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## IS ONLY IN NEED OF POPULATION

Premier Fleming's Speech at Fredericton Board of Trade Banquet.

REVITALIZATION OF FARMS.

Many Settlers Leaving Old Country Should Be Attracted to This Province—Unprecedented Boom Predicted.

Special to The Standard.

Fredericton, Feb. 6.—If anything is needed to foster the spirit of optimism among the business men of Fredericton in the future of this city and the St. John river valley, it was supplied this evening in the speech delivered by Premier Fleming at the board of trade banquet.

About 125 representative men enjoyed the banquet, which was provided under the arrangements made by the board of trade by the ladies of the Methodist church at the Y. M. C. A. hall. Premier Fleming was the principal speaker of the evening and his address was one well calculated to inspire his hearers with confidence in their city, their province and in the future of their country.

The Premier received a flattering reception when he reached the banquet hall and afterwards when he was introduced by President John T. Jennings after the toast to the King had been honored. President Jennings in his address spoke briefly referring to the success which was being realized in the board's move to raise a publicity fund on subscriptions of \$25 each. He said that already about 20 had subscribed the desired \$25 and later on during the evening about half a dozen more joined the list of subscribers including the Bank of New Brunswick which made a subscription through their manager, W. S. Thomas.

President Jennings urged the people of Fredericton and of the St. John Valley to have faith in themselves and in their country and advised local people to take advantage of the boom which was taking place, instead of allowing outsiders to step in and reap the advantages, also paying a tribute to Premier Fleming for the active part he had taken in the work of development of the Province.

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**BOYS TELL COURT HOW THEY BURNED HOLY CROSS COLLEGE**

Break Down in Court and Tell Story of Systematic Conspiracy to Destroy Farnham Institution.

Sweetsburg, Que., Feb. 6.—Hearing in the charges against Eugene Bern and Wm. Hery, the two young American pupils accused of conspiring with young Marchand to burn down the Holy Cross College at Farnham, was held here today before Judge Mulvena.

The boys, who are fourteen and thirteen, broke down completely and told the whole story of the burning of their college. Their evidence showed an apparently systematic conspiracy to destroy the college by fire, telling as it did of a number of previous attempts made by older boys and the running away or expulsion of the culprits.

The brothers had learned of these attempts but attempted to hush them up, withholding details of what they knew from the police and even receiving insurance money following an incendiary outbreak of fire which did slight damage last autumn.

Bernard told how he had showed Marchand where to start the fire, while Hery confessed to having supplied Marchand with matches.

Judge Mulvena reserved his decision until Monday next, taking the case en delibere.

**SPANISH MINISTER REPLIES TO WIRELESS FROM HON. J. D. HAZEN**

Special to The Standard.  
Ottawa, Feb. 6.—Hon. J. D. Hazen received today the following telegram from Spain by the wireless system: "Sorry that due to mistake in the address of your message, its receipt was delayed. I hasten to thank you for your congratulations on the inauguration of a radio-telegraph office at Aranjuez. It is a great pleasure to convey to you by the first message my desire that this important development in the means of communication will make for closer mutual administration and goodwill between both countries."

(Sgd.) GASSSETT, Minister of Trade and Agriculture.

## CONDITIONS IN LAWRENCE OF THE BEST

Unsanitary Conditions of Workers Are Due to Habits Acquired in Native Lands Say Mill Owners.

FOREIGNER ON SAME SCALE AS NATIVES.

Boston, Feb. 6.—Wages and living conditions of mill employees in Lawrence are compared favorably with those of workers in other lines in other cities in a statement given out tonight from the headquarters of the Lawrence manufacturers here. The statement says:

"Some strike leaders at Lawrence attempt to fix upon the manufacturers the responsibility for certain living conditions in the city, where it is alleged that half a dozen people or more are crowded in a single tenement room. The same conditions can doubtless be found in the north end of Boston, where there are no textile factories to be blamed."

"It should be borne in mind that the recent immigrants who are described as huddled together in one room in Lawrence, work on the same wage scale as English speaking employees, who do not find it necessary to live in such a way. If the matter were investigated, it would be found that the people who are living crowded together in unwholesome conditions in Lawrence were too often accustomed to live in the same way in their native land. The city of Lawrence has denied that such living conditions were common and added that they were due not to actual need, but to the imported practice of subletting."

The statement says that girls from Southern Europe earn from \$7 to \$8.50 a week, which is more than many American girls receive in the departmental stores of Boston and other cities, and besides, it is pointed out that rents and other living expenses are lower in Lawrence than in Boston.

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**COURT LAYS DOWN STIFF CONDITIONS FOR ABBICATION**

Peking, Feb. 6.—A complete armistice has been arranged, but bargaining between Premier Yuan Shi Kai and the republican leaders is likely to continue for several weeks before the court finally settles.

The Chinese papers publish the terms laid down by the empress dowager, which include the perpetuation of the title of the entire court, the retention by the imperial family of the palace in Peking, the continuation of the imperial guard at the expense of the republic and the right of the court to exact regal homage from the nation. It is not believed that the republicans will accept all of these terms.

Anarchy in Manchuria is causing much concern and a Japanese battalion has moved into Mukden. The Japanese legation here declares that except for this change no troops have been moved.

**NELSON HAS GOOD CHANGE FOR HUDSON BAY RAILWAY NOW**

Special to The Standard.  
Ottawa, Feb. 6.—The Hydrographic Branch of the Marine Department is issuing a map embodying the results of a careful survey recently made of the mouth of the Nelson river. This chart shows a wide channel of from 20 to 60 feet in depth in the Nelson river with few shoals and these such as could be removed without excessive expense. A passage from one to four miles wide could be secured up the river to the point where the railway terminals would be located if Nelson were chosen as the port of the H. B. Railway. A protection wall could be built for the roadstead at reasonable expense.

This puts a new face on the question of the Hudson Bay terminus as hitherto it has been understood that Churchill is the superior port. The grades to Nelson are said to be lower and the distance is less.

**W. C. T. U. TO WAIT ON THE GOVERNMENT.**

Special to The Standard.  
Ottawa, Feb. 6.—A large delegation of representatives of the Women's Christian Temperance Union will wait upon the government on the 15th of this month. They will ask for an amendment to the law to raise the age of consent.

## GRAND JURY AFTER LABOR OFFICIALS

Thirty-three Indictments Returned and Arrests Will Follow Shortly—Dynamiting Crew and Others Familiar with Disposal of McNamara Funds Believed to be Indicted.

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 6.—Thirty-five indictments most of them said to be against labor union officials were returned by the federal grand jury this forenoon as a result of the government's investigation of the dynamite conspiracy. The number and the names of the defendants were ordered to be held secret pending arrests. It is understood warrants are to be issued immediately. Not only members of the McNamara dynamiting crew, but also men who are said to have had knowledge of what McNamara did with the money at his disposal, are believed to be indicted.

District Attorney Miller said later only 32 of the indictments pertained to the dynamiting conspiracy, one true bill being in another case not made known. The indictments were returned at 2:10 o'clock this afternoon, 15 minutes after the jury met. Former associates of J. J. McNamara in the office of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Iron Workers, received the news of the indictments without speech. McNamara did with the money at his disposal, are believed to be indicted.

Both Frank M. Ryan, the president and Herbert S. Hockin, the secretary treasurer, said they knew the details of the investigation because the associations' records were evidence before the grand jury.

"But we have maintained right along," said Hockin, "that nobody in this office was concerned with McNamara's dynamiting. The facts of the indictments are known to be against men who met Orrie McNamara in Detroit in June, 1907, and induced him, because of his familiarity with explosives gained while working in a stone quarry, to become a regular member of McNamara's dynamiting crew."

Other indictments are believed to be against men who met McNamara in Boston and showed him where to blow up part of a municipal building, and also against men who escorted him from New York to Hoboken, N. J., and to Jersey City, where he did "jobs" in 1909 and 1910; men who met him in Cleveland in July 1910 and arranged for an explosion at Akron, Ohio, and men who took charge of him when he arrived at Peoria, Ill., to blow up places there.

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**EXPLAINS SYSTEM OF PACKERS**

Chicago, Ill., Feb. 6.—The government centred its attack on Swift and Company in the packers' trial today. John M. Chaplin, chief of the plant accounting department of the corporation on the stand most of the day, was subjected to a searching examination by District Attorney Wilkerson and required to explain to the jury many details of the complex system used by the packers.

Chaplin identified numerous letters changing the by-product allowances, which were sent to him by other employees. One letter signed by Chaplin and dated Nov. 15, 1907, gave instructions to discontinue making any allowance for hides in figuring the test cost of beef. The letter was offered in substantiation of the government's charge that no allowance for hides was made between Nov. 15, 1907 and April 21, 1909.

Chaplin said previously to five years ago he received his instructions regarding the figuring of the test cost of beef from Chas. H. Swift, one of the defendants and vice president of the company, but that in recent years he used his own judgment in making the changes.

District Attorney Wilkerson pointed out that from the organization of the National Packing Company, March 18, 1903, the test cost of beef as figured by Swift and Company steadily rose while the allowances for by-products decreased.

**WORKMAN IN QUARRY KILLED BY A CAR**

Special to The Standard.  
Windsor, Feb. 6.—Reuben Smith, a workman employed in the Eagle Swamp quarry, Wentworth, while riding a car yesterday, was struck about the head, neck and shoulders by a car, which unexpectedly righted itself crushing him between the body and sill of the car. He lived only a short time. An inquest was held last evening before Coroner J. W. Reid and a verdict in accordance with facts was returned. Smith was married and leaves a widow and five children.

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EACH SECTION TO APPOINT CHAIRMAN.

Ottawa, Feb. 6.—The International Joint Commission on Waterways has drawn up the rules of procedure by which it is to be governed. Regular sessions of the commission are to be held twice a year. One is to be held at Washington beginning on the first Tuesday of October. Special meetings will be held at such times and places in the United States and Canada as the chairman of the two sections may determine. The commissioners of the American section will appoint a chairman of their section and the Canadian section will appoint a chairman. The American chairman is to preside at meetings held in America and the Canadian chairman is to preside at meetings held in Canada.

Rules are laid down for the control of the respective offices by the secretaries, and for the method in which applications are to be made. One stipulation is that private persons seeking to use, obstruct or divert waters shall first apply to their government, and that the government shall transmit the application to the commission. Yet another provides for the duplication of records and for the communication by each section to the other of all letters, documents and papers received.

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Another rule is that when the commission deems it desirable to render a decision which affects navigable waters in a manner or to an extent different from that contemplated by the application and plans, the commission will, before making a final decision submit to the government transmitting the application a draft of the decision. The government may then file with the commission a brief or memorandum for its consideration before coming to a final decision.

