

BRITISH TROOPS SENT INTO BELFAST TO RESTORE ORDER

Shooting Continued Throughout Yesterday, Four Persons Being Killed and Many Wounded—Troops Had No Sooner Taken Up Their Duties Than One Was Shot— Sinn Fein Convention February 21.

London, Feb. 14—Shooting continued throughout Tuesday in Belfast. Four persons were killed and many were wounded. The total casualties since last Saturday up to tonight were 22 persons killed and more than sixty wounded. The wounded does not embrace the cases of many persons suffering from minor injuries.

POST VALENTINES IN FIRE ALARM BOX

Ottawa, Feb. 14.—Barnum was right—no is born every minute. Two girls tried to mail their valentine cards in the fire alarm box at Sparks and Metcalfe streets last night at 10.05, and succeeded in calling out all the central fire stations. What deputy chief Bradley thought of the valentines is not known.

C. M. A. TRADE PILGRIMS ARRIVE AT HALIFAX

Are En Route to British West Indies to Establish New Trade Connections. Halifax, N. S., Feb. 14.—The trade pilgrims of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, of Toronto and other Ontario cities who are bound to the British West Indies to establish new trade connections, arrived here this afternoon, well pleased with their journey over the Canadian National Railway, and especially that part of it known as the I. C. R., which, they said, has an excellent roadbed for travelers in sleepers.

NO DEVELOPMENTS IN TAYLOR MURDER CASE

Famous Playwright Corporation Offers \$2,500 Reward for Evidence Leading to Slaying's Conviction. Los Angeles, Feb. 14.—The Famous Playwright Corporation, of whose studios William Desmond Taylor was director-in-chief, announced, late today, through the District Attorney, that it would pay a reward of \$2,500 to the person or persons furnishing information resulting in the arrest and conviction of Taylor's slayer. It was requested that all communications and all information of this subject be sent to the District Attorney.

OPPORTUNITY TO SAVE THE CHILDREN

Another Million Children Can Be Saved in Famine Stricken Russia by Canadians. Ottawa, Feb. 14.—(Canadian Press)—"Another million children can be saved in famine-stricken Russia, if adequate subscriptions are immediately forthcoming." This information was cabled today to Col. H. J. Mackie, President of the Canadian Committee, Save the Children Fund, by Lord Weardale, chairman of the British fund. Lord Weardale states that Prof. Atkinson of Melbourne, at present in the Volga famine area, reports that the relief organizations are wonderfully widespread, efficient and economical. There were 400 kitchens operating in this vast area. Lord Weardale states in his cable that special arrangements would be made to operate special Canadian kitchens, if desired. Col. Mackie states that advantage will be taken by the Canadian Committee of this arrangement to operate Canadian kitchens.

ACADIA UNIVERSITY SUFFERS FIRE DAMAGE

Kent's Lodge Annex Almost Completely Destroyed by Blaze Last Night. Wolfville, N. S., Feb. 14.—Kent's Lodge annex, occupied by students of Acadia University and several teachers of the academy, was almost completely destroyed by fire which broke out shortly before 11 o'clock tonight. Most of the students were attending hockey match at the time. The older part of the building, which is a remnant of the historic residence of the Duke of Kent, father of Queen Victoria, when he lived in Wolfville, was not touched by the flames.

ROYAL WELCOME FOR PRINCE OF WALES

Delhi Feb. 14.—The Prince of Wales received a royal welcome on his arrival here today. Many thousands of Indians lined the route through which the Prince's party passed. The herald, which was proclaimed in Delhi city, was completely suppressed.

STRIKERS ARE DETERMINED TO STICK OUT

Cotton Mill Operatives to Hold Out Against Return to 34 Hour Week. NO DISORDERS HAVE SO FAR OCCURRED. National Guardsmen Are Mobilized in Rhode Island Centres to Quell Disturbances.

NATION-WIDE COAL STRIKE THREATENED

Union Officials Regard It as Weapon to Preserve Present Basic Wages. UNION SCALE COM. PRESENT DEMANDS. Insist on Increased Wage for Anthracite Workers, and No Reduction in Bituminous Field.

MINERS THREATEN TO WRECK COUNTY JAIL

Dire Things to Happen if Editor of Maritime Herald is Arrested. Sydney, N. S., Feb. 14.—Threats are made in Glace Bay tonight that the miners will wreck the county jail to rescue W. U. Cotton, editor of the Maritime Herald, should he be incarcerated as a result of complaints filed by the Cape Breton Baristors' Society. The attorney general of Nova Scotia to prosecute was the result of articles appearing in the Labor Herald, alleging that judges are appointed as a reward for political activities on the behalf of "the master class," and that they are expected to continue those activities in handing down their judgments.

CHANGES PROPOSED IN QUEBEC LIQUOR LAW

Hotels Given More Leeway in Sale of Beers—Beers Weaker. Quebec, Feb. 14.—The Provincial Cabinet has completed amendments to the Quebec Liquor Act. The most important amendments are in regard to beer, the permissible strength of which in future will be four per cent. weight measure, equal to a little over eight per cent. alcoholic strength. No restaurant or other licensed place will be permitted to sell beer or wine on Sundays. All grocers' licenses in the country are to be done away with. Hotels that are granted restaurant licenses will be allowed not only to sell beer or wine by the glass with meals, but also to sell beer by the bottle or case for consumption off the premises. No changes are to be made in the hours within which liquor can be sold. No changes are to be made in the law regarding the sale of wine and spirituous liquors, but the existing law will be even more strictly enforced.

EXCHANGE RATE RE SHIPMENTS

From February 15 to February 28, Inclusive, Will be 4-7-16 Per Cent. Ottawa, Feb. 14.—In accordance with the judgment and order of the Board of Railway Commissioners, dated January 14, 1921, the rate of exchange in connection with shipments of freight between points in Canada and the United States from February 15 to 28, inclusive, will be 4-7-16 per cent, and the surcharge on the said traffic will be three per cent. The rate of exchange of surcharges on passenger business will be based on four per cent exchange.

FINNISH MINISTER SLAIN BY "CRANK"

Helingsfors, Finland, Feb. 14.—Riivavuori, Finnish Minister of the Interior, was shot three times with a revolver as he was alighting from his motor car, outside his residence here today. He died while being taken to a hospital. The alleged assassin, Ernest Tenderfelt, was arrested. The authorities declare he is demented.

UNITED STATES MONEY STILL SUPPLYING

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF THE IRISH REPUBLIC TO SEND LARGE SUMS TO IRELAND. Washington, Feb. 14.—Plans have been formed by the American Association for the recognition of the Irish Republic with headquarters here to send large sums to Ireland for the use of the opponents of the Provisional Government in a publicity campaign preceding the election. Leaders of the association, who today announced this, said they are acting at the request of Eamon De Valera for funds. Many thousands of dollars will be raised, officials of the association assert.

COOL HEADS AND QUIET TONGUES ARE THE NEED

Lord Birkenhead Reviews, in Parliament, Stirring Scenes Enacted in Ireland. ADVISES MODERATION IN GOV'T MOVES. Thinks Gov't Should Support Men Courageously Trying to Carry Out the Treaty.

HOUSE OF MYSTERY Baffles Detective

After Three Nights in "Haunted" House Fails to Catch Spooks. Antigonish, N. S., Feb. 14.—The House of Mystery, at Caledonia Mills, owned by Alex MacDonald, is vacant because spook hunters Detective "Foschie" Carroll, and Reporter Harold Whidden, decided that three nights among the mysteries were enough for them. According to the reporter, the house, whence mysterious fires drove MacDonald and his family, is too cold to live in, and at the same time infested with uncanny noises, and slaps—occult presences which can be heard and felt but not seen.

PNEUMATIC TIRES HAD PART IN ELECTION

Hon. A. B. Copp Addressed Rubber Assn. of Canada at Annual Dinner. Montreal, Feb. 14.—Addressing the Rubber Association of Canada, at its second annual dinner here today, Hon. A. B. Copp, Secretary of State, stated that three-quarters of the voters in the recent Federal elections were carried to the polls on pneumatic tires, and to that extent the Dominion Government was indebted to the rubber industry. He said he was unable to give any information as to tariff proposals, but facetiously suggested that the importance of the industry had impressed him sufficiently to be able to give some hints in the matter of taxation.

ANOTHER STATESMAN SUFFERS BRAIN STORM

U. S. Congressman Wants to Buy Slice of Canada Now. Washington, Feb. 14.—Purchase by the United States of all Canadian territory south and east of the St. Lawrence River and the centre of the Gulf of St. Lawrence, with right to develop and utilize half of the water power from the river, is proposed in a resolution introduced today by Representative Tom Erick, Democrat, New York. The measure suggests that payments due the United States on the British debt be credited on the purchase price. The St. Lawrence River is a natural boundary line, the resolution stated, "and the interests of the Government of Canada and the United States are mutual in its utilization."

HARDING OPPOSES SPECIAL BONUS TAX

Is Also Skeptical About Bond Issue for the Soldiers' Benefit. Washington, Feb. 14.—President Harding is unalterably opposed to the enactment of the special tax suggested to finance a bonus for United States war veterans, or to the return of taxes which have been repealed. It was stated officially, today, at the White House. It also was indicated that the Executive was very much in doubt if it would be possible to raise the required sum to finance the bank feature of the bonus under an issue of bonds, without appreciably advancing interest rates and destroying the financial tranquility which is sought.

MODERATES TO ASK FOR STRONG BEER

League in Alberta Will Ask That Sale of Liquor Be Taken from Druggists. Edmonton, Alta., Feb. 13.—Representatives of the Moderation League will interview the Provincial Cabinet Wednesday morning, to make the following requests: "That the sale of strong beer be permitted as the only practicable way of combating illicit sales of 'hard liquor'; that the sale of liquor be taken from drug stores; the prescription system be abolished and liquor be sold by some system through Government vendors."

OPPOSE CHANGE IN SCHOOL LAWS

Brookville, Ont., Feb. 14.—The Ministerial Association has placed itself on record as being opposed to any change in the Ontario school law, as suggested by Bishop Fallon, and is memorializing Premier Derry and the Minister of Education to that effect.

DETECTIVES HOLD REV. DELORME FOR COURT HEARING

Coroner's Jury, by Vote of Seven to One, Finds Him Criminally Responsible for the Death of His Half-Brother, Raoul Delorme, Found With His Head Riddled by Bullets.

