

ARRIVES IN PORT ICE COURTESY AND DISABLED

Gloucester Schooner Harmony at Halifax After Battle With Elements.
MASS OF FROZEN SPRAY FROM STEM TO STERN.
Crew Suffer Terrible Hardships—Had to Use Axes to Dig Through Ice to Reach the Cabins.

Halifax, Feb. 15.—After a desperate fight for life in the face of disheartening odds, and with their schooner leant up so badly as to fully tax the frantic efforts of all on board, the Gloucester schooner Harmony reached here Saturday in a disabled condition. Her steering gear is out of commission, boom ripped from its strong fastenings of iron, deck strained, hatches more or less damaged, and everything about the decks in a topsy turvy state. The Harmony looked more like an elongated iceberg than an ordinary American fishing schooner. She is a mass of frozen spray from stem to stern, even her masts possessing a coating of the frozen elements. The sails annexed an unusually heavy coating of the frozen spray making it impossible for Captain Gibbins to force the schooner to Gloucester.
From the water edge ice many inches thick coated the exterior part of the schooner all over. The deck in many places shows no more than a foot in thickness, and it is with the utmost difficulty that it is being cut away. The captain's cabin and that of the first mate are covered with ice, and during the fight against terrific gales and seas during several days the schooner leant up so rapidly it was impossible at times to enter either of these places until axes and heavy hooks were brought into use. The vessel was on a list of about thirty degrees when she returned to Gloucester. Sails were set and in the teeth of a gale, which at times reached a velocity of eighty miles an hour, the little schooner bravely pounded along.
The schooner soon became a death trap. During the night the schooner made ice rapidly. It became dangerous work trying to beat it off as giant waves swept over her, and more than once the icy waters of the Atlantic swept the men engaged in this work off their feet. Many miraculously escaped being washed into the sea and drowned. The dories became frozen solidly together.
The crew said their plight for a time was terrible, and it was a great relief when they sighted Halifax.

STATE TREASURER OF BUFFALO SUICIDES

The Dread of His Impending Appearance Before the Grand Jury in Graft Inquiry Reason Assigned.

Buffalo, Feb. 15.—John J. Kennedy, state treasurer, committed suicide today at the Markham Hotel, where he was found in a lavatory with his throat cut and an open razor lying on the floor beside him.
Temporary insanity induced by worry over his impending appearance before a New York grand jury, where District Attorney Charles S. Whitman has been conducting a John Doe graft inquiry, is said to be the reason assigned.
After a talk with his attorney on Friday evening, Mr. Kennedy appeared to be in excellent spirits. On Saturday afternoon he met a number of close political friends at a downtown hotel and spent several hours with them. In the evening he attended a dance in the hotel.
He went to church and returning went to his room with his son. His son went to the apartments to summon his father shortly afterwards. Not finding him there he made enquiries from hotels and learned that his father had been seen going toward the lavatory of the ballroom. When he pushed open the door of the room he saw Mr. Kennedy lying on the floor, the blood flowing from a terrible wound in his throat.
Dr. J. T. Whitwell, the hotel physician, was summoned, but he could do nothing to save the dying man, who had already lost a large amount of blood. Death occurred while Mr. Kennedy was being carried into the hall room.

TO SETTLE CHAMPIONSHIP.

Boston, Mass., Feb. 15.—New England athletes will settle the indoor championships of this section in Mechanics Hall on the night of February 27. The championship committee of the New England Amateur Athletic Association Union announced the date tonight. Entries will close next Saturday.

FRENCH LINER FOR NEW YORK IS DISABLED

The Niagara Loses Propeller and Anxiety is Felt for Her Safety—Hundred and Fifty Passengers Aboard.

London, Feb. 15.—The French line steamship Niagara, from Havre for New York, is in distress about 135 miles off Ushant, the westernmost of the islands of the Coast of Brittany, according to a Havre despatch to Lloyd's reporting the receipt of a wireless from the steamship.
The wireless says the Niagara has lost her starboard propeller and one blade from the propeller on the port side. Much anxiety is felt for the safety of the liner, and a steamer has gone to her assistance.
Havre, Feb. 15.—The French liner, which is returning to port disabled, has on board 147 passengers, of whom forty-six are in the first cabin. The steamer Bordeaux has been sent to assist the Niagara. It is believed the captain of the Niagara found it impossible with his broken propellers to make headway against the high seas. She sailed February 7 for New York.

RECOMMENDS TWO SUBWAYS IMMEDIATELY

City Engineers' Report on Montreal Transportation System Calls for Twelve Million Dollar Outlay.

Montreal, Feb. 15.—Over twelve million dollars will be earmarked for tackling Montreal's transportation problem, if the city engineers' department has its way. Their report, presented to the Board of Control Saturday, does not express any opinion upon the tramways Company for a new forty-year franchise. The immediate construction is recommended of two subways, one under St. James and the other under St. Catharines street, providing for quick east and west transit along the two busiest streets. A "tube" running north and south under Phillips and Victoria squares also is favored to link up the other subways and relieve downtown congestion. These are to be built by the Tramways Company, the city guaranteeing the cost, estimated at around \$7,000,000. Subways and new surface lines in outlying districts and an autobus system along residential Sherbrooke street will swallow up the other five millions.

J. H. MOORE PASSED AWAY

Retired and Well Known I. C. R. Engineer Dead at Shediac. Burial Will be at Sussex.

Moncton, Feb. 15.—Joseph H. Moore, retired I. C. R. driver, and formerly one of the best known engineers on the road died at his home in Shediac at five o'clock this morning aged 79 years.
Deceased retired from the service some five or six years ago, after having been in I. C. R. employ fifty years. He was born in St. John, but lived in Shediac for many years, having been driver on the Shediac branch for a long time. He is survived by one brother, John Moore, of Aberdeen, South Dakota, and four sons, Fred H. I. C. R. locomotive tester, Moncton; Charles W., machinist, I. C. R., Moncton; J. Ernest, terminal agent, Moncton; and Dr. Otto B. Moore, Bathurst.
The remains will be taken to Sussex for burial Tuesday afternoon.

LOSS OF \$100,000 BY FIRE.
Buffalo, Feb. 14.—Fire tonight swept through the seven story building in Elliott street occupied by the John H. Kamman Company, butchers. The loss was \$100,000.

THE BISHOP OF ZANZIBAR TAKES PECULIAR STAND

Declares Archbishop of Canterbury Prejudiced Issues Under Discussion.

EXPLAINS PHRASE WHICH WAS CRITICISED. Objects to Adjudication of Kikuyu Affair by Consultative Committee Because Archbishop is Chairman.

London, Feb. 15.—The Bishop of Zanzibar, in a letter to the Archbishop of Canterbury, takes a remarkable stand. Referring to the Kikuyu controversy, His Lordship declares that the Archbishop has already prejudiced the issues involved in the discussion. He objects to the Archbishop's reference to the desire to federate the various branches of the Church of Christ, pointing out that the phrase implies the validity of non-Episcopal ministries, and also constitutes an official pronouncement justifying the line of conduct taken by the Bishops at Kikuyu. The Bishop of Zanzibar proceeds:
"If your Grace accurately interprets the mind of the English clergy in granting Non-Confirms the title of 'branches of the Church of Christ,' I must admit that my whole action, from your point of view is contrary to church discipline; but, I submit that the exact point in the controversy, is the lawfulness regarding such bodies, however venerable and spiritually effective they may be as branches of the Church of Christ.
The Bishop of Zanzibar further objects to adjudication of the matter at the hands of a consultative committee of bishops on the ground that the Archbishop of Canterbury is chairman, and also because certain of the bishops have already compromised their judgment. He declares that unless the Bishops of Uganda and Mozambique see fit to resign by an act beyond all question, he will be in the position of having to determine whether he will continue to remain in communion with them.

INTENDS TO EXPLORE UNGAVA

Chas Brouard Arranging For Trip—Says He is First White Man to Cross Behring Straits Afoot.

Montreal, Feb. 15.—Claiming to be the only white man who has crossed the Behring Straits, between Asia and America, on foot, Charles Brouard, of Southsea, England, is in Montreal, arranging for an eighteen months expedition trip in Ungava.
The hazardous trip, he says, took him two days, on November 26 and 27, 1899. He was accompanied by two Eskimos and a dog team of five. This trip was previously attempted by Harry De Windt, the globe trotter, who was compelled to remain on the Siberian coast, and was rescued by the San Francisco whaler Belvedere, from an Indian chief, who stole his provisions and left him on his own resources.
The distance across the straits is thirty-eight nautical miles, and the temperature at the time of Mr. Brouard's trip was 35 below zero.

ANOTHER NEW CABINET IS ANNOUNCED

Buenos Ayres, Feb. 15.—The newspaper Nation announces the appointment of a new cabinet, constituted as follows:
Minister of the Interior, Miguel Ortiz.
Finance, Enrique Carbo.
Foreign Affairs, Jose Luis Murature.
Agriculture, Jose Malbran.
Public Works, Manuel Moyano.
War-General, Vales.
Justice and Public Instruction, Horacio Caldero.
Marine, Senes Vallente.
Senator Murature, editor of the Nation, which further says that a decree announcing the new cabinet will be issued tomorrow.

NEW PRESIDENT OF URUGUAY.
Montevideo, Uruguay, Feb. 14.—Dr. Blas Videl, former minister of finance, was today elected President of Uruguay.

HOT RECEPTION FOR FRANCIS WELLS

Start Electoral Campaign to Accompaniment of Whistles and Rattles.

EX-PREMIER STOPPED IN THE STREET. Thousands of Whistles Passed Out to Dock Laborers by Political Opponents to Interrupt Meeting.

Havre, Feb. 14.—What politicians consider to be one of the most exciting electoral campaigns of the Third Republic was opened here today by the Briandist party, a new political organization composed of many republican senators and deputies. The object of the Briandists, as stated by its organizers, is to put the good of France as a whole before the considerations of local politics.
Aristide Briand, the former premier, and a host of other leaders, addressed a gathering of more than 3,000 enthusiastic followers.
Opponents of the movement had prepared a warm reception for the speakers. Thousands of whistles and rattles had been distributed to young dockmen and laborers, but the authorities had drafted reinforcements of gendarmes who maintained comparative order. The whistling and noise of rattles was drowned by the cheering.
As M. Briand passed through the streets from the station to the meeting hall, several whistles were thrown but the ex-premier was not harmed.

Japanese Rioting in The Streets of Tokio

Vice-Admiral and Captain to Face Serious Charges Before Court Martial—Socialist Orators Make Inflammatory Speeches—Troops Ready for Battle.

Tokio, Feb. 15.—Vice Admiral Koki Fujii, formerly Japanese naval attaché at Berlin, and Captain Sawasaki, have been ordered before a court martial on a charge of bribery in connection with the alleged naval corruption. Admiral Baron Saito, minister of marine, made this announcement in the House of Peers today.
Allegations have been made that Admiral Fujii and other officers received commissions for inducing the allotment of admiralty contracts in favor of a German firm.
The naval scandal has been used as a weapon by certain opposition groups in an effort to discredit and overthrow the ministry. Many mass meetings have been held in protest against the government and riotous scenes have occurred on the floor of the lower house.
Members of the Diet have been attacked while proceeding to the house, and today the minister of the interior, Kei Hara, had a narrow escape from injury. Two men leaped into his automobile in an attempt to assault him, but were seized by detectives. All the charges made that the others are hiring henchmen to resort to violence.
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BIG LINERS ARE OVERDUE

Rough Weather of Past Week Plays Havoc With Steamship Schedules—Small Craft Suffer.

New York, Feb. 15.—Exceptionally heavy weather at sea had badly delayed a whole fleet of trans-Atlantic steamers bound for this port. The Campania from Liverpool, due tomorrow, was 514 miles out at eleven o'clock tonight indicating that she would not dock before Tuesday morning. The America from Hamburg, also due Monday morning, was 460 miles from port at noon and was a day late. The St. Louis, from Southampton, out 373 miles at eleven p. m. was another liner a day behind her schedule, as was the Adriatic from Mediterranean ports, 298 miles out at schedule.

SECOND RITUAL MURDER PROMISES MORE SENSATIONS

Killing of Boy at Fastoff Assuming Dimensions of Belless Case.

SOME WEIRD STORIES BEING INTRODUCED. Leaders of Black Hundred Trying to Prove He Was Murdered by Jews—Russian Peasant Under Arrest.