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A new development in the case came late today when the police found a letter carrier who said that on Wednesday last he delivered to a woman he believes to have been Mrs. Taylor a package about 5 inches long, 3 inches wide and 2 inches high. This description tallies well so far as size is concerned with the bomb package. With this statement in their hands the police turned to scrutiny of the package wrapper and portions of postage stamps picked up in the room where the explosion occurred, and which are now thought to have been attached to the Manila paper covering the package.

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## TROOPS MOVING TO THE FRONTIER

## U. S. SENATE RATIFIED THE AGREEMENT

Convention for International Protection of Industrial Property Endorsed at Washington Yesterday.

PATENT RIGHTS TO BE MORE UNIFORM.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 6.—The senate today ratified and made public the convention for international protection of industrial property signed at Washington, June 2nd last, by leading governments. The signatories were Great Britain, France, Italy, Germany, Austria-Hungary, Spain, Portugal, Norway, Denmark, Sweden, Mexico, Cuba, Brazil, Belgium, Netherlands, Japan, San Domingo, Serbia, Switzerland and Tunis. The main provision follows:

The subjects or citizens of each of the contracting countries shall enjoy in all the other countries of the union with regard to patents of invention, models of utility, industrial designs or models, trade marks, trade names, the statements of place of origin, suppression of unfair competition, the advantages which the respective laws now grant or may hereafter grant to the citizens of that country. Consequently they shall have the same protection as to the latter and the same legal remedies against any infringement of their rights, provided they comply with the formalities and requirements imposed by the national laws of each state upon its own citizens.

## COURT APPOINTS RECEIVERS FOR CEMENT COMPANY

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Mayor, H. W. Sangster, barrister-at-law, 249; Councillors, E. D. Shand, 286; Capt. D. Munro, 275; G. H. Boyce, 236. The defeated candidates are: For Mayor F. Curry, 202; For councillors, W. E. Regan, 156; Capt. Porter, 185; E. Miller, 163.

**WILL BE SEVERAL CONVENTIONS IN OTTAWA SHORTLY**

Special to The Standard.  
Ottawa, Feb. 6.—A series of interesting technical conventions is about to be held. The Forestry convention will be held on February 7 and 8. The Canadian Seed Association will meet on February 8 and 9. The National Live Stock Association will meet on February 12 and 13, and the Fruit convention will be in convocation on February 14, 15, and 16. In preparation for these gatherings Hon. Martineau has summoned all the heads of the Dominion Experimental Stations to Ottawa.

These experts will attend all the meetings, and in addition Mr. Burrell will hold a conference of the experts for the purpose of comparing notes.

Coast Artillery Ready for Any Emergency Which May Arise.

TROUBLE LIKELY SOON.

Recent Developments in Mexico Put United States Troops in Marching Order and Field Equipment.

Washington, Feb. 6.—A few hours developments in Mexico have put the mobile forces of the U. S. army on marching orders and field equipment.

With renewed disturbances across the border and the possibility that the state department might call upon the war department to protect lives and property along the line, the plans of the general staff, prepared for a minute's action, in just such an event, were spread out at headquarters today, and renewed instructions to await marching orders were flashed to army commanders in the field. Points from which troops can be quickly mobilized.

It was made plain that the government does not intend to send more troops to the border unless the situation absolutely demands it. Meanwhile several thousand soldiers rest on their arms.

Pensacola, Fla., Feb. 6.—For the second time within twelve months, two companies of the coast artillery stationed at Fort Barrancas, received orders today to leave for the Mexican border in Texas. The troops will leave for Texas tomorrow in full war strength.

The garrison at Fort Morgan, Mobile and Fort Monroe, Charleston, S. C., are in readiness for Texas duty.

Seattle, Wash., Feb. 6.—Orders have been received at Fort Lawton, directing that four companies of the 25th infantry be held in readiness to move to the Mexican frontier on short notice. The other eight companies of the regiment at Fort George, Wright, Spokane, also received notice to hold themselves in readiness for instant service on the Mexican border.

## HIS MAJESTY SENDS THANKS FOR DUKE'S CONGRATULATIONS

King George Cables Governor General Assuring Him of Confidence in Loyalty and Devotion of Canadian People

Ottawa, Feb. 6.—The Duke of Connaught received the following reply from His Majesty the King to a message sent last night conveying the congratulations of the Canadian people on the safe return of the King and Queen from their Indian tour: "Governor General, Ottawa—"

"Please assure your government of my deep appreciation of the message which you have sent me, and on behalf of the people of Canada, congratulating the Queen and myself on our home coming. From the happy experiences of past visits to the Dominion, I am confident that my considerations are inspired by the same feelings of loyalty and affection as those which have been so strikingly evinced toward us by the peoples of India."

"GEORGE, R. L."

## PROPOSE TO CALL MANITOBA GRAIN CANADA NO. 1 HARD

Special to The Standard.  
Ottawa, Feb. 6.—The House went into committee on the grain bill as soon as it assembled this afternoon and remained in all day, passing 70 or 80 clauses. The only incident was a proposal by the minister which stood over for further consideration, that Manitoba No. 1 hard be changed to "Canada No. 1 hard."

## LABOR MEMBER TO TURN ATTENTION TO WAREHOUSES

Special to The Standard.  
Ottawa, Feb. 6.—High prices of food stuffs have caused Alphonse Verreault the labor member from Maisonneuve, to turn his attention to the storage warehouses. He intends to move for a return showing the number and capacity of cold storage establishments in each of the principal cities of Canada, the kind, quality and approximate value of food stuff and produce contained in each of these establishments during November, December and January.



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FOR INSTANCE, SUPPOSE YOU DESIRE A PIANO. We do not sell pianos, but we can arrange to enable you to get one as a premium, or any other selection, say a fur lined coat, or a handsome set of furs, in fact we will arrange to supply you with any article you may name. If it is high priced, you had better start at once.

Come in and talk the matter over first, with our Mr. Gray, at the store. Corner of Mill and Union streets and you will then understand how easy it is.

Remember—That the first consideration with us is quality; that our price is NO HIGHER THAN THAT CHARGED BY ANY RELIABLE DEALER, and in addition YOU SAVE 20 PER CENT. ON ALL PURCHASES made in our store and you will see by Article No. 2 in this ad. how it is possible for us to do this.

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Children, we provide a way for you to present to mother or father that article of comfort that you have never felt able to give them.

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COR. MILL AND UNION STREETS  
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An attractively furnished home adds greatly to your domestic life. You can make your home as cozy as you desire without it costing you one cent. By the Asepto plan you can get all kinds of household furnishings, clothing of every description, china, cut glass, silverware, jewelry, watches, boots and shoes, and hundreds of other articles FREE.

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It is possible for you to get FREE AS A PREMIUM from us any article you may select, whether we are at present carrying it in stock or not.

### THERE IS NO MYSTERY ABOUT OUR PREMIUM PLAN.

We manufacture about 400 lines of our own and they are the goods that we are forcing the sale of.

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

## IS ONLY IN THE MIND OF POPULATION

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Premier Fleming said that after attending a number of gatherings of boards of trade in the province during the past few weeks he was encouraged and more than delighted with the spirit of such optimism which prevailed and the desire of the leading people of the province to co-operate in the work of advancement. This province had the wealth and resources to maintain a much larger population and commerce than at present and what was needed was to get that increased population. Now was the time for all New Brunswick to be alive and take a step forward such as has never been taken before.

Speaking of what a city or town needs to progress, the Premier named transportation facilities as the first and Frederickton, he said, would surely have that with the C. P. R., the I. C. R., the St. John Valley Railway and the Gibson and Minto Railway, to say nothing of the St. John River. Frederickton, so far as transportation facilities were concerned was well equipped.

Enterprising men was another necessity and he was sure that Frederickton was well equipped in that respect too.

Now what was needed was three times as many people as there are at present within a radius of thirty miles of this city. Then the city would grow, there would be that many more people to serve.

The main object of this advancement work ought to be to get more people and place them upon the land, which brought up the problem of what should be done to make the call of the land more attractive. Better highways, more extensive rural telephone to take away the feeling of isolation from those on the farms and more free rural mail deliveries were needed.

Opportunities for Population. There were tens of thousands of acres of land partially improved and producing little and there were every year thousands of families leaving the British Isles, the natural overflow and to secure its share of these immigrants must be New Brunswick's aim. The present idea of granting vacant lands to settlers and let them try to make themselves as comfortable as not all that was necessary.

He had been thinking over a plan for some time which he hoped would prove what was necessary. He could not outline the plan as yet, he had discussed it with the minister of the interior in the federal government who had undertaken to carry out the Dominion's share of the work, but before making it public, probably before the end of the week, would first have to place it before his colleagues in the government.

In settlements where there were chances for 20 farms of 100 acres each and they say five settlers, the idea would be to recreate these farms and place settlers on the land with conditions under which at least a large proportion should have no difficulty in succeeding.

"I would rather be instrumental in the recreating and revitalizing of the available lands in this province than be premier," declared Hon. Mr. Fleming earnestly and the banquet hall rang with cheers and applause.

In concluding the Premier directed his audience to have faith in their city, faith in their province and faith in the future of the great possibilities of the Dominion.

Too many politics when meant as the science of government there could not be, but there was too much politics in this country when one used the word in its political sense. He would like to see that spirit driven out and to have a spirit of co-operation take its place, so that there would be no lack of what a man calls himself in politics, religion or race and all would go ahead together.

There was enthusiastic applause at the conclusion of the Premier's address. A toast to the city was proposed by Mayor Thomas, after which Ald. W. S. Hooper introduced A. G. Turney, the provincial horticulturist, who delivered his illustrated address on apple growing.

This was followed by a toast to our guests, which was responded to by T. H. Estabrooks, H. P. Robinson, W. C. Allison, W. E. Anderson, of the St. John board of trade, and President Scott, of the Medical Board of trade. Then the gathering broke up with the singing of the National Anthem and later on the St. John delegation and the executive of the Frederickton board of trade held a conference arranged for the immigration congress to be held here when the legislature meets.

## ANCESTRAL CAPITAL LIKELY RETAINED UNDER NEW REGIME

Nanking, Feb. 6.—The answer of the republican government to Yuan Shi Kai's requests on behalf of the Manchus has been forwarded to Peking. In nearly all the essential points the reply is in the affirmative and an answer from Yuan Shi Kai is expected to reach here promptly.

## NO CONFIRMATION OF WELLAND CANAL STORY BY MINISTER

Ottawa, Feb. 6.—Hon. Frank Cochrane today declined to give any confirmation of the story that construction work on the new Welland canal route to begin next summer, will be provided for in the supplementary estimates.

