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Desperado, Held For Murder of H. M. Arnold of Sussex, Makes Escape From Jail In Winnipeg

With Revolver Holds The Guards at Bay; Gets Out Window Rope Ready For Him There

Friends Below With Speedy Auto and He is Last Seen in Outskirts of the City—Escape Made in Early Hours This Morning

(Canadian Press) Winnipeg, Man., Jan. 10—John Krafchenko, one of the most notorious and desperate characters of western Canada, escaped from the central police station at 2.20 this morning, after being committed yesterday to stand trial on the charge of murdering H. M. Arnold, of Sussex, N. B., bank manager at Plum Coulee.

Krafchenko was taken to what is known as "the old kitchen" on the second floor in the police station. Two men were placed on guard, but in some way Krafchenko had secured an automatic revolver, presumably from friends, and, holding the revolver at the heads of the guards, he backed to the window. He had also been provided with a rope by friends, and he swung out of the window and dropped to a lane, twelve or fourteen feet below.

Krafchenko's friends who provided him with the revolver and rope, also had an automobile waiting nearby, and good time was made in getting as far away as possible in a few minutes. The escaping man was first seen on the outside by James Donahison, who quickly spread the alarm, but in the few minutes which had elapsed, Krafchenko had completely disappeared.

Police Deputy's Statement At four o'clock Deputy Chief Newton gave out the following statement: "Arms were evidently given Krafchenko by outside friends, also he was furnished a rope. After being committed in the evening, Krafchenko was confined in a room on the second floor of the building, used solely as a room for the detention of prisoners. The warden, members of the police force, placed in the room with the prisoner.

"Guards were suddenly confronted with a revolver in Krafchenko's hands, and the prisoner backed to the window and swung out to the lane below. The constable in charge had completed the sound of the bursting half an hour before and found everything in good order.

Asked regarding the two men in the year with Krafchenko, Deputy Chief Newton declined to give their names, but said they were both members of the fly police force. The deputy, however, said that he expected an arrest would be made soon on a charge of aiding and abetting Krafchenko to escape.

Huerta Willing to Make Concessions But Holds to Post

Mexico City, Jan. 10—President Huerta, it is said, will not resign, but is willing to rearrange the personnel of his cabinet, or make almost any concession which would be calculated to improve the relations between Mexico and the United States.

Toronto Physician Arrives to Attend Sir James; May Take Him Home

New York, Jan. 10—Dr. McPhedran, Toronto physician, rushed to New York to consult with Dr. Pyne and Dr. Ierman Biggs today over the condition of Sir James Whitney. It is rumored that it had been decided to remove Sir James to Toronto at once.

Viscount Bryce has taken the title of Viscount Bryce of Dechmont in Scotland.

Phelis and Phrediana WEATHER BULLETIN

Issued by authority of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, H. F. Stupart, director of meteorological service.

CUT RATE FOR ATLANTIC VOYAGE It Applies in Part to St. John—Slice Taken Off to Meet Hamburg-American Charge

(Special to Times) Montreal, Jan. 10—Owing to the rate war among the Atlantic steamship companies, tickets from American and Canadian ports to cities on the continent of Europe can now be purchased for as much as \$6 less than this time last week. On Tuesday, in accord with cable advices, the various steamship agents here were instructed to lower their prices.

MORE THAN MILLION AND QUARTER MEN OUT OF WORK IN THE STATES

Cleveland, Ohio, Jan. 10—One million working men of the Iron, Steel and Metal trades are idle in the United States today. The wage loss due to unemployment and short time is \$60,000,000 a month. Two hundred and seventy thousand miners are also idle. The wage loss to this is computed at \$12,000,000 a month.

WILLARD SAYS HE DID NOT HIT YOUNG WITH FULL STRENGTH IN MATCH

Los Angeles, Jan. 10—Jess Willard testified today that he did not strike John (Bull) Young with his full strength at any time during the match in the Vernon arena, on August 23, 1913, which was followed by Young's death the next morning.

TURKEY AND BULGARIA ARE REPORTED NEGOTIATING THE TERMS OF AN ALLIANCE

Constantinople, Jan. 10—Negotiations are proceeding here and in Sofia for an offensive and defensive alliance between Turkey and Bulgaria.

KING OF ROUMANIA IS SERIOUSLY ILL; NEPHEW IS HEIR TO THE THRONE

Vienna, Jan. 10—King Charles of Roumania is seriously ill. He was born on April 20, 1889, and ascended the throne in 1913.

JOHN HONEYMAN, NOTED SCOTCH ARCHITECT, DEAD

(Special to Times) London, Jan. 10—One of the most distinguished members of the architect's profession, John Honeyman, R. S. A., died in Glasgow yesterday aged eighty-three.

ONTARIO MAY PUT EXPORT DUTY ON FISH TO STATES

(Canadian Press) Toronto, Jan. 10—Following the suggestion of Hon. W. J. Hanna that the government might go into the fish business in order to break the monopoly of the "fish trust," representations have been made by some fishermen that the government might regulate the price at which fish should be sold.

PRISONERS KEPT IN DARK CELLS

Archbishop's Visit to Montreal Jail May Secure Changes

RELICS OF BARBAROUS DAYS

Half-witted Boy in Solitary Confinement in Inky Blackness Because he Made a Noise Singing—Board For Bed, Cist and Water For Food

(Canadian Press) Montreal, Jan. 10—It was reported this morning that following a recent visit of Archbishop Bruchesi to Bordeaux jail the matter of the solitary confinement of prisoners has been brought to the notice of the authorities and that regulations altering the present system may come into force early next month.

FURTHER STATEMENTS ON NAVAL POLICY OF THE BRITISH CABINET

(Special to Times) London, Jan. 10—Right Hon. Dr. MacDonnell, parliamentary secretary to the Admiralty and a member of the cabinet, in addressing his constituents at Camberwell last night, dealt with the armaments question.

SEEK TO FORCE ANSWER FROM MGR. SBARETTI

Montreal, Jan. 10—International diplomacy between Canada and Italy is to be used as a means to force an answer from Mgr. Sbarretti, bishop of Montreal, to certain questions submitted to him in connection with the case of Edwards vs. Mgr. Bernart, bishop of Ste. Hyacinthe, and the College of St. Marys de Monroie.

NOTHING DEFINITE YET AS TO MISSING POSTMASTER

In connection with the matter of the disappearance of Postmaster Gaskill from his office in North Head, Grand Manan, Inspector Thompson of the local office had not returned to the city this morning and it was not possible to proceed with the investigation.

HUNDRED MEN ADDED TO MONTREAL POLICE FORCE

Montreal, Jan. 10—By the addition of 100 new men, the strength of the city police force was increased yesterday by the board of control to 910. There are one chief, two deputy chiefs, five inspectors, two assistant inspectors, thirty-two captains, thirty-eight detectives, fifty-four lieutenants, twenty-six sergeants, two secretaries, three patrol operators and three matrons, twenty-nine police stations, the detective bureau and the patrol alarm office.

MARQUIS OF LANSDOWNE GIVES SCOTCH ESTATES TO SONS

London, Jan. 10—The Marquis of Lansdowne has transferred his estates in Scotland to his sons. Those in Kincaidineshire go to Lord Kerby, and those in Perthshire and Kinrossshire to Hon. Charles Fitzmaurice. The latter's share is estimated at 10,000 acres and the estates go to his brother at something less.

RICH CLAY BED ON CITY LAND; FACTOR IN CUTTING DOWN THE BUILDING COST

In an effort to help solve the problem of the high cost of building in St. John the city commissioners have struck something which should be of great value. One item which has added greatly to the cost on construction work has been the price charged for bricks, a price made possible by the fact that only one brick yard is in operation around the city and this is owned by contractors who are able to use almost the entire output of the plant.

Contractor on The Stand In Southampton Railway Case

(Special to Times) Fredericton, N. B., Jan. 10—Robert McDonald, builder of the Southampton Railway, was on the stand all morning in the hearing of the now famous suit and gave particulars of the actual cost of the road. For the first six miles laid in the first contract with J. K. Pinder the firm did work valued by the engineer in charge at \$22,000, besides four accounts for \$4,200.

SEVEN NATIVES KILLED IN SOUTH AFRICAN TROUBLES

Alleged That Basuto Was Kicked to Death by White Man—All Troops Being Mobilized Because of Railway Strike

(Canadian Press) Jagerfontein, South Africa, Jan. 10—Seven native laborers in the diamond mines were killed and thirty-six wounded in an outbreak today. A few whites received injuries. The entire defense forces of the province are being mobilized. Further arrests of labor leaders were made this morning, among them President Connery of the railway men's executive; Dawson, the secretary, and Bukley and Riley, members of the executive.

FOUR OF GANG OF BOYS IN FREDERICTON ARE ARRESTED

(Special to Times) Fredericton, N. B., Jan. 10—Herbert Brewer and Sydney Sheppard were arrested several days ago charged with the theft of a cow hide. It now transpires that they are part of a gang who recently broke into and ransacked Hugh Calder's summer camp. Two other boys, Charles Everett and John Brewer, have been arrested in connection with this case and made a clean breast of the affair. All were remanded until Monday.

TO MAKE INSPECTION OF DORCHESTER PENITENTIARY

Kingston, Ont., January 10—The Penitentiary Commission has adjourned until January 16, when a meeting will be held in Toronto. After that the commissioners will visit St. Vincent de Paul Penitentiary, and Dorchester penitentiary in New Brunswick. This is for the purpose of inspecting the reformatory methods used in those penitentiaries.

REDEMPTRIST HEADQUARTERS FOR PROVINCE INCLUDING ST. JOHN NOW IN BROOKLYN

The headquarters of the order of Redemptorist fathers, which have formerly been situated at Baltimore have been transferred to Brooklyn, N. Y., at the monastery of the Church of Our Lady of Perpetual Help. The very reverend provincial, Rev. Joseph Schneider, C. S. R., has taken up his residence there and with him are the consultants, Rev. A. Dooper, C. S. R., Rev. F. Litz, C. S. R., the procurator, Rev. G. J. Dessold, C. S. R., and other officials of the province. Brooklyn has thus become the centre of government of the order for the eastern province, which includes St. John and other cities in Canada where the Redemptorists are located.

BOYS LET GO

Two young boys reported on Thursday for trespassing on I. C. R. property by carrying suit cases in the depot for passengers were allowed to go by Magistrate Ritchie this morning. They said that they had gone into the depot with a man and had carried a suit case for him.

POTATOES TAKE DROP IN TORONTO

Ten Cents a Bag Lower; May Be More

EMBARGO ONE REASON

Better Quality Forced Into Canadian Market Puts Local Product in Background New Brunswickers Quoted at \$1 and \$1.05 a Bag

(Canadian Press) Toronto, Jan. 10—A ray of light has come to brighten the monotonous trials of the consumer in his daily battle with the cost of living. The price of potatoes has fallen ten cents a bag and is likely to seek still lower levels. The indirect cause of this welcome weakness in one department of the commodity market is the embargo which was placed recently on Canadian potatoes entering the United States.

AROOSTOOK MEN HAPPY

Caribou, Me., Jan. 10—Aroostook county potato growers can hardly be said to be alarmed over the news which has reached here from Ottawa, that the Canadian government is to put an embargo on American potatoes and refuse their admission into Canada. There is a wide enough market for all the tubers Aroostook can produce on this side of the line, and the action by the Canadian government will actually prove a blessing more than an excellent safety valve through which their resentment over the recent action of the federal board of horticulture in Washington in placing an embargo on Dominion tubers, can escape.

CONDITION CRITICAL

Relatives of Dr. McDonald of Penitentiary Summoned to Bedside

(Special to Times) Dorchester, N. B., Jan. 10—Dr. D. D. McDonald, physician and surgeon at the Maritimes Penitentiary here, who has already been reported as being seriously ill, is in a critical state this morning and his relatives have been summoned to his bedside.

Selling Electricity By Co-operative Advertising

The Public Service Corporations in the large cities are finding it is good business to develop the co-operative spirit.

WOMAN MURDERED ON COAL BARGE

New Bedford, Mass., Jan. 10—A brutal murder was disclosed today by the finding of the body of Annie Walsh, aged 32, in a bunk in a coal barge at the dock. Charles Matrony, captain of the barge, was arrested.

PRESENTATION TO MR. SEWELL; 38 YEAR'S SUPERINTENDENT

The annual tea given by the teachers of St. George's Sunday school, West Side, to the pupils was marked by a very pleasing event when Rev. W. H. Sampson, the rector of St. George's, on behalf of the Sunday school, presented to the superintendent, S. N. Sewall, a gold watch and chain. Mr. Sampson made reference to Mr. Sewall's faithful service, this being his thirty-eighth year as superintendent. The tea given to the children commenced at 5 o'clock and there were more than 200 present. An interesting programme was carried out.

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Great Marked-Down Sale For Saturday

Men's fancy Silk Ties, regular 50c, value for 28c. Men's Negligee Shirts, regular \$1. and \$1.25 values for 89c. Men's Mufflers, regular 75c. values for 50c. Men's Scotch Tweed and English Worsted Pants, \$1.49, 1.59, 1.78, 1.97 to \$3.54. Men's hard and soft HATS 20 Per Cent off.

CORBET'S 194 Union Street

Daily Hints For the Cook

Coconut Cream Cookies. Two eggs, one cup sugar, one cup thick cream, half cup shredded coconut, three cups flour, three teaspoons baking powder, one teaspoon salt. Beat eggs up till light, and sugar gradually, coconut, cream and flour mixed and sifted, add baking powder and salt. Chill thoroughly, toss on floured board, pat and roll one-half inch thick. Sprinkle with coconut, roll one-fourth inch thick and shape with a small round cutter, first dipped in flour. Bake on a buttered sheet in a moderate oven.

FREE PUZZLE PRIZE \$200.00

In Cash now to be Given Away FREE. In addition to the sum of \$2000.00 In Cash that we have previously Given Away.

1st Prize, \$50.00 In Cash. 2nd Prize, \$25.00 In Cash. 3rd Prize, \$25.00 In Cash. 4th Prize, \$25.00 In Cash. 5th to 9th Prizes, each \$10.00 In Cash. AND 100 VALUABLE PREMIUMS GIVEN AWAY

Below will be found six sets of mixed or jumbled letters. Can you arrange these six sets of letters in such order that each set will spell the name of a well known vegetable. It is not easy to do, but by patience can be accomplished. Try! By sending a proper arrangement you have an opportunity of winning a cash prize. Many have done this as will be shown by the names and addresses published below. Write these six words plainly and neatly on a slip of paper, as in case of ties, both writing and neatness will be considered factors in this contest. This may take up a little of your time, but as there is TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS in cash and one hundred premiums given away it is worth your time to take a little trouble over this matter.

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MAN WHO BUILT THE RAILWAY SAYS IT COST LESS THAN SUBSIDY

Frederickton, N. B., Jan. 9.—Rather startling evidence was given in the Southampton Railway suit today, when the cost of the road was told by the man who actually built it. Heretofore J. E. Stewart, the plaintiff, has told of the cost of the road, as he planned to build it, and given observations on the character of the line from his inspection of it in a completed state. Today Henry Maxwell, superintendent first, and then subcontractor, and Robert McDonald, a member of the firm which did most of the actual work, gave evidence, and in practically all instances the prices prevailing on the work were lower than those figured upon by Mr. Stewart, who planned to complete the road for less than \$100,000. Mr. Maxwell corroborated the evidence of Mr. Stewart that he (Maxwell) had made an offer to build the road with exception of the right of way, turn table and "x", and provision of steel for rails and bridges, for \$105,000. Stewart Corroborated.

To the question: "From your knowledge of how the road was built, as superintendent for the building of one half of the road and as sub-contractor for two miles of the remaining half, could you have built the road yourself for your estimate of \$105,000?" Mr. Maxwell answered—"Yes, I could have made money on it at that price." Mr. McDonald testified that so far his firm had received only \$60,000 for the building of the line although they had done all the work with the exception of some excavation work, work on the road, four miles of ballasting, three and one half miles of rail laying, building of fences and telephone lines, building of stations and sidings. An additional claim of \$21,000 is made by the firm, Mr. McDonald testified, but part of this was not for actual work, but for damages from delay in providing material and charges for delivering sleepers. Counsel for the plaintiff met with a temporary check this afternoon when the court refused to admit as evidence the final estimate on which the contractors were paid, prepared by D. W. Brown, engineer in charge of building the road. The papers were in possession of Mr. McDonald but the court ruled that he could not refer to them, as he had not assisted in their preparation, nor were the papers admissible as evidence unless it were established that Mr. Brown was acting as an employee or official of the defendant company.

BUSINESS SEEMS SLACK Halifax Echo—There are now in port no fewer than seven steamers belonging to the Dominion Coal Company, six of which will lay up here for some weeks owing to the fact of there being no coal carrying work for them to do. The bigger boats chartered by the company, the Kendall Castle and the like are carrying all the cargo offered at the present time.

When Rev. Charles P. MacGregor, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Pittsfield, discovered that there were five bachelor reporters on the staff of a local newspaper he said: "The first one of you that comes to me to be married this year I will marry free of charge."

To Ward Off Winter Complexion Ills

(From the Queen). To keep the face smooth, white and beautiful all winter, there's nothing quite so good as ordinary mercolized wax. Rough, chapped or discolored skin, inevitable in this weather, is gently absorbed by the wax and replaced by the newer, fresher skin beneath. The face exhibits no trace of the wax, the latter being applied at bedtime and washed off mornings. Creams, powders and rouges, on the other hand, are apt to appear conspicuous as soon as the process of alternating expansion and contraction of the skin, due to changing temperatures. I advise you to try this simple treatment. Get an ounce of mercolized wax at any drugstore and use like cold cream. This will help any skin at once, and in a week or so the complexion will look remarkably youthful and healthy. Winds and flying dust often cause squinting and other contortions which make wrinkles. You can quickly get rid of every wrinkle, however produced, by using a harmless face bath made by dissolving 1 oz. powdered saxolite in 1/2 pt. witch hazel.

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CANADIAN PORTS

Halifax, Jan 9—Arrd, strs Manchester Inventor, Manchester; Boston (N.S.); Jamaica; Durango, Liverpool via St. John's (Nfld.). Sid—Strs Alameda, Boston; Bengore Head, St John; Shenandoah, London. Yarmouth, Jan 8—Arrd, sch Wanda, Ward, Port Daniel via Halifax for New York (in for harbor); str. Coban, McPhail, Louisburg with coal; sch. Poonook, Gelder, New York, with coal.

BRITISH PORTS

Liverpool, Jan 9—Arrd, str. Gramplan, St. John.

FOREIGN PORTS

Las Palmas, Jan 9—Passed, str. Pandolis, Wright, bound from Antwerp to Buenos Ayres. Boston, Jan 7—Arrd, schs Carrie C. Work, Windsor Parks (N.S.); H.S.M. Ingrahamport (N.S.) via Liverpool (N.S.); Yarmouth and Westport. Old Port, Jan 7—Arrd, str. Virginian, St. John's; str. Sicilian, Glasgow. Philadelphia, Jan 9—Arrd, str. Frankrig, St. John. Hiyannis, Jan 9—Arrd, schs G.M. Porter, Perth Amboy; Jesse Hart 2nd, South Amboy. New York, Jan 9—Arrd, str. Baltic, Luanista, Liverpool.

NOTICE TO MARINERS

Manchester liner Manchester Inventor reported having passed close to a very large iceberg in latitude 42.43 north, and longitude 44.46 west. The berg was of towering height.

MARINE NOTES

S. S. Lakonia, for Glasgow direct with twelve passengers and a large cargo of grain and general freight, steamed last night at 9 o'clock. Bengore Head left Halifax at 4 p. m. yesterday for St. John to discharge maize. The Head boat will load 28,000 bushels of grain here, besides 300 standard of deals and 1,000 tons of flour. Manchester Inventor will steam from Halifax this morning for this port to discharge, and will load outward for Manchester direct, taking 136,000 bushels of grain. R. M. S. P. liner Cobecquid will leave Bermuda today for St. John direct. G. M. Bosworth, vice-president of the C. P. R., has received the following communication with regard to letters posted on the high seas from a prominent official of the Canadian postal department: "I beg to inform you that the postal administrations of the United Kingdom and Canada have entered into an agreement whereby either British or Canadian postage stamps may be used for pre-payment of correspondence posted on the high seas on board the contract mail steamers sailing between Canada and the United Kingdom, whether posted on the eastbound or westbound voyage of the mail steamer."

VESSELS IN PORT

Stamers. Lake Michigan, 5,340, London, C P R, No. 3. Marina, 5,222, Glasgow, Robt Reford Co., McLeod's. Royal George, 5,685, Avonmouth, C N R, I C R. Schooners Not Cleared. Ann Louise Lockwood, 266, Calabria, 481, J. Splaine, laid up. Cora May, 117, C. N. Scott. E. M. Roberts, 295, R. C. Elkin.

Macaulay Brothers & Co., King Street, St. John, N.B. Our Stores Close at 6 p.m. Tonight, Saturday.

JANUARY Whitewear Sale

Commencing Monday Morning, January 12th, 1914

Our line of undermuslins for next spring surpass, unquestionably, any of our previous showings. There's not a desirable feature wanting to make the collection perfect in every respect. The garments are of snowy white Muslins with dainty trimmings of laces and embroideries. They are in the latest, best and most approved styles, and the workmanship is perfect. We bought plentifully and secured excellent prices, and you in turn get the benefit. You'll not match our values at such low prices anywhere else.

DRAWERS—In all new styles of imported Longcloths, Cambrics, etc., trimmed with fine tucks, laces or Hamburg embroideries. 35c. to \$2.00 a pair. PRINCESS SLIPS—Of Cambric, Lawn or Nainsook; now so much in demand for the present style dress. These are elaborated in a huge variety of ways. \$1.00 to \$3.75 a garment. CORSET COVERS—Of fine Cambrics, Lawns, etc., handsomely trimmed in all the new styles, with fine embroideries, laces or headings. Prices range from 25c. to \$2.25 each. NIGHTDRESSES—Of English Longcloths, fine Nainsook, etc., with V-round or square neck, beautifully elaborated with laces and embroideries; all lengths. 59c. to \$4.50 each. COMBINATIONS—COMBINATION CORSET COVERS and DRAWERS—Are shown in a host of dainty styles, finished with fine embroideries or laces. \$1.65 to \$2.25 a garment. Also a large variety of CHILDREN'S WHITE UNDERMUSLIN LINS at Popular Prices.

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STEAMERS BOUND FOR ST JOHN

Manchester Inventor, 2,775, Manchester, Dec 29. Hollington, 2,728, Newport, Dec 29. Hapapanneok, 2,490, London, Jan 1. Ruthenia, 4,714, Trieste, Jan 3. Cobecquid, 2,993, St. Kitts, Jan 3. Manchester Exchange, 2,649, Manchester, Jan 3. Falls of Nith, 3,021, New York, Jan 8. Hesperian, 6,124, Liverpool, Jan 7. Caracut, 2,999, Demerara, Jan 8. Bursfield, 2,615, Wilmington, Jan 10.

MORNING NEWS OVER THE WIRE

At the Bank of Montreal in London, Eng., yesterday subscriptions closed, with satisfactory results, for the South Vancouver, B. C. loan. It is said in London that the financial situation is easing considerably. The Roman Catholic Archbishop of Paris, in a circular letter to the churches in his diocese, admonishes the clergy to

advise their congregations that dancing of the "tango" is forbidden by the church in France. He has also included in the circular a warning to women against immodesty in dress. E. Gagnon, a fireman in Montreal, was yesterday sentenced to three months in jail for stealing during a fire. The address in reply to the speech from the throne at the opening of parliament will be moved in the senate by Senator James Mason of Toronto and seconded by Senator W. H. Thorne of St. John. A resolution, disapproving of the legislation passed at the last session of the legislature fixing the proportion of the maintenance of pauper patients in the provincial hospital at \$1 a week was given a six months' hold in the York county council yesterday. The threatened demonstration by unemployed men in Regina last night did not materialize. Mrs. Frank McKenna of Albany, P. E. Island, was fined \$100 or six months in jail yesterday after being convicted on the evidence of Detective Elrod, of having sold liquor illegally. A case against John McFadden, druggist of Kensington, is now pending. Fifteen thousand men are idle in Toronto. Nearly three thousand have been laid off from work since Christmas. The liver is considered to be action, the bowels regulated, and the kidneys made vigorous in their work of purifying the blood. In the great majority of homes Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills are kept hand for use in just such cases. They save many doctor bills, and by keeping the digestive and excretive system in health do much to prolong life and bring comfort in old age.

THE DOUBLE WORK OF THE BLOOD

The circulation of the blood is one of the most perfect pieces of mechanism in the universe. Besides carrying nourishment to every part of the body the blood collects the waste products and passes through the kidneys in order that these poisons may be eliminated. Hence you see the tremendous importance of keeping the kidneys in beautiful working order so that they free the blood of these impurities before they find lodgment in some weak spot and set up serious disease. Aching back and aching head, troubles with the digestion, deposits in the urine, constipation and biliousness—such are the symptoms which indicate the need of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. The liver is considered to be action, the bowels regulated, and the kidneys made vigorous in their work of purifying the blood.

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A new line at reasonable prices.
All the latest shapes and patterns

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**This Coal Is
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It Burns Freely and Evenly and Leaves
Very Little Ash Because It's High-Grade

Everyone knows that coal burns and that it costs money, but there is much difference between one sort of coal and another. Our special kind is all heat energy, clean, free burning and extra economical.

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Drinking for 24 Years

A PHYSICAL WRECK CURED
BY THE GATLIN TREATMENT

A man who had been drinking steadily for 24 years, came to the Gatlin Institute for treatment. He was a physical wreck and was so extremely nervous that his hands were always shaking. The habit was broken, the nervousness disappeared, his health improved, and he was even able to shave himself.

He left the Institute a new man with confidence in himself, and no more desire for alcoholic drinks. The Gatlin Institute has effected the cure of many men when their friends thought them incurable. No case is too difficult for this treatment, even the most confirmed drunkards. Every privacy is maintained with private room and nurse in attendance.

This is the original 3 Day Cure and absolutely reliable. Cure is guaranteed under Written Contract to be satisfactory in every particular, or we refund the fee paid and the treatment costs nothing.

For the Home Treatment a trained nurse can be sent to administer treatment, if desired, within a reasonable radius, free of charge. Write today for booklet and full particulars.

The Gatlin Institute Co., Limited
46 Crown Street, St. John, N. B.
Also, Montreal and Toronto.
CHAS. E. FARRAND, Managing Director

LOCAL NEWS

The day nurses at the General Public Hospital enjoyed a slight drive to Torryburn last evening and, on their return to the nurses' home, a dance was held.

See and get one of Edgcombe's ash pumps. 1-18

LOCKSMITH

'Phone 1217, locks repaired—V. S. Thorne, 102 1/2 Princess street, opposite garage.

THE HIGH COST OF LIVING.
Every live working man will go to hear the truth on this subject at the Socialist Hall over Unique Theatre Sunday, 8 p. m.; Colin McKay, speaker; questions, discussion invited. Good literature on sale; admission free.

At the ceremony of installation of officers for the New Brunswick Lodge, No. 22, F. & A. M., held on Thursday evening, James E. McKee was appointed I. P. M., and Robert McAuloo, chaplain, in addition to other officers.

Another great negligee shirt sale tonight at Corbett's.

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days
Druggists refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. First application gives relief. 50c.

BAD WEATHER.
Bridle for gloves of every kind, waterproof, working boots for city or country, boots repaired while you wait, 227 Union, 'phone 181-21.

Now's the time for you to get that new coat or hat you've wanted. Pidgeon's big humping sale combined with low rent offers money saving opportunity for wise buyers—Corner Main and Bridge streets.

Mrs. John A. McAvity gave an interesting lecture on Egypt in the High school last evening. The lecture was under the auspices of the Women's Canadian Club and lantern slides were thrown on the sheet by J. L. Jack. Duration, 15 minutes.

Carl Johnson of Brussels street sustained a broken ankle yesterday while working on the dredge St. John, which is being repaired at No. 7 slip West St. John. He was taken to the General Public Hospital.

At the monthly meeting of the St. John Board of Pilotage Commissioners held yesterday afternoon, it was decided to increase the number of apprentices from three to nine. The board will ask the government to have the apprentices trained on the government steamers instead of on the pilot boats. J. E. Cowan was elected chairman of the board and J. U. Thomas secretary.

WE ADAPT LENSES THAT WILL INSURE BEST VISION
D. BOYANER OPTICIAN
38 Dock St. 311 Charlotte St. Charlotte St. Store Open Till 9 P. M.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

St. John, N. B., Jan. 6, 1914.

I hereby acknowledge the receipt of \$25 in gold from Dr. J. D. Maher, having returned to him No. 4631, the winning ticket in the New York trip drawing held today. I desire to thank him for the fairness with which the drawing was evidently conducted and for his prompt payment of the money.

MRS. CHARLES DAVIS,
94 Sheriff Street.

For An All-Round Cough Medicine

IT IS HARD TO BEAT

Royal Balsam of Canadian White Pine

25c a Bottle FOR SALE ONLY AT

The Royal Pharmacy
47 King Street

The evening selections by the Boys' Orchestra, under the leadership of Ralph Crawford, delighted the audience.

The St. John Trades and Labor Council has received a communication from the British Columbia Federation of Labor asking the unions here to take a forty-eight hour "holiday" commencing January 30, as a protest against the way in which the miners on Vancouver Island have been treated.

FOR SALE cheap, one car damaged on 20th—Steen Bros., 80 Celebration. 8964-1-14

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LOCAL NEWS

Harold O. Cruikshank of the Bank of British North America has been transferred to Halifax. Before leaving the members of the local staff presented to him a silver mounted traveling set.

Tutkey supper at Bond's tonight, 5 Hill 7.

AN ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Richardson No. 1 Hawthorne avenue, announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Margaret Elma, to William E. Richardson. The wedding to take place in next April.

How can you possibly stay away from such a feast of clothing, furnishings and shoe bargains as we are now offering? Wiesel's, Union street, corner Brunswick.

Parents wishing their children properly instructed in dancing should consult Miss Sherwood, "Chalet" Dancing Academy, Phone 2770-41. 5284-1-12

PLAYGROUNDS ASSOCIATION
Annual meeting next Tuesday evening in Board of Trade rooms, at eight. All contributors entitled to attend. Reports, election of officers and other important business.

Ungar's Laundry.

Get your supply of shaker and woolen blankets at best values.—F. W. Daniel & Co. —14

Large sleighs for sleighing parties.—Hogan's stable, Waterloo street. 5971-1-14.

DON'T FORGET.

Don't forget Mr. Prudent Man that the difference in rent between our business location and the high rent in up-town stores is just the same now during clearance sale time. Our regular prices are as low as up-town sale prices. Our present clearance prices will astonish you. We had to make extra inducements to bring you so far, but it is surely worth your while to come. C. B. Pidgeon, Corner Main and Bridge streets, is the place.

The 2 Barkers, Ltd., are offering 2 pound tins Canadian peaches at 12c, 3 pound tins 20 and 25c, Gold Brand yellow-cling California peaches at 27c and Gold Leaf yellow-cling California peaches at 29c.

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IT PAYS TO BUY AT WASSON'S EXALL DRUG STORES

The Fountain

Offers Some Tempting New Dishes Tonight

SHOP EARLY AND LUNCH AT THE FOUNTAIN

Hot Tomato Nectar... 10c. Hot Chocolate Fudge, with Ice Cream... 15c. Hot Chicken Bouillon... 10c. Hot Chocolate... 5c. Hot Coffee... 5c. Delicious Ham Sandwiches, 5c.

FOR CANDY LOVERS

We have taken the Chocolates from all our remaining Xmas packages and offer the resulting assortment at 39c. pound.

This assortment includes such makes as Willard's Neilson's, Moir's, Ganong's and Lowney's.

50c. Maple Creamed Walnuts... 39c. lb. 50c. Jumbo Honey Nougatines... 39c. lb. 50c. Coffee Nougatines... 39c. lb. 50c. Peppermint Patties... 39c. lb. 35c. Creamed Almonds... 29c. lb. 25c. Scotch Mints... 19c. lb. 60c. English Clear Gum, 3 oz. for 10c.

WASSON'S LIMITED

Open All Night—Our King St. Store Never Closes Day or Night

BABY CARRIAGES!

We have a beautiful line of Baby Carriages and Go-Carts which must be sold quickly.

Now Is The Time To Get Bargains.

Sidewalk Sulky's folding Go-Carts collapsable Go-Carts, Pullman Sleepers, etc.

AMLAND BROS. LTD.

19 Waterloo Street

Clearing Sale of Ladies' Winter Hats, Feathers, Trimmings, Etc.

Girls' and Women's Felt Hats Trimmed and Untrimmed ALL THIS SEASON'S STOCK

In order to make alterations in our building this stock must be moved by Jan. 15th. We will sell it for part of cost rather than remove it. The Hats, Feathers and Trimmings will be in our window on Monday the 20th, marked at extreme Bargain Prices.

243 Waterloo Street Corner Brindley Street

CARLETON'S

Come One! Come All! and Take Advantage of the Extraordinary Bargains We Are Offering

LADIES' COATS, SUITS, SKIRTS, ETC.

SWEEPING REDUCTIONS IN

LADIES' Coats, Suits, Skirts, Etc.

LADIES' TAILOR-MADE COATS—Original price, \$7.00..... Sale price, \$3.75

LADIES' TAILOR-MADE COATS—Original price, \$9.00 and \$10.00..... Sale price, \$5.00

LADIES' TAILOR-MADE COATS—Original price, \$11.00 and \$12.00..... Sale price, 6.00

LADIES' TAILOR-MADE COATS—Original price, \$14.00 and \$15.00..... Sale price, \$8.50

LADIES' TAILOR-MADE COATS—Original price, \$18.00 and \$19.00..... Sale price, \$9.00

LADIES' TAILOR-MADE SUITS—Latest styles, various shades, satin lined. To be cleared out at the extremely Low price of..... \$7.50

CHILDREN'S COATS—Various colors and styles, from..... \$2.00

LADIES' SKIRTS—In blue and black. Original price, \$2.25..... Sale price, \$1.25

We have a small quantity of SATIN UNDERSKIRTS left which we intend to clear out quickly. Regular price of these Skirts, \$2.25..... Sale price, \$1.25

15 Dozen SWEATERS—Regular price from \$2.00 to \$3.00..... Sale price from 75c. to \$1.25

50 Pieces LADIES' and CHILDREN'S FURS—Regular price, \$2.50 to \$15.00. Sale price from 50c. to \$3.50

Sale Will Start Friday and Will Continue Until the Entire Stock of Ladies' Clothing is disposed of

THE IDEAL LADIES' CLOTHIERS

40 DOCK STREET

STORE OPEN EVENINGS.

The Best Quality at a Reasonable Price

Pearl Rings.

Are you a lover of pearls? If you are, we want you to come in and see some beautiful Pearl Solitaire Rings which we are showing.

The gems are genuine Oriental Pearls, of surpassing beauty. The rings are of eighteen karat gold, and the pearls are set in platinum, which serves to show, to best advantage, their soft, lustrous beauty. Prices range from Twenty-five to Seventy-five Dollars.

L. L. Sharpe & Son
Jewelers and Opticians
21 King Street, St. John, N. B.

EXTRA SPECIALS

On Saturday, Jan. 10

Truth in advertising is the only kind that pays. We want your confidence. That's why our bargains are just as advertised.

BUCHANAN'S JAM

25c. pot Raspberry..... For 18c. 25c. pot Green Gage..... For 17c.

CALIFORNIA PEACHES

35c. tin Mission..... For 29c. 35c. tin Libby's..... For 29c. 40c. tin Griffin..... For 33c.

SUNDRIES

1 lb. Tomatoes..... For 10c. 10c. Shaker Salt..... For 8c. 10c. package Queen Sodas..... For 8c. 12c. package Graham Wafers..... For 10c. 15c. pot McLaren's Cheese..... For 10c. 15c. package Knox Gelatine..... For 12c. Macaoches Marmalade..... For 12c. jar Natural Dried Peas..... only 9c. package 3 tins Casaro Sardines..... For 25c. 2 tins Newland Sardines..... For 25c. 20c. bottle White Pickles..... For 17c. 2 tins Maple Butter (Cremo)..... For 25c. 25c. bottle Hillbrook's Sauce..... For 18c. 35c. bottle Coffee Essence..... For 25c. Libby's Canned Soup..... For 10c. tin Ripe Canadian Cheese..... For 18c. lb. 1 pound Eastfirst Shortening..... For 14c.

SPECIAL

30c. Fruit Delight..... For 18c. lb. 30c. Mint Delight..... For 18c. lb. 21 pounds best Granulated Sugar (with orders)..... For \$1.00 No C. O. D. Orders Delivered Alone

Gilbert's Grocery

This is a clearance sale of Shoes, taken from our regular stock, which we do not intend to carry next season, and which we have reduced to cost, and in some cases below cost to ensure a quick sale.

Come and Secure Bargains

A few of which are advertised and others are displayed in our windows.

Men's Tan Calf, Blucher Bala, —All sizes, \$4.50. Reduced to \$3.25.

Men's Calf, Blucher Bala — Sizes 7 1-2 and 8 1-2, \$4.00. Reduced to \$2.90.

Men's Calf, Blucher Bala — \$5.00 values, different kinds. Sizes 6, 6 1-2, 7, 8, 8 1-2, 9, 9 1-2. Reduced to \$3.75.

\$6.00 Men's Walkovers — The sizes of which are broken. Reduced to \$2.25, \$3.00, \$3.50.

Men's Rubbers—Sizes 7, 8, 9 and 10. Reduced to 60c.

Men's Rubbers—Extra heavy soles. Reduced to 80c.

Women's Patent Leather Blucher Bala—Low Heel. Sizes 3, 3 1-2, 4, 4 1-2 and 5, \$3.50 value. Reduced to \$2.50.

Women's Kid Button Boots —Nearly all sizes, \$3.00 value. Reduced to \$2.25.

A Special Lot of Women's Button and Lace Boots—Narrow widths. Sizes 2 1-2, 3, 3 1-2, that formerly sold at \$3.00, \$3.50, \$3.75, \$4.00. Reduced to \$1.50.

Men's Rubbers—Sizes 1, 3, 4, 5. Reduced to 50c.

Boys' Rubbers—Extra heavy soles. Reduced to 70c.

Good 10c. Polish—Black and tan. Reduced to 6c. a box.

Girls' 2-Buckle Waterproof Overshoes—Sizes 2 and 3 only. Reduced to 85c.

Girls' Waterproof Button Overshoes—Size 13 only. Reduced to 75c.

Girls' Rubber Boots — Size 2 only. Reduced to \$1.25.

Women's Rubbers—Sizes 5-1-2 and 6 only. Reduced to 35c

Women's Rubbers—All sizes. Reduced to 58c.

SPECIAL—All Specially Reduced Sale Goods Strictly Cash, and No Approval.

Foot Fitters **McRobbie** **Street King**

The Evening Times and Star

The St. John Evening Times is printed at 111 St. John Street every evening (Sunday excepted) by the St. John Times Printing and Publishing Co., Ltd., a company incorporated under the Joint Stock Companies Act.

STANDARD HAS NO CASE

The St. John Standard appears to think that its readers are idiots, or generally devoid of a reasoning faculty. In a long article on the relative cost of certain food products in Canada and in England the Standard gravely tells its readers that the lower price of food in England is due to lower wages and a lower standard of living.

While there are some unemployed men in St. John, and conditions are not as good as a year ago, they are much better than in Toronto, where over fifteen thousand men are walking the streets in search of employment.

The revenue of Canada continues to decline, and the public debt to increase. The expenditure, however, continues to grow under a government whose leader charged that the enormous expenditure of former years was a proof that the Laurier government was corrupt.

A London cable announces that the car ferry for the use of the Grand Trunk Pacific at Quebec is ready for launching. This ferry will be ready for use before the end of the year.

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The appeal of the British Columbia Miners' League to labor unions throughout Canada to cease work for forty-eight hours as a protest against the imprisonment of thirty-nine miners in connection with the big strike on Vancouver Island would be, if the response were universal, an imposing demonstration.

The strike in South Africa was not regarded as serious until the Trades Federation at Johannesburg espoused the cause of the strikers. It is now feared a general strike may be called, and martial law is likely to be proclaimed.

BIRTHDAYS OF NOTABILITIES

SATURDAY, JANUARY 10.

The Most Reverend Louis Nazaire Beignin, Archbishop of Quebec, celebrates his seventy-fourth birthday today. His Grace was born in Levis of humble parents but showed wonderful parts as a scholar at the Little Seminary in Quebec, that he was selected for preferment.

LIGHTER VEIN

Discouraging. "By the way, old chap, I need a little money." "You may consider yourself fortunate. I need a whole lot!" - Boston Transcript.

Commercial Instinct.

"Some writers have no commercial instinct. One writer will get up an automobile catalogue for \$50."

Thought "Grub" Was Wanted

The use of the telephone frequently results in some very funny mistakes. Prior to a meeting of the State Federation of Women's Clubs in Chicago recently a young woman was asked over the phone if she would take two delegates to the convention. She agreed to do so, and on the day appointed showed up at the hall with two jelly cakes.

The Difference

Madge—"Don't you think a girl should marry an economical man?" Dolly—"I suppose so, but it's awful being engaged to one." - Liverpool Mercury.

Bill Hodge had been delighted when he secured the job of "boots" at a commercial hotel and for the first two days his life passed smoothly enough. In fact he thought he had tumbled into a sort of perpetual picnic after the rough life of a farm laborer.

PARISIAN SAGE

The Scalp Cleanser Sold in Canada on Money-Back Plan

Tried them all and failed, thousands of people will say. Try the real Parisian Sage and succeed as thousands have done.

In Paris women have most abundant beautiful, lustrous and fascinating hair. They know about hair and its diseases in Paris far more than we do.

Parisian Sage is such an extraordinary and quick acting restorative that all druggists, who are the agents in St. John, guarantee it to cure dandruff, stop falling hair and itching scalp in two weeks or money back.

1913 versus 1914

We increased our turnover by 50 per cent. in 1914, naturally we desire to do as well in 1914.

We believe the rapid growth of our business is due to our careful selection of goods, close attention to our customers' needs and our genuine values.

WE DO NOT RENEW OUR PAPER AND WE DO TAKE OUR CASH DISCOUNT AND WE DO GIVE OUR CUSTOMERS THE BENEFIT OF THIS DISCOUNT.

THIS IN ITSELF MAKES A DIFFERENCE OF BETWEEN 10 AND 15 PER CENT IN THE COST OF AN ARTICLE TO THE CUSTOMER.

"ZEPP" SAFE RAZOR. The safest of all razors, while retaining all the efficiency and skin comfort of the standard razor blade. German Silver Handles (plain or gold plated) in leather case, round point, hollow ground blade of the finest carbonized steel, correctly tempered. Special Sale Price - - - \$2.00. T.M. AVITY & SONS, LTD.

Alumino Oil Heaters. For a room where heat is wanted for a few hours, it is cheaper to use an ALUMINO HEATER than make a fire in an ordinary grate. Steel Construction. No Breakage. Easy to carry from room to room. These are the ONLY OIL HEATERS. So simple a child can operate and rewick them. Guaranteed to suit or money refunded. SOFT COTTON WICKS suitable for these stoves supplied at all times. Emerson & Fisher Ltd.

RE-NU-ALL Wood Polish. The polish that has a lasting shine. Renews automobile bodies, furniture, pianos and wood-work of all kinds. Sold in 25c, 50c and 1.00 sizes. Once used, you will use no other. Use it for dusting and your work is a pleasure. We have tried this polish and proved its worth. Sold by R. H. IRWIN - 18-20 Haymarket Sq. Dealer in Stoves, Ranges and Kitchen Utensils. PHONE 1614.

FUR SALE! We are offering at this sale extraordinary low prices in Mink, Persian Lamb, Wolf and Marmot, Muffs and Neck-Pieces. See Our \$25.00 Mink Muffs WERE \$35.00 and \$40.00. Muskrat Coats at Bargain Prices. F. S. THOMAS, 539 and 545 Main St.

Cheap Hamburg Edgings and Insertions. New Stock, Big Variety, From 3c Yard Up. Valenciennes and Torchon Laces, Latest in Frilling for Neck and Sleeves. A. B. WETMORE, 59 Garden Street.

PRISON MASTERPIECES (London Tit-Bits). Byron's famous poem, "The Prisoner of Chillon," is supposed to be written by Bonivardi, a Geneva patriot, whilst he was incarcerated in the Chateau of Chillon, on the shores of the lake. But the poem was really written at lightning speed whilst Byron was imprisoned by inclement weather for a night and a day in the neighborhood.

Solve the Baking Problem. Leave home baking alone, for a while at least, and use BUTTERNUT BREAD. You'll find it just as cheap—all things considered—and much easier. BUTTERNUT BREAD is healthful, nutritious, appetizing, being made only from First Grade Canadian Flour, in a Clean Modern Bakery. Grocers Sell It.

Assessors' Notice. The Board of Assessors of Taxes for the City of Saint John hereby require all persons liable to be rated for the year 1914 forthwith to furnish to the Assessors true statements of all their property, real estate, personal estate, and income, which is assessable under the "Saint John City Assessment Act, 1909" and hereby give notice that blank forms on which statements may be furnished can be obtained at the office of the Assessors, and that such statements must be perfected under oath and filed in the office of the Assessors, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

Mean. Edwards—"So you think your next-door neighbor is mean?" Mitchell—"Of course I think he is mean. Wouldn't you think him mean if he killed his rooster—which had wakened you and kept you awake every morning for two years—the very night before you wanted to catch a 2.10 a. m. train?"—Judge.

JAEGER Pure Wool SLIPPERS. From Jan. 10 to Jan. 31 20% Discount. may be allowed off catalogue price of goods now in stock. SOLD BY Francis & Vaughan 19 KING STREET.

SALE OF ENAMELLED WARE. Sauce Pans, 12c, 14c, 15c, 18c, 20c. Sauce Pans with covers, 20c, 25c, 30c. Stew Kettles, 15c, 20c, 30c, 40c. Dish Pans, 35c, 45c. Soap Dishes, 10c. White Enamelled Mugs, 5c, 8c, 9c, 12c.

ARNOLD'S DEPARTMENT STORE 83-85 Charlotte Street

COAL and WOOD. Directory of the leading fuel Dealers in St. John.

COAL. OLD MINES SYDNEY especially adapted for grates. SPRINGHILL ROUND a splendid range coal. RESERVE SCREENED gives excellent results for all household purposes. All sizes of BEST HARD COAL at ways in stock.

R. P. & W. F. STAR, Ltd. 49 mythe st. .26 Union st.

American Hard Coal All sizes. Scotch Hard Coal All sizes.

GIBSON & CO. Telephone, Main 2636. Offices, No. 8 Union street, and 6 1/2 Charlotte street.

CASH DISCOUNTS. For ONE MONTH we will give a DISCOUNT of 25c a load on every cash order for Hard Wood. We have choice Hard Wood, Dry Kindling, Blood Cove Coal and Scotch Hard Coal for sