John Ward, who removed three years ago from this city to Melrose, Mass., occurred this morning. She is survived by five daughters and two sons. The daughters are Mrs. William Pyne and Mrs. James Q. Robertson of Boston, Misses Annie and Lillian Ward, in Melrose. The sons are John and Robert Ward of the city fire department. The funeral will take place in Melrose, Mass. Many old friends in St. John will be grieved by news of her death.

CASE OVER WILL
Probate Court to Determine Validity in Matter of Mrs. Margaret Hodges' Estate.

An interesting case involving the validity of a will will come before Judge McInnes in the Probate Court on April 4. In August of last year Mrs. Margaret Hodges executed an instrument purporting to be her last will. She left all her property consisting of a frehold lot and premises in Sheffield street, household effects and about \$800 in the bank to be divided among her two step-daughters, Mrs. Alfred Corbin of Willow Grove, Maud Hodges of Truro and her nephew James Williams of this city. The latter was appointed executor. The testatrix died early this year and the executor petitioned for letters testamentary.

STEEVES CASE TO BE GONE INTO THIS AFTERNOON

Moncton, N. B., Feb. 13—Oliver Galus Steeves, who was arrested in Moncton last night charged with the murder of his wife, Lucy Steeves, is in the police station awaiting a preliminary hearing to begin this afternoon in the police hall at Coverdale, Albert county, before John W. Gaskin, J. P.

Steeves was arrested about 9.30 o'clock on Thursday evening by the police of St. John, N. B., and returned to Moncton on Tuesday morning at Niagara Road, Albert county. In the ruins of his residence were found the remains of his wife and child.

The arrest took place in an Albert street residence where Steeves and his daughter, Clara, had been staying since the tragedy. Among those present at the time of the arrest were his daughter Clara and two brothers of accused, John and William.

POLICE COURT

Herbert Ewen of Winnipeg, Daniel Wilson, John Murphy and Benjamin Milton of Nova Scotia, John Fitzgerald and Robert Walsh of Newfoundland, William Johnson of Scotland, George Pashley and Bruce Hickey of England, Edward Dyer and Arthur G. Carr of the United States, Charles Rogan of Ireland and Frank Williams and Archibald Ayles of New Brunswick were charged with trespassing on the C. P. R. property, West St. John, by sleeping in a pullman car in the yards. The arrests were made by Sergeant Irvine and Policeman J. Row of the C. P. R. police.

The accused admitted and were remanded. Several of these men have sought protection at central station recently.

Wesley Evans pleaded guilty to using drunk and using profane language and a fine of \$8 or two months on each charge was imposed.

George Durand, charged with assaulting his wife, pleaded guilty and was remanded.

Clarence Kelly, charged with having liquor in his beer shop at the corner of George and Pond streets, pleaded not guilty. Inspectors Journeay and Thompson gave evidence. The case was postponed until Monday and the accused put up \$200 for his appearance. W. M. Ryan conducted the prosecution.

A case against Alfred H. Marr charged with stealing a pair of ladies' rubbers, valued at \$1.25 from the C. N. R. sheds, was resumed. Bertha E. Byron, James A. Byron, Daniel S. Byron and William Gillette testified. The case was postponed until this afternoon. L. McC. Ritchie appeared for the defence. One man charged with drunkenness pleaded guilty and was remanded.

SAYS FREDERICTON MAN MAY BUILD RINK IN ST. JOHN

If some citizen or group of citizens in this city fail to appreciate the opportunity of erecting an up-to-date rink in this city where hockey can be indulged in, a merchant in Fredericton says he is prepared to go ahead with such a project. Such was a statement made by James McNulty, manager of the St. John hockey team, who returned home today from the capital where his team defeated Marysville last evening.

He said the St. John boys made an exceptionally good showing, especially when it is considered that they have no proper facilities for practising. The team will return to Fredericton next week to meet the capital team of the New Brunswick Amateur Hockey League. They have been invited to go to Chatham to meet the champions of the N. B. League.

NEW RIFLE CLUBS

At a recent meeting a rifle association was formed in connection with the St. John Fusiliers. Col. Alexander McMillan was elected president; Capt. H. G. Ashford, vice-president and A. W. Watson secretary. The following executive was elected: Sgt.-Major Elliot, R. Q. S. M. Moore, Sgt. Ferris, Sgt.-Major Barnett, Sgt.-Major Logan, Sgt. Dickie, Sgt. Hanson and Q. M. S. McDonald. It was announced that there would be connections with other units. On Tuesday evening the St. John Brunswick Heavy Brigade formed a rifle club. About fifty were present and a committee of ten was appointed to promote the interests of the club.

OPEN NEXT MONTH ON SPRUCE LAKE MAIN EXTENSION

Lock Joint Manager Pays Tribute to Local Workmen—Big Plan Being Assembled—Work for at Least Seventy-five Men This Summer.

A glowing tribute to the laborers of St. John and vicinity was voiced by C. J. Bruce, who is in charge of the work on the new Spruce Lake water main for the Canada Lock Joint Pipe Co., who returned from New York yesterday. He spent the winter at the headquarters of the company in Orange, New Jersey, and carried out some experimental work.

There is a clause in the contract with the city by which the company is bound to hire local labor if it is available, but Mr. Bruce said that the men who were on the job last fall, all hired in the city, did more work and did it more efficiently than any class of labor the company has had on any of their recent jobs.

The work on the new main will be re-opened about March 1, Mr. Bruce said, with a crew of about fifty men. Manufacturing of the reinforced concrete pipe for the job will start about the middle of March, and by the middle of April the trenching will be commenced and operations will be in full blast. Between seventy-five and 100 men will be employed.

The company has already doubled the plant which was at work last year. A big screen gravel crusher has been installed and the company has purchased from local firms a ditching machine and a battery of four concrete mixers.

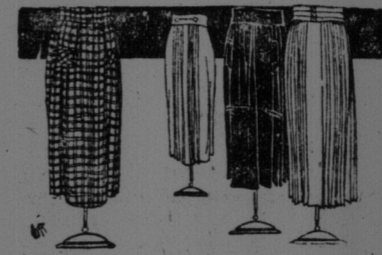
Mr. Bruce said that motion pictures of the work in progress in other places had been made and would be brought here for exhibition some time during the winter. Arrangements are being made to have them shown before the local branch of the Engineering Institute in the city. At the same time W. G. Chase, president of the company and formerly chief engineer of the Greater Winnipeg water district, will deliver an address on modern water systems.

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2 Qt. Double Boiler, Reg. 1.35—Dollar Day, \$1.00	7 1/2 Aluminum Sauce Pan—Dollar Day, \$1.25	No. 4 Corn Broom Reg. \$1.00—Dollar Day, 75c
3 Qt. Double Boiler, Reg. \$1.75—Dollar Day, \$1.25	14 Qt. Dish Pan—Dollar Day, \$1.00	No. 5 Corn Broom, Reg. \$1.25—Dollar Day, \$1.00
8 Qt. Enamel Kettle—Dollar Day, \$1.00	17 Qt. Dish Pan—Dollar Day, \$1.25	O' Cedar Mop, Reg. \$2.00—Dollar Day, \$1.50
6 Qt. London Kettle—Dollar Day, \$1.00	8 Qt. Aluminum Tea Kettle—Dollar Day, \$5.00	\$10.75 Guaranteed Wringer—Dollar Day, \$8.50
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