## SENATE DEBATES THE REPEAL OF CANADIAN RECIPROCITY LAW

Washington, D. C., Feb. 6.—The senate finance committee today debated the Heyburn bill providing for the repeal of the Canadian reciprocity law. The decision developed considerable sentiment, but owing to the fact that many members were absent, final disposition was postponed.

## TORPEDO PRACTICE TO BE HELD WITHIN LIMITS OF JAMAICA

Washington, Feb. 6.—The British Government has granted permission to the Atlantic fleet to conduct torpedo practice within the territorial limits of the Island of Jamaica. The only condition is that the fleet commander shall communicate with the British Government on every occasion when it is proposed to hold this practice for the protection of commerce and private property. The torpedo division is going into British waters because the ocean off Guantanamo is entirely too deep for torpedo practice, which is best conducted in comparatively shallow water, facilitating the recovery of misdirected or spent torpedoes.

## MEETING OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT OVER

Special to The Standard. Frederickton, Feb. 6.—The Provincial Government concluded their meeting here after midnight tonight. The members will leave for their homes tomorrow morning, with the exception of Premier Fleming, who will go to St. John.

## ANOTHER DANGER ZONE IS REMOVED

Belfast, Ireland, Feb. 6.—Another danger zone has been successfully eliminated, with the official announcement this afternoon that engagement of Ulster Hall by both the Unionists and the Liberal association has been cancelled at the request of the Ulster Hall. The corporation of Belfast has given an undertaking that no meeting of any sort will be permitted in Ulster Hall on February 7 or 8th. This disposes of all active incitement to political trouble on the occasion of the Home Rule meeting, at which Winston Spencer Churchill, First Lord of the Admiralty, is to speak on February 8th, but the authorities as a precautionary measure drafted into the city a large body of soldiers to each of whom fifty rounds of ball cartridges have been served out.

## THREE CUSHION BILLIARD CHAMP

The annual meeting of the North End branch of the W. C. T. U. which was to have been held yesterday afternoon was postponed on account of the annual meeting of the local council of women, till next Tuesday afternoon.



Joseph Carney is the world's champion three cushion billiard player. He won the title from Alfredo De Oro, Jan. 12, at Dover in one of the most sensational finishes ever witnessed on a billiard table. The match was played in three blocks. Carney finished the first night's play 25 points behind De Oro. He finished the second night, 12 behind and won on the last night, establishing a world's record of 50 points in 31 innings.

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## ANNUAL MEETING OF COUNTY ORANGEMEN HOCKEY ENDS IN SOMETHING LIKE A RIOT

The annual meeting of the St. John County L. O. O. F. was held last evening in the Orange hall. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:  
W. C. M.—William M. Campbell.  
D. C. M.—Harry Sellen.  
Chaplain—Geo. P. Menzies.  
R. S.—Geo. McKinney.  
Treasurer—N. J. Morrison.  
D. of C.—R. J. Anderson.  
Lecturers—James W. Speight, Fred Nice and Fred J. Newcombe.

## STORK IS BUSY AT BELLISLE STATION

Bellisile Station, Feb. 2.—The home of Rev. Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Young has been brightened by the arrival of a baby boy.  
Sleight parties are much in favor at present, as are also coasting parties.  
Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Muir are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a baby girl.  
A. Clark is home for a few months. Mable Freeze was in St. John last week.  
Allen Northrup, of Moncton, spent the week-end at his home here.  
Mrs. J. Northrup is visiting friends in Highfield.  
The stork called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Secord and left a baby girl.  
Arthur Gillies and wife, were in the village last evening.  
F. Redstone was the guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. Hicks, Millstream, last Sunday.  
Mrs. A. Clark spent part of last week in St. John.

## REPEAL OF NAVAL BILL. DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS

Ottawa, Feb. 6.—Mr. Seavigny of Dorchester, tonight announced his intention of moving a resolution on Thursday for the repeal of the Naval Service Act.

One of the social events of Lynn, Mass., January 31st was the marriage of Miss Georgina Marr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Harr, and Sterling Ferris, all late of St. John, N. B., which took place at the home of the bride's parents, 483 Eastern avenue. Rev. Mr. Webber officiated and the home was beautifully decorated for the occasion. The bride was given away by her father. A reception was held at the home afterward, the parties receiving many beautiful presents.

## THE GREAT WEST LIFE. PROBATE COURT.

Elsewhere in this paper will be found a summary of the annual statement of The Great West Life Assurance Company. It will be seen that during the year recently ended this company once again did the largest business in Canada of any life assurance company. It was in force business to the amount of almost \$68,000,000. The company has been very fortunate in this respect that the death rate for the year was only about half of what had been anticipated. In addition to this the management has been able to invest all its funds in excellent securities, which are earning over 7 per cent. interest. As will be seen by the statement, the assets now amount to over \$10,000,000 with a surplus of \$2,000,000.

City and County of Saint John. To the Sheriff of the City and County of Saint John, or any constable of the said City and County—Greeting: Whereas the executors of the estate of Catherine R. Crookshank, of the City of Saint John in the County of Saint John, this county deceased, have filed in this court a final account of their administration of the said deceased's estate and have prayed that the same may be passed and allowed in due form of law and distribution of the said estate directed according to the terms of the last will and testament of the said Catherine R. Crookshank, deceased.

Given under my hand and the seal of the said Probate Court this third day of February A. D. 1912.  
(Sgd.) J. R. ARMSTRONG, Judge of Probate.  
(Sgd.) H. O. McINERNEY, Registrar of Probate.  
BEVERLEY R. ARMSTRONG, Proctor.

Dr. Chase's Ointment is a certain and guaranteed cure for hemorrhoids, piles, itching, swelling, and protruding. See testimonials in the press and your neighbors about it. You can use it and get your money back if not satisfied. See, also, Dealers of EDWARDS, BATES & CO., Toronto.

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## Liquor in Vendemia.

A few days ago a man named McGloan was arrested on the charge of being drunk and pleaded guilty in the police court. He further stated that he purchased two bottles of gin in the Vendemia Hotel on Prince William street, paying 75 cents a bottle. The proprietor of the Vendemia is Michael Harney and he has for a long time been ill in bed. There were two commitments against him for selling liquor without a license and he had been fined one hundred dollars on each case. As he had not paid the fines, the police visited his hotel about noon yesterday and placed the sick man under arrest and with his bedding he was taken to the central police station and locked up.

## WINTER PORT NOTES

Manchester Shipper Docks. The Manchester liner Manchester Shipper, Capt. Perry arrived in port yesterday from Manchester via Halifax and docked at No. 5 berth, Sand Point about noon.

## Cassandra Here.

The Donalson Line steamer Cassandra, Capt. John Mitchell, arrived from Glasgow yesterday afternoon about 3 o'clock and docked at No. 6 berth, Sand Point. The steamer sailed from Glasgow on Jan. 27th and had a very fair passage and in addition to a large general cargo, she had 53 saloon and 127 steerage passengers. There was also a consignment of 60 Clyde-dale horses.

## Michigan Here.

The C. P. R. steamer Lake Michigan from London and Antwerp arrived at Partridge Island early this morning and has a large general cargo on board.

## The Bornu Sails.

The Mexican liner Bornu, Capt. Duton sailed yesterday with a full general cargo for Nassau, Havana and Mexican ports.

## Monmouth's Cargo.

C. P. R. Line steamer Monmouth, for London, took away Canadian goods, valued at \$180,764 and foreign goods valued at \$47,419, making a total of \$228,184. Among shipments were 16,711 sacks of flour, 64,808 bushels wheat and 9 casks of seal skins. The latter shipment is valued at \$14,000.

## LATE SHIPPING.

Parrsboro, N. S., Feb. 6.—Ard stras Cabot, Kemp, Calais; Astarie, Young, Portland.  
Old stras Cabot, Kemp, St. Stephen, with 4,000 tons coal; Astarie, Young, St. John, with 1,565 tons coal.

## Struck By Team.

James Walsh, aged 64 years, was arrested on Brussels street about 5:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon and charged with being drunk. Last evening he complained to the officers at the central station that he was badly injured about the right shoulder, and that during the afternoon he had been struck by a team of horses and run over. Dr. D. E. Berryman called at the station and examined the prisoner, who was in great pain. His bones were found to be broken and if Walsh is no better this morning he may be sent to the General Public Hospital for treatment.

## The Tug Lily.

The work of raising the sunken tug Lily was continued yesterday but no further progress was made. The diver however had an experience that he will not be able to forget for some time. When the diver started to go down, the pump man pumped too much air into his suit. The result of this was that the diver had an exciting minute or two between wind and water. In other words although he sank a few feet he speedily came to the surface, while the wind man tried his best to make a balloon out of him. Some of the other workmen seeing the condition of affairs, quickly came to the helpless diver's rescue greatly to his relief.

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## DEATHS.

WHITE—On Jan. 30th, at Berkeley, California, Chas. G., aged 62, leaving three daughters, one brother and two sisters, one Mrs. William Worden of this city.

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**FOR SALE**—Steam yacht "Dream," in good order and condition—74 feet by 14 feet beam. Can be seen where she now lies at Marble Cove, Terms, etc., from W. H. Thorne.

**FOR SALE**—A leasehold lot of land situated at No. 39 Douglas Avenue, with dwelling house thereon, containing two splendid flats; hot water heating, electric lights and all modern improvements; also four freehold lots of land in the rear of same with barn thereon. Apply to Mrs. J. A. McIntyre on the premises, or to Edward P. Raymond, Barrister, 108 Prince William Street.

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**FOR SALE**—100 H. P. Stationary Saw Mill. Apply F. C. Bogart, Rothery.

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No. 1—Freehold 30x100, three story house, first story brick, also brick front, front-proof cellar and very warm house, modern plumbing. Will pay 12 1/2 per cent. net. 73 Chesley Street.

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**HELP WANTED**—Trustworthy man or woman to travel and appoint local representatives for established firm. \$15.00 weekly and expenses. Experience not required. Start at home. Manager, Box 53, Toronto.

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## Rev. Mr. Baird States Case Against Union

**Sussex Pastor Deals Decisively with Subject Before Halifax Congregation—Should Preserve Presbyterianism.**

(Halifax Chronicle.)  
Rev. Frank W. Baird, M. A., of Sussex, N. B., who preached in St. Andrew's and St. Matthew's churches on Sunday, presented the case against the proposed union of the Presbyterian, Methodist and Congregational churches. Taking as his text Psalm 50:2—"Out of Zion, the perfection of beauty, God hath shined," he proceeded to show:

First—God operates in, or shines upon the world, through and by means of His church.

Second—That of that church Presbyterianism is a noble and fit representative, and therefore should be preserved, and

Third—That the proposed union church being a deliberate Presbyterian, cannot be looked upon as likely to produce the results which may be obtained by the three negotiating churches working in union, harmony and peace, God shining through them all as He has done in the past.