Montreal, Feb. 14.—Charged with murder, Rev. Adelard Delorme, chaplain of L'Assistance Publique, was tonight being held at detective headquarters for preliminary hearing in the arraignment court tomorrow, following the finding of a verdict by a coroner's jury that he was criminally responsible for the death of his younger half-brother, Raoul Delorme, a student attending Ottawa University, whose body, with the head riddled with bullets and wrapped in a cover from an automobile, and the hands tied with twine, was found in the early morning of January 7 at Snowdon Junction, a lonely suburb of this city.

SIX PASSED THE RADIO EXAMINATIONS

Ottawa, Feb. 14.—Six of the ten candidates who took the Department of Naval Service January examinations in radio telegraphy were successful in obtaining certificates of proficiency. Among the successful candidates who were awarded first class commercial certificates are: L. W. McKenzie, Pictou, N. S.; L. F. Tharber, Wolfville, N. S.

FATHER DELORME OBJECTS

Father Delorme demurred at the contents of the will being made public. He said: "You see if I got the bulk of the estate, or only a small portion of it, it might create a peculiar impression." Coroner McMahon decided the will must be read out in open court and did so.

TRAMPS HIRED TO KILL PICTURE DIRECTOR

Story of Plot, Planned Last December, Told. San Francisco, Feb. 14.—A statement that he made two armed tramps at Lathrop Junction, near Tracy, Cal., last December and they notified him that they had been hired to go to Los Angeles and kill a motion picture director by the name of Taylor, was made to Captain of Detectives Duncan Matheson today by a man giving the name of Charles Carson, who said he was a sea captain calling out of the port of San Francisco. Matheson is inclined to doubt his story.

STMR. LITHUANIA LOSES RUDDER

Copenhagen, Feb. 14.—The steamer Lithuanian, from New York, February 13, with passengers from New York for Danzig on board, damaged her rudder while passing through an ice field to the Ostergaard last night. An ice breaker has gone to the assistance of the steamer.

ISLAND'S WANTS MADE KNOWN TO RY. MINISTER

Hon. Mr. Kennedy Promises for the Government, Sympathetic Consideration of Demands.

Charlottetown, P. E. I., Feb. 14.—The completion of the standardization of the Prince Edward Island railway, the building of a second car ferry steamer, reduction of freight rates, the shape of railway shops here, more work for the railway shops here in order to give much needed additional employment, as well as re-assigning men who had been laid off were the four matters brought to the attention of Hon. W. C. Kennedy, minister of railways, who met the business men of Charlottetown at a board of trade meeting here today.

The first matter was presented by John O. Hyndman, who read the memorial submitted by the delegation to Ottawa last spring, in which it was stated that \$21,000 would be saved the railway per year by eliminating transfers and widening the gauge. W. F. Tidmarsh voiced the demands of the Island people for a second car ferry. Nelson Rattenbury showed, by figures, that the advance of 75 per cent in freight rates was hampering business and reducing revenue of the road. Mayor Jenkins made a plea for more business for our car shops and other plants.

Hon. Mr. Kennedy said that the first two questions were matters of finance, the second two of policy. He stressed the need of economy at a time when an internal loan of \$100,000, 400 was likely to be floated, and a hundred millions more to meet the difference between revenue and expenditure.

In his present tour, he had met demands from various sections for additional expenditure, and it was necessary to exercise discretion. It was the policy of the Government to inquire into every reasonable demand which might be to the advantage of any particular section and advance the interests of the whole country.

The Minister said the present Government's railway policy would be announced in due course, and promised sympathetic consideration of the demands and complaints made upon him.

"Happy" Hayward Died Suddenly From Pneumonia

Ottawa, Feb. 14.—Ottawa lost one of its most popular athletes, and supporters of amateur sport, and the Dominion Civil Service one of its valued professional men in the sudden death early this morning of Harry Hayward. Hayward is a more familiarly known to thousands of football lovers as "Happy" Hayward. He was 33 years old, a few days ago and pneumonia developed, and the end came early today. Deceased was in his 88th year. The funeral will be held here tomorrow, the body being sent for burial to the birthplace of the deceased, Hartland, N. B., where his parents still reside.

"Happy" attended the University of New Brunswick, where he played his first football. Graduating in civil engineering in 1907, he came to Ottawa, entering the service of the Dominion Government in the topographical survey. He was married in 1902, his wife being a New Brunswick girl. He continued to play football, entering the service of the Dominion Government in the topographical survey. He was married in 1902, his wife being a New Brunswick girl.

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GODNER—In this city on February 14, at his residence, 23 Somerset street, Samuel Godner, aged 73 years. Funeral Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

BLACK—After a short illness at his residence, Edith Avocet, East St. John, on February 14, 1922. Obituary Ray Black, son of Mr. and Mrs. Noah D. Black of Sussex, N. B., leaving a loving wife, two sons, and three brothers to mourn. Notices of funeral later.

Mrs. Geo. MacAdoo and Mrs. Wm. Foster wish to thank their many friends for kindness and sympathy in their recent sad bereavement.

DANDERINE

Stops Hair Coming Out; Thickens, Beautifies

As soon as you buy a bottle of "Danderine" at any drug store. After application you can not find a particle of danderine or a falling hair. Besides, every hair shows new life, vigor, brightness, more color and abundance.

Important Meeting of Provincial Gov't Scheduled Here Today

Caucus of Supporters of Gov't Will Also be Held to Discuss Revenues.

Fredericton, N. B., Feb. 14.—The Provincial Government will meet in St. John, Wednesday morning. Whether the Government will hold a meeting here later in the week, or will complete its session at St. John will be decided at the meeting.

A caucus of the supporters of the Government will be held at St. John tomorrow. The caucus is in preparation for the approaching session of the legislature, which will open early in March. The program of legislation, intended as a partial solution of the financial problem of the Province, will be the chief matter for discussion. It is well known that the Government is right up against it for revenue, and the example of Quebec, British Columbia and other provinces, which have administered the same liquor on a basis of provincial revenue, is tempting New Brunswick's administration to follow suit. Already the N. B. Temperance Alliance has made threats as to what action it will take if the Government dare touch the present prohibition law.

The Public Health Act, and the proposals of the New Brunswick Lumbermen's Association are also to be talked over in caucus.

The Advisory Board of the Department of Lands and Mines have made recommendations to be considered by the Government, at this meeting, for a reduction in the rate of pay in some of the services of the department and also a curtailment in numbers of officials and relocation of them throughout the province. The recommendations are for reasons of economy and finance.

Amateur Boxing Championships

A meeting of the members of the St. John Amateur Boxing Club was held last night to discuss arrangements for the Provincial Amateur Boxing Championships to be held under their auspices in the Armories on the night of Tuesday, February 28th. A committee composed of Harry Bevan, J. C. Chisler, Harry Evin and Hugh McCavour, the secretary of the club, was appointed to look after the arrangements. President A. W. Corry, of the M. P. R. A. U. of C. who gave the sanction to the Boxing Club to hold the championships, was present and gave the members valuable assistance regarding the manner in which the affair should be held.

From the meeting it is expected that boxes in all classes will be present to take part from different parts of the province and with the large number of boxes in the city the championships should prove an unqualified success. There will be six classes ranging from 108 pounds to 183. The entries will close with the secretary, Hugh McCavour, on Friday, February 24th.

Kearns Talks About Dempsey

New York, Feb. 14.—Jack Kearns, manager of Heavyweight Champion Jack Dempsey, said today he was planning to get a paying match for the champion in the United States, and was looking for "new fields" abroad.

He had no definite plans, he said, but in considering several propositions "in the rough," one of which was to go abroad for a match with Georges Carpentier, and another to go abroad for a "vacation" tour. The latter would not mature for at least a month, he said.

Cases Before The Court of Appeal

Special to The Standard
Fredericton, N. B., Feb. 14.—Before the Appeal Court this afternoon, D. Mullin, K. C. in the matter of Beattie May Coleman, infants, for the mother Helen Beudo, moved for a writ for habeas corpus. The writ was granted by the court, and the writ was granted by the court, and the writ was granted by the court.

The King vs. Mitchell S. Stewart, in which Mr. Mullin moved for leave to appeal, was withdrawn. This is a Northumberland County murder case. In re Abandoned Debtors' Act, and in re Grace Akervy, abandoned debtors, J. P. H. Teed moved for an order that the purported appeals by Grace Akervy and George Akervy against Johnson Lodge No. 19 L. O. A. be dismissed. Application was allowed.

Retiring Allowance For H. E. Wardroper

Common Council to Seek Necessary Legislation — Commissioner Frink Wants to Know About Tucker Park.

The city council yesterday took the first step toward providing a retiring allowance for H. E. Wardroper, who for 44 years has been Common Clerk of the city, when a motion to seek legislation at the coming session of the legislature giving power to pay him a superannuation allowance was passed unanimously. Commissioner Frink reported that the structure of the retiring allowance in West St. John was in a satisfactory shape but the ceremonial part of it was destroyed and recommended that action in the matter be delayed for a time. The matter of timber outlining the Tucker Park area was brought up by Commissioner Frink in connection with a request for permission to have 200 sticks of plating through the streets.

Mayor Schofield presented and Commissioner Frink, Jones and Bullock were present.

The report of the committee, was adopted.

Mayor Schofield presented a report of the city engineer recommending that the lath and plaster be replaced on the Tucker Park area. The recommendation was adopted. A recommendation from the building inspector that all the state buildings be made of concrete and a report of the city engineer that he did not consider this necessary was read by the mayor and it was decided not to take any action in the matter.

In connection with the offer of the Federal Government to pay a portion of the excess cost of work undertaken to relieve unemployment, the mayor reported that he had talked the matter over with Premier Foster and he was informed by him that his Government would pay the share under the proposition and it was decided to have the commissioners of water and sewerage and public works prepare a report on the cost of the works now in hand and bring the matter to the attention of the Federal Government. The mayor asked what progress was being made in the appropriation of the Tucker Park property and was told by Commissioner Bullock that so far as he knew it was going through the courts.

Commissioner Frink reported that the metal figure on the drinking fountain in West St. John had been destroyed and he had reported that the damage had been caused by a team striking the fountain. The base was in good order and so far as was concerned the fountain was as good as ever. No action was taken.

Commissioner Frink said that he had received a request for permission to hand through the streets 200 sticks of plating to be used in the Tucker Park area and he wanted some information about how Mr. Gregory came to get them. Mayor Schofield explained that H. E. Wardroper had made an examination of the trees in the Park area and had reported that the Spruce Bud worm was in the trees and recommended that they be cut last year. Mr. Gregory had submitted the highest offer, \$1,300, and he had been given the contract to cut them. The money received would be used in laying roads through the park area.