Kiev, Feb. 15.—The murder of the boy at Fastoff, which it is alleged was committed for ritualistic purposes, is assuming the dimensions of the Belless case. As in the earlier tragedy, stories of mysterious characters have been introduced, such as a "red-headed man" and a "lamp-lighter" both of whom have disappeared.
The Black Hundred and the Union of Russian people are showing their old time anti-semitic activity.
The minister of justice and other judicial officials, have arrived at Kiev and are sitting the evidence.
The leaders of the Black Hundred, after first asserting that the victim was a Christian, subsequently declared that he was a Jew and that he had been murdered by Jews in connection with the Belless case for the purpose of disproving the allegations of gendarmes who maintained comparative order. They are also seeking to prove that the driver to make a wild ride of thirty hours duration through the counties of Wiltshire, Dorset, Hampshire and Somerset, holding pistols at the man's neck and threatening to shoot if he dared to stop without permission. By similar threats he compelled various farmers in different towns to deliver petrol and other supplies for the motor car without paying for them.
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N. S. STEEL AND COAL CO. WILL INCREASE OUTPUT

Annual Statement Ready For Meeting Today Shows Good Year.

FAVORS STATUE OF WASHINGTON IN THE ABBEY

London Papers—Says Scheme Should Have Been Carried Out as Planned.

London, Feb. 15.—"The friendship between Great Britain and America is the greatest political cause in the world," says the Sunday Observer in an editorial commenting on the appeal of the Duke of Teck for \$250,000 subscription to enable the British committee to carry out its programme in connection with the Anglo-American peace centenary.
The Observer, while admitting the excellence of the British programme, asks what has become of the proposal to place a memorial to Washington in Westminster Abbey. It thinks that the project ought to have gone forward and would have influenced British-American friendship "like a stroke of imaginative genius."

ENGLISHMAN A DESPERADO FOR DIVERSION

Drives Thirty Hours Through Country Terrorizing Farmers—Keeps Chauffeur at High Speed at Pistol's Point.

London, Feb. 15.—An extraordinary escape of Lee Bond, a wealthy man living in Lyndhurst, was reported to the police today. Bond who is twenty-three years old, hired a motor car and a chauffeur Saturday and compelled the driver to make a wild ride of thirty hours duration through the counties of Wiltshire, Dorset, Hampshire and Somerset, holding pistols at the man's neck and threatening to shoot if he dared to stop without permission. By similar threats he compelled various farmers in different towns to deliver petrol and other supplies for the motor car without paying for them.
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OLD COUNTRY BYE ELECTIONS

Two Metropolitan Contests in London This Week—Both Uncertain Constituencies—Seeks Promotion.

London, Feb. 14.—The latter part of the week will see two metropolitan bye-elections decided, the Bethnal Green being on Thursday and that at Poplar on Friday. Both will be triangular contests with a socialist in the field. Poplar was vacated by Sidney Buxton going to South Africa. It gave a Liberal majority last time. Masterman who seeks re-election for promotion to the cabinet has a rather insecure seat.
Both constituencies extend to within walking distance of each other and both are populated by people difficult to arouse over any issue beyond those touching their daily living; hence home rule may fall to carry weight as it inevitably would elsewhere. The workers are not pleased at the inaction of the government respecting the loss of Yarrow shipbuilding and the Thames Iron Works, which formerly gave employment in the cheaper districts.
Sir Matthew Wilson, Masterman's Unionist opponent, is relying for victory on home rule coupled with inaction, as there is much dissatisfaction regarding the latter.

SQUADRON BACK TO VERA CRUZ.
Vera Cruz, Feb. 14.—Near Admiral Fletcher with his squadron returned today from Tampico. Apparently the plans of the rebels have been changed completely and the attack on Tampico has been postponed indefinitely.

DIVIDEND ON STOCK WILL BE DECLARED.

New Shaft to Be Sunk at Sydney—Ore Shipments Ahead of Last Year, But Coal is Less.

Montreal, Feb. 16.—The Nova Scotia Steel and Coal Company will hold its annual board meeting this morning at the Windsor Hotel. R. E. Harris, K.C. president, to occupy the chair, with Messrs. Thomas Cantley, second vice-president and general manager, W. D. Ross, Senator Robert Jaffray, Frank Stanfield, M.L.A., R. E. Chambers and other directors present. The eastern members of the board except L. Governor McGregor, arrived yesterday and as the legislature will open in Halifax on Thursday, it is not at all likely that his honor will be able to attend.
The dividend on the preferred and common stock will be declared and it is understood that the statement to be presented today will show an increase in business over last year.
The amount of coal shipped to the St. Lawrence ports from the lower provinces and Newfoundland during the past year was 600,000 tons, the total output being 830,000 tons, or somewhat less than the output of the previous year, although the general business of the company was decidedly good. The ore shipments from Bell Island, Nfld., were particularly good, amounting to 622,537 tons, against something less than 500,000 tons for the year before. Of the amount shipped during the past twelve months about 160,000 tons were used at the company's plant, this showing a very considerable improvement in the company's export business from their immense deposits at Bell Island.
Mr. Harris stated today that while shipments of coal from the Sydney Mines are active, another shaft is being sunk and the work attending the opening of a new mine to give an additional output of fifteen hundred tons daily is being pushed ahead and another year will see this new mine in full operation.
The president states that his market in Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island is naturally on the increase owing to the industrial development of the Maritime Provinces. He also expects the ordinary increase in the large industrial centres in touch with the St. Lawrence ports, although the fact remained that a good deal of American coal is coming into Montreal. On the whole, however, the demand for coal continued good.

DIES SUDDENLY IN VESTRY OF THE CHURCH

Rev. Archdeacon Smith Passes Away at Sydney—Connected With St. George's Church For Many Years.

Sydney, Feb. 15.—The death occurred suddenly in the vestry of St. George's Anglican church this evening of Rev. Archdeacon Smith, rector of the parish.
The late Archdeacon, accompanied by Rev. A. P. C. Ward-Whitne, rector of Lunenburg parish, had just stepped into the vestry to robe for the evening service when he took a weak turn and sank into a chair. He was breathing with great difficulty, but managed to ask Mr. Ward-Whitne to take the services for him. Realizing the seriousness of the aged clergyman's condition, Mr. Ward-Whitne at once notified the congregation and the service was dismissed. Dr. E. J. Johnstone was hurriedly called and administered resuscitatives, but the archdeacon failed to rally. He was removed to the rectory and died shortly after reaching there.
Rev. Mr. Smith had been connected with St. George's church as curate or rector for forty-five years and was known and revered throughout the entire island of Cape Breton. He is survived by Mrs. Smith, formerly Miss MacNeil of Sydney and three sons, Richard and Charles in the west, and F. D. Smith of the legal firm of Burdell, MacIntyre and Smith, who was in Halifax today.

NAVAL SCANDAL IN JAPAN

Rear Admiral and Five Officers under Arrest — Riotous Scene in Tokio Parliament.

Tokio, Feb. 14.—Five naval officers, including a rear-admiral, are held in confinement in the navy department pending a court martial in connection with the naval scandal.

NEVER FEARED SCHISM IN ANGLICAN CHURCH

Rec. Dr. Symonds at Christ Church, Montreal, Says He Never Believed in Danger of Split Over Kikuyu Incident.

Montreal, Feb. 15.—Rev. Dr. Symonds at Christ Church Cathedral this morning said he had never for a moment believed in the possibility of a split in the Anglican church over the Kikuyu incident. It was not a question of upsetting old faith, but the formation of a united native church in East Africa to combat strong Mohammedanism.

REV. DR. ANNA SHAW HAS A LEG BROKEN

Fell Under Car at Terminal in Jersey City.

New York, Feb. 14.—The Rev. Dr. Anna Howard Shaw, president of the National American Women's Suffrage Association and one of the foremost workers for women in this country, was badly injured when she fell while alighting from a train at a Jersey City railroad terminal late today.

SENATOR BACON OF GEORGIA DIES AT WASHINGTON.

Washington, Feb. 15.—Plans for the public funeral next Tuesday, of Senator Augustus O. Bacon, of Georgia, who died here yesterday, were practically completed today in the United States Senate.

BERTILLON'S BRAIN WEIGHED 1,525 GRAMMES.

Paris, Feb. 15.—The brain of Alphonse Bertillon, creator of the system of criminal identification which brought him fame, weighed 1,525 grammes. The weight of the brain of the average man is 1,360 grammes.

FEET AREN'T ACHING OR TIRED NOW—"TIZ"

It's Grand for sore, swollen, sweaty, calloused feet and corns.

"How 'TIZ' does help sore feet."



Good-bye sore feet, burning feet, swollen feet, sweaty feet, smelling feet, tired feet. Good-bye corns, callouses, bunions and raw spots. No more shoe tightness, no more limping with pain or drawing up your face in agony. "TIZ" is magical, acts right off. "TIZ" draws out all the poisonous exudations which puff up the feet. Use "TIZ" and forget your foot misery. All how comfortable your feet feel. Get a 25 cent box of "TIZ" now at any drug store or department store. Don't under. Have good feet, glad feet, feet that never swell, never hurt, never get tired. A year's foot comfort guaranteed or money refunded.

THOUSANDS OF GALLONS OF OIL TAKE FIRE

Large Still at British American Company's Refinery at Toronto Breaks and Spectacular Blaze Follows.

Toronto, Feb. 15.—Over five thousand gallons of oil, spilled through the breaking of a large still at the refinery of the British-American Oil Company's works, foot of Cherry street, caught fire Saturday afternoon. Owing to the fire being fanned by the wind and spread over the ground it was very spectacular. The fire department had difficulty in saving the National Iron Works, across the street. Telephone and power connection with the island was cut off as a result of the fire. The loss to the oil company was about \$500.

GLOUCESTER SCHOONER ABANDONED AT SEA

Halifax, Feb. 15.—A wireless from Captain Decarteret of the cable ship Minia at sea says: "I have the crew of the schooner Cynthia, of Gloucester, abandoned in sinking condition latitude 44 55 north, longitude 56 8 west. The schooner was set on fire, but owing to heavy coat of ice may not burn. She was on port tack with strong southeast wind and going fast to S.W. She is a menace to navigation."

PRINTERS' FEDERATION

Montreal, Feb. 15.—Reference was made at the annual banquet of the Montreal Printers' Board of Trade Saturday night to the proposed organization of a Canadian Federation of Printers and to the fact that the government had voted a sum of \$10,000 to establish a school of printing. The speaker was Mr. P. A. Lapointe of "La Canada," who presided over the gathering.

RESCUED CREW.

Norfolk, Va., Feb. 15.—The revenue cutter Onondaga, which was called out yesterday to assist the four masted schooner Mary E. Palmer, reported in distress off the Virginia Carolina coast picked up the Palmer last night, fifty miles south of Cape Henry. The Palmer carries a crew of ten men.

QUOTATIONS IN THE ST. JOHN MARKET

Country Market.	
Beef—Country	\$.06 @ \$.09
Butchers'	0.10
Western	0.12
Beets, per bbl.	2.00
Butter—Tubs	0.25
Roll	0.26
Creamery	0.30
Eggs, fresh	0.30
Fowl, per lb.	0.12
Geese, each	1.25
Lamb, per lb.	0.13
Mutton, per lb.	0.08
Pork, per lb.	0.10
Potatoes, per bbl.	0.90
Turkey, per lb.	0.22
Veal, per lb.	0.09
0.11	
Fruits.	
Apples, N. S.	2.50
Almonds	0.17
Brazilia	0.00
Bananas	1.75
Cocoanuts, sacks	6.00
Dates, new	0.65
Filberts	0.12
Grapes, Malaga	5.50
Lemons, Merina	0.00
4.00	
California	3.00
Florida	3.00
Onions	2.00
Peanuts, roasted	0.10
Prunes, (Cal.)	0.07
Walnuts	0.15
0.16	
Groceries.	
Beans—Yellow eye	3.50
Hand picked	2.55
Cornum, gran.	5.50
Cream of Tartar	0.25
0.27	
Cheese	0.15%
0.16	
Currants, cleaned	0.25
0.25%	
Molasses	0.25
0.25	
Peas, split, bags	3.40
3.65	
Barley, pot.	6.65
4.75	
Raisins—Choice seeded	0.09%
0.10	
Fancy seeded	0.10
0.10%	
Malaga cluster	2.25
3.00	
Rice	3.50
3.70	
Salt, Liverpool, per sack, ex store	0.75
0.80	
Soda, bicarb.	2.10
2.20	
Canned Goods.	
Beef—Corned 2s.	4.00
4.30	
Corned 1s.	2.35
2.80	
Beans—Baked	1.35
1.35	

DIED.

BURLEY—In Carleton on the 15th inst. Elizabeth, widow of the late John H. Burley in the 84th year of her age, leaving four sons and three daughters to mourn the loss of a faithful and loving mother; funeral private.

ROBERTSON—In this city on February 14, William Robertson, aged seventy-seven, leaving his wife, one daughter, one son, one daughter-in-law, one son-in-law, one daughter, and one brother.

Funeral this (Monday) afternoon at 2.15 o'clock from his late residence, 23 Edmund street.

MOORE—At Shediac, N.B., on Sunday morning, 16th inst. Joseph H. Moore, a native of St. John, aged seventy-nine years.

Funeral services at his late residence, Shediac, on the 17th inst. at twelve o'clock (noon); burial at Shediac on the arrival of the C. P. R.

PARIS GOWNS FROM AMERICAN SILKS WELCOMED BY SHOPPERS



PRECEDENTS were glimmering recently into the minds of things that were, when at the moment that Paul Potret was opening his exhibition of spring models in Paris, American silks, from which many of them were made, were placed on sale in the city of New York. The American women seeing the indorsement of Potret and the mark of his school of design "Martine" on the silks, hastened to buy the novelty. The wires from all parts of the country brought orders and even the wireless was used to supply the demand.

A "CANADIAN" SECTION OF LONDON GRAPHIC

Portion of Weekly Edition Devoted to Dominion — Photos of Premier Borden and Parliament Buildings.

London, Feb. 14.—The Weekly Graphic has a very attractive Canadian supplement in its current number. Each province has a double page sheet with illustrations and one page shows the houses of parliament, Mr. Borden's photograph surrounding them. Another reproduces all the Canadian official representatives in London. Two striking drawings contributed by Charles Sheldon show immigrants disembarking from the Empress at Quebec and an excursion of the Alpine Club of British Columbia.

ORGANIZE COMPANY.

Hamilton, Ont., Feb. 15.—On Saturday afternoon the Milk Producers' Association met at the Franklin House and decided to organize a company with a capital of \$200,000 for the purpose of distributing salt, fodder and other articles to farmers on the co-operative plan; also to bring milk to the city.

SUNDAY COAL.

Toronto, Feb. 15.—The unusual sight of coal being delivered on Sunday was witnessed in Toronto today, when a prominent firm of coal dealers distributed fuel to their customers. A special permit to do so had to be obtained at the City Hall, owing to an accumulation of orders as a result of the continued cold weather.

ONE LIFE LOST, SEVERAL HURT IN MINNEAPOLIS FIRE.

Minneapolis, Minn., Feb. 14.—One man lost his life and several others were seriously injured in a fire that today destroyed the six story building occupied by the Northern Manufacturing Company.

SECRETARY DANIELS TO RESTORE HIGH OFFICER

Mr. Joseph Daniels, the Secretary of the Navy, will recommend to Congress within a few days, the passage of a bill to reinstate in the Marine Corps Lieutenant Colonel Constantine Marrast Perkins, who he has become convinced was forced out of the service by a clique of marine officers in Washington.

Colonel Littleton W. T. Waller, who was president of the retiring board which considered the Perkins case, recently failed to obtain appointment as commandant of the Marine Corps.

Mr. Daniels let it be known at that time that the Perkins case and the activity of Colonel Waller as a member of the military clique influenced his action. Involved in the case are the Marine Corps officers who figured in the investigation of the Marine Corps headquarters under the War administration. Major General George F. Elliott, retired, charged that several of his subordinates endeavored to force his retirement in favor of a member of their clique. However, in the Perkins case Major General Elliott appeared as the head of the clique, according to Representative Howard.

CARMANIA'S CAPTAIN REFUSES TO ENTER QUEENSTOWN HARBOR

Fifty-one Passengers and a Thousand Sacks of Mail Must Wait for Steamer Olympic Next Thursday.

Queenstown, Feb. 15.—The steamship Carmania, from Liverpool for New York anchored outside the harbor today, the captain declining to enter. The tender did not dare venture outside, and fifty-one passengers and 1,000 sacks of mail must wait for the Olympic on Thursday.

HUERTA APOLOGIZES FOR ATTACK ON WILSON

Mexico City, Feb. 14.—Charges O'Haughey made a second protest today to President Huerta against the newspaper Imparcial, which continues to publish personal attacks on President Wilson. General Huerta assured the charge that he would see that they were stopped once for all.

STRIKE SETTLED

Quebec, Feb. 15.—The strike in the shoe trade which started in the month of November last has come to an end, and the men return to work tomorrow morning. Both parties made concessions before the dispute was settled.

MONCTON FIRE LOSS.

Moncton, Feb. 15.—The fire loss on St. John's Presbyterian church was adjusted Saturday. There was a total loss, the amount being \$22,500.

NERVES WERE SO BAD THOUGHT SHE WOULD GO OUT OF HER MIND.

Diseases of the nervous system are very common. All the organs of the body may be sound while the nerve centres may be affected. Many women become run down and worn out by household cares and duties sever ending, and sooner or later find themselves with the nerves shattered, and the heart action weakened. On the first sign of any weakness of either the heart or nerves, sagging energy, or physical breakdown, do not wait until your case becomes hopeless. Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills will at once quieten the nerves, strengthen the heart and build up the entire system. Mrs. Archie Goodwin, Tilley, N.B., writes: "When I was troubled with my heart two years ago, I was very bad. My nerves were so unstrung that sometimes I would almost go out of my mind. I doctored myself with everything I could get, until at last I got four boxes of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, and they have cured me. I cannot speak too highly of this wonderful remedy, and will recommend it to all sufferers." Price, 50 cents per box, or 3 boxes for \$1.50, at all dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

EMPERESS OF BRITAIN HAD STORMY VOYAGE

Liner Swept by Giant Seas Smashing Windows and Putting Wireless Out of Commission—Prisoner Aboard.

Halifax, Feb. 15.—After a stormy voyage the C. P. R. liner Empress of Britain arrived here at midnight from Liverpool. Giant seas swept over the ship smashing some windows on the bridge and putting the wireless apparatus out of commission for a time. On the ship was Inspector Newson of the Northwest Mounted Police having in his custody Robert Morse, whom he is taking back to Regina to stand trial on a charge of forgery. Morse only left Canada three weeks ago.

REAL ESTATE.

The following transfers in real estate have been recorded during the last few days: Annie H.anya, J. E. Cowan and F. W. Munro, a property in Douglas avenue. Penton Land and Building Co., Ltd., to Marian J. wife of R. D. Hamilton, a property in Paradise Row. Penton Land and Building Co., Ltd., to W. A. Coles, a property in Paradise Row. Trustees of B. S. Gilbert to Benjamin Robertson, a property in First street. Herbert McCumber to Belle, wife of Archie Cairns, property at St. Martins for \$475. W. A. Stepler to C. F. Hanson, a property in Paradise Row. B. G. Williams to R. M. Rive, a property in King street east.

POTOMAC'S CREW HAVE FOOD ENOUGH FOR FIFTEEN DAYS.

Bonne Bay, Nfld., Feb. 15.—Officers of the United States naval tug Potomac, ice bound off here, said today they had on board twenty tons of coal and food enough for fifteen days. Additional supplies were taken over the ice to the Potomac today. Mariners familiar with ice movements in the Gulf of St. Lawrence, believe it will be necessary to abandon the tug as the ice is rough and heavy and the chances of saving the vessel are considered uncertain.

ECHO OF MONTREAL'S WATER TROUBLE HEARD

Pressure Poor and Damage by Fire Resulted—Firm Takes Action.

Montreal, Feb. 15.—C. H. Cattell, Ltd., manufacturers, have entered an action against the Montreal Water and Power Company claiming \$74,548 damages done to their premises by fire. Plaintiffs allege that defendant company broke their contract with the city to provide sufficient water pressure, a stream of five feet instead of seventy-five being all the fire department could raise.

THE LONDON STANDARD MAKES A BIG CHANGE

London, Feb. 14.—The Standard appears today for the first time in reduced size. Experts in the newspaper world contend that sooner or later every morning paper will adopt this form. It is interesting to note that the sheets of the new Standard are only one inch shorter, and a half inch wider than those of the Montreal Gazette. The news is also being classified, certain pages being devoted to a certain class of news—a system to which readers of the Gazette are also accustomed.

WM. R. DEMPSEY, EX-M.P.P. FOR P. E. I., DIES SUDDENLY

Belleville, Ont., Feb. 15.—William R. Dempsey, ex-M. P. P. for Prince Edward county, died suddenly at his home in Ameliasburg. He had been doing some work and entering the house complained of feeling a pain in his arm. He said he felt he was going to die, then he expired. Heart failure was the cause of death. Deceased, who was seventy-eight years of age, was prominent in military affairs, was a former member of the county council and an ex-warden. He was elected to the legislature in 1898.

QUEBEC EARTHQUAKE

Quebec, Feb. 15.—At 4.30 o'clock on Saturday morning, Quebec and vicinity was visited by an earthquake which lasted from ten to thirty seconds. Buildings were considerably shaken, but no damage has been reported.

MOTHER! IS CHILD'S STOMACH SOUR, SICK?

If cross, feverish, constipated, give "California Syrup of Figs."

Don't scold your fretful, peevish child. See if tongue is coated; this is a sure sign its little stomach, liver and bowels are clogged with sour waste. When listless, pale, feverish, full of cold, breath bad, throat sore, doesn't eat, sleep or act naturally; has stomach-ache, indigestion, diarrhoea, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the foul waste, the sour bile and fermenting food passes out of the bowels and your baby will be a well and playful child again. Children love this harmless "fruit laxative," and mothers can rest easy after giving it, because it never fails to make their little "babies" clean and sweet. Keep it handy, Mother! A little given today saves a sick child tomorrow, but get the genuine, the "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Remember there are counterfeiters sold here, so surely look and see that yours is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company." Stand back with contempt any other fig syrup.

FUNERALS.

The funeral of Frederick Sutherland took place at 2.30 o'clock Saturday afternoon from the residence of his brother, John Sutherland, Union street. The funeral services were conducted by the Rev. E. H. Thomas and interment was in Fernhill cemetery.

The funeral of Andrew Duncan took place at 2.30 o'clock Saturday afternoon from his late residence, Fairville. The funeral services were conducted by the Rev. W. P. Dunham and interment was in Fernhill cemetery.

The funeral of John Fox took place from the residence of his son, Samuel Fox, Rodney street, Carleton. The funeral services were conducted by the Rev. W. Townsend and interment was in Cedar Hill cemetery.

The funeral of Peter McCullough took place at 2.30 o'clock Saturday afternoon from the residence of Peter Graham, Red Head road. The funeral services at St. Joachim's church were conducted by the Rev. A. J. O'Neill, and interment was in the old Catholic cemetery.

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Your oven becomes a certain producer of more bread and better bread. We can promise that.

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"More Bread and Better Bread" and "Better Pastry Too" 625

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Splendid Two-Act "THE STOLEN LEGACY" By the Cinesa Co., Photo-Melodrama of Turin, Italy.

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Four days of the Queen Louise... So complete... Four hundred feet... fired from her... boats and breech... The sea... across the decks... were taken ashore... and which said...

CROWDS

Four days of the Queen Louise... So complete... Four hundred feet... fired from her... boats and breech... The sea... across the decks... were taken ashore... and which said...

SIGNAL SERVICE

Issued by authority of the Marine... St. John, Feb. 15.—The signal service... Signal Island, 2... Halifax, 287... southeast. Arrive... Lord Antrim, Al... Cape Sable, 6... Brier Island, 6... east. Point Lepreau... ate southeast. Partridge Isl... southeast.

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SEAS DASHING OVER QUEEN LOUISE, AGROUND ON JERSEY SHORE, WHILE RESCUERS WORK.



CROWDS WATCHING RESCUE BY BREECHE'S BUOY OF ONE OF THE CREW OF THE QUEEN LOUISE

Four days without a sight of another vessel or anything from which she could figure her position, and with all her sounding apparatus lost overboard, the Queen Louise, a British tramp steamer, went aground on the sands of the New Jersey coast, off the State rifle range at Sea Girt, in a dense fog recently.

Local and Foreign Shipping Notes

SIGNAL SERVICE BULLETIN Issued by authority of the Department of Marine and Fisheries. St. John, Feb. 14, 1914.

MINIATURE ALMANAC. February Moon Phases. First Quarter . . . 3 6 33 a.m. Full moon . . . 10 1 35 p.m.

THE FURNACE LINE The Furnace liner Shenandoah sailed from Halifax yesterday for this port; the ship had a very rough voyage out from London.

THE DONALDSON LINE The steamer Athena, Captain Black sailed Saturday from Glasgow for St. John with ninety-six first class and 102 third class passengers and general cargo.

BODIES AND WRECKAGE FOUND London, Feb. 14.—The finding of the three bodies and the discovery of wreckage indicates that the Sunderland steamer Armdale, of 535 tons, foundered with all hands in a gale off Land's End.

PLANNING TO COMBINE Liverpool, Feb. 14.—In consequence of the settlement of the differences between the Hamburg-American and North German Lloyd, negotiations have been opened for a meeting of the British, continental and American shipping companies with a view to the reconstruction of the North Atlantic Shipping Conference.

VICTORIAN ARRIVES The R. M. S. Victorian arrived in port Saturday morning with nineteen first, 150 second and 300 third class passengers, 1,044 bags and 344 baskets of mail.

STEAMER NOTES The Manchester line steamer Manchester Importer arrived in port Saturday from Halifax in charge of Captain Linton. The importer left Halifax on Tuesday night and brought about five hundred tons of general cargo to St. John.

Head of the steamer Inishowen Head arrived in port Saturday morning from Belfast in charge of Captain Pickford. The ship arrived at Partridge Island at five o'clock in the

PORT OF ST. JOHN, N. B. Arrived Saturday, Feb. 14. Star Victorian, 2,850, Williams, Liverpool, Wm Thomson & Co, mails, misc and pass.

DOMESTIC PORTS. Halifax, Feb. 15.—Ard Saturday, 14th star Cufic, Liverpool, enroute to New York, put in for coal; Daghestan, (Belg), Rouen, enroute to Philadelphia, put in for coal.

BRITISH PORTS. Glasgow, Feb. 14.—Sid star Athena, Black, St. John. Liverpool, Feb. 13.—Ard star Carmanta, New York; Grampian, St. John.

FOREIGN PORTS. Gulfport, Miss., Feb. 11.—Sid bark Golden Rod, Cay Francis. Havre, Feb. 13.—Ard star Pomeranian, New York; Oceanic, Southampton.

OUR WIVES The title of a play very often gives no idea at all of the merit of the work, therefore, if one is not familiar with the play they form a wrong opinion of what it is about.

Opera House Tonight — A Play Built For Laughter. The title of a play very often gives no idea at all of the merit of the work, therefore, if one is not familiar with the play they form a wrong opinion of what it is about.

Two Doctors Said He Had Consumption. DR. WOOD'S NORWAY PINE SYRUP CURED HIM. Mrs. John Elliot, St. John's West, Ont., writes: "My little boy was very bad with whooping cough and severe cold. I went to two doctors with him, and they said he had Consumption. I could get no relief for him, he would cough all night long, with a dry hacking cough."

SEA GULL AIDS MAN FREEZING IN BOAT

"Battery Bill" Quigley, in Danger from Frost in the Bay, is Saved after Nancy Gives Alarm.

New York, Feb. 13.—"Saved by a Sea Gull, or the Rescue of 'Battery Bill' Quigley," a drama good enough for the "movies," was enacted in the upper bay near the north end of Governor's Island yesterday morning and related by the deep sea scouts who fill the saloons in South street in this weather.

"Bill," the oracle and Battery boatman, so the story goes, went out in his rowboat to pick up steamship lines. He assisted in the anchoring of two vessels and then started the cold pull back to land.

When just off the north end of Governor's Island and hidden in the heavy mist which rose from the bay "Bill" discovered that his hands, inclosed in two pairs of heavy woolen mittens, were fast becoming frozen. Then he tied the grips of the oars to his feet and, lying on his back on the thwart, started to paddle to shore.

McGann got in his rowboat and followed the bird, which soon hovered over the place where Quigley was endeavoring to propel the boat with his feet. McGann hastily lifted his partner to his boat and towed Quigley and his boat to shore.

Quigley soon recovered and was back on the job later in the day after he had bought out the free lunch counters of several saloons for Nancy, who he declared was responsible for saving him from death.

At her late residence, 175 Market Place, West St. John, Mrs. Burley passed away shortly after midnight on Saturday at the age of eighty-four.

OBITUARY. Mrs. Elizabeth Burley. At her late residence, 175 Market Place, West St. John, Mrs. Burley passed away shortly after midnight on Saturday at the age of eighty-four.

Nerves Are Sore and Painful

Neuritis, or inflammation of the nerves, is the most painful of nervous ailments. You may feel the soreness or tenderness throughout the body, or it may be confined to certain nerves. In the head it is called neuralgia, in the hips and legs, sciatica; in the face, tic douloureux, and in the chest, intercostal neuralgia.

"MY STOMACH IS FINE Since Taking Na-Dr-CO Dyspepsia Tablets" Mrs. J. Merkhuger, Waterloo, Ont., enthusiastically recommends Na-Dr-CO Dyspepsia Tablets. Her experience with them, as she outlines it, explains why.

STEAMSHIPS. ELDER-DEMPSTER LINE. South African Service. Proposed Sailings. S.S. Kaduna, February 20

ALLAN LINE ROYAL MAIL STEAMSHIPS TO LIVERPOOL. From Wed. 28 Feb.—Victorian St. John

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Change of Time MONDAY, FEBRUARY 2nd

Nos. 199 and 200 OCEAN LIMITED —BETWEEN— Halifax and Montreal

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CANADIAN PACIFIC Direct Short Route ALL POINTS IN MARITIME PROVINCES TO Montreal and West "ALL RAIL LINE" TO NEW ENGLAND STATES

DONALDSON LINE GLASGOW AND ST. JOHN From Glasgow From St. John

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NOTICE The steamer Connors Bros. will go off the route for inspection on February 12, 1914, and until further notice the auxiliary boats Happy Home and Page will carry mails and freight in her place.

The Maritime Steamship Company, Ltd. HEAD LINE ST JOHN TO DUBLIN. S. S. Ramore Head Jan. 20

MANCHESTER LINE From Manchester From St. John

WILLIAM THOMSON & CO. Agents, St. John, N. B. All the Way by Water. EASTERN STEAMSHIP CORPORATION International Line. Change in Schedule—Winter Fares.

CASTORIA For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of J. H. Watson. In Use For Over Thirty Years. CASTORIA. Exact Copy of Wrapper.

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CHILD'S COUGH, SICK? Fish, consti-California Figs. A little Mother! A little sick child tomorrow? Hand back other fig strap. Frederick Sutherland. Andrew Dunham. Peter McCullough. Rev. A. J. O'Neill. n Test a more ment mills ple. We in city, her- work more from " and 525 ATTRACTIONS! BIG BILL! Just Read the List of New Pictures. By the Cineo Co. of Turin, Italy. "FURRIABLE TED" stern Burlesque. FARM AND COSY REELS. ON-WOODS K. CO. d to Cure, 50 cents. Will Cure That es Tonight. TURDAY HUMMY NEXT TO OAK HALL. AMOUS Scientists. BREN 5c.

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ST. JOHN, N. B., MONDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 1914.

THE LIBERALS OUTCLASSED

Never in the history of Canadian parliaments have the government and opposition parties in the House of Commons shown such a vast contrast in ability, power, and spirit as during the present session. While nothing of a contentious nature has developed to date, and in consequence, the debates have lost much of their usual vivid coloring, yet even under the most placid conditions, the members of the opposition party make but a sorry showing in comparison with the gentlemen on the right of Mr. Speaker. What debate there is, has been of the most trifling piffing character. Grit members occasionally approve of questions, seeking information on points of minor importance, but even in this role they are a dismal failure. The sharp incisive inquisitorial passages of last session are lacking. Questions are asked in languid, perfunctory fashion, and when the usual answer is returned, the subject is cast aside with something of relief, not again to occupy attention. The whole attitude of the Liberal party is that of a body of men leaderless, policyless, spiritless. "We are here, but why" seems to express it. Once in a while some bellicose blusterer, like Mr. Kye of Richmond, Cape Breton, or Mr. Carvell of Carleton, or some wupine academic person, such as Mr. Sinclair of Guysboro, gives a brief exhibition of wind jamming, which is usually greeted with polite indifference by the government. Then the oratorical gust becomes a mere breeze and finally loses itself in a whispering zephyr, which does not so much as stir a leaf on the government tree. Then it is all over. The business of governing the country proceeds without interruption. But it is very dull and only serves to illustrate the complete confident strength of the government party and the fearsome timorous weakness of their opponents. Truly the great Liberal party has fallen upon evil days.

THE FREE FOOD ORPHAN.

A report is in circulation in Ottawa to the effect that by the time the budget is brought down, probably within the next three weeks, Sir Wilfrid Laurier and his supporters will have summoned sufficient courage to bring the subject of free food within the range of parliamentary discussion. So far the Liberals have shunned the name of free food and there are some who say that Sir Wilfrid Laurier had it intimated to him in a very direct way that any attempt to remove or reduce food duties would be regarded by the agriculturalists in Canada as a distinctly unfriendly act. Sir Wilfrid has already antagonized the cities by his efforts to make the farmers believe that reciprocity would give them a larger market and better prices for their produce. Now if the farmers get better prices the cost of living to the consumers must increase, hence the hostility of the consumers. Under the free food proposition Sir Wilfrid plans to reduce the cost of living to the consumers by placing the Canadian farmer in direct competition with the United States farmers, thus robbing the Canadian agriculturalist of the protection he now enjoys. In consequence of this move the farmers are up in arms. For this reason Sir Wilfrid halts. Conscience of his reciprocity blunder, he dare not repeat and it is remarked as very doubtful that the free food baby will again be cuddled to its foster parent's breast. The Conservative administration has adhered consistently to the policy found to be in the best interests of the whole country. The Liberals on the contrary are attempting to play at sectionalism, one class against another, the town against the country, the East against the West. Experience has shown the fallacy of his sort of campaign in the past. It will prove equally fallacious in the present and future.

"BLIND ALLEY" OCCUPATIONS.

The inventor of the term "blind alley" was a social benefactor. He should be sought out and honored for the word applies so well to many of the callings into which both boys and girls drift without even a thought to the future. Either the stress of home life or the attractions of a wage starts them off in the industrial world before they are properly equipped and the result is that before they go far they find the door of promotion closed in their faces. It is a sad situation but such are the facts. In many places unskilled labor is a drag upon the market today. The conditions that demand it are transient, non-permanent, and the unskilled laborer's proportion of the profits is likely to grow less as the efficiency of the community advances. The plums were all plucked higher up on the industrial tree of life. A Boston professor who has recently made calculations on the earning capacity of different workers, states his conclusions thus. He figures that the average high school graduate earns about twelve hundred dollars yearly. The salary of the average college graduate he puts at double that amount. If those figures be correct they probably indicate a still greater difference of income between the trained and the untrained man. And the general impression is that the gulf between them grows daily wider. Seeing this, a sincere attempt is being made to grapple with the situation and it is a hopeful sign of the times that so much consideration is being shown for the girls and boys just entering the industrial life. Last autumn day classes were authorized by the educational authorities of the city of Birmingham to be held in one of their district institutes. This was done at the instance of the Cadbury, one of the largest employers of labor in that neighborhood. These employers require the attendance at classes of between four and five hundred girls and one hundred and sixty boys between the ages of fourteen and sixteen for the whole of a morning or afternoon of three and a half hours taken out of working time. The classes are also open to the employees of such other firms as care to make use of them. This is the first time that the plan of day classes has been applied to the general education of working boys and girls and it is clearly a step in the right direction. It represents a decided advance on the evening continuation school since it gets hold of the children when they are not already tired by a full day's work. Moreover it puts the burden of obligation upon the shoulders of the employer who is generally best able to bear it, and withal provides a stronger incentive for promotion for the average worker. Hitherto the chief objection to evening classes has been their spasmodic nature. They start with a flourish but the students, either through fatigue or carelessness lose interest. This fact has led the London County Council which for years has provided evening classes on all conceivable subjects to finally give up almost in despair. Accordingly this new venture of the Cadbury will be watched with interest and it is generally believed that the experiment will be the largest contribution for many a day to the education and employment of growing boys and girls.

Why should there be any shortage of fruit in a country that has 200,000,000 apple trees of bearing age, about twenty million pear trees, more than sixteen million cherry trees, to say nothing of its orange, grape fruit and plum trees? Apparently there is no reason, except it be a lack of distribution facilities. The country referred to is the United States.

Dr. Tanner, who achieved notoriety by fasting for forty days, and who is 85 years of age, says ten cents' worth of food a day is enough to keep any individual in good health. Perhaps that is so. Just the same not many people will feel inclined to make the test voluntarily. In eating the ordinary mortal finds much pleasure.