After an elaborate exposition of the Standards of the Protestant church and the Westminster Confession, Mr. Baird stated his objections to union as follows:

In the Union Church the Confession, our Catechisms, our Order of Worship, our Form of Government will not be once named among us. On the word of two of the oldest and most honored members of the Union Committee, both of them Ex-moderators of the General Assembly, I have

it that in the Union Church our Standards will have no place. We are justified on this matter in holding the followers to the words of the leader also the words of the rank and file, that they have something better; and to his mind this was a happy deliverance. Let all be clear on this point.

I plead with you to pause before voting approval of this Union, but not a Presbyterian Union. What benefit will this union be to Halifax? Absolutely none. The effective unions must be brought about locally in this village and contiguous Presbyteries. It is a willingness to unite; and it must never be forgotten that liberty is as much a Christian principle as unity; and again the Kingdom of God cometh not with observation, nor yet will it come with union such as is proposed.

And why should we not unite our own weak charges say in this city and in St. John if union is to be such a boon? How strangely illogical is the thinking of those who are members of the union committee, straining every nerve to effect this union, at the same time opposing the union of weak non-self-sustaining churches.

Advocating an immense ecclesiastical merger, flying in the face of the entire sentiment of the world today which is calling for the dissolution of all trusts. That we shall have either more or money is the fondest delusion. The Baptists of New Brunswick united six years ago and they have 18 more men in their ministry today than before the union, they have also more money.

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## LIBERAL FINANCE AND THE G. T. P.

The failure of the Laurier Government to estimate the extent of the liability incurred in the agreement made in 1904 with the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company, to "implement its guarantee" of the company's bonds, is costing this country approximately \$10,080,000 in cold cash. This is probably the most costly financial blunder made by any Government in modern times. It is small wonder that the resolution and bill introduced by Mr. White in the House of Commons last week to authorize the discharge of the obligation out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund was received by the Opposition in stony silence. Mr. White, however, did not attempt to make party capital out of the situation but gave Parliament and the country a clear and impartial statement as to the facts. A review of the circumstances which led up to this monumental and costly blunder may not be without interest.

On July 29, 1903, the Laurier Government entered into a contract with the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company to provide for the construction of the National Transcontinental from Moncton to the Pacific. The railway was to consist of two divisions—the Eastern division, extending from Moncton to Winnipeg, was to be constructed by the Government and the Western division, from Winnipeg to the Coast, by the company. The Eastern division was to be owned by the Government and leased to the company. The Western division was to be owned by the company which was also to maintain, equip and operate the entire line.

For the purpose of aiding the company in the construction of the Western division, the Government undertook to guarantee payment of the principal and interest of an issue of bonds to be made by the company for a principal amount equal to 75 per cent. of the cost of construction, but such principal amount was not to exceed in any case \$13,000 per mile of the mileage of the prairie section, nor \$30,000 per mile of the mileage of the mountain section. The bonds were to bear interest at 3 per cent. The Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company was to guarantee the bonds of the Grand Trunk Pacific Company for an amount sufficient to raise the balance of the money required for the construction of the line.

The 3 per cent. stock of the Dominion of Canada stood at about par when this agreement was entered into and the country was led to believe that the arrangements made were eminently satisfactory. But shortly afterwards there was a fall in Canadian 3 per cent. bonds, and as a result it was seen that the 3 per cent. bonds of the company guaranteed by the Dominion would not realize anywhere near par. So in order to meet this situation, which the Government had not foreseen, a supplementary agreement was entered into with the company in the following year. Among other things this supplementary agreement removed the limit as to the \$30,000 per mile upon the mountain section but allowed the \$13,000 per mile as a maximum of bonds to be issued on the prairie section to stand.

It was in this supplementary agreement, in the interpretation of section 5, that the Laurier Government made its egregious blunder which is costing the country upwards of ten millions of dollars. It was worded as follows:

5. Notwithstanding anything the said contract contained to the contrary the Government may and shall, preserving always the proportions in the said contract provided as between the "prairie" and "mountain" sections of the Western division, implement for the purposes, and subject otherwise to the provisions of the said contract, its guarantee of the bonds of the said company to be issued for the cost of construction of the said Western division in such manner as may be agreed upon so as to make the proceeds of the said bonds so to be guaranteed a sum equal to seventy-five per centum of the cost of construction of the Western division ascertained as provided in the said contract, but not exceeding in respect of the prairie section thirteen thousand dollars per mile.

Omitting subjunctive clauses the construction of the words: "The Government may and shall implement its guarantee of the bonds of the said company" was the basis of the dispute. On the part of the Government it was contended that implementing the guarantee meant that the company should issue its bonds to an amount which would realize by sale a total amount equal to \$13,000 per mile on the prairie section and par for the amount of bonds required on the mountain section. The company, on the other hand, contended that the true meaning of implementing the guarantee was that the Government should pay the difference between the net selling price of the 3 per cent. bonds of the company and par. In other words the company took the ground that the Government was directly liable for an amount sufficient to make up the difference between the net selling price and par and that the company was under no obligation to issue its bonds further than to the amount of \$13,000 a mile, no matter what they realized. The Government claimed that its liability was secondary or as guarantor.

A case was submitted to the Supreme Court of Canada which held in favor of the contention of the Government. On an appeal being taken by the company to the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council the decision of the Supreme Court was reversed. The last section of the head note of the judgment of the Privy Council reads as follows: "Held, that the liability of the Government under this agreement was not a secondary liability as guarantor only, the primary liability falling on the company but that the Government were liable to make the bonds of the first issue up to their nominal value without recourse over against the company."

In the course of the statement he made to the House, Mr. White submitted a memorandum which shows, approximately, the enormous sum the country is called upon to pay through the carelessness of the Laurier Government and its legal advisors in drawing up the supplementary agreement with the company. The sum to be paid the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company by the Government under the Privy Council judgment, in respect of sales of bonds at prices varying from 92½ in 1905 to 80 in 1909, will be, approximately, \$4,900,000. On the basis of the estimated cost of construction of the mountain section made by the Government chief engineer, there will yet have to be sold of these three per cent. bonds approximately \$5,515,220.

The memorandum continues: "Assuming that when a sale of these bonds has to be made they bring the same price as the last lot sold, viz.: £80 12s. 9d. for each

hundred pounds, there will be required to be paid in cash by the Government in respect of such sale, to make the proceeds of the sale equal to par, the sum of \$5,183,617.40. On these estimates this will make a total cash contribution by the Government of approximately \$10,080,000, in order to make the proceeds of the Government guaranteed bonds equal to par."

In the light of these revelations some remarks of Mr. Fielding and Sir Wilfrid Laurier in the House of Commons in May, 1904, with reference to this supplementary agreement are worth quoting. After stating that the Government had met the views of the company to rearrange the financial affairs of the Western division so that they might expect to realize a sum equal to par from the sale of the bonds, Mr. Fielding continued as follows: "The form in which that is to be done is not distinctly laid down in the agreement; but a rational and reasonable way would be to implement the amount of the bonds to be issued, so that by issuing a larger amount of bonds at 3 per cent., the company would realize as a net result of the transaction a sum equal to par of the first amount." As to the possibility of the Government's obligation being increased, Mr. Fielding regarded that phase of the question as hardly worth consideration. "We pay seven years' interest on the amount of the bonds issued," he told the House, "and to the extent of seven years' interest on the increased issue of bonds and to that extent only does this arrangement involve any increased charge on the treasury. It may involve some increase; it is by no means certain that it will involve any; but even if it should the increase cannot be a very large one."

A mere bagatelle! a cash contribution of \$10,080,000! And this under an agreement which the late Finance Minister admitted was so indefinite that not even the method by which the money was to be realized was laid down!

Sir Wilfrid Laurier was as equally optimistic, and as much at sea, as Mr. Fielding. In the same debate he is on record as follows: "And I venture to say that our hon. friends opposite when they saw the narrow extent of the concessions which we had agreed to were surprised at the moderation of the Grand Trunk Pacific Company and the comparatively unimportant modifications which we were called upon to make." "Unimportant modifications" which have resulted in a loss to the country of \$10,080,000!

The Conservative Opposition so far from being "surprised at the moderation" of the company gave the Liberal Government due warning of what would probably happen. Mr. Barker, Conservative member for East Hamilton, distinctly told the Government that the company would demand payment of the difference in cash, but his warning was laughed to scorn.

There is a touch of grim humor in the picture of the G. T. P. "savin' low and sayin' nothin'" while the Laurier Government was assuring the country that this agreement was a masterpiece of diplomacy. It is easy to say the company never intended to issue its bonds further than to the amount of \$13,000 a mile, and that when Mr. Fielding was blandly advocating the issue of "a larger amount of bonds" as the course to be pursued, the company was laughing in its sleeve. This transaction will go down in history as a striking example of the folly of the Laurier Government's whole transcontinental railway policy. It is part and parcel of a monumental blunder which will not soon be forgotten. The people pay the bills.

The Vancouver News-Advertiser has the following editorial note regarding a former resident of this Province: "The appointment of Mr. George Black to the position of Chief Commissioner of the Yukon District is no surprise. Though it was known that other competent men with strong political claims were candidates for this office, it was recognized among those acquainted with Yukon history and conditions that Mr. Black was the man who should be appointed. He has been long and intimately associated with the district, a force in the local council, a leader in many hard fights against the machine which has despoiled and discredited the Yukon. Mr. Black knows the country, its people, its history, and its prospects. He has courage, character and ability, and if any advantage can come to that part of Canada by a resolute, honest and enlightened administration at Dawson the Yukon may be congratulated."

Hereafter all communications to be published in The Standard must bear the name of the author for publication.

## Current Comment

(Ottawa Journal)

Two unique personalities met last week when Sir Robert Baden-Powell dined with Andrew Carnegie. Both are big men, both have accomplished much. But in spite of Carnegie's millions, and his libraries in almost every city, the old millionaire's accomplishments look small beside the general's. To have organized a boy army, with branches in every part of the Empire, an army pledged to honor, patriotism, usefulness and pursuit of knowledge, is to have set rolling a power that will probably accomplish more than even Carnegie's magnificent gifts to libraries.

(Winnipeg Telegram)

The attack by the Opposition in Parliament on the Government's policy with reference to the National Transcontinental Commission was bereft of either logic or sound business ideas. The question is simply whether a three-man or a one-man commission would better serve the public ends. And it is certain that the old three-man commission would better serve the public ends. And it is certain that the old three-man commission in charge of this national railway enterprise was not distinguished for technical or practical knowledge of its duties.