Commissioner Frink brought forward a proposition to seek legislation enabling the city to grant a superannuation allowance to H. E. Wardroper, Common Clerk, when that official should feel like retiring from office. In bringing up the matter the commissioner said there was a duty to every person and corporation when they must look to the future and the city must face the fact that Mr. Wardroper could not give very many more years of service. He had given the city faithful service and the council would be derelict in their duty if they did not make some provision to recognize that fact in a tangible way and he moved the following resolution:

"That whereas the Common Clerk of the City of St. John having been in the service of the City of St. John for a period of approximately forty-four years and having conducted the duties of his office as Common Clerk and custodian of civic public documents in a most efficient and conscientious manner, coupled with a high degree of efficiency.

"And whereas no legal provision has been made for the superannuation of civic public servants in the City of St. John and it being the opinion of the Common Council, that legislation should be obtained to make financial provision for the said Common Clerk upon his resignation or retirement from office.

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Paris Appeal February 23rd

Appeal Division of the Supreme Court Entered the Case and Set Date.

Before the Appeal Division of the Supreme Court at Fredericton yesterday, P. J. Hughes made application to have the hearing in the case of the King vs. John Paris, the Truro, N. S., marine, condemned to be hanged on March 20 for the murder of Sada McManus, coupled with a high degree of efficiency.

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Jolly Toboggan And Skating Party Held

Over Hundred Members of Young Women's and Young Men's Senior Classes of Y. M. C. I. at Rockwood.

A jolly toboggan and skating party at Rockwood Park, followed by a pleasant social time spent at the institute, was enjoyed by some 150 members of the Young Women's and Young Men's Senior Classes of the Y. M. C. I. last night.

Conditions at the lake were perfect, the ice was of excellent condition, and the slide all that could be desired, and moreover the revelers were favored with the rays of a big white moon shining down from an azure sky.

After several hours of healthful outdoor recreation had given an edge to the appetites of all, the party wended their way back to Cliff street and the institute, where they partook of delicious refreshments and enjoyed a number of songs and choruses.

The committee responsible for the successful entertainment were E. McIntyre, J. McArthur, E. Martin, T. Killen and E. J. Wall.

The chaperones were Mr. and Mrs. George Flood, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur J. O'Connor, Mrs. Louis Conroy, Mrs. Fred Lynch, Mrs. William Donahoe, & Mrs. T. Murphy.

Anley at St. John last August, entered on the docket. He explained that here had been delay in the serving of notice, and there had not been time to have the case entered regularly.

Hon. J. P. Byrne, Attorney-General, suggested that Feb. 23 be made the date of hearing. The court entered the case and set that date.

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Coroner's Jury, by Vote of Seven to One, Finds Him Criminally Responsible for the Death of His Half-Brother, Raoul Delorme, Found With His Head Riddled by Bullets.

(Continued from Page 1.) City Detective LaLoe avers that the bullet found in the body of the murdered young man were of the same calibre as those in the priest's revolver. The officer repeated his evidence about finding apparent blood stains on the cushions of the Abbé's car which he handed to Dr. DeRome for analysis. He also said he found a coverlet at Abbé Delorme's house similar in make-up to the coverlet of the dead man's head. He had found feathers under the seat of the priest's car, and a similar feather was found on the clothing wrapped around the victim's head. Twine, like that which had been used to bind the young man's hands, had been found near Father Delorme's home. Detective LaLoe further testified that, with the gunsmith who sold the revolver found in the Abbé's car, he had experimented in firing a number of shots. They found that the bullets bore the same barrel markings as those taken from the victim's head. Mr. DeRome avers he had found human blood on a seat and two cushions of Father Delorme's car. He also found a soap stain on the rear car seat, covering the spot where a cloth in the Delorme garage similar to that on the cloth which wrapped the head. The cushions of the car indicated that the rear cushion of the car had been washed with soap, evidently to remove bloodstains.

Details of Search. Chief LaLoe was called and asked by Mr. Walsh "Did you have anything to do with Father Delorme in regard to the cushions and coverlets?" The chief replied "Yes, on January 21, with two detectives, we called on the priest and asked permission to search his place. He did not object. We began in the garage. We saw a Franklin car there. We found the covers or quilts and cushions shown here as exhibits. Father Delorme said the coverlet had been used on camping trips. In the rear of the seat we found a box containing a number of feathers, which we took. We asked permission to take these articles along with us and per-

HALIFAX PRESS GOES AFTER ONTARIO'S MISSTATEMENTS

Accuses Directors of Canadian Northern Railway With Using High-Handed Methods in Conduct of I. C. R.—Doing Everything for Portland, Nothing for St. John and Halifax.

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Mrs. Samuel Ward, Millerville, Sask. writes: "I feel that I must write to you before another day passes I am so happy and so grateful to your splendid medicine, Burdock Blood Purifier, for after an illness of five years I am better. I had stomach trouble so bad, I could not bear the smell or taste of food of any kind, and got so thin and weak I could not work. I had four doctors attend me, but they did me no good. I was in no pain, but felt so ill at times, I thought I would die. In all my friends were sure I could live many weeks. This time last year I saw where Mrs. Ward was relieved of stomach trouble by Burdock Blood Purifier, so my husband got me two bottles, but I had no faith in it after all the different medicines I had taken, however he insisted and after the first two days I must say I began to feel better, and after it I had first bottle I felt so much better that I went out a little every day, but could not go alone I was so weak, but I got so I could walk and eat, and had got quite stout. I am nearly seventy years of age and I feel better than I have for years. I can now do all my housework. You may make use of this letter if you wish, as it may be the means of helping others as well as as has helped me."

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As Cure For Ills "All Fours" Seen

London, Feb. 14.—Walking on all fours has been suggested by an English physician as a preventive against many of the ills to which the human race is subject—in fact, Dr. J. Knox Thompson has informed his colleagues and the world that if we abandoned the upright posture we now assume we would not have bronchitis, abdominal troubles and, best of all, no knock-knees. In addition he sums up the disadvantages of walking on "your hindlegs" as follows: "Unstable equilibrium, strategic weakness in direct physical attack of defense because the upright body forms a better target for missiles with vital and tender parts more exposed than in the quadruped position. The constriction of the upper part of the chest, coupled with the fact that owing to the increased effort required in the erect position, the up-and-down movement of the ribs in respiration is much restricted, must go far to increase the tendency to tuberculosis. "If you go on all fours your lungs are not set up on end, but routine instead of pressing in on them, support them, and the heart instead of having hard tendon and backbone to rest on reclines upon the ends of the lungs."

Rev. A. L. Fleming Delivered Lecture

Under Auspices of Knox Church W. M. S. Speaker Told of Missionary Work in Far North.

Under the auspices of the Women's Missionary Society of the Knox Church, an address was delivered last evening in the school room of the Church, by the Rev. A. L. Fleming. The meeting, which was largely attended, was presided over by the Rev. R. M. Moore, Legation Chaplain. The speaker dealt in a very interesting manner with the missionary work being carried on by the Danish and Labrador churches in Greenland and Labrador. He confined his address chiefly to the work done by Hans Egede, the first Christian missionary among the Eskimos of whom there is any authenticated record. This man, who was an ordained minister of the Danish Church, was sent out to Greenland and the Arctic in the year 1721, and experienced a great many hardships and difficulties among the natives of those regions. Ten years after the first expedition the Moravian church sent out the Brothers Storch to assist Egede in the good work, and the result was that great progress was made during the years that followed. As the Danish church was the State Church, it came to pass that, by the agreement between the two bodies fifty years after the Danish Church took over the Moravian Mission in Greenland and left that body free to carry on its work in Labrador. The first Moravian missionary to go to Labrador, John Christian Egede, was murdered by the natives, who knew not the Maritime Provinces or its people. They have seen Canada a Northern equipment, old and new, mortgaged to the Gerard Trust and other trust companies, and charged against the intercolonial high rental rates per diem for the use of them. They have charged such high rates for transporting coal, steel and other products we want to sell that, notwithstanding tariff duties, it is given unusual and special advantages in the markets of Central Canada. They purchased 1,200,000 tons of American coal and hauled it over Canadian Northern lines to run trains on districts where Nova Scotia coal should be used, while our miners are asking out an equivalent on two or three days' work a week. They have made Portland once more the winter port of Canada, and turning back the pages of the story of the thirty years' effort on behalf of Halifax at St. John, deliberately route traffic through the American port because it will help the Canadian Northern lines, while the Maritime Provinces are treated as if they were not a part of Canada, and their people outsiders."

TOBOGGAN PARTY AND LUNCHEON

Last night, the girls of the Willing Workers Class of the Tabernacle Baptist church, their preacher, A. B. Kierstead, and a number of invited guests, spent a very pleasant evening tobogganing on Lily Lake, after which the whole party flopped to the church vestry, where the teacher had provided a delicious luncheon. After justice had been done to the many good things provided, the pastor, Rev. A. L. Tedford, on behalf of Mrs. Tedford and the other invited guests, in a brief address, thanked

Obituary

Samuel Codner The death of Samuel Codner, which occurred last evening at his residence 53 Somerset street, will be learned with regret by a large number of friends. Mr. Codner had reached the advanced age of 79 years, but been around up to the last. He is survived by his wife, one daughter, Mrs. Harding, of Everett, Mass., and two sons, Harry L., of this city, and Howard, of Toronto. The funeral will be held from his late residence on Thursday, tomorrow. Otty Ray Black The death of Otty Ray Black occurred at his residence Edith avenue, East St. John, after a short illness from pneumonia, which set in last Thursday, and to the effects of which he succumbed at a late hour last night. Mr. Black, who for the past fifteen years had been engaged as an accountant with H. W. Hayward Co., is survived by his wife, a daughter, Mrs. W. J. Magee, of this city, two young sons, Wendell F., and Ralph M., three brothers, Alfred S., and Harry W., of Sussex, and Leon L., of Sydney, N. B., and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. D. Black, of Sussex. Notice of funeral to appear later.

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New Brunswick Boys' Work Board

Annual Meeting Held Yesterday—Reports Received and Recommendations of Interest Made.