A non-partisan deputation from the Ontario Good Roads Association has been in Ottawa to urge the passage of the Highways Improvement Bill. Fortunately for the visitors they arrived when the Senate was having a holiday.

The crew of that wrecked British freighter, who had to take to the mainheads and live on coconuts for four days, had ample opportunity to reflect upon the probable truth of the Darwinian theory.

However, the feminist movement hasn't progressed so far yet that the description of the gowns doesn't constitute the most important feature in feminine news.

Diary of Events

HISTORIC DAYS IN CANADA

February 16 is the birthday of Dr. Sanger Brown, distinguished physician and scientist, at Bloomfield, Ont., 1852. On this date in 1877 news was received of the loss of the steamer George Cross during the Cape Race, with thirty persons on board.

On this date in 1888 an agreement went into effect by which the St. Lawrence fishing vessels were permitted to enter the bays and harbors of the Atlantic coast of Canada and Newfoundland by annual license at a fee of one dollar per ton, for the purposes of purchasing and shipping crews and transshipping the catch.

THE HUMAN PROCESSION

Two of America's most distinguished journalists, Col. Henry Watterson and Col. George Harvey, will be the recipients of birthday congratulations today. Mr. Watterson, everybody knows, is editor of the Louisville Courier-Journal, and George Brinton McClellan Harvey presides over the editorial destinies of the North American Review as well as being the president of the great publishing house of Harper.

Marse Henry Watterson is a unique figure in the American Press. He is the last representative of the old personal school of journalism, and his pungent, vigorous editorial utterances are read with delight and interest by the entire press of the world. He was born in Washington seventy-four years ago today, and was a staff officer of the Confederate army during the civil war. Before that he had been a reporter and editorial writer on a Washington paper, and when the conflicts of the battlefield were over he returned to the Republic. He was editor of the Republican Banner of Nashville. His editorial connection with the Louisville Courier-Journal began in 1868 and has continued without a break for forty-six years.

Personally Col. Watterson is of the type of the southern colonel of the old school. Hot of temper, quick to wrath, irascible, he is yet courteous, genial, companionable, and a lover of his fellowmen. Many of his piquant and forceful epigrams will live forever.

Col. Harvey is a native of Vermont and will pass the half-century mark today. He began his journalistic career as a reporter on the Springfield, Mass., Republican, thirty-two years ago, and subsequently worked on the Chicago News and the New York World, becoming managing editor of the latter paper. He made a fortune in the electric railway field, and invested it in a controlling interest in the Harper publishing house. Until recently he was editor of Harper's Weekly, as well as the North American Review, the best best money can buy. He is now edited by Norman Hapgood, ex-editor of Collier's Weekly. The able journalist gained the distinction of "colonel" as a member of the staff of a South Carolina governor. He is tall and thin, and his ascetic appearance is exaggerated by a pair of enormous spectacles with rims of tortoise-shell.

SIR GERALD LOWTHER.

Sir Gerald Augustus Lowther, the British diplomat who was made a baronet on the first of the year, was born fifty-six years ago today. He has served in the British diplomatic corps since 1878, his last post having been that of ambassador to Turkey, from which he resigned last year. He was secretary of embassy at Washington some years ago, and married Miss Alice Blythe, of Philadelphia, the granddaughter of Richard Greenough, the distinguished sculptor.

RUDDOLPH BLANKENBURG.

Rudolph Blankenburg, Philadelphia's famous mayor, was born in Germany seventy-one years ago today, and landed in the Quaker City when he was twenty-two. He had been educated for the ministry, his father having been the pastor of a Reformed church in Germany, but on coming to America he decided to follow a commercial career. His first job was as a clerk for a dress goods house. He started in business for himself in 1875, and made a fortune, although the accumulation of money was for a side issue to his long fight for political reform, which finally landed him in the mayor's chair.

A Combination Husband.

"I see this medicine is good for man and beast."
"Yes," said the druggist.
"Give me a bottle, I believe that's the right combination to help my husband."
—Kansas City Journal.

INDIGESTION, GAS OR SICK, SOUR STOMACH

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Kitty—The fortune teller said that the man I marry would be rich, handsome, intellectual and good.
Widow Wyse—Ah! so she told you, admiring all over the world. He was born in Washington seventy-four years ago today, and was a staff officer of the Confederate army during the civil war. Before that he had been a reporter and editorial writer on a Washington paper, and when the conflicts of the battlefield were over he returned to the Republic. He was editor of the Republican Banner of Nashville. His editorial connection with the Louisville Courier-Journal began in 1868 and has continued without a break for forty-six years.

Modern Conditions.
Old-Fashioned Individual—Well, little man, building a castle?
Fin-de-Siecle Infant—Nope. This is a hotel; there's no money in castles.
—Harper's Magazine.

Real Ivory Ones.
On seeing an elephant for the first time little Ethel exclaimed: "Mamma, look at that funny big cow with the two toolicks in his mouth."
Heard at a Reception.
"So the Scraggintons are at out again."
"Yes; their latest quarrel was about madam's pet dog and the expense of feeding it."
"Great Scott! They have bones of contention enough to feed a dozen dogs."

Risky Occupation.
She—The life of a secret service man must be very thrilling.
He—Yes, that's what I thought when I read of one of President Wilson's guards falling asleep standing up.—Buffalo Express.

Some Jump.
Bix—They say a flea can jump over a thousand times his own length. Fancy if a human being could do that!
Dix—He can. I know a man who jumped his ball in New York and landed in Liverpool, three thousand miles away.

Baby's Advantages.
"Oh, no! There ain't any favorites in this family!" soliloquized Johnny.
"Oh, no! If I bite my fingernails, I catch it over the knuckles. But if the baby eats his whole foot, they think it's cute!"

Tantilizing.
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SOCIAL EVIL, Interesting day After a Dance Before a list of the rooms of Douglas Evans. Rev. Father Hogerred a very interesting lecture on deteriorating infidelity and its social and political causes. To all thinking that our actual work is for the magnitude of its deep interest for the men dooms than any fouled history paralyzed it with Pope Leo XIII pending crisis to 1. Economic or al order. 2. False philo- 3. Professional lectural order. 4. Professions ctal order. But now we are the alternative- tween the path precipice, or the It will help our understanding of by taking a short What is Social sort of communis a wide meaning called negative has faded away like. There is and there are the communism. 1st. Extreme which leaves no individual, so should provide more dormitories and goods of life. 2nd. Moderatism makes the owner of capital ing wealth, but the the ownership community shall for his own p 3rd. We have ism. It is com that it transfers independent con It is anarchistic excludes all the hands of the pr cratic Socialism. The root idea two things: 1. All means etc., to be own state. 2. All prop administered by the essence of this it is el is often misun stood by many call themselves they would give ion of the poor give work to the employers to g a man is a kin is not a Social Another will the world might men, angels, home like He ing with the qualities that to be no more. Such a man is called. Another man many to be f ing classes. get his share rich, but he is to giving up h and to gain a Such a man m rich, but he is Lastly, we ourselves Ch Catholic Socia they dilute Soc or hand the thereby to ge waters in the Once for a Social that man, w principle of S that all weal all that apper ownership an alone. Whether w 11c steps in the going on bet and which see opportunity to its superhero side, the Chur to follow the tread of the other side the whether you be forced ov shadows—the the Socialist every wage him of the ll wages. "Every man has, by the to possess pr Socialism affects an air ment it spee It speaks of shall grow o and man. The rights by Socialists ment against the rights of Christians to ment appear On which sense? The Social the truth of that labor is This is the Max. Carl Socialism perts that us

SOCIALISM REVEALED BY CARL LIL, SAYS REV. FATHER HOGAN

Interesting Address before St. Peter's Society, Yesterday Afternoon—Declares Belief Deteriorating and a Danger to the Home—Its Relation to Marriage.

Before a large gathering of men in the rooms of St. Peter's Society, Douglas avenue, yesterday afternoon, Rev. Father Hogan, C. S. S. R., delivered a very interesting and comprehensive lecture on socialism and its deteriorating influences. Discussing socialism and its effects, Father Hogan said in part:

To all thinking minds it is evident that our actual world is being whirled onward toward a crisis more terrible for the magnitude of its conflicting causes; more tremendous for the gravity of its deep issues and more appalling for the menace of its inevitable doom than any which has ever befallen history with moral refuse or paralyzed it with a nation's agony.

Pope Leo XIII. attributes the impending crisis to three causes:

1. Economic changes in the material order.
2. False philosophy in the intellectual order.
3. Professional agitators in the social order.

But now we are called upon to face the alternative—we must choose between the path that leads toward the precipice, or the royal road of Christ. It will help much toward a thorough understanding of our subject to begin by taking a short glance at Socialism.

What is Socialism? Socialism is a sort of communism. Communism has a wide meaning. There is what is called negative communism, which has faded away from practical politics. There is positive communism, and there are three kinds of positive communism.

1st. Extreme positive communism, which leaves nothing whatever to the individual, so that the community should provide common meals, common dormitories, and all other needs and goods of life.

2nd. Moderate positive communism makes the community the sole owner of capital or means of production, but leaves to the individual the ownership of whatever the community shall give him, but merely for his own personal use.

3rd. We have socialism in the sense that it transfers all ownership to small independent communities of workmen. It is anarchistic in the sense that it excludes all law, all authority, all government, leaving everyone absolutely free to act as he chooses.

The only system which we need speak of is moderate, positive communism, which is the same thing as Socialism, which when it demands, as it almost always does, that all power be in the hands of the people, is called democratic Socialism.

The root idea of Socialism means two things:

1. All means of production, transit, etc., to be owned exclusively by the state.
2. All property, wealth, etc., to be administered by the state. This is the essence of Socialism and from this it is clear that Socialism is often misunderstood and misused.

It is often misunderstood and misused because many call themselves Socialists because they would give up the condition of the poor or improve the condition of the poor, or force work to the unemployed, or force employers to give better wages. Such a man is a kind philanthropist but he is not a Socialist.

Another who dream dreams of how the world might become a Paradise—men, angels, and human society, a home like Heaven—without recognizing that this is what is called in the dictionary a dream, not a reality. Such a man is a dreamer, not a Socialist.

Another man may be a type of very many to be found among the working classes. He is very anxious to get his share of the wealth of the country, but he decidedly objects to giving up his own whatever he has and to gain as much more as he can. Such a man may be willing to rob the rich, but he is not a Socialist.

Lastly, we have those who call themselves Christian or sometimes Catholic Socialists. On the one hand they dilute socialism, and on the other they dilute religion; hoping thereby to get both to mingle their waters in the same stream.

Once for all we must understand a Socialist to be that man, and only that man, who holds the essential principle of Socialism, that is to say, that all wealth-producing power and all that appertains to it belongs to the ownership and control of the state alone.

Whether will our modern world turn its steps in the great battle that is now going on between capital and labor, and which seems to give Socialism an opportunity to pass off on the people its superficial nonsense? On the one side, the Church of Christ beckons you to follow the road made loyal by the tread of the footsteps of God. On the other side the Socialist tells you, "whether you will it or not, you shall be forced over the path shrouded in shadows—the path that leads towards the Socialistic precipice."

Socialists strike at the liberty of every wage earner, for they deprive him of the liberty of disposing of his wages.

"Every man," says Pope Leo XIII., "has, by the law of nature, the right to possess property of his own."

Socialism wears a goodly face and men it speaks it is eagerly listened to. It speaks of a marvelous union that shall grow out from it between man and man.

The rights of labor are understood by Socialists to be their greatest argument against private ownership and the rights of labor are understood by Christians to be their greatest argument against Socialism.

On which side stands common sense? The Socialists must stand or fall by the truth or falsehood of the principle; that labor is the only source of value. This is the definite statement of Carl Max, Carl Max, the "Father of Socialism," as Socialists call him, asserts that use values or the real worth

IMPRESSIVE ADDRESS ON A GOOD LIFE

Memorial Service in Stone Church to Stephen S. Hall.

DID MUCH PRIVATE WORK AMONG POOR

Rev. G. A. Kuhring, in a Forceful Address, Tells of Good Deeds Toward Fellow Men.

In the pulpit of Stone church yesterday morning Rev. G. A. Kuhring delivered the following address on Stephen S. Hall, who passed away in the city on Friday, February 6th:

"Be ye followers of them who through faith and patience inherit the promises.—Heb. VI, 12.

The greatest riches God has put within the reach of man are His promises; those unconditional promises which are secured to us in Christ Jesus.

No human soul has yet fathomed them; even those who have experienced their faithfulness, have to confess that "eye hath not seen nor ear heard, nor hath entered into the heart of man to perceive the things that God hath prepared for those that love Him."

How much less are the unknown to the careless and ungodly man.

It would be a most wholesome exercise if a man would take his Bible and mark every promise which God wishes him to realize. He would cease to be envious to others and more grateful for his possessions.

But the sad fact remains, men do not know how much there is at their disposal, and Paul gives us directions how we may apprehend the lavish provisions which God has made for bodies, minds and souls.

Paul looked into the past history and also at things which occurred in his own day, and coming under his own observation, he is rewarded by seeing the promises of God turned into realities.

Things promised, which seemed to be so far above that we could believe in them, but now in men of like passions with himself are realities, and he concluded that he who is faithful in one or more of his promises will be faithful in all.

He then begins through the example of these men to turn God's promises into his own experience. He holds forth through faith and patience there-fore become parts of his character so that he may get the exceeding great and precious promises. It is through faith that we are to have what God promises.

We shall never know here what we owe to the men and women who have translated the promises of God, through their daily life, into actual realities, so that they no longer seem things we are to have when we get to heaven, but riches, which are ours, as we go through this vale of tears and trials and temptations, the unseen more real than that which is seen and temporal.

Such a man was Stephen S. Hall, who for 38 years exercised faith and patience under most varied circumstances, and who has left behind him an example we would do well to follow.

That life was remarkable for many things. Its length of years testified to the virtues of temperance and chastity. The business world has lost by his death a living example of industry and of the contracting parties are satisfied with their lot.

This surely is ample evidence that the Socialist repudiates the very idea of the sanctity of marriage.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. John M. Steen

Word received Saturday tells of the death of Mrs. Eliza Steen, wife of John M. Steen, which occurred at her home at Tracey Station, York county, after a lingering illness. Mrs. Steen was in her sixty-seventh year. She is survived by her husband and three sons, John of Tracey, Alexander of Steen Bros., St. John, and William, also of St. John, and by three daughters, Mrs. S. Orr of St. Croix, Mrs. R. P. Dunstan of Hancock, Mich., and Miss Georgie at home. The funeral was held yesterday at Tracey.

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A force of police are keeping a close watch on the house in Kensington, London, where Mrs. Pankhurst has lived since her return from abroad.

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No lodgment in his breast; contentment reigned within. His life was an emphatic denial to the superficial maxim so prevalent today "that a man in business cannot be honest." Men such as he are anchors in the community.

He loved the simple life, allowing himself few and inexpensive pleasures. His books were friends and chosen with care. In his pleasures he manifested how truly self-repression and sacrifice had become a habit of his life.

Some of you know how a keen fisherman looks forward to the opening of the season, and to have the first day of uninterrupted pleasure. It is frequently the best day of the whole year, and can only come once in every six years. And yet he shared it ungrudgingly with others. Do you say a little thing, character he made up of sad manifests itself in trifles. Unselfish even in the midst of pleasure.

He never doubted or repined at his Maker's disposition of his life. He received good only and not even at the hand of God. The shadow as well as the sunshine he accepted as God's gifts to His child.

How well this is illustrated by his residence in Rothesay most of you who have attained length of years and have passed from him, and he takes up his abode in a humble home and prosperity. There was no murmur nor repining; but instead he entered fully into the joys of the boys of the school.

God conferred the blessings of nature which he had taken away from Mr. Hall. Few realized as they met him with measured and quietude, the radiant countenance among those boys that he had once been the owner of that splendid domain. He concluded that he could not afford to have his life to become embittered by discontent. He was generous to a fault. He never gave list, but secretly, I remember that almost the last day I saw him, for the first time he mentioned to me that his giving was not limited to what he thought or wished to save me any regret. It was not the statement of what he gave, but rather a way he had of appreciating any word which I said spoken to him in my Master's name. It revealed to me a tenderness rare indeed. He loved the Word of God. For nine years he occupied every Monday the same seat at the Men's Bible Class. No inclement weather but only serious illness ever prevented his presence. He left behind him an example of reverence and of the house of God. None more regular than he, although more than four score years had passed over his head. He had no sympathy with the idea that men should use the Lord's Day alone for search after rest and fresh air for the body. The soul and its relation to its Maker were to him more important. His bowed head in the House of God was like a benediction, and having chosen the better part, God granted to him, with it, the length of days. He was with all these virtues a peace-maker. Never

GREATEST SHOCK TO BRITAIN'S PRIDE, SAYS LONDON JOURNAL

Appointment of H. W. Thornton as Gen. Manager of Great Eastern Railway Causes a Flurry.

London, Feb. 15.—The appointment of Henry W. Thornton, general superintendent of the Long Island Railway, as general manager of the Great Eastern Railway Company, continues to be the subject of comment by the newspapers and those interested in railway affairs.

"Great Britain has not in many years had such a shock to her pride as that experienced by the announcement of the appointment of Mr. Thornton," says the Sunday Observer, prefacing a couple of columns of opinions which are to the effect that something must be wrong with the system of promotion in the British railways.

Geo. J. Wardle, M. P., editor of the Railway Review, declares that if the statement of Lord Claud Hamilton, chairman of the Great Eastern, that it was impossible to find a capable Englishman for the position, is true, it is the greatest reflection on English railway management made in recent years, but he declares that the statement is not accurate, and that there is plenty of ability in the ranks of British railway men, but that much of it is stifled and does not get a chance.

William Whitelaw, chairman of the Northern British Railway Company, does not consider that there is any dearth of first class young railway talent in the country.

Sir Charles Renshaw, chairman of the Caledonian Railway, thinks that one of the difficulties in retaining good railway men in Scotland is the slowness of promotion.

The Westminster Gazette concludes a severe criticism of Lord Claud Hamilton by refusing to believe that Englishmen who are the pioneers in the railway construction of the world, are incapable of managing the Great Eastern.

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Rumors of New Stock Issue Current—Strong Pool Likely to be Operating, However.

Montreal, Feb. 14.—This morning's session of the Montreal Stock Exchange was the most interesting Saturday market experienced in months. All the favorite issues were dealt in and trading reached a considerable volume. The tone was generally firm. Substantial gains were made in one or two issues. Towards the close of the morning C. P. R. had a weak spell and dropped to 215. The big feature of the market was Laurentide. The price touched 187 1/2, two and a quarter points up from yesterday's high. Later it reacted and closed at 187 1/2. A host of rumors are in circulation to account for the spectacular movement in this stock during the latter half of the week. It is believed in some quarters, however, that a strong pool is operating in this stock. There are, however, the usual rumors of a new stock issue.

The strength and activity of Montreal Power was another feature of this morning's market. The price touched 228 later declining to 227. Shawinigan maintained its advance of yesterday closing at 142 1/2. Ottawa Power strengthened further selling up to 169. It is generally believed on the street, however, that a considerable block of this stock is for sale, the pool which was operating here some time ago having broken up. R. and O. was selling at yesterday's closing prices. The weakness in this stock is ascribed in some quarters to the lack of definite announcement regarding the success of the Canada Steamship Lines which was made in London this week.

Dom. Textile came in for some attention and sold up to 85 1/2 at the close. It is understood that the January business of the Canadian Cotton Companies was better than what was expected. Quebec Railway opened stronger at 15 and later sold up to 16. This advance followed the market's advance, that of the Quebec and Saguenay contractors and sub-contractors have been settled with.

The tone of Brazilian Traction was somewhat easier, the market weakening to 90 1/2. The majority of local houses, however, are of the opinion that a further advance would be made.

The Montreal Tramways issues were steady, debentures selling at 83 and Tram. Power around 44 1/2.

NEW YORK AND BOSTON CURBS.

New York Close—	
Nipissing	6 1/2
Rose	1 1/2
Holly	1 1/2
EM	18
Kerr Lake	4 13-16
BCL	2 1/2
IR	7 1/2
Bradford	1 1/2
MT	1 1/2
GCN	7 1/2
AM	2 1/2
CM	2 1/2
EM	18
UCS	92 1/2
UK	2 1/2
Boston Close—	
East Butte	12
Franklin	3 1/2
DO	27 1/2
Granby	8 1/2
Isle Royale	22 1/2
North Butte	30 1/2
Oscoda	8 1/2
Mayflower	8 1/2
OCM	4 1/2
UM	14
Quincy	6 1/2
Shannon	7 1/2
Trinity	4 1/2
USM	42 1/2
USM Pfd	42 1/2
Tamarac	40 1/2
Zinc	20
United Fruit	17 1/2
Davis	3 1/2
First National	2 1/2
BC	2 1/2
Moh	45 1/2
AZ	41 1/2
Cap	290
AB	290
Cent	17 1/2
Ind	5 1/2

OTTAWA TRACTION.

Montreal, Feb. 15.—Ottawa Traction shares which sell at 267 and pay 12 per cent. dividends, and 3 per cent. bonus, are to be put into a holding company in the ratio of three in one. There is \$2,000,000 stock, and \$500,000 bonds outstanding. The holding company will have \$10,000,000 capital. The stock is closely held.

FINANCIAL DIVIDENDS DECLARED.

New York, Feb. 15.—Union Pacific has declared the regular quarterly dividend of 2 1/2 p. c. on the common, and the semi-annual dividend of 2 p. c. on the preferred, payable April 1.

Montreal, Feb. 15.—Richelieu & Ontario regular quarterly of 2 p. c. payable March 2 to record of Feb. 9. Lake of the Woods regular quarterly 1 1/2 per cent. on preferred and 2 per cent. on the common, payable March 2nd to stock of record February 21.

PRICES BETTER AS DAY ADVANCED

New York Market Prices Generally Firm—Practically Unchanged for the Day.

New York, Feb. 14.—The market opened dull, but prices were generally firm and stiffened further during the first hour. Steel common was a special feature of strength, selling up to within a quarter point of its highest of the year, while amongst the specialties the pool in Central Leather marked the price of that stock up well above its previous high record. Canadian Pacific on the other hand was weak from the start, as were the Rock Island issues and in the second hour enough stock was offered to cause a general sagging in prices. But declines were unimportant, however, and only about sufficient to cancel the earlier advances. The net result of the trading left the market as a whole about unchanged on the day.

W. R. BROCK, HEAD OF ASSURANCE CO.

Western and British American Companies Elect Officers—H. C. Cox on Board.

Montreal, Feb. 15.—W. R. Brock has been elected president of the Western and British Assurance Companies. W. B. Meikle, the general manager, was elected vice-president and general manager.

BIG INCREASE IN CAPITAL STOCK

Montreal, Feb. 15.—The Bank of Hamilton has given notice that it will apply to the Treasury Board for a certificate approving of the increase in its capital stock from \$3,000,000 to \$5,000,000. This will be done by the issue of 20,000 shares of new stock of \$100 each.

MONTREAL STOCKS.

	Asked.	Bid.
Canada Cement	29 1/2	29 1/2
Canadian Pacific	215 1/2	215
Crown Reserve	174 1/2	174
Detroit United	72 1/2	72
Dom. Steel	39 1/2	39 1/2
Dom. Textile	85 1/2	85 1/2
Laurentide	186	185 1/2
Minn. St. P. and Sault	137 1/2	135
Montreal Power	227	226 1/2
Steel of Canada	20	19 1/2
N. S. Steel	76	75 1/2
Ottawa Power	168 1/2	168 1/2
Penman's Com.	55	52
Quebec Railway	16	15 1/2
Richelieu and Ont.	111 1/2	111 1/2
Brazilian	90 1/2	90 1/2
Shawinigan	142 1/2	142
Toronto Railway	142 1/2	142 1/2
Twin City	107 1/2	107 1/2

BRAZILIAN EARNINGS LARGE.

Montreal, Feb. 15.—Brazilian earnings for the week ending February 7 were \$464,766, the largest for any week this year. Earnings for the last week in January were \$442,572.

"TELEPHONE" IS THE WORD

The people of the Maritime Provinces use about 30,000 telephones at present. To be on a par with the United States they should use 72,000. Of this increase 10,000 will be used by the 40,000 farmers of Nova Scotia. With farmers as he has hitherto been a luxury. Hereafter it will become more of a necessity. Every farmer who aspires to be a business man will have a phone. He has to keep in touch with the markets, with the people about him, and with the occurrences of everyday life. Every subscriber added to a system increases its importance to other subscribers.

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OIL DRILLERS GO FROM CANADA NOW

Experts Wanted in Egypt—Ontario Shy on Professional Operators—India and Borneo After Men.

Montreal, Feb. 15.—As a result of extensive oil drilling operations conducted in India, Egypt and Borneo by the world's two greatest oil firms there is hardly a professional driller left in Lambton county. The Standard Oil Company and the Anglo Saxon Oil Company of England are signing contracts with all available experts. A rich party for the English firm has been ordered to leave Petrolia tomorrow and take the first boat from New York for Egypt. The men have contracted to stay there two years.

PORCUPINE MINE HAS BIG OUTPUT

Montreal, Feb. 15.—The reports of operations at the Dome Mine, Porcupine, for January show tonnage mill-tons of 13,470 tons in December. The value of gold produced in February was \$11,500, as compared with \$106,904 for the previous month. The mill ran ninety-three per cent. of the total possible running time during the month.

MONTREAL UNLISTED SALES

Saturday's Sales. Porcupine—100 at 125; 55 at 126. Tram Power—5 at 44 1/2; 75 at 44 1/2; 10 at 44 1/2; 55 at 44 1/2; 100 at 44 1/2; 125 at 44 1/2; 25 at 44 1/2. W. C. Power—50 at 44. Wyagamack—50 at 26.

Close. Porcupine—125 asked. Asbestos Pfd—17 asked. Asbestos Bonds—50 to 66. Felt—16 to 20. Coke—3 to 4. Brick—5 1/2 asked. Brick Bonds—75 asked. W. C. Power—45 to 47. Wyagamack—26 to 26 1/2. Wyagamack Bonds—75 to 76. Penna Power—7 1/2 to 7 1/2.

SIR MAX AITKEN'S HEALTH.

London, Feb. 15.—Sir Max Aitken informed the Canadian Press yesterday that he is now in much better health than for a long time past. Sir Max also intimated that he anticipated a similar happy state of things this year in regard to Canadian business on both sides of the water.

CONSOLS EASED OFF.

London, Feb. 15.—Consols eased off an eighth when it was learned that the Underwriters of the \$20,000,000 South African loan are taking 50 per cent. of the issue.

STEAMSHIP CO. WOULD BORROW

Canada Lines Stock being Sought for—One to Attract Investors, Says Times.

London, Feb. 15.—The only official information yet regarding the Canada Steamship Lines £1,300,000 five per cent. debentures issue is that applications from the other side is good. In an article on Canadian borrowing the Times refers to the Canada Steamship Lines debenture issue as follows: "It is a combination scheme that should work out well and little fault is to be found with the directors either here or in Canada. The issue is one to attract investors, and we hope that they will send more shipments of this class rather than more of a speculative and uncertain nature."

A SMALL ESTATE SHOWN BY WILL

Senator Cox Disposed of Bulk of His Estate before Death.

Montreal, Feb. 15.—Although details of the will of the late Hon. Geo. Cox have not been made public as yet, it is understood that a comparatively small proportion of the late Senator's estate will be shown in the will, the bulk of the estate having been disposed of by settlement before his death.

CALGARY POWER HAD GOOD YEAR

Montreal, Feb. 15.—The annual meeting of the shareholders of the Calgary Power Company will be held in Montreal on March 16th and from an advance copy of the report and balance sheet, the following information has been obtained. For the year ending December 31st, 1913, the gross earnings of the company amounted to \$240,116.28, operating expenses \$52,055, leaving net earnings available for bond interest \$188,060.58. After paying interest of \$100,034.33, a balance of \$88,026.25 remaining equivalent to over four three-fourths per cent. on the common stock.

SPECULATION IS IN SPECIALTIES

Am. Tendency Upward Shown in This Section of List.

BULLS NOT STRONG

C.P.R. Weak in Late Trading—Bond Market Narrow and Uncertain—General Reaction.

New York, Feb. 14.—Speculation ran largely to the specialties today, and for a time good progress upward was made in this section of the list. The inertia of the market discouraged speculative efforts among the favorite shares which hardly varied through the half-day session, but the steel stocks, the railway equipment issues, and other specialties were easier to move. American ice securities reached a new high mark for the year. Central Leather continued the advance begun yesterday, and Rumely rose strongly on the report that the note-holders committee was meeting with success in its campaign for extension of the notes. Stocks were scarce around current levels, and only a small amount of buying was required to bring about advances. But bullish operators found that it was still impossible to force the market away from the level around which it has hovered for several weeks. The early advances had all but cancelled by a subsequent reaction and today's changes, except in a few instances, were unimportant.

Canadian Pacific turned weak in the late trading, dropping about two points. Rock Island preferred was under pressure, and touched a new low record of ten three-eighths. The decline of these stocks helped on the general reaction. New York Central moved up toward the close, when the rest of the list was falling back. Recent heavy selling of this stock brought into circulation rumors concerning a possible cut in the dividend. Official denial today of these rumors strengthened the stock.

Trading was unusual dull and the bond market was narrow and uncertain. Trading was begun today in the new Southern Pacific convertible five, which brought 103 5/8. Total sales of bonds, par value, \$1,335,000. Panama three registered advanced one quarter, and the three coupon one-half on call on the week.

Announcement!

We beg to announce that we have decided to close out our margin accounts and, with the view of conserving our customers' interests, have arranged with Messrs. McDougall & Cowans (who are opening offices in Halifax and St. John) to take over this speculative portion of our business.

WE PROPOSE CONTINUING OUR MEMBERSHIP ON THE MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE, AND WE WILL HAVE DIRECT WIRE CONNECTION BETWEEN OUR OFFICES AND THE LEADING EXCHANGES. IN FUTURE IT IS OUR INTENTION TO DEVOTE ALL OF OUR TIME TO OUR INVESTMENT BUSINESS. ORDERS FOR STOCKS OR BONDS LISTED ON THE MONTREAL, NEW YORK, OR OTHER STOCK EXCHANGES WILL BE PROMPTLY EXECUTED FOR CASH AT THE USUAL RATES OF COMMISSION. IT WILL BE OUR AIM TO ALWAYS CARRY A COMPLETE ASSORTMENT OF LOCAL SECURITIES—WHICH MAY BE PURCHASED OUT-RIGHT OR ON THE PARTIAL PAYMENT PLAN.

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Mackay, 4 @

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170, 300 @ 17 1/2

Steel Co. of C.

P. R. 50 @

215 7/8, 50 @

Pontio Rice

Bell Phone, 1

7 @ 150 7-8

Hollinger, 25

N. S. Steel, 1

Canada Car 7

Detroit Railr

Textile Com.

5 @ 84 3/4, 5 @

85 1/4, 25 @ 85

Montreal Trn

Domain Ste

150 @ 28 1/2 @

5 @ 30, 100 @

Montreal Cot

Pnat Com.,

New Pulp, 11

Montreal Poy

227 3/4, 50 @

25 @ 228, 70

80 @ 223 1/2, 1

25 @ 227 1/2, 2

227 3/4, 25 @

186, 25 @ 186

@ 187, 350 @

187 1/4, 60 @

125 @ 186, 10

15 @ 188 1/4

185 3/4, 20 @

@ 185 3/4, 100

Rich. and O

@ 111 1/2, 200

10 @ 111 3/4, 1

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THE WEATHER.

Maritime—Generally fair and cold.

Washington, Feb. 15.—Forecast: Northern New England—Snow Monday with rising temperature. Tuesday, fair; brisk southeast shifting to northwest winds.

Toronto, Feb. 15.—Pressure is highest tonight in the western states, while a moderate depression is centered over Michigan. The wind has fallen today in parts of Saskatchewan and furies have occurred very locally elsewhere in the Dominion. Cold weather prevails from Manitoba to the Atlantic, while it has been very mild in Alberta.

Temperatures.

City	Min.	Max.
Victoria	40	48
Vancouver	40	46
Edmonton	40	50
Calgary	34	52
Battleford	6	20
Moosejaw	2	16
Winnipeg	6	12
Port Arthur	10	18
Perry Sound	18	6
London	6	18
Toronto	2	14
Ottawa	6	12
Montreal	6	12
Quebec	8	14
Halifax	20	24

*—Below zero.

AROUND THE CITY

Linen Shower.

A large number of Miss Ava Fenwick's friends called on her at the home of her sister, Mrs. James R. Lezard, Metcalfe street, Saturday and tendered her a linen shower.

Relatives Wanted.

Chief of Police Clark has received a letter from Cambridge, Mass., announcing the death of Henry A. A. Smith, who is said to have relatives in St. John. The chief requests any relatives to call on him at police headquarters or telephone to him.

Importance of Character.

In Centenary church last evening Rev. W. H. Barracough preached on the subject "Better Than Gold, or Your Assay Value," giving an interesting exposition of the importance of character. In the morning his subject was "A Sam in Addition."

To Increase Capital.

Connor Bros. Ltd., of Black's Harbor, are applying for permission to increase their capital of \$48,000 to \$250,000. In addition to the steamer, trading and lumber business, Connor's Bros. carry on an extensive fish curing business, shipping their products to all parts of Canada and Europe and even to Australia and New Zealand.

Mayor Frink Invited.

Mayor Frink has received an invitation to attend the Victoria League of the Imperial Health Conference and Exhibition which will be held at London, England, from May 18 to 21. Housing, town planning and the care of children will be discussed. His worship does not expect to be able to attend.

William Robertson

The death of William Robertson took place at his residence, 48 Ekmouth street, Saturday. He had been ill for some time but had only been confined to the house during the last two weeks. He is survived by his wife, one daughter, Mrs. W. G. Stratton, one sister, Mrs. George Stratton and one brother, John Robertson. Mr. Robertson was a native of Ireland and came to St. John about fifty years ago. He conducted a grocery store in Ekmouth street for the last thirty years. The funeral will take place this afternoon at 2:15 o'clock from his late residence, 25 Ekmouth street.

Centenary Brotherhood.

The meeting of Centenary Brotherhood, yesterday afternoon, was addressed by Rev. Lowell McPherson, who took for his subject "Self Respect." He took Saint Paul as an example and from his life pointed a path for the guidance of modern people. Rev. McPherson urged on his hearers a greater respect for themselves and for the church. He thought conditions in St. John were not as bad as in some other cities but he thought there was need for greater activities on the part of church members. The meeting was well attended and T. H. Bullock, the president, occupied the chair.

A New Locomotive.

There arrived from Montreal on Friday a large new locomotive, No. 832, to be used as a shunter for the I. C. R. The new engine is now in the round house being fitted up for duty, and it is expected will be at work in a few days. The engine is Canadian built and is the admiration of all the railroad men who have seen it. She is very powerful and has all the latest improvements attached. One new device is a patent reversing gear. Instead of using the big lever for reversing the engine, the driver performs this operation by the use of air. It is all done very quickly, by the moving of a small lever. The air does the work just as easily as the air works on the brakes.

PERSONAL.

Lady Davies was the hostess at a delightful luncheon yesterday in honor of her guest, Mrs. Fitzgerald of Charlottetown, P. E. I.—Montreal Star.

Mrs. J. M. Woodford is visiting relatives in St. John. R. Ferley Hartley, who is attending the St. John Law School, spent Sunday with his parents here.—Carlton Sentinel.

Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Muir of Calgary are spending a few days visiting Mrs. Captain Hayes, Hazen street.

Mrs. E. A. Smith, of St. John, was the guest of Mrs. J. W. McPhail while in town last week.—Victoria County News.

Gundry's for diamonds and precious stones.

DURING BIG SNOW STORM

Edward McDonald, of Moss Glen, Had Terrible Experience.

EXPOSED FOR TWELVE HOURS TO BLIZZARD

Weary and Famished, Suffering Terribly from Cold, Traveller Reached Destination in Awful Condition

With the wind travelling at a high rate, carrying the light snow in blinding clouds, travel on the river Saturday was the worst that has been experienced in years as many stories are told of the trying hours spent in attempting to cross the river against frightful odds.

Leaving the city a little after twelve o'clock Saturday afternoon, Edward McDonald, who was obliged to journey up the river about two miles beyond Moss Glen, was lost in the blinding snow and for nearly twelve hours drove through the heavy storm with nothing to guide him save the careful step of the hardy animal, and when at last he found his way to his destination he was completely exhausted with cold and hunger.

Travel was heavy, and like the sand storm of the desert, the fine snow that beat against the horses' face, so that it was almost impossible to follow any definite course. To make matters worse, those living across the river had neglected to freeze in the ice spruce trees, which in years past have marked the route, and those crossing the river on Saturday had not a single thing to guide them.

Anticipating the trying and difficult journey and foreseeing that there was little chance of the storm lessening, McDonald set out with his horse early in the afternoon, but he had not been on the road for more than an hour when he found that it was an almost impossible task to find his way to his destination, and he only hoped that he would be able to pull into some shelter before his horse would fall exhausted on the ice and he himself left helplessly exposed to the bitter cold and storm.

Benumbed with the snow and gnawing cold he remained behind the horse and the animal ploughed through the storm aimlessly as it was useless to attempt any particular course. The only hope was to find some land or shelter.

It was not till the storm ceased near midnight that the weary traveller was able to draw a sigh of relief, and had he not taken the precaution to carry a lantern he would probably not have then found his way home. When he could see in just what position he was McDonald discovered that he had been travelling for the greater part almost straight up the river and was fully nine miles out of his course. Having undergone the trying experience the man is glad to relate the story of the anxious hours spent on the ice, but he considers himself fortunate in that he is safe and well today.

Other stories are told of difficult journeys across the river on Saturday. It is said that he considers undoubtedly the worst weather that has been experienced on the river for years.

DRUNK FIGHTS, NOW IN CELL

Benjamin Fish Successful in his Search for Trouble—Has a Very Interesting Cell Mate.

Benjamin Fish, well known in police circles, looked on the wine when he ran red on Saturday last and as one result is now occupying a suite at central station in company with a member of the Digs family. The demon rum was the cause of the double downfall, although neither had any intention of boarding at the expense of the city, or, scorn the thought, sleeping in the same cell.

Fish, always a troublesome character, appeared on Waterloo street Saturday evening in a very joyous condition, there he fell foul of Police Officer James McNamee and a battle royal took place. From a spectator's point of view the fight was fine although the language used by the prisoner was not of the kind usually heard in a parlor. Officer McNamee was laboring under the disadvantage of an injured hand but in spite of this landed his man in the police station in first class style and after a stiff fight. Fish faces the double charge of drunkenness and resisting the police. He will probably appear in the police court this morning.

It was later in the night when Digs came on the scene, being arrested for drunkenness. Owing to the fact that numerous protectionists had claimed sleeping room in the cell it became necessary to place Digs in the same cell with Fish. It is understood that the pair became quite friendly.

THE PRINCE WILLIAM HOTEL.

St. Andrews Curling Club. There will be a special meeting of the St. Andrew's Curling Club this evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Gundry's for special watch 0 to 12

ST. JOHN'S PARCELS POST ENTERED, MONEY TAKEN

Collection from Morning Service Stolen by Daring Thief—Broke Doors Down with Poker—Gang of Sneak Thieves Operating in St. John—Man in Women's Attire.

It is apparent that sneak thieves are operating and with much success in different sections of the city, and it seems a difficult task to get at the bottom of the matter. The police have now another case to clear up in the matter of a daring robbery committed yesterday afternoon in broad day light, when the St. Matthew's church was broken into and a substantial sum of money stolen, while several people coming from church were passing along the street. Another mysterious case which has set the officers thinking is that of a disguised man, who in the attire of a woman on Saturday evening entered a Main street house, obviously for the purpose of raising up the police. Report also has it that another house on Rockland road was some time during the latter part of last week subjected to a thorough ransacking and several articles stolen.

It is not definitely known how much money was stolen from St. Matthew's church, when the bold thief or thieves made the break, but the amount included all that had been collected in the morning's service, and as the collections are usually large, it is presumed that a goodly sum was taken. The break was made sometime between twelve and one o'clock, shortly after the morning's service had been concluded, and while a number of people must have been passing by.

The side door leading into the church, which had been bolted, but not very securely, was forced open by the daring thief, once inside of the building he immediately worked his way into the room in which the cash is kept. With an iron poker taken from the stove, the door leading to this compartment was forced open and the collection money, including envelopes and loose silver, stolen.

The burglar then made a clean getaway, leaving no clue to his identity. The police are now on the trail in an effort to round up the guilty party.

From the nature of the robbery, it is believed that boys were implicated in the affair, for it is not thought probable that any grown-up would attempt to enter a room of the kind. The belief also is that a gang of young desperadoes, who are responsible for many recent breaks, are operating in the city.

It was on Saturday evening that a person, to all appearance a man, entered a Main street house and asked access to a room of the kind. When the person in question remained quite long in the room an investigation was made, and it was found that the person was a man in woman's attire. The only imaginary purpose for anyone undertaking such a scheme was to get the plan of the house with the intention of making a haul. It is understood that the police were made acquainted with the acts of the case.

PARCELS POST WILL STRIKE MAIL HOUSES

Introduction of System Opens Opportunity for St. John Merchants—In United States.

That the introduction of the parcels post system has given many St. John business houses an opportunity to enlarge the scope of their operations was the opinion expressed by a local merchant on Saturday.

"There have been many complaints about the competition of mail order concerns in Montreal and Toronto," he, "now, with the adoption of the parcels post system, it will be possible for St. John merchants to reach out and secure a large share of trade in the province. But the people of the province must be made acquainted with the fact that they can get the goods they require in St. John, and if merchants want to capture the classes of trade made possible by the parcels post they will have to use more printers' ink."

The big order houses of the United States and Canada owe their success to newspaper publicity, supplemented by the catalogue.

"In Halifax some business houses are already advertising in Nova Scotia papers that they are establishing facilities for handling orders by the parcels post, and will prepay all postage charges."

When the parcels post system was inaugurated in the States, the post office was at first swamped by circulars sent out by merchants advertising at what prices they would deliver goods in particular zones.

DEFENDS SOCIALISM AGAINST CRITICISM

J. Eastwood in Interesting Address. Replies to Statement in Catholic Paper—Answers Questions.

At the Socialist meeting last evening J. Eastwood delivered a discourse, criticizing a criticism of Socialism which appeared in a Catholic paper. He expressed the view that Socialism was a menace to the rule of the capitalists and that if the Catholic church chose to defend the capitalist system against the militant working class it would have trouble as it did in England when it sought to defend the feudal system against the rising middle class who were responsible for the reformation.

"Will there be any graft under Socialism?" demanded a man in the audience.

To this the answer was to the effect that the only graft worth having was that in the power of the big landlord and capitalists.

"Do you blame the capitalist because the world is such a rotten place to live in?" was the next question.

"No," was the answer, "the capitalists are sensible people, I blame the workers, because they haven't sense enough to set things right."

ASKS OFFICER TO SUP HIS FALSE TEETH

Places Peculiar Charge on Policeman John Collins, at Union Depot—A Young Traveller.

Now for the past thirty years the veteran police officer, John Collins, has been stationed about the Union Depot, and during that time he has had many and various charges entrusted to him, but never during his life as an I.C.R. policeman has he been asked to carry out any such charge as was placed upon him Saturday by an excited traveller, hastening to catch the Montreal train. What was the favor asked of him? To find a man, teeth and express them to his boarding house.

Everything was in a bustle at the Union Depot; the heavy steam clouded the train shed and excited passengers hurried to and fro. About five minutes before the Montreal pulled out a man post his grip in hand hastened to the Office of Collins at the shed gate, and with mournful face told the genial officer that he was in a awful fix, that he had left his teeth in the room of his boarding house and that he would not have time to return and get them before the train would pull out. The thought of a man forgetting his facilities for handling when travelling, could not help bringing a smile to the genial face, but when the case was explained the matter was placed in Collins' hands and no doubt satisfactory arrangements will be made for the shipment of the teeth.

It appears that the passenger on the outgoing train had packed quite hurriedly, and in his haste he had neglected to fill the gap between the jaws with the mighty molars, and unfortunately did not discover his mistake until his arrival at the depot. It was then recalled to him rather painfully that he was not all there—his teeth were gone—and he sought assistance from the officer. The traveller's address was given and it was promised that the teeth would be secured and despatched. But not before the artist had made the first parcel of its kind to be sent by parcel post.

And yet again on Saturday was the I.C.R. officer the object of rather an amusing question. Another passenger approached him and asked what time the Boston Pullman was due to leave. Officer Collins informed him that the Boston would leave at 4:45, "see," said the questioner, "but I don't want the whole train, I just want the Pullman." "Some traveller, that."

The sale of jewelry at 77 Charlotte street at big discounts, to close out estate of W. T. Gard, commences today. See advertisement.

Gundry's for high grade watch repairs.

Wanamakers' Cabaret.

The Southern Sisters, a clever musical troupe from New York, will appear in Wanamakers' Restaurant regularly at the following hours: Dinner, twelve to one-thirty; supper, five forty-five to seven; evening, ten to twelve.

Thousands of walrus on sale at F. A. Dykeman & Co.'s store this week. Their equal may not be met with in years, so share while you may. Every garment is new and fresh, the styles are the very choicest and daintiest, and the materials are those in greatest demand. They will be priced at \$50, \$35, \$25, \$20, \$15, \$10, \$11.10 and from that up to \$4.50. They are worth fully a third more in every instance.

Grand Sailors' Concert.

Tonight in the Seaman's Institute the Victorian concert party in splendid programme, J. Charlton, Esq., in the chair. Admission, 10 cents.

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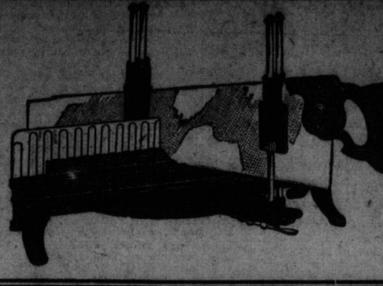
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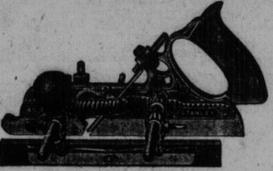
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Grand Clearing-up Sale of Remnants and Odds and Ends
IN THE LINEN ROOM
Today, Tuesday and Wednesday

The greatest accumulation of Remnants and Odds and Ends ever offered will be placed on sale beginning This Morning at 8:30 o'clock.

Remnants of White Sheetings, Remnants of Pillow Cotton, Remnants of Bleached Table Damask, Remnants of Cream Table Damask, Remnants of Huck Towelling, Remnants of Roller Towelling, Remnants of Tea Towelling, Remnants of Glass Towelling, Remnants of Yard Wide Cotton, Remnants of Long Cloth, Remnants of Embroidery Linens.

Soiled and Sample Lots Consisting of
Bleached Damask Cloths, Cream Damask Cloths, Tea and Dinner Napkins, d'Oyles, 5 O'clock Tea Cloths, Tray Cloths, Side Board Covers, Bureau Covers, Commode Covers, White Crochet Quilts, White Satin Quilts, Colored Quilts, Embroidered Cotton Quilts. All Kinds of Towels, Bath Mats. Great Bargains for all. Come Early. Sale Begins this Morning at 8:30 O'clock.

An Interesting Showing Now of New Spring Blouses

We are now showing a full range of new Tailored Blouses for Spring in a great enough variety of style to make a careful study of them decidedly interesting. The new features include the Raglan sleeve and the extended shoulder, also the low sunshine collar.

PIQUE BLOUSES —With low collar, in both raglan and extended shoulder effect, three-quarter sleeves with cuffs. Size 34 to 42. Each . . . \$1.00	TAILORED BLOUSES —Of white cotton, cluster tucks All-over collar and cuffs. Sizes 34 to 42. Each . . . \$1.10	TAILORED BLOUSES —In striped white and black, and white and blue crepe, white crepe sunshine collar, extended shoulder, three-quarter sleeves. Size 34 to 42. Each . . . \$1.50
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PIQUE BLOUSES —Low collar, both raglan and extended shoulder effect, three-quarter sleeves with cuffs. Size 34 to 42. Each . . . \$1.10	TAILORED BLOUSES —In cotton crepe, extended shoulder, low collar, three-quarter sleeves with cuffs. Sizes 34 to 42. Each . . . \$1.40	BLOUSES —In striped white and black, and white and blue cotton, with collar and cuffs of white plique, raglan sleeves three-quarter length. Sizes 34 to 42. Each . . . \$1.00
PLAIN TAILORED BLOUSES —In white cotton with All-over collar and cuffs, very dainty effect. Sizes 34 to 42. Each . . . \$1.40	TAILORED BLOUSES —In figured pique, raglan sleeves with cuffs, sunshine collar. Sizes 34 to 42. Each . . . \$1.40	

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MIDDY BLOUSES —White drill, collar and cuffs of navy, red, or cadet blue, trimmed with white braid. Sizes 32 to 38. Each . . . \$1.40	MIDDY BLOUSES —Of white plique, collar and cuffs of red, navy and cadet blue. Sizes 32 to 36. Each . . . \$1.35	MIDDY BLOUSES —Of white drill, collar and cuffs of red, navy and cadet blue. Sizes 32 to 38. Each . . . \$1.00
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