(St. Joe Gazette)

Practically every newspaper and every public or business man with standing enough to expect to be quoted has a positive conviction that something should be done with and about the trusts. Nobody seems to favor a doing nothing policy. And there are a dozen well defined policies advocated. Let us repeat, "In a multiple of counsel there is safety." There is no safety either in jumping at conclusions or declaring that your plan is the only one that will work.

(Mail and Empire)

Though he founded Truth, and made it one of the most influential journals in England, Mr. Labouchere did not own it at the time of his death. This fact was emphasized in rather scandalous fashion in the issue that published his obituary, for it made an attack on its former owner, and declared that credit was wrongly given to him for the paper's success.

(Edmonton Journal)

It is said that a great many assassinations may be laid at the door of the Premier of China. However, as long as none of them get inside the door, it is not likely that the Prime Minister will worry much.

(Calgary Herald)

Mrs. Ballington Booth says the person taking things he does not want is a kleptomaniac, while the one who takes what he wants is a thief. The kleptomaniac's art is for art's sake.

(Baltimore American)

The unexpected has happened. The country is complaining of the silence of Theodore Roosevelt.

## CONNAUGHT MADE GOOD IMPRESSION

Ottawa, Feb. 6.—"The Duke of Connaught made a very favorable impression on the people of the United States," so spoke Hon. Louis C. Southard, of Boston, past deputy grand master of the Massachusetts grand lodge and a member of the deputation of American Masons which arrived here today to present fraternal greetings to the Duke of Connaught. The Duke is grand master of the grand lodge of Free Masons in England, and the Massachusetts grand lodge is the oldest on this hemisphere.

With Hon. Louis C. Southard who is P. D. G. M. of the Massachusetts grand lodge, and a former state senator, is Phillip T. Nickerson, presiding worshipful master of the Winslow Lewis lodge of Boston.

They represented Col. Everett Chamberlain Benton, grand master of the Massachusetts grand lodge and bringing a warm fraternal greeting inscribed on parchment.

"The Masonic fraternity of the United States desires to let His Highness understand he has the hearty goodwill and best wishes of the fraternity," said Hon. Mr. Southard. There are 60,000 Masons in Massachusetts and over half a million in the United States. President George Washington was one of the first presiding masters of Massachusetts lodge, and all the succeeding presidents of the United States except three have also been members of the fraternity. Both Taft and Roosevelt have been initiated into the mysteries of the craft.

## NATURAL HISTORY SOCIETY.

The regular meeting of the Natural History Society was held last evening Dr. G. F. Matthews in the chair. The following members were elected:

Regular—Robert Thomson, Allison Wisart, Dr. John Johnston May, Associate—Mrs. T. H. Carrier, Mrs. A. B. Fowler, Mrs. E. A. Whelpley, Miss Annabel McLean, Miss Margaret K. Melick, Mrs. J. K. Jones, Miss Annie Dixon.

Junior—William A. Macaulay, Junior Associate—Misses Hildegard Gifford, Elsie Trentowsky, Mildred Gifford, Hildegard Gifford.

The following donations to the museum were presented and the thanks of the society tendered to the donors: Woodpecker's nest and glass globe from Mrs. J. E. Wilson; sections of shale and white birch tree, from Christopher Armstrong, Jr.; samples of scheelite and other minerals from E. R. Faribault, Ottawa.

A series of very interesting views on the St. John river and its tributaries were shown by Mr. McIntosh on which he made appropriate explanations which were much enjoyed by the audience.

The lecture of Mr. A. G. Turney, horticulturalist, postponed to last evening, will be given on March 5th.



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## REV. W. R. ROBINSON AND EMERY CASE

To the Editor of The Standard:

Sir,—The report of the case against Richard Sullivan, wholesale liquor dealer, for selling seven bottles of gin to Oliver Emery, all on one afternoon does not fully explain the cause of this charge having been laid. It would appear from the report that Mrs. Emery had requested Liquor License Inspector Jones to put her husband's name on the liquor list and then at once revoked the order.

Such is not the case in this instance. The facts are these: Liquor License Inspector Jones positively failed to do his duty, and as a result another victim in trouble, and the family left to suffer. It was early last summer when Mrs. Emery first asked to have her husband's name put on the list, and then for good reasons recalled the order. But the Inspector failed to do his duty, and the case at the time referred to, about the 14th of January, asked the Inspector if he put Emery's name on the list, and Inspector Jones replied that he had. Now it seems that he had not.

The public may understand why Interdicts can get all the liquor they want, when the Inspector seldom, if ever, tries to find out from the Interdicts where they get the liquor. It ought to interest the public to know that we have a license law that will allow a wholesaler to sell to a man of this type seven bottles of gin inside of three hours. It is time such a law was changed, and some one pointed to administer it in the interests of "gin" cursed humanity. When under oath yesterday Emery replied in answer to a question, that he did not go to the retail saloons because he thought he was on the list, but went to the wholesaler, because he thought they were not included. Yet this law designed to help the weak, as administered by our Inspector today, fails to protect, and no wonder. This case was entered to get at the facts and put a stop to this kind of thing. It does seem a shame and disgrace that private citizens are compelled to organize and prosecute in order to vindicate a law intended to protect the weak when paid officials draw their salary and look on.

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Had the liquor license inspector attended to the work for which the people pay him this thing would not have happened, and innocent persons would have been spared suffering and humiliation. I may say that Rev. G. F. Scovill, rector of St. Jude's church, who interested himself in the case at the time referred to, about the 14th of January, asked the Inspector if he put Emery's name on the list, and Inspector Jones replied that he had. Now it seems that he had not.

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Jan. 20 Man. Shipper Feb. 10  
Jan. 27 Man. Corporation Feb. 12  
Feb. 3 Man. Commerce Feb. 24  
Feb. 10 Man. Exchange Feb. 26  
Feb. 17 Man. Trader Mar. 9  
Feb. 24 Man. Importer Mar. 11  
Mar. 2 Man. Marine Mar. 23  
Mar. 9 Man. Shipper Mar. 25  
Mar. 16 Man. Corporation Apr. 5

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Feb. 10 S. S. Saturnia Feb. 29  
Feb. 24 S. S. Kastalia Mar. 14  
Mar. 2 S. S. Cassandra Mar. 21  
Mar. 9 S. S. Athena Mar. 28

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## NOTICE TO MARINERS

Notice is hereby given that North West Ledge, Brier Island, gas and whistling buoy has been reported adrift. It will be replaced soon as practicable.

GEORGE H. FLOOD,  
Agent Marine and Fisheries Dept.  
St. John, N. B.,  
Feb. 6th, 1912.

## NOTICE TO MARINERS

Notice is hereby given that owing to scarcity of water, Cape Race Fog Alarm at times may suspend operation. Mariners are therefore cautioned not to place entire reliance on this aid until further advised.

C. H. HARVEY,  
Agent Marine and Fisheries Dept.  
Halifax, N. S.,  
Feb. 6th, 1912.

## SHIPPING NEWS

## WINTER PORT STEAMERS.

Sailings For St. John.

Steamers	Where From	Date
Bengore Head	Belfast	Jan. 16
Kastalia	Glasgow	Jan. 20
Man. Shipper	Manchester	Jan. 21
Lake Michigan	Antwerp	Jan. 24
Bray Head	Halifax	Jan. 25
Em. Britan.	Liverpool	Jan. 26
Man. Corporation	Manchester	Jan. 27
Cassandra	Glasgow	Jan. 27
Karames	Liverpool	Jan. 27
Shenandoah	London	Jan. 28
Pomeranian	London	Feb. 1
Corsican	Liverpool	Feb. 2

Shipping Notes.

The stockholders of the Cleveland and Buffalo Transit Co. voted to let a contract for a sidewheel str to ply between these two cities named. The vessel will be 500 feet over all, have 500 staterooms and cost \$1,500,000. It will be the largest sidewheeler in the world.

It was the Nor str Marie that took off the crew of the Dr bark Anroch abandoned at sea Nov 22 while on the passage from Glasgow to St. John's, Nfld.

Dr str Toques on Jan 27, lat 37, lon 50 took off the crew of the N B schr Hibernia.

## LIST OF VESSELS IN PORT.

Steamers.

Astoria, 717, R P and W F Starr.  
Cassandra, 5225, Robt Reford Co.  
Clayola, laid up J W Smith.  
Empress of Britain, 8,244, C. P. R. Co.

Kastalia, 2,562, Donaldson line.  
Manchester Shipper, 2542, Wm Thomson and Co.  
Sardinian, 2,786, Wm. Thomson & Co.

Schooners.

Arthur M. Gibson, 317, J. W. Smith.  
Alaska, 118, C. M. Kerrison.  
Arthur J. Parker, 118, J. W. MoAlary.

## PORT OF ST. JOHN.

Arrived, Tuesday, Feb. 6, 1912.

Str Manchester Shipper, 2542, Perry, Manchester via Halifax, Wm Thomson and Co. general.

Str Astoria, 717, Young, Parraboro, R P and W F Starr, coal.

Str Cassandra, 5225, Mitchell, Glasgow, Robt Reford Co. general.

Str Cacouna, 931, Marsters Louisburg, R P and W F Starr, coal.

Coastwise—Str Harry Morris, 49, Collins, St Andrews, and old. Str Granville, 49, Collins, Annapolis.

Cleared.

Brktn Hector, Belcher, New Haven, Conn. Stetson Cutter and Co.

Schr Mayflower, Benjamin, Lynn, Mass. J E Moore.

Sailed.

Str Bornu, 2704, Dutton, Nassau, Havana and Mexican ports.

Str Rappahannock, 2400, Hanks, London via Halifax.

## Late Wireless Reports—Tuesday

Cape Sable, 10.20 a. m.—Str Lake Michigan, Ahearn, bound to St. John.

Partridge Island, 1 p. m.—Lake Michigan, 112 miles from St. John.

Cape Race, Feb 6.—Noon, New York time—Str Ansonia, 220 miles east Cape Race passed light fields of lat 46 12 N, lon 47 W, and lat 45 45 N and lon 48 W. Diggle.

## Full Freedom Under British Monarchy

Mr. Justice Riddell Contrasts Limited Powers of British King with Rule of American President.

An interesting lecture on the constitutional history of Canada, interspersed with humorous stories and satiric comments upon the arrogance and intolerance which characterized political manifestations in days gone by, was delivered by Justice W. R. Riddell, of Toronto, before a meeting of the Canadian Club, held in the Y. M. C. A. last evening. The judge's principle of interpretation seemed to be taken from the old Presbyterian doctrine of election, and his discourse was more brilliant than profound. Possessed of a peculiarly happy style, eloquent and witty, he illustrated rather than explained the development of the Canadian spirit, and his lecture deserved a large attendance.

Geo. A. Henderson presided and in introducing the speaker, deplored the slim attendance, saying that the members were enthusiastic curriers. The constitutional history of Canada divided itself naturally into seven parts, said Mr. Justice Riddell in beginning and when he spoke of Canada he did so historically, not geographically. The seigniorate period in Canada was first discussed—a system that prevailed in Nova Scotia, but which here was ended a century before the termination in Quebec. It was a happy and primitive time but the law was military and far removed from constitutional. The first period ended with the victory by Wolfe.

In the second period from 1760 to 1763 Canada had an infusion of English law, the civil remaining French the criminal English.

Period of Chaos.

Then came the period of altogether English law which brought chaos in legal matters, followed by the Quebec act which harked back to the second period with its English criminal law and the French civil law.

The first assembly under the new act sat first in 1775. The new comers from the revolted colonies chafed under appointed councillors, and any vestige of French law.

By the constitutional act of 1792, which brought in the fifth period, Canada west had its own legislature and the legislative mill had never ceased to grind.

The speaker traced in a graphic and interesting way the struggle between the assembly and the oligarchical council till 1841. Then the sixth period began with responsible government and the union of upper and lower Canada, the new constitution being modelled as completely as possible on that of the United Kingdom.

The population of lower Canada at this time was about 620,000 and of upper Canada 470,000, yet the representation in parliament was the same. The idea was English predominance, but it would not work and French influence gained. A time went on there was a change, and upper Canada's population increased. The period of Confederation is the seventh, and the steps that led to it were swiftly and comprehensively discussed, and the taking in of other provinces since 1867 and till 1905 when the last provinces were given their present status in the confederation, so that the Dominion is rounded out, except for Newfoundland.

The speaker foresaw difficulties regarding the boundary between Canada and Newfoundland as to the delimitation of Labrador, a part of Canada, so that all of continental America within the present British boundaries might be Canadian territory.

Government of England.

Mr. Justice Riddell's remarks in conclusion, pointing out the extraordinary spectacle of the King of England, whose governing power had steadily gone down since George III, while the power of the president of the United States had increased beyond those of the same monarch. "It is the letter that kills and the spirit that gives life," the dead hand of the constitution-maker is seen in the republic. We are the democratic people rather than those of the United States. We are the subjects, not of the King of England, but of the King of Canada. Since 1792, one thing most prominent has been our insistence on the British connection. This is equally true of Quebec as of Ontario. The great heart and the great body of French-Canadians are as loyal as ever they were. The arrogance to themselves of the title Americans by the people of the United States was acquiesced in because, for his part, he was satisfied to be a Canadian and he held he was as much "British born" as any man born in Cork. (Laughter and applause.)

At the conclusion of the lecture a vote of thanks moved by Rev. C. A. Kuhnring and seconded by Dr. Quigley was tendered the judge.

R. A. O'Brien then presented the report of the nominating committee and the following officers and committees were elected for the ensuing year:

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## THE NEWS IN SHORT METER

## LOCAL.

Dredging Possibilities.

The big dredge Beaver is now at No. 7 berth West End, and will be ready in a few days to take part in the dredging operations on the Carleton flats.

## Premier Flemming Here Today.

Premier Flemming will arrive in the city this morning, and tonight will be the guest of the North End Conservative club at a smoker in their rooms, North End.

## Evidence Taken.

The case of Joseph Habab, husband of the woman who was arrested last week with Thomas Ferris on a serious charge, was taken up in the police court yesterday morning when the evidence of Habab was heard. He said he had married the woman five years ago, and they had one child. They had separated in Boston and the woman came to St. John. He then gave evidence to substantiate the charges, and the case was adjourned for further hearing until Friday at ten o'clock.

## PROVINCIAL.

## Legislature Date March 7.

Fredricton, Feb. 6.—The legislature will meet on March 7. It is probable that it will be opened by the new lieutenant governor, as Lieut. Gov. Tweedie's term expires on the 6th of March.

## Fredericton Park Association.

Fredricton, Feb. 6.—The new officers of the Fredericton Park Association, elected last evening, are: President, J. A. B. Kitchen; vice-president, J. McArthur; treasurer, Ald. Z. Hugh Calder; secretary, J. D. Black; auditors, J. A. Edwards and J. H. Flemming; track and buildings committee, Ald. H. C. Jewett and H. O'Neill, sr.

## "Ernie" Boone Dead.

Fredricton, Feb. 6.—Friends of Ernest A. Boone the well known ball player of St. Mary's were shocked to day to learn of his death, which took place last night at his home. He was 25 years of age and is survived by a widow, parents and two sisters. Mrs. W. Dixon, of St. John, is a sister of deceased. Mr. Boone was a member of the St. Mary's baseball team and afterwards branched out into semi-professional ball as a member of the Young Tartars of Fredericton. He also played in the Cape Breton league.

## GENERAL.

## National Thanksgiving.

London, Feb. 6.—A National Thanksgiving for the safe return of King George and Queen Mary was held today in the St. Paul's cathedral. Their Majesties with the Prince of Wales, the Queen Mother, and other members of the Royal family were present, and there were more than 5,000 people in the congregation. The service was conducted by the Archbishop of Canterbury and York. There were 19 Bishops and many clergy in attendance. The City of London dignitaries received their Majesties at Temple Bar after the service and presented the King with the city's pearl sword.

## Court Theatre Burned.

Detmold, Germany, Feb. 6.—The Court Theatre at this place was destroyed by fire last night. No lives were lost, but the principles of the house of Lippe, who were in the building at the time of the discovery of the flames, had a narrow escape with their lives. Detmold is the capital of the principality of Lippe, and is about 4 miles southwest of Hanover. It consists of an old and a new town, and has an old palace of the prince and a new one. It has a state library of 10,000 volumes and natural history and art collections of considerable value.

## secretary H. A. Porter; treasurer, R. D. Smith; literary correspondent, A. M. Belding; past president, G. A. Henderson; finance and property, C. B. Allan; R. O'Brien and F. A. Dykeman; executive, M. E. Agar, R. H. Bruce, Wm. Downie, Jas. Jack, E. C. Weyman and R. O'Brien.

On taking the chair President Bullock expressed his appreciation of the honor done him and suggested the advisability of interesting the High School pupils in the club.

## DANTE'S INFERNO

Once in a century only is it possible to produce such work as Dante's "Inferno" in moving pictures. It has cost hundreds of thousands of dollars and the co-operation of famous artists and more than two years of time to accomplish this result. The five reels, showing fully one hundred scenes and making more than two hours' entertainment, will be shown at the Opera House both afternoon and evening beginning today and for the remainder of the week, with special music and explanatory lecture. The educational and literary value of the reels has been specially commended by the University of the Sorbonne in France.



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Park.

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Royal.

J. A. Donnelly, Montreal; Mr. and Mrs. A. S. White, Sussex; A. J. Gregory, Fredericton; N. M. Jones, C. E. Oak, Bangor; R. H. Stewart, Leicester, Eng.; N. W. Latier, E. Turbett, A. King, R. Hirsch, Montreal; M. E. Murray, H. D. Powell, S. C. Wason, Boston; G. B. Kenrick, N.Y.; W. S. Grimmer and wife, Montreal; J. Wood, N.Y.; John Watson, Houlton; F. M. Chute, Waterville; G. G. Belyea, G. W. Wildblood, L. Sarasin, Montreal; G. S. Belyea, Montreal; R. O'Leary, Richibucto; F. A. Clark, Boston; J. H. Stewart, Leicester, Eng.; Dr. W. B. Bennett, Vancouver; G. A. Chase, Port William; S. S. Lakowitz, Montreal; W. R. Riddell, F. T. Hodgins, Toronto; J. T. Halliser, Truro, Victoria.

W. H. Wormald, Kingston; W. F. Miller, Smiths Falls; G. J. Green, McAdam; J. A. M. Dunn, Hampton; J. A. McIsaac, Halifax; Mrs. T. R. Kent, C. H. Lynott, Harry Prauly, St. George; Harry Morton and wife, Penobscus; R. J. Wilmont, Petitediac.

The P. E. Island Steamers.

George Carvill, the I. C. R. ticket agent here, received the following telegram yesterday: "Earl Grey left Georgetown 7 o'clock and reached Picton at 11.40 this a. m. Minto left Georgetown at 7 a. m. Monday and is still stuck in heavy ice off the east end of Picton Island. Earl Grey leaves for Georgetown at 7 a. m. this (Wed.) morning."

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## FISTIC RECORDS OF CHAMPION AND ADVERSARY

In the view of the fact that Champion Jack Johnson and Jim Flynn will battle for the heavyweight championship of the world in Wendover, Utah, on July 4th, the history of both men will be read with interest by the sporting public.

The champion entered this world on the 31st of March, 1878, in Galveston, Texas. He is 6 feet and 1-4 inches high, and weighs 195 pounds when in fighting trim. Up to the year 1901 there are no authentic records

of his fights, but in that year he fought seven times scoring five victories, one draw, and was knocked out for the first and only time by Joe Choynski. This fight took place at Galveston, Texas, and lasted three rounds.

Jim Flynn, whose correct name is Andrew Chiariglioni, was born in Brooklyn, N. Y., on the 24th of December, 1879, and is of Italian-American extraction. The records of their fights are as follows:



JIM FLYNN

(Andrew Chiariglioni.)

Born Dec. 24, 1879, Brooklyn, N. Y.  
Height, 5 ft. 9 1/2 in. Heavyweight  
Italian-American. Color, white.

1901: Knockout—Chambers, 4 rds.  
Ed. Seaman, 4 rounds. Ray Condy, 2 rounds. Won—Fred Davis, 6 rounds. Pat Malloy, 6 rounds. Fred Francis, 6 rounds. Kid Dawson, 3 rounds.  
1902: Knockout—Jack Lavelle, 2 rounds. George Condie, 2 rounds. Jube Tracy, 15 rounds. Barney Passow, 12 rounds. Ed. Burns, 11 rounds. Jack Graham, 7 rounds. Won—Willard Bean, 20 rounds. Won—four—Jack Graham, 5 rounds. Draw—Joe Cotton, 20 rounds. Dummy Rowan, 20 rounds.  
1903: Knockout—Wm. Malloy, 20 rounds. Kid Rowley, 2 rounds. Austin Yale, 7 rounds. Eddy Kelly, 20 rounds. Lost—Jack Root, 8 rounds. Draw—Tom Kinsley, 15 rounds. Tom Kinsley, 20 rounds.  
1904: Knockout—Tom Kinsley, 3 rounds. Ed. McCoy, 3 rounds. Tim Hurley, 6 rounds. Ed. Cooley, 8 rounds. Ed. Cooley 6 rounds. Won—Cyclone Kelly, 7 rounds. Draw—Andy Walsh, 20 rounds. Harry Peppers, 1 round. Morgan Williams, 20 rounds. Tommy Riley, 20 rounds. George Gardner, 10 rounds.  
1905: Knockout—Morgan Williams, 4 rounds. Dummy Rowan, 4 rounds. Jimmy Rowan, 6 rounds. Andy Malloy, 2 rounds. Draw—Tom Riley, 10 rounds.  
1906: Knocked out by—Tommy Burns, 15 rounds. Draw—Jack (Twin) Sullivan, 29 rounds.

1907  
Jan. 4—J. (Twin) Sullivan, Los Angeles, 20 rounds, won.  
Feb. 12—J. (Twin) Sullivan, Los Angeles, 20 rounds, defeated.  
April 17—George Gardner, San Diego, 18 rounds, knockout.  
July 18—Dave Barry, Pueblo, 7 rounds, knockout.

LAMY LAID  
UP FOR REST  
OF SEASON

Saranac Lake, N. Y., Feb. 12.—Edmund Lamy, who won the professional skating champion last week from Morris Wood, had a nasty fall on the ice here today and as a result will be unable to skate for several weeks and probably the rest of the season.

## SOME SPEED SKATING.

Last night there was a good attendance at the Victoria rink to enjoy the skating and band music. The feature of the night was a couple of exhibitions of speed skating by William Merritt, formerly of St. John, but now of Boston. The ice was not in the best of shape for record breaking time, although Merritt managed to skate the 220 yards in 23 seconds and the 440 yards in 45 3/5 seconds. On Thursday night next Merritt will skate an exhibition mile.

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The hockey fans of this city will have an opportunity of seeing a classy brand of puck chasing this evening when the 62nd Regt. team will cross sticks with the Chatham septette. That this will be a fast game is assured by the fact that the Chatham boys have won every game which they have played this season and at present they are giving the local septette a hard run for first place. The probable lineup for this evening is as follows:

Goal. . . . . Binney  
Point. . . . . Watling  
Coverpoint. . . . . Watling  
P. McAvity. . . . . Watling  
M. McAvity. . . . . Watling  
B. Gilbert. . . . . Watling  
F. Parker. . . . . Watling  
T. Gilbert. . . . . Watling

**JACK JOHNSON,**  
Born March 31, 1878, Galveston, Tex.  
Height, 6 ft. 14 in. Weight, 195 lbs.  
Color, black.

1901: Knockout—Horace Miles, 2 rounds. Won—Jon Lee, 15 rounds. Charley Brooks, 2 rounds. Jack McCormick, 7 rounds. Jack McCormick, 7 rounds. Draw—Klondyke, 20 rounds. Knocked out by—Joe Choynski, Galveston, Texas, Feb. 25, 3 rounds.  
1902: Knockout—Dan Murphy, 10 rounds. Ed. Johnson, 4 rounds. Joe Kennedy, 4 rounds. Jack Jeffries, 5 rounds. Klondyke, 13 rounds. Won—Bob White, 15 rounds. Jim Scanlan, 17 rounds. Pete Everett, 20 rounds. Frank Childs, 12 rounds. Geo. Gardner, 20 rounds. Fred Russell, 6 rounds. Draw—Frank Childs, 6 rounds. Hank Griffen, 15 rounds. Hank Griffen, 20 rounds. Billy Stiff, 10 rounds.

1903  
Feb. 7—Denver Martin, Los Angeles, 20 rounds, won.  
Feb. 27—Sam McVey, Los Angeles, 20 rounds, won.  
Dec. 20—Bill Squires, Bakersfield, 6 rounds, knockout.  
April 16—Sandy Ferguson, Boston, 10 rounds, won.  
May 11—Joe Butler, Philadelphia, 3 rounds, knockout.  
July 31—Sandy Ferguson, Philadelphia, 6 rounds, no decision.  
Oct. 27—Sam McVey, Los Angeles, 20 rounds, won.  
Dec. 11—Sandy Ferguson, Colma, 20 rounds, won.

1904  
Feb. 15—Black Bill, Philadelphia, 6 rounds, no decision.  
April 22—Sam McVey, San Francisco, 20 rounds, knockout.  
June 2—Frank Childs, Chicago, 6 rounds, won.  
Oct. 18—Ed. Martin, Los Angeles, 2 rounds, knockout.  
1906  
March 14—Joe Jeannette, Baltimore, 15 rounds, won.  
April 26—Sam Langford, Chelsea, 15 rounds, won.  
June 18—Charles Haghey, Gloucester, 1 round, knockout.  
Sept. 3—Billy Dunning, Millinocket, 10 rounds, defeat.  
Sept. 20—Joe Jeannette, Philadelphia, 6 rounds, no decision.

ST. JOHN TEAM  
WINS FROM  
MARYSVILLE

Special to The Standard.

Fredericton, Feb. 6.—The St. John team continued their unbroken string of victories in the New Brunswick Hockey league tonight by defeating the Marysville team by a score of 8 to 6, after ten minutes of overtime play.

The game was in many ways one of the fastest and best seen here this year, the St. John team's ability to penetrate the Marysville defence at times when goals were needed, being responsible for the visitors' victory, only the good work of Inch in goal kept down the score.

At the conclusion of the regular playing period the score was tied, 6 to 6, and two extra periods of five minutes each were played. The St. John team scored once in each period and at the same time held their opponents scoreless. Gilbert was the star of the St. John forward line showing oceans of speed while the St. John defence played well. Carl Hovey, Marysville's young player was the best man on the Crescent's forward line. Marysville defence players found difficulty in stopping their opponents rushes and were not as effective as usual.

The lineup was as follows:

St. John Goal. Marysville.  
Barton. . . . . Inch  
Point. . . . . Brogan  
P. McAvity. . . . . Coverpoint.  
M. McAvity. . . . . F. Wade  
B. Gilbert. . . . . Bird  
Centre.  
Clawson. . . . . I. Wade  
Right Wing. . . . . C. Hovey  
Parker. . . . . C. Hovey  
Left Wing. . . . . Dennison  
McGowan. . . . . Timers  
Referee. A. McN. Staples, Timers.  
W. W. Titus, St. John; C. Downing, Marysville.  
Goal Judges. F. McEldan, Marysville; George Clinch, St. John.  
"Scoring summary":  
First half—1 Marysville, Hovey, 3 mins.; 2 Marysville, Hovey, 2 mins.; 3 St. John, Clawson, 10:30 mins.; 4 St. John, Gilbert, 1 min.; 5 St. John, Clawson, 1 min.; 6 Marysville, F. Wade, 2 mins.; 7 Marysville, Hovey, 30 secs.; 8 St. John, Gilbert, 2 mins.  
Second half—9 St. John, Gilbert, 12 mins.; 10 Marysville, Dennison, 5 mins.; 11 Marysville, I. Wade, 5 mins.; 12 St. John, McGowan, 1 min.  
Overtime—13 St. John, M. McAvity, 12 mins.; 14 St. John, Gilbert, 6:30 mins.  
Penalty summary—St. John, McGowan, 2 mins.; 3 mins.; 2 mins.; Total 7 mins. Marysville, Hovey, 3 mins.

FREDERICTON  
DEFEATS THE  
LOCAL RINKS

The Fredericton curlers remained in the city yesterday and today to win from the Carleton and the St. Andrew's clubs.

The mild weather caused the ice to be very sticky on both rinks and made good curling a difficult task. Two rinks a side played in Carleton in the morning, giving Fredericton a lead of 30 points. Two rinks played in the afternoon and Carleton had one point to the good. The total score for the day's play was: Fredericton 51 to 52 for Carleton, giving the visitors a majority of 29. The following is the score by rinks:

**Morning.**  
Fredericton. . . . . Carleton.  
H. B. Colwell. . . . . H. Discol  
F. T. Thomas. . . . . M. P. Mooney  
N. F. Doherty. . . . . H. Belyea  
P. F. Hatt. . . . . E. R. Taylor  
Skip. . . . . 23 Skip . . . . 10  
George Hazen. . . . . Rev. J. F. Scovill  
H. H. Hagerman. . . . . S. W. Hall  
C. F. Randolph. . . . . W. O. Dunham  
E. L. Fowler. . . . . J. M. Belyea  
Skip. . . . . 29 Skip . . . . 12  
Total. . . . . 52 Total . . . . 22

**Afternoon.**  
A. B. Kitchen. . . . . W. S. Jewett  
C. W. Hall. . . . . J. McLellan  
A. E. Massie. . . . . George Scott  
T. A. Wilson. . . . . S. Roxborough  
Skip. . . . . 21 Skip . . . . 15  
Dr. Atherton. . . . . L. Bisset  
John Neill. . . . . W. Ruddock  
W. McLennan. . . . . Charles Coster  
J. H. Hawthorne. . . . . L. M. Wilson  
Skip. . . . . 8 Skip . . . . 15  
Total. . . . . 29 Total . . . . 20

St. Andrews vs. Fredericton.  
It was even harder for the curlers in the night match on the St. Andrew's rink than in the day, as the ice was wet and in no condition for curling. Fredericton managed to win the match with the total score of 55 to 50. The following is the score by rinks:  
St. Andrews. . . . . Fredericton.  
Dr. A. S. Merrill. . . . . A. B. Kitchen  
F. P. C. Gregory. . . . . N. Doherty  
H. H. Harvey. . . . . A. Wilson  
C. E. S. Robertson. . . . . S. D. Simmons  
Skip. . . . . 10 Skip . . . . 81  
C. H. Peters. . . . . George Hazen  
W. B. Howard. . . . . H. H. Hagerman  
J. U. Thomas. . . . . C. Randolph  
W. A. Stewart. . . . . T. Fowler  
Skip. . . . . 20 Skip . . . . 7  
R. G. Haley. . . . . H. B. Colwell  
H. Rankine. . . . . F. T. Thomas  
S. A. Jones. . . . . W. McLennan  
Dr. J. M. Megee. . . . . F. Hatt  
Skip. . . . . 11 Skip . . . . 17  
Dr. S. Smith. . . . . Dr. Atherton  
J. Neill. . . . . J. Neill  
W. Robinson. . . . . W. Robinson  
P. White. . . . . J. H. Hawthorne  
Skip. . . . . 9 Skip . . . . 13  
Total. . . . . 50 Total . . . . 55



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**SUCCESSFUL FLIGHT MADE IN A HYDRO**  
New York, Feb. 6.—The first successful flight of a hydro-aeroplane in this section was seen late today, when Frank T. Goffin ascended from the middle of the Hudson River, near 23rd Street, and flew about for sixteen minutes up and down the river at a height of 500 feet.  
Seamen's Institute Concert.  
A number of the crew from the C. P. R. steamer Empress of Britain gave an excellent entertainment in the Seamen's Institute last evening and the programme was greatly enjoyed by a large and appreciative audience.