The annual meeting of the New Brunswick Boys' Work Board was held at the luncheon hour yesterday at the Y.W.C.A. cafeteria on King street, with A. H. Chipman presiding. The secretary-treasurer presented a satisfactory report, showing the finances to be in excellent condition, and a large amount of good to have been accomplished during the year. The board recommended that it be increased in size by the appointment of more laymen to it. It also recommended that the policy of holding boys' conferences at different times throughout the year, whenever convenient, be adopted in preference to the present system of holding the one conference in the fall, also week-end conferences for the leaders in the different centers. The holding of the Tuxis Boys' camp at Chipman, and the combined men and women leaders camp at Wallace, N. S., next summer were decided upon. Interesting addresses were delivered by Taylor Statten, secretary of the National Boys' Work Board, and Miss M. R. Allison, Maritime Girls' Work secretary, and Mrs. R. A. Jamieson, president of the New Brunswick Girls' Work Board. The two ladies told of the co-operation between, and assistance the Boys' Work and Girls' Work Boards were able to give each other.

Mr. Fisher said he was glad to meet such a bright, active body of men in the most progressive city in Eastern Canada. Through co-operation, a great deal can be accomplished. Co-operation is the key note of success. He said it was a pleasure to see the ladies in attendance. With the co-operation of the ladies, life goes on much more merrily, and business prospers, also. He said he began, as a boy in the manufacturing line, then changed to retail, and after trying wholesale, went back to manufacturing.

Back Weak and Lame for Years

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Moncton Retail Merchants' Assn.

Reports Received at Annual Meeting—Interesting Address Delivered by W. S. Fisher.

L. R. McMurdo was unanimously elected President of the Moncton branch of the Retail Merchants' Association for the ensuing year, at their annual meeting, which was held in the Y.M.C.A. Hall Monday evening. Only routine business was dealt with, by the meeting, which was largely attended. The Treasurer's report was served by the Secretary, which was read and approved. The meeting opened with an excellent supper, which was served by the Ladies' Auxiliary. Following the supper, the meeting was called to order by the retiring President, Mr. P. H. Fryers, after a toast to the King had been honored. Mr. Fryers stated that the year had been quiet from the retail merchant's standpoint. He and the Secretary attended the Provincial meeting at Fredericton. A very successful picnic had been held at Point du Chene in August. The Treasurer, R. E. Barnes, read the Treasurer's report which showed a deficit of \$47.00. It was moved by Ald. W. E. Marks, seconded by Mr. J. S. Ross and carried, to clear the outstanding accounts, and after considerable discussion, it was finally decided to assist the various members of the Association to cover the deficit. The President and Messrs. A. Temple Doyle and R. P. Fryers each spoke briefly on the collection of debts, clearing interest on overdue accounts and the advisability of placing two prices on cash and credit goods. No action was taken by the meeting. The election of officers for the ensuing year, which followed, resulted as follows: President—Mr. L. R. McMurdo. Vice-Pres.—Ald. W. E. Marks. Sec.-Treas.—Mr. K. E. Barnes (re-elected). On motion, it was decided that an Executive composed of one member representing each line of business, should be appointed by the President. The President called upon Mr. W. S. Fisher, of St. John, President of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association. Mr. W. S. Fisher.

Dollar Day at Gilmour's

We emphasize that Dollar Day offerings here are goods of QUALITY at liberal reductions. Odd lots are in many cases half-price or less. Winter Overcoats—\$18.50, \$20, \$25, \$35—reductions of \$5 to \$20. Spring Overcoats—Some at \$10, \$15, \$17.50—good picking at \$20. Blue Suits—Odd sizes go at \$25. Plain Grey Worsted Suits, \$30 and \$35—long wearing and dressy. Tweed and Worsted Suits, in good patterns, for present and spring wear; men's and young men's styles—\$20, \$25, \$30, \$35—savings of \$5 to \$15. Smart Waistcoats, some with braided edge—choice for \$5. Dent's Gloves, lined, \$4 and \$4.50, at 20 per cent. discount. Negligee Shirts, \$1.50 up, at 10 per cent. discount. Men's Pants, \$6.50, reduced from \$8.50. Wool Mufflers, \$2.25 up at one-third off. Raincoats, \$3.75, \$4, \$5, \$6.50, \$8.50, and one at \$20 reduced from \$35. Gilmour's, 68 King St. Clothing Tailoring Furnishings

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1 Hudson Seal Coat, trimmed with Peaver Collar and Cuffs, regular \$550.00, Dollar Day \$425.00
1 Hudson Seal Coat, trimmed with Taupe Squirrel Collar, Cuffs and border, regular \$485.00, Dollar Day \$375.00
1 Beaver Stole, regular \$150.00, Dollar Day \$100.00
1 Skunk Stole, regular \$325.00, Dollar Day \$240.00
1 Hudson Seal and Squirrel Coatee, regular \$250.00, Dollar Day \$175.00
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THE IRISH SITUATION.

People may well shake their heads in dismay, and wonder what the next thing is going to be when they read the accounts of the doings in Northern Ireland. Such doings are doubly regrettable in view of the prospects there were at the outset of a peaceful inauguration of the new regime. The new arrangements had been negotiated by representative Irishmen, who were thoroughly in touch with the national sentiment and it was naturally assumed that what they agreed to would be satisfactory to their fellow countrymen. We believe that the terms agreed upon are satisfactory to the vast majority of the Irish people; those who are not satisfied are malcontents, who do not want to be satisfied with anything.

At the bottom of the trouble is the arch-conspirator De Valera, who, as president of the Irish Republic, saw himself in the position of an uncrowned king, with power and authority such as he had never wielded in his life before. Naturally the acquiescence of the Irish people of a government short of a republic robs him of the attainment of his ideal, hence the agitation which he is fomenting. Men have been blinded against a blank wall and blindfolded for less than De Valera is doing many times in the past; and until the same treatment is meted out to some of the present strike makers, it will be idle to look for any material cessation of the reign of terror which now exists.

It is no use putting the question of boundaries down as the cause of the present trouble. That undoubtedly has led to some differences of opinion, but such as they were they could have been smoothed over by friendly "conversations." It would have needed a good deal of give and take no doubt, but at the worst, it need not have led to bloodshed. No doubt the British Government to free Ireland and let her go with a blessing and a boundary dispute is something like bequeathing a law suit to one's heirs; at the same time there was reason to hope that North and South Ireland would ultimately unite and obliterate the boundary entirely. But the Government reckoned without the agitators, who were only too glad to seize upon any pretext for fomenting further trouble.

As long as De Valera and those in sympathy with him are permitted to go about the country stirring up strife, it will be useless to expect any provisional government to make any headway. Any idea of conciliation is merely waste of time; there is just as determined not to have anything to do with Northern Ireland—at present at any rate—as De Valera is not to recognize the Provisional Government. The world can only await developments; but it must be admitted that the outlook is dark.

WHAT SELLS MOTOR CARS.

The National Automobile Dealers' Association of America has recently conducted an inquiry into what are the factors that enter into the sale of a motor car with the idea of acquainting the representative with the buying public, and which decide that public in regard to the car that shall be selected. A questionnaire was sent to a large number of owners in various sections of the country, and the information contained in them has been compiled.

It was brought out that 30 per cent of the cars purchased are closed models, while 70 per cent are of the open type. Another interesting point was that the average car owner disposes of his old automobile when he has had it 28 months and has driven it for 19 months, and when its total mileage has been 17,159.

Some interesting sidelights were brought out in regard to the influence which decide purchasers. It was learned that the reputation of the dealer was a deciding factor in 50 per cent of the purchases, and that in two-thirds of the cases the known responsibility of the manufacturer was a weighty determining point with the man or woman in regard to which car should be bought. The greatest factor in all was comfort and convenience, this being the prime consideration of 75 per cent of the purchasers, while the recommendation of some friend who owned and was favorably impressed by a particular make of car influenced 49 per cent. Personal friendship with the dealer or salesman was a factor with only 20 per cent and the trade-in allowance on his or her used car was the deciding point with 35 per cent. One of the most interesting facts brought out was that the current price reductions influenced only 25 per cent to purchase cars. However, in this connection, it would seem that this low percentage must apply more particularly to persons who are considering exchanging their cars; because it is well known that a reduction in the price of a new car of the same model as that to be turned in means a corresponding decrease in the value of the second hand one. So that it may be seen that lowering costs, when exchanging are contemplated, do not mean any great advantage for the new car purchaser. On the other hand, for the man who has no old car to exchange, but who is to buy in the open market, the present downward trend of prices means a genuine saving.

Apparently a considerable per cent of the automobile-buying public is possessed of the idea that the cheap and medium priced cars are the most expensive to maintain. This is not a fact, however, for the standard makes in these two classes are built upon honor, and, with proper use, will give as good service, proportionately, as the high-priced car.

To those who are fond of trying experiments, we recommend the following:—Get a piece of rags pie and a cake of yeast, drink a pint of water and then pull your chair up to a hot stove or steam radiator. In ten minutes, to test the kick, try to walk around the chair.

"Believe me, if over 100,000 could subscribe, I'll pull off something spectacular," pronounced Elinor. There is a world where that she had not gone and returned herself. Consistent to the last.

Henry Ford turned out 75,000 cars last month. He'll be selling them in lots.

MARKING OF FOREIGN-MADE GOODS.

It has been found difficult to enforce the Customs Tariff Amendment Act which requires that foreign-made goods entering Canada must, if possible, without working injury to the goods, bear a mark predominate the country of their origin. In some instances it has involved expense and confusion; some goods were liable to be injured by the marking, while others could not be marked at all. The Government has consequently suspended the marking order temporarily, it is stated.

A petition is being presented to the Government, however, from the printers, lithographers and bookmakers of Canada, asking that the Act be allowed to continue in operation so far as printed goods are concerned. It is maintained that there is no difficulty, nor extra expense, in the marking of the printed or lithographed articles. This applies to catalogues, booklets, folders, labels, circulars, show cards, posters, stationery—in fact printing and lithography by all processes and for all purposes.

According to the Ottawa Chronicle, over \$12,500,000 worth of printing of one kind and another came into Canada last year. Some of it came from Germany, some from Japan, but most of it was made in the United States. There are many striking markings here in the United States. Printed goods must be plainly marked with the country of their origin. It is said to be almost impossible to send over a typewritten circular without the line "Printed in Canada."

The United States, as the Ottawa points out, have, at some, every right to protect their home industries, as much as they think it can be done, by this policy. The Canadian customs tariff amendment, last session, proposed to apply a similar law to imports into this country, and the printing interests are asking that the new law be allowed to continue in operation.

The Dominion Government will probably realize, when the question is taken up, that there is nothing unreasonable in the request with regard to printing and lithography. No extra cost to the Canadian consumer is incurred. There is nothing to prevent or penalize the importing of printed goods from abroad. They may be shipped in as freely as before. But the purchaser will know where the printing was done, by the mark on the goods, "Printed in Germany," "Printed in the United States," or wherever they originated.

Other things being equal, it is expected that the Canadian public will be more inclined to purchase Canadian products; but those who prefer American or British will still be free to buy where they are best suited. Under the circumstances, the Government should find it possible to give the petition favorable consideration.

WHAT OTHERS SAY

A Dull London.
London Daily Mail.
Opinion in the provinces is strongly against unnecessary and arbitrary restrictions of the British traffic, and it has a right to be heard, as London is a national asset and possession. Foreign visitors, when they see posters and signs in the streets, and when they see their own countrymen avoiding London for Paris and Brussels, and the result to us was serious business loss. Viscount Curzon has wisely said that we cannot afford a dull London. But a dull London is precisely what the daddies are 'used' to produce.

To Leave the Whole Lump.
London Daily News.
There is a leaven of liberal opinion in France, which becomes stronger as the week wears on. The French people will yet dominate French politics, and that M. Poincaré will either have to recognize it, or to give way to others who are not so deluged by the flood of the countrymen to the real position in France and Europe. Meanwhile, it is good that these hidden motives and the problems of the country should be brought to the surface. We have had enough of dangerous continental make-beliefs.

The Single Issue.
Times of India.
The non-co-operators have placed one issue and one only before the country—it is the choice between the rule of law and the chaos of anarchy. There has not been, there could not be any hesitation in the action of the Government. They must either pursue the policy they have marked out for the protection of the citizen and maintenance of law or resign the reins of government to the country to Mr. Gandhi and Mr. Das; there is no other alternative whatsoever. There is a choice before the people of India and that is between the rule of law and the chaos of anarchy. It is completely understood is unfortunately not the case.

What Has Happened to Brighton?
London Daily Express.
The Brighton Ladies' Society deserves the support of every sensible citizen. Its aims are sufficiently obvious from its title. In fact, it hopes to make Brighton brighter for the most liberal sense of the word for one of its primary objects is to abolish fog. We are not over-enthusiastic as to any immediate results in this respect, because the problem of fog is not solved with the opening of open fire, and the open fire is a national and popular institution. The society's campaign for metropolitan, as distinct from rural, brightening is a noble and praiseworthy one. The sole reason why the Puritans and kill-joys are able to enforce their fads on the rest of the community is because they are highly organized.

Beyond Expectations.
New York Tribune.
The Congress has accomplished a great deal more than any well informed observer expected of it. It has produced a firm accord in the Pacific, which is a great contribution to world peace. It has brought about a sweeping limitation of offensive naval armaments. It has restored the Geneva Disarmament Conference to its original position of world peace. The sole reason why the Puritans and kill-joys are able to enforce their fads on the rest of the community is because they are highly organized.

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His Last Match.
From the Economic United Press.
Mr. F. S. D.—Cedar Rapids, Ia., passing through this city lately, had an accident on an automobile tour, it is a match to see if his gas tank was empty. It was not, Ah, Cedar Rapids papers please copy!

Benny's Note Book
BY LES PAPE

Pop came home this afternoon and hung up his hat and coat saying, Congratulations, everybody.

Why, what the matter was you congratulating me on?

Well, on the fact that in home again after a hole days absence, I found that there was a man in the house who makes everything seem brighter and more cheerful immediately.

Oh yes, maybe you're right, that gives me a fifteen, there's something I want you to do before supper, and me.

Well, I didn't really mean to put anything in your head of a practical nature, but what is it?

The hot water spigot in the kitchen is acting very strange, and me.

Oh give it a little talking to Benny, run up and bring me the gas pipe, and pop.

And after you get through with the spigot I wish you would do something to the setting room door to make it stop squeaking.

Well, I'll see if I have time, I'll see, and pop.

And the window in our room works hard half the time and the other half it don't work at all, and the vacuum cleaner is having one of its off days, and by that time supper will be ready, and me.

By that window's broken yet to be ready, I think I'll take a little walk before supper, I feel the need of a little walk, and pop, and I'll see, so do I, pop, can I go with you and pop, and me.

With me, getting back just in time to keep me from being mad on account of supper being late, and me.

Great Powers have no desire for aggressive warfare, and without aggression there need be no defensive warfare. The Powers all want peace. They want to be assured of it, and to obtain that assurance they have striven to remove the cause of war. China and Japan might have gone to war over Shanhai, only to reach an agreement in the end. That agreement has been reached in the beginning and there is no need for war on that question. All the Pacific islands were potential causes of war in a race for the mastery of the Pacific. That mastery has been achieved, but instead of one master there are four, and these four have agreed not to fight, but to settle disputes at a conference table.

THE LAUGH LINE

Pedigree.
Stable-wise negroes were discussing the pedigree of Man-of-War. "Say, Henry," asked one, "dis horse Man-of-War—who is she by?" "Ah, damn! every time Ah see her she is by herself."

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"No, biomin! I'm not. 'I just dropped round' to see if they was still in business."

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Something Like Constanter Signs of Reaction in Spacious Immediately

Paris, Feb. 14.—Something like constancy was shown in France when immediately after the advent to power of M. Poincaré the signs of a reaction in American opinion about France became conspicuous even to those who had not so any unambiguous signs of reaction in the opinion of Senator McCornick, there were the demands of the commission headed by M. Hoover, there was quite manifestly not only hostility about France, but a distinct aversion to her. At the same time a clear hostility even to a distinct aversion toward France.

Whenever a recommendation in America that European duties should be examined, whenever there is talk of economic armaments, whenever it is proposed that the debtors to America should be called upon to pay their debts, France understands that she is being indicated even when the name of France is not mentioned.

For a long time France seemed to be blind to the truth that American sympathy and active friendship was not something which was wholly dependent on French policy. There was no realization of the possibility that public opinion in regard to France might change even now. France is inclined to believe that proposals, whether emanating from Germany or directed by Britain, is responsible for any alteration in the team of other countries for France, but although anxious and apprehensive as to the result of a protest it is an undoubted fact that France is in a dangerous situation in the eyes of America.

Some day, perhaps, the history of French diplomatic observations will be written. One factor will have to be taken serious notice of. An entirely stupid act of war at one moment, perceived as such at the moment, and which is not to be taken as a sign of a French-American people. There is reason to believe that for reasons which are not creditable, at least, one French newspaper, the "Journal," has been encouraged and fanned the belief that there was a deep division between the two English-speaking countries and that the best way to break this division was to attack England. For a time French diplomacy actually based its policy on this erroneous assumption. France believed that something was to be made with America as a result of an act of war. It was this thought through the Washington Journal that it will be found that the idea of the journal in attacking England and its friendship for America and Britain is not only a mistake but a disaster for England in responsible for very much that has happened to France.

Fall of M. Briand.
It is strange that France was so weak in understanding the value of diplomacy to be founded upon the supposed Anglo-American alliance. Washington was for France a diplomatic mission. Briand after his binder was made through starting out with this wrong belief.

The fall of M. Briand was from the point of view of foreign policy, a disaster for France. M. Briand may or may not prove to be the man to be represented himself to be, but about his fall there was one who stood for reaction and consequent confusion on the continent of Europe.

It was found and about the proposed election congress that the storm really broke. The French newspapers have been in the habit of quoting from the American newspapers whatever pleased them and ignoring whatever was displeasing to them. But the news



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FRENCH VIEWS DIVIDED OVER RADICAL POINCARÉ POLICIES

Something Like Consternation Caused in France When Signs of Reaction in American Opinion Become Conspicuous Immediately Premier Assumes Power.

Paris, Feb. 12.—Something like consternation was caused in France when immediately after the advent to power of M. Poincaré the signs of a reaction in American opinion about France became conspicuous even to those who had not only a history of the Poincaré commission but also the demands of the commission headed by Mr. Hoover, there was quite manifestly not only a hesitancy about the new Premier's policy, but a distinct aversion to his any part in European affairs and at the same time a clear hostility even to the new Premier.

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Business and Explanations. For a long time France seemed to be blind to the truth that American sympathy and active friendship was not something which was under the control of French policy. There was no limitation of the possibility that public opinion in France might change even on the subject of the debtors to America. France is inclined to believe that proposals emanating from Germany or directed by England is responsible for any alteration in the system of other countries for France. But although anxious and explanations are to be found in protest it is an admitted fact that the danger of being in a bad situation in the eyes of America.

Some day, perhaps, the history of French diplomatic observations will be written. One factor will have to be taken serious notice of. An entirely stupid war at one moment, seemed to set at naught the friendly relations of American peoples. There is reason to believe that for reasons which are not creditable, at least, to French foreign policy, the commission against England and by its members encouraged and favored the better that there was a deep division between the two leading speaking countries and that the best way to settle the matter was to reach an agreement. For a time French diplomacy actually came to rest on this momentary absurdity. France believed that the matter was to be made with America as a condition if one cared to know this thought through the Washington (Sinclair) it will be found that the idea of the journal in question which is a London friendship for America and details for England is responsible for very much that has happened to France.

Fall of M. Briand. The fall of M. Briand was from the point of view of foreign politics, a misfortune for France. M. Briand may or may not prove to be the man to be represented in France. But about him was looked upon as one who stood for reaction and consequent continuation of the conditions of Europe. It was round and about the proposed election congress that the storm really broke. The French newspapers have been in the habit of quoting from the American newspapers whatever pleased them and ignoring whatever was displeasing to them. But the news...

Question of International Debts. Obviously the presence of America at Geneva would imply a serious question of the general question of international debts, whether those debts are the debts of Germany or the debts of France. There has been much writing which tries to show that America must not dream of intimidating France, and to show that it would be necessary for America to lay stress upon her need. From the French viewpoint there is much to be argued. The fact of the matter is that the war was a common war and that it is unpractical for the nations which have enriched themselves to demand enormous reparations from those nations which have impoverished themselves. An alien money lent to France was used to fight American battles and more was spent in buying American stocks. Some generous reimbursement which shall not follow strict business is called for. In any case France cannot pay if she is not paid by Germany. It is also maintained as a very fair proposition for the payment of Germany for the reduction of '65 German debt she must in total pay the amount owing by France to England and to all other countries. If America wishes in the interest of common sense to help France she must be prepared to accept her own.

Funerals. The funeral of Mrs. Robert Phillips Jones was held yesterday afternoon from her late residence, 151, Commercial Avenue, to St. John's Cathedral, St. John's, N. B., at 2 o'clock.

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MARY'S SKIRTS TO BE LENGTHY

Royal Bride's Trousseau Has Them Reaching to the Ankle—Soft Shades Predominate.

London, Feb. 12.—Princess Mary will have a great and beautiful trousseau, and many gowns for her favorite colors, blue and white. The trousseau is said to be the most beautiful ever seen in the world's wardrobe.

Princess Mary Blue. It was disclosed that the princess has chosen with true royal taste from the great things shown her last year, a dress of blue and white.

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IN THE EDITOR'S MAIL

Fourth, N. B., Feb. 5, 1922. To the Editor of the Standard: I have just received your issue of the 4th inst. and am glad to see that you have published my letter of the 2nd inst. in your issue of the 4th inst.

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ENGLAND WONT DROP DEBT DESPITE TALK TO CONTRARY

Will Not Embark on Single Policy of Cancellation—Premier Champions Washington Conference, Declaring its Results Among Greatest in World's History.

London, Feb. 14.—There was an atmosphere about the opening of Parliament yesterday reminiscent of the first round tactics only were displayed. There were few leads and some fainting, but it was evident that its faction was disclosing its hand this early in the battle until it could be seen what the opposing tactics were going to be. Nothing not already known was disclosed with a single exception and that was the death announcement which England had no intention of embarking on a single-handed policy of cancellation of debts, while the United States shows no willingness to take a part in such a battle.

Premier Lloyd George, who was at Downing Street discussing the Irish question when the king opened Parliament, came later in the afternoon and contacted himself with various pledges on reform of the House of Lords, economy and Irish peace.

The successful conclusion of the Washington Conference proved a victory for many orators who arose in both the Lords and Commons with speeches to make, but battle plans to this. Admittedly all factions rejoice wholeheartedly in a degree in the great work done there. Even John Robert Clynes, the labor leader who declines to go the whole way, saw good in it as far as it had gone. Premier Lloyd George and Lord Curzon, the Government spokesmen in the two Houses, hailed it as the greatest event of the age, and the prime minister in addition said definitely it would remove millions from the shoulders of the British taxpayer this year. He answered Mr. Clynes' criticism that the conference had been only arithmetic by saying that in order to be practical it was necessary to deal with ships, tonnage and guns arithmetically.

"In this case arithmetic meant to reduce the dynamics of war," he said. "In the past regulations for the conduct of war were placed on paper, but when the European war broke out those regulations were swept away in a moment. Vague resolutions have no effect, but when those regulations are dealt with in arithmetic, they have a very great effect. In this country the effect will be to save millions this year."

Similarly, Lord Curzon said that satisfaction of the four-power pact for the Anglo-Japanese alliance ought to make war in the Pacific absolutely impossible.

With reference to France, there was a hint as to the real sentiment of the Government spokesmen. Lloyd George and Lord Curzon appealed for friendship, but on the other hand, it is believed that Lloyd George's ostentatious declaration on debt cancellation was meant for France, because it had been frequently suggested, both in England and France, that it would be a basis for the country to reduce or cancel the debt which France owes Great Britain.

Lloyd George precluded his remarks on this subject by saying that he had already expressed his opinion on the question of England's international debt. Reaching the question of cancellation he said:

"It does not depend upon us alone. We have been quite willing to enter into a discussion as long as all creditor nations and debtor nations come in, but it is useless for us to forego claims when at the same time there are very heavy claims against us. I say that would not be justice to the people of this country and I don't think it wise. When all the rest of the world who have claims or owe debts come together, I don't think Great Britain will lag behind any other country in generosity or justice. Beyond that it would be a mistake to go."

Premier Champions Washington Conference.

London, Feb. 14.—Mr. Lloyd George, replying to a criticism by John Robert Clynes as chairman of the Parliamentary Labor party, that the Washington Conference had only dealt with the arithmetic of peace, contended it was only when such proposals as were before the Conference were reduced to arithmetic.

DO YOU SMOKE TOO MUCH

There are many men on whose heart and nervous system tobacco produces the most serious results. It causes indigestion, pain in the heart, irregularity of the heart, makes the hands tremble, and the nerves, edges, nervousness of breath, and loss of sleep. To counteract this demoralizing influence on the heart and nerves there is no remedy so reliable as SILDURIN.

HENRY AND NERVE PILLS They make the nerves beat strong and steady, restore tone and vigor to the nerves, and remove all the evil results caused by the tobacco. Mr. Frank Linn, 91 Terrace Hill St., Bradford, Ont., writes: "I had some trouble with palpitation of the heart for a number of years, and by using it would bother me a lot. The doctor told me it would stop on me sometime if I did not get out tobacco. When I would get a good night's sleep, my heart would stop, and I would be able to go to work, and get on well. I would have it all right down and call my work, and my heart would be going, I should say, about 100 beats a minute. About three years ago I got a box of SILDURIN'S Heart and Nerve Pills, and found that they did me the job. I am feeling fine and have gained over 20 pounds in weight."

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GENOA PARLEY SETBACK SEEMS VERY UNLIKELY

Great Britain Does Not Regard Poincare's Attitude as Attempt to Torpedo Meeting.

London, Feb. 14.—British official circles are careful in their comment upon the Poincare note on Genoa, regarding the publication of which they were not consulted. The note for a cut and dried agenda is disputed, but it is admitted that some time might be wasted if this is not done. Mr. Poincare wants Moscow specifically to accept the terms of the Geneva resolutions, while the British express willingness to accept the Russian delegation on terms of the invitation. Official circles profess not to regard the note as an attempt to torpedo the conference. Mr. Poincare is in a delicate position and would like to convince the world that France will have no tampering with the Versailles Treaty. Reparations are at the root of the French distrust of the conference and France distrusts entering the conference if reparations and recognition of Russia are liable to be subjects of debate, especially as British and Italian views differ from French.

The note is considered to be courteous and friendly and no objections is raised to the French desire to make her position clear. The British favor an understanding with Russia, thereby obviating the occasion for a Russo-German rapprochement, which France fears. Both British and Italian are anxious to proceed with the reconstruction of Europe on the lines agreed by the economic conference as soon as possible.

The French note is being considered by the Cabinet, but it is not thought that a postponement will take place. The man who is always down in the mouth seldom gets up in the world. Killer whales travel in packs like lions.



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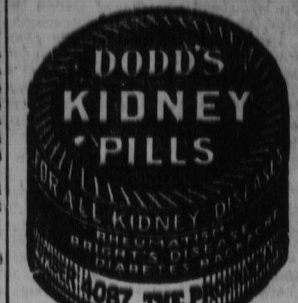
Dr. Chase's Ointment

VILLAGERS DIDN'T LIKE THE MATCH

Eight Persons Wounded as Result of Protest Against a Marriage.

Vigo, Spain, Feb. 13.—Eight persons were wounded today, two of them seriously, as a result of a protest by the villagers of Lora against the marriage of a twenty-year-old Juan Leonardo Cortegosa with a 16-year-old girl. The villagers surrounded Cortegosa with kitchen utensils, whirled the bridegroom, with his relatives and servants, attacked the protesters with sticks. To this the villagers replied with revolvers and knives. Cortegosa and a brother of the bride were seriously wounded.

The earth weighs six million million tons.

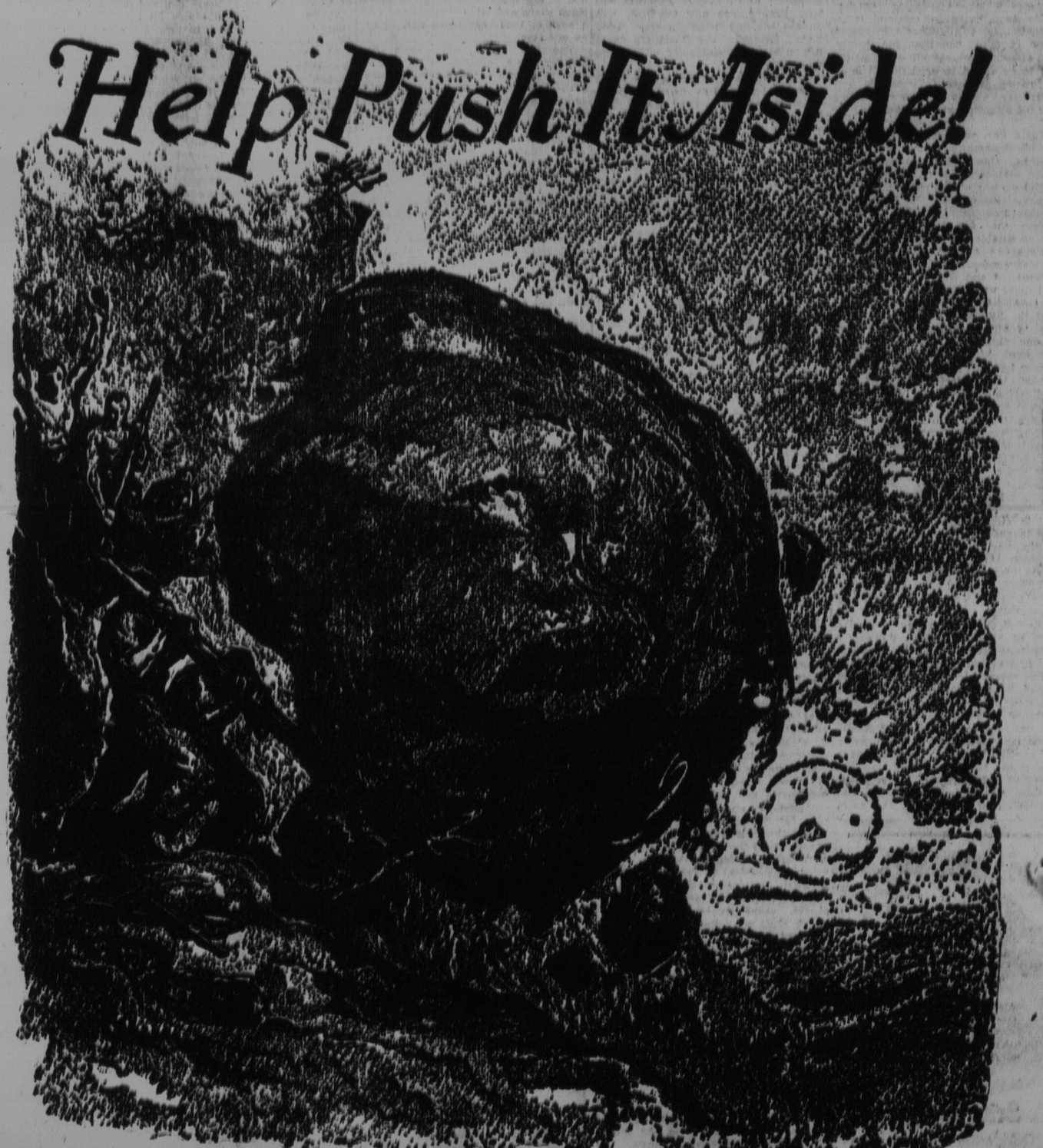


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TO COMMEMORATE DEATH OF POPE Will be First Act of Chamber of Deputies Convening Next Thursday.

Rome, Feb. 13.—It now seems certain that when the Chamber of Deputies convenes next Thursday, it will commemorate the death of Pope Benedict. Emilio De Martino, President of the Chamber of Deputies, will pronounce a eulogy of the late Pontiff, according to the custom in the case of dead sovereigns, and then Premier Bonomi, on behalf of the Government, will add to the President's remarks.

Signor De Martino will forego the chamber session to the order of the day. Lots of people would rather say nothing than speak a kind word. IF YOU HAVE NEURALGIA, RUB ON "NEURVINE." Apply Neurvine to the sore spot. It soothes the pain, and gives relief. It is a powerful remedy for neuralgia, and is used by all the best of the world's physicians. Neurvine is a powerful remedy for neuralgia, and is used by all the best of the world's physicians.



THE ONLY OBSTACLE to broad business revival—pessimism—stands balanced ready to be pushed aside. Add your strength now to that of hundreds of thousands of other business men and remove it. Confidence—Optimism—will do more than anything else to restore good times. Business is reviving—as it did after the depressions of 1896, 1904, 1908, 1914. The volume of manufacturing and trade is increasing daily, unemployment is decreasing, loans are expanding. Business is gathering momentum—

PROSPERITY IS JUST 'ROUND THE CORNER

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Westminster Club Show in New York

More Dogs Banned at Madison Square Garden Than Last Year.

Country to previous reports in small games there are more dogs banned from Madison Square Garden today than last year. Another dog show in the city of New York is being held at the Madison Square Garden. The dogs are of various breeds and colors. The show is being held at the Madison Square Garden. The dogs are of various breeds and colors. The show is being held at the Madison Square Garden.

At the combined "varmint show" over four hundred (400) turkeys were banded. 197 Abolition, a large entry in this breed alone this year. At Madison Square and the Madison Square Club show in Boston, together with the "varmint show" at the Madison Square Club show in Boston, together with the "varmint show" at the Madison Square Club show in Boston.

The local breeders may remember the two wire Fox Terriers which were bred by J. H. Wilson, Montreal, Quebec City, will probably make good showing for Canadians. Other Canadian breeders, whose dogs have been shown at the Madison Square Club show in Boston, together with the "varmint show" at the Madison Square Club show in Boston.

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Bowling Results In Local Leagues

COMMERCIAL LEAGUE. In the Commercial League last night on Hadden Alley the C. P. S. and Imperial Optimal Co. split even, each taking five points. The City League also took three points from the Nationals.

Tonight in the Commercial League the Post Office and Brock & Paine won teams will give the scores for tonight's games.

Table with columns for names and scores, including J. Gallant, C. P. S., and Imperial Optimal Co.

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Continued from previous reports in the Standard... Madison Square Garden... Westminster Club...

At the combined "army show" over five hundred (495) terriers were banded...

The local amateurs may remember the two wires, Prifford Fox and Trevaine Tit-Bit...

Wires Flicker, another noted wire bred by J. H. Wilson... Other Canadian representatives...

Bowling Results in Local Leagues

Table with bowling scores for Commercial League, City League, and Buffalo Trade with Reading. Columns include names, scores, and averages.

Buffalo Trade with Reading

New York, Feb. 14.—The Buffalo Club closed its season with the Reading Club...

Andover-Perth Defeat Hartland

Game Played Monday Afternoon Resulted in Score of Five to Two.

Hartland, N. B., Feb. 14.—Andover-Perth defeated Hartland this afternoon on the Hartland ice...

Heavy penalizing was a feature of the game... Referee—A. McEl. Staples.

Line-up was as follows: Hartland: Forwards, Merritt, McNeil, J. Gilbert...

Lamy And Staff Won At Saranac

Great Interest in Professional Racing Yesterday—Fast Time Was Made.

Saranac Lake, N. Y., Feb. 14.—Great interest was taken here this afternoon in the professional and amateur racing and steeplechase...

Thistles Won From St. Stephen

Special to The Standard.

St. Stephen, N. B., Feb. 14.—Considerable interest in today's match race to take place on the ice at St. Stephen...

Table of horse race results from St. Stephen, listing names, odds, and winners.

Professionals Are All Ready

The promoters of the Professional skating races to be held on the East End rink Friday and Saturday...

Fredericton Team Defeated St. John

Heavy Penalizing Featured Game at Capital—Score 6 to 3—Winners in Second Position.

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, N. B., Feb. 14.—Fredericton took second position in the Western Section of the New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island Hockey League...

Line-up was as follows: Fredericton: Goal, McKean; Defence, Bidlake, Jewett...

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South End Races Keenly Contested

Jack Nixon a Sure Winner of Senior Cup—Three Tied in the Junior Class.

A large crowd enjoyed keenly contested races on the South End rink last night in the senior mile Jack Nixon won with Clifford second and Barnes third...

Line-up and summary: Amherst Goal, Rogers; Defence, J. Carroll...

Senior One Mile: First heat—Nixon, 2nd Barnes, Time 2:38 1/4. Second heat—Barnes, 2nd Clifford...

Mayor Schofield's Generous Offer

Winners of West End Junior Races Next Week Receive Tickets and Fit-outs.

A most generous offer was made yesterday evening to Hilton Belyea by His Worship Mayor Schofield...

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Moncton Tied New Glasgow

In Independent League Moncton Defeated Amherst Last Night by Score of 8 to 3.

Moncton, N. B., Feb. 14.—By defeating Amherst by 8 to 3 in the Independent League here tonight, Moncton tied New Glasgow for first place...

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Good Boxing Bouts Last Night

Tommy Wills and Young Dempsey Boxed a Clever Semi-Final—Final Only Went Three Rounds.

A card of five boxing bouts provided two hours' entertainment for St. John fight fans in the A. O. H. hall on Union street last night...

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Maritime Amateur Skating Champs

Entries Close Tonight—Large Number of Skaters Expected for Two Days' Meet.

The entries for the Maritime Amateur Skating Championships to be held on the Carleton rink next Friday night and Saturday afternoon...

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Advertisement for BASKETBALL Y. M. C. A. SENIORS vs. ALERTS, HIGH SCHOOL vs. ST. DAVIDS.

Advertisement for MARITIME SKATING CHAMPS. WEST END RINK, Friday, Feb. 17th at 8 p.m., Saturday, Feb. 18th at 2.30 p.m.

Large advertisement for MACDONALD'S Cut Brier tobacco, featuring a pack of cigarettes and the slogan 'The Tobacco with a heart'.

THE STANDARD'S FINANCIAL SECTION

English Banking Year of Reported Most Satisfactory

Dividends Were Maintained With One Exception Rise in Security Prices Sustained Profits.

While most of the English joint-stock banks have declared their dividends for 1921, and have issued a preliminary statement of profits, most of the final balance sheets have not, at the time of writing, made their appearance.

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High Prices Were Registered in Stock Transactions in N. Y.

Pronounced Strength Was Displayed on Accumulation of Buying Orders.

New York, Feb. 14.—Pronounced strength was displayed by today's stock market almost from the outset.

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Distinctly Firmer Trend To Trade On Montreal Market

Large Volume of Trade Featured Transactions With Gains Outnumbering Losses.

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Paris Feels It Is Impossible for Austria to Continue Alone Unless Aid Is Forthcoming.

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Unlisted Market

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Montreal Sales

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SPAIN'S CONDUCT OF MOORISH WAR IS CRITICIZED IN CORTES

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MARINE NEWS

MOON'S PHASES, TIDE TABLE, PORT OF ST. JOHN, N. B., Arrived Monday, Departed Monday, etc.

Government and Municipal BONDS, Bought and Sold, Eastern Securities Company Limited, St. John, N. B.

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MOON'S PHASES. First Quarter, Full Moon, Last Quarter, New Moon.

TIDE TABLE. High Water, Low Water, etc.

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POPE MAN OF THE WIDEST VISION, SAYS PARISIEN

Has Open Mind on International Propositions—Historian and Diplomat.

Paris, Feb. 15.—The elevation of Cardinal Ratti to the papacy was received in French official circles as the best choice the conclave would have made.

Engaged in the difficulties of after war diplomacy, speaking several languages easily, well informed on all political, religious and international questions, Pius XI represents rather the tendency expressed by friends of Cardinal Gasparri.

Scandinavian—Nos. 3 and 5, Sand Point. The schooner Charles C. Lister arrived in port Monday night from Rockland.

Canadian Leader—No. 1, Sand Point. Canadian Trapper—No. 6, Sand Point.

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NEWSPRINT INDUSTRY GROWS RAPIDLY THROUGH CANADA

Possible Output of 1,000,000 Tons Foreseen by Pulp and Paper Association Head for This Year—Likely to Become Greatest Paper Producing Country.

Winnipeg, Feb. 14.—The growth of the Canadian newspaper industry was outlined to the Winnipeg Canadian Club recently by P. B. Wilson, president of the Pulp and Paper Association of Canada.

It is very important from the point of view of the paper industry of Canada, that the consumption of paper in Canada and the United States should be increased.

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Comments on the personal life of Pius XI makes particular allusion to his Alpine climbing as his chief hobby.

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BRITISH NAVY CHECKED BY FEAT OF ARMS PARLEY

This is German View of Accomplishments at Washington Conference—Press Hostile.

Berlin, Feb. 11.—The Washington conference made great history, how great only the decade to come will show.

Prof. Hoetich does not share the German view that France has emerged a victor from the conference. He thinks it was of advantage to France that President Harding had restricted the Washington discussions so as to exclude an economic plan for Europe.

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THE WEATHER

Toronto, Feb. 14.—A depression appears to be developing tonight in the lower Mississippi Valley, otherwise pressure is everywhere well above the normal. The weather has been fair in all portions of the Dominion, and for the most part moderately cold.

AROUND THE CITY

ASK MAYOR'S CO-OPERATION Mayor Schofield yesterday received a letter from those in charge of the New Brunswick Skating Championships, to be held at Moncton, asking for his co-operation in making the meet a success.

VISITING WOODSTOCK. R. E. Armstrong, secretary of the Board of Trade, left for Woodstock yesterday morning to attend the annual dinner of the Board of Trade of that town, which was held last night.

LEFT FOR WEST INDIES G. Clifford McAvity left the city last night for Halifax, from which port he will sail today on the steamer Canadian Fisher for the West Indies. Mr. McAvity is making the trip as one of a delegation from the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, who are going to the West Indies to study conditions there, and to introduce Canadian goods on the West Indies market.

LONGSHOREMAN INJURED Louis Ford Coran, a longshoreman, of 29 Britain street, had his leg and right foot injured while working at the West Side docks yesterday afternoon. He was admitted to the General Public Hospital at 6:15 and it was reported at the hospital last evening that it was believed that the man's right foot was broken, and that an X-ray examination would be taken this morning to determine whether it was or not.

MAYOR DENIES RUMOR Mayor Schofield said yesterday it had been called to his attention that rumors were going the rounds that he was a heavy stockholder in the New Brunswick Power Co., and he wished to give it an unqualified denial. He did not hold any stock in the company, nor was he acting in their behalf in the matter of hydro. His only object was to make the best bargain for the citizens, in order that they might get the full benefit of any reduction in the price of electric current.

DISCUSSED HYDRO OFFER Mayor Schofield and the city commissioners met Premier Foster and members of the New Brunswick Electric Power Commission, yesterday morning in the office of the mayor and discussed the offer made by the city to the Hydro Commission in connection with the former taking over the current from Musquash. Some of the figures in the Ross report were gone over and compared with figures already possessed by the Power Commission. After the meeting the mayor announced that the Premier had shown a willingness to meet the city and he thought there would be little difficulty in arriving at an equitable agreement.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS The following property transfers have been recorded recently in St. John: J. H. Bowes to E. M. Bowes, property in Simonds, and the city commissioners met Premier Foster and members of the New Brunswick Electric Power Commission, yesterday morning in the office of the mayor and discussed the offer made by the city to the Hydro Commission in connection with the former taking over the current from Musquash.

WILLIS L. O. L. FAIR OPENED The fair being held by Willis L. O. L. No. 76, was opened in the new Orange Hall, Fairville, last evening. There was a fair crowd in attendance but the opening was marred somewhat by the lights going out and leaving the hall in darkness for nearly an hour. The door prize was a load of blankets, was won by ticket No. 1234 and owner may obtain them on application to the committee in charge. Tonight the door prize will be a load of coal, donated by the Nelson Coal Co. and it is expected there will be a large attendance.

Local Police Team Took Examination

Col. Chas. A. Hodgetts, of St. John Ambulance Assn. Conducted Final in First Aid Class. Yesterday afternoon in the band rooms at the court house, Col. Charles A. Hodgetts, Director-General of the St. John Ambulance Association, conducted the final examinations of one team from the local police force for the Lord Shaughnessy police trophy, awarded for efficiency in first aid. This class was instructed by John Sedgwick and is practically the same class as went up for examination last year. Col. Hodgetts expressed great satisfaction at the demonstration of efficiency displayed yesterday, by the members of the team.

Provincial Gov't Sends Out S.O.S. Call

Liberal Party Clans Gather Here Today to Discuss "Whys and Wherefores." The Provincial Government has sent out an S.O.S. call, and there will be a gathering of the Clans here today to talk over matters in general and the proposed "boose legislation" in particular. The Government is facing an even worse deficit than it reported for the past year, and the "Honorable Peter" will be expected to spend—where it will do the most good—on the roads and bridges of the province, and it is understood the Premier favors passing some amendments to the Prohibition Act, under which the Government can establish "bureaus" for the sale of liquors to all and sundry, the profit to go into the pot.

Milk Pasteurization Given Consideration

Delegation from Dairymen's Assn. Appear Before Board of Health in Protest. The views of the United Dairymen's Association, as expressed by their delegates, J. N. Riley, Clifford Clay and Councilor Jeremiah Donohue concerning the pasteurization of the city's milk supply, was heard by the Board of Health at a special meeting yesterday afternoon. The dairymen expressed themselves as totally opposed to the erection of one central pasteurization plant, and to the pasteurization of milk as well, which, they claimed, robbed it of much of its natural richness. They also claimed that the general public was opposed to pasteurization, and that it was necessary, for, if milk was delivered pure and clean to the consumer, pasteurization was unnecessary.

ENTERTAINED MISSION CIRCLE

The Hilda Mission Circle of Centenary church entertained the Mission Circle of Portland street church last evening at the Centenary paragonage the programme dealing with mission work in India. Miss Faith Henderson and Mrs. W. C. Amlund were in charge of the programme, which proved most interesting. At the conclusion of the formal programme a social hour was spent in games and music. Before breaking up, dainty refreshments were served by Mrs. R. G. Fulton.

Met With District Health Physicians

Dr. Robert E. Wodside, Secretary of Canadian Assn. of Prevention of Tuberculosis, Discussed Important Plans. Dr. Robert E. Wodside, Secretary of the Canadian Association for the Prevention of Tuberculosis, was in the city yesterday at the request of Hon. Dr. Roberts, Minister of Health, to meet district health physicians, Drs. Melville and Warwick, and Drs. Farris and Carmichael of the two hospitals in the Province for the treatment of tubercular cases. They discussed the question of establishing a central diagnostic clinic and particularly its application to the Province, and to consider a programme arranged for the Congress to be held here June 6, 7, 8 and 9 of the Canadian Tuberculosis Association and Canadian Association for Prevention of Tuberculosis.

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HARRIERS' CLUB SKATING PARTY

The Y.M.C.A. Harriers' Club enjoyed a very pleasant skating party on Lily Lake last night. Twenty-five couples were in attendance, and set out with the original intention of skating in the Victoria rink, but when some electric lights fell back on the moonlight, and kept on to the lake. After several hours of skating the party returned to the Y.M.C.A. where folk dancing was indulged in to music furnished by an Edison supplied through the kindness of W. H. Thorne & Co.

DEMENTED BOY

A young boy called at the central police station last evening and inquired if there was any one there would shoot him. None of the officers volunteered to oblige him. As a result of the doctor's examination the boy will be sent to the provincial hospital this morning.

LAKE PLACID RACES AT IMPERIAL TODAY

Imperial Theatre has got the Lake Placid championship races today, not only the Diamond Trophy events, but the silver cup series in which Garnett competed. Views of the crowd, the officials and the St. John delegation will also be shown. The same Pathé operator who took the St. John pictures was on the scene at Lake Placid, courteously assisted by Frank I. McCafferty, of St. John, who represented the Imperial management in selecting the Queen Esther pageant at the Opera House, Monday and Tuesday, February 20 and 21. Exchange seat sale begins on Thursday at 10 a.m.

Lecture Delivered By Judge Carleton

"Matilda, Countess of Tuscani," Proved Very Interesting Subject to Large Audience Last Evening. The high standard of excellence set by the series of lectures that have been delivered under their auspices this winter, was worthily maintained last evening by His Honor, Judge J. L. Carleton, of Woodstock, who took as his subject "Matilda, Countess of Tuscani," and for a space of over an hour carried his hearers with him in a fancy through the treacherous times and warlike days which were expanded by the noble lady in championing the cause of Holy Mother Church against the attacks of the German kings of the middle ages.

Greater Part of City in Darkness

Loss of Circulating Water at Power House Left Streets, Dwellings and Institutions Dark. Back to the days of our grandfathers, as far as light was concerned, was the experience of the city dwellers last night for a time, when the electric lights failed to function and the streets, institutions and homes which use that method of illumination were suddenly plunged into Stygian darkness.

Adila Temple Valentine Dance

Large Attendance at Pythian Castle Last Night Greatly Enjoyed the Affair. The Valentine dance given by Adila Temple, No. 157, D.O.K.K., last night at Castle Hall, Union Street, was the most largely attended of any of the Pythian dances so far given this winter. The decorations of the hall and supper room were in keeping with the date of the dance, hearts and cupid being in evidence everywhere. The members of the Temple all wore the blue ties of the order and each lady as she entered the ball room was presented with a paper fan, trimmed with hearts.

Kindergarten Tag Day Successful

Response by Citizens to Appeal Most Generous—Over Two Thousand Dollars Collected. Yesterday the annual tag day for the Free Kindergarten Association was held and the response to the appeal made was most generous, last night with the returns not complete there being about \$2,000 in sight and the ladies in charge expressed themselves as delighted with the results of their appeal for funds for this very important work.

PERSONALS

Senator F. B. Black of Sackville was registered at the Royal Hotel yesterday. R. O'Leary of Richibucto was among those registered at the Royal yesterday. Fred Magee of Port Elgin was at the Royal yesterday. Irving R. Todd of Milltown was in the city yesterday and was registered at the Royal. Charles J. Morrissy of Newcastle was registered at the Victoria yesterday. F. J. Ventol of Bathurst was among those who registered at the Victoria yesterday. J. S. Martin of Chatham was at the Victoria yesterday.

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1,000 Yards Silk Pongee Just Arrived. There has been a big advance in this silk lately and those who step lively on Dollar Day will be exceptionally fortunate in purchasing this at 69 cents a yard. F. A. DYKEMAN & CO. George Robinson; Sydney, Miss K. Sturdee; Victoria, Mrs. F. A. Dykeman; Wellington, Miss Greta Lora; Dufferin, Mrs. S. K. Smith; Lorne and Lansdowne, Mrs. Usher Miller; Prince, Mrs. A. W. Estey; East St. John, Mrs. Simpson; Glen Falls, Mrs. G. F. Cuthbertson; West Side, Mrs. W. E. Waring; Fairville, Mrs. Fred Goodspeed; Rothesay, Rothesay Chapter, I.O.D.E. Bank committee—Mrs. Charles Flowering, Mrs. George Poole, Mrs. George Stubbs, Mrs. William Lockhart, Mrs. E. R. Taylor, Mrs. W. Nicholas. Tag committee—Mrs. H. C. Westmore, convenor. Refreshments—Mrs. John Bullock, Mrs. Frank Hatheway. Finance committee—Mrs. J. W. Flowering, Mrs. E. R. Taylor, Mrs. G. C. Poole, Mrs. George Stubbs. Senator F. B. Black of Sackville was registered at the Royal Hotel yesterday. R. O'Leary of Richibucto was among those registered at the Royal yesterday. Fred Magee of Port Elgin was at the Royal yesterday. Irving R. Todd of Milltown was in the city yesterday and was registered at the Royal. Charles J. Morrissy of Newcastle was registered at the Victoria yesterday. F. J. Ventol of Bathurst was among those who registered at the Victoria yesterday. J. S. Martin of Chatham was at the Victoria yesterday.