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## AROUND THE CITY

**Young People Visit.**  
The young people of the Ludlow Street Baptist Church, west end, will assemble at the vestry this evening at 7.30 o'clock sharp for the purpose of paying a visit to the young people of the Victoria Street Baptist church in the North End.

**Fire in Vendome.**  
The fire department was called out yesterday afternoon by an alarm from box 28 for a slight blaze in some straw in the Vendome Hotel, in Prince Wm. street. The damage done was trifling and the fire was extinguished before the firemen arrived.

**Preparations Completed.**  
The preparations for the banquet to be given this evening in Gagetown in honor of the Hon. J. D. Hazen, Premier Fleming, Mr. Shipp and Mr. Woods are all finished and everything is in readiness. Over 150 tickets have been issued, and the entire number sold.

**The Silver Falls School.**  
Those in the Silver Falls school making over 70 per cent. for the month of January are: Standard V.: Stella Arthurs, Annie Ryan, Edna Knox, May Christopher; Standard IV.: Hazel Pudge, Ethel Knox, John McNeil, Harry Fudge; Standard III.: Audrey Maher, Agnes Ryan.

**Kicked by Horse.**  
Charley Dodge, the east side ferry gateman, received a very serious injury yesterday afternoon when he was kicked by a horse while on his way to open the ferry gate. Mr. Dodge plucked kept on with his duties until early last evening when the pain overcame him with the result that he was assisted to his home on Prince William street by Police-men Gardiner and Kane.

**Sleigh Broke Down.**  
Last night about nine o'clock while a large party from the West End were enjoying a drive about the city the large sleigh broke down on the corner of Union and Sydney streets and the party had to dismount for a time while repairs were made. The delay was only a short one, and they were soon able to proceed and made merry with singing choruses and blowing horns.

**Knights Hold Drive.**  
The ladies and gentlemen who aided the Knights of Columbus in conducting a most successful fair last summer were guests of the Knights last night at a most enjoyable sleigh drive about the city and a few miles outside the city limits. It took seven large sleighs to carry the party, and it was a most pleasing drive for all. On their return to the city dinner was given in the Keith's Assembly rooms.

**Bombarded Sleighing Parties.**  
There have been many complaints made regarding boys throwing snow balls and pieces of ice at sleighing parties, and in some cases those in the sleighs have been severely injured. Last night the police managed to get the name of a youngster named Coleman, and he has been reported for throwing snow balls or ice at sleighing parties. Roy Milne, James Milne of Goodrich street; Chipman Seely of Wright street, and Berryman McDonald, of Stanley street, having been reported by Sergt. Kirkpatrick for throwing snow balls on the public street. The four latter boys are said not to have been guilty of throwing the snow at sleighing parties.

**Sunday School Social.**  
The social held under the auspices of the Sunday school of the Victoria street Baptist church last evening was attended by a large number of members of the school. During the evening an excellent programme of addresses and recitations was delivered and refreshments served. The programme which was very much enjoyed, was as follows: prayer, Rev. B. H. Nobles; address of welcome, E. M. Sippell; address, W. C. Cross; recitation, Chas. Wasson; orchestra selection; address Rev. B. H. Nobles. The orchestra which is made up of members of the Sunday school gave several selections during the evening all of which were greatly enjoyed by those present.

**Daughters of The Empire.**  
The annual meeting of the Loyalist Chapter of the Daughters of The Empire was held at the residence of Mrs. Alex. Fowler, 13 Mecklenburg street yesterday afternoon. Miss Mabel McAvity presided and the reports for the past year were submitted and the officers were elected for the ensuing year. The secretary's report showed that many charitable works had been performed during the year and various large sums of money had been made over to the kindergarten, the anti-tuberculosis society and the newly formed working girls' club, while the treasurer's report showed that the society had during the past year earned much money by the dance which they gave last spring and by their carnival a few weeks ago. After the reports had been read the officers for the ensuing year were elected and are as follows: Mrs. Geo. Elzmann, regent; Miss Winifred Raymond, 1st vice-regent; Miss Mary MacLarep, 2nd vice-regent; Miss Vivian Barnes, secretary; Mrs. T. C. Ryder, treasurer; Miss Daphne Cross, standard bearer.

**New Zest to Whitewear Sale.**  
P. A. Dykeman and Co., have just received another large shipment of whitewear which will add zest to the interest displayed in their whitewear sale for February. Some of these goods are repeats and some new lines which they bought especially for the sale. Gowns, Corset Covers, Drawers, Skirts, Princess Slips and other lines of Ladies' and Children's Whitewear can be bought during the sale at about the cost of the materials.

## ANNUAL SESSION OF ST. JOHN COUNCIL OF WOMEN

Officers Elected at Afternoon Session and in the Evening  
Mrs. McNaughton, of Montreal, told of Similarity of Work in Other Cities—Mayor Frink was also a Speaker.

At the annual meeting of the Local Council held yesterday afternoon and last evening Mrs. T. H. Bullock was re-elected president for the coming year. The active vice-presidents chosen for the year were: Miss Grace Leavitt, Mrs. J. H. Frink, Miss Berryman, Mrs. R. Morton Smith, Mrs. G. F. Matthews and Mrs. J. R. Calhoun. Miss Alice Estey was elected to the office of treasurer; Mrs. A. Pierce Crockett, corresponding secretary and Miss Nellie Keith, recording secretary.

The annual meeting was opened yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Mrs. T. H. Bullock, president, occupying the chair. The afternoon session was a busy one, the greater part of the session being devoted to the reception of the reports of the standing committees of the council, as well as receiving the reports of the societies affiliated with the Local Council of Women. The reports from all sources were gratifying and gave evidence of a year of exceptional activity. The council has affiliated nineteen other women's societies, and during the session a communication was received from the St. Monica's Society asking to be accepted in affiliation with the council. In addition to the reception of the reports Dr. Melvin addressed the meeting on health matters, and Rev. Dr. Patterson on immigration.

The president, Mrs. Bullock, delivered her annual address, in the course of which she announced that H. R. H. the Duchess of Connaught had accepted the office of honorary president. The president traced the progress of the council, the achievements accomplished by it.

"An important resolution passed on to us this year," said the president, "is to promote the use of such text books and reading books in the schools as will present historical facts with the least possible bias, and to endeavor to arouse a living interest in the modern methods of peaceably settling international difficulties." This will be dealt with by the educational committee.

The problems of childhood open a vast field, the address continued, and from every direction arises the need for better protection for women and children. The public playgrounds and other phases of the council's work were touched upon in the address. In conclusion the president thanked all who assisted in carrying on the work of the council.

The treasurer's report submitted by Miss Alice Estey, showed receipts \$766.87, expenditures \$631.10, leaving a balance of \$135.77.

The reports from the committee on education and peace, and the committee on health matters as regards the care of children, Rev. Dr. Patterson spoke briefly on immigration matters and urged the need of the strictest investigation into the moral character of prospective immigrants.

**Evening Session.**  
At 8 o'clock a public meeting was held at which a large attendance of citizens were present. The meeting was devoted to addresses by His Worship Mayor Frink, who presided, Mrs. W. J. McNaughton, Montreal, J. King Kelley, Capt. Taylor, W. S. Fisher and others. The addresses dealt with two of the advance movements with which

## WILL TAKE ACTION AGAINST HOTELS

Factory Inspector has Instituted Proceedings Against Some of them for Failure to install Fire Escapes.

The factory inspector has instituted legal proceedings against the proprietors of the Park Windsor and St. John Hotels, and the Adams House because they have failed to comply with the provisions of the act relative to the installation of fire escapes, and the pinching of ropes in sleeping rooms. The cases will be heard in the police court next Monday. The minimum penalty for failure to comply with the act is \$20, and the maximum penalty \$200.

The act was proclaimed about six months ago, and proprietors of hotels had been given plenty of time to comply with it.

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the council have occupied themselves during the year, and which they expect to still further prosecute: Playgrounds and juvenile courts and detention homes for youthful offenders. A musical programme of rare excellence was carried out during the evening.

His worship in opening the meeting made a short address touching on the importance of the questions discussed and congratulating the council for their energetic efforts for the betterment of the city and raising the standards of moral and social life.

Capt. Taylor, of the Salvation Army gave an interesting talk on the needs and advantages of juvenile courts in St. John. The method of dealing with youthful offenders in the regular courts he said are to say the least, unsatisfactory. The results from this system are detrimental to the children. It is due the child himself the parents and the municipality that a system be secured for dealing with youthful delinquents which will serve not only as a corrective but as a preventive of crime and repetition of the offense.

The juvenile court and detention scheme has gone far beyond the experimental stage, and the efficiency of the scheme is soundly felt. The fact that places where it has been inaugurated, commend it most highly. In Winnipeg the success of the juvenile court and detention homes has been demonstrated on more than one occasion. Leithbridge has erected a large building for the carrying on of this phase of social work and have asked that an officer from the army be sent there to take charge.

Capt. Taylor briefly outlined the manner of conducting the work as done in other cities, and cited cases in substantiation of the good results obtained.

J. King Kelly made an urgent plea for the establishment of the detention homes. He pointed out that although St. John is vigorously planning for great material development, the lack of homes of detention for young girls who have come within the pale of the criminal law is sadly felt. The great need in the work of reform is to prevent not only the actual commission of the offences but to prevent the possibility of them.

W. S. Fisher spoke briefly on the matter, and said that many cases come under the purview of the charitable and reform societies which emphasize the need for the inauguration of the scheme in this city.

The playgrounds report prepared by the committee on the matter was then taken up, and His Worship spoke. He said that he had been impressed with the importance of this work on visiting the playgrounds last summer and that he was glad to see made in the common council on behalf of the playgrounds, and of the subsequent action of that body in the matter.

Mrs. McNaughton, who represented the National Council at the meeting was then introduced, and gave a most interesting and instructive address. Mrs. McNaughton is a graceful and pleasing speaker, and her remarks were followed with pleasure.

After conveying the greetings of the National Council, she explained the great principles underlying the work of the council and the best way to accomplish the end.

She then explained the immense scope of the National Council and its growth in popularity in foreign countries. The intimate connection which exists between all the ramifications of the council was shown. The sphere of activity in which the National Council works brings to the attention of the organization for solution world wide movements, at present the Peace Movement, White Slave traffic and others occupying its attention.

She then showed the common interest between the local councils in different centres. In Montreal practically the same issues are being dealt with as here.

On conclusion Mrs. McNaughton was tendered a vote of thanks by Mayor Frink on behalf of the gathering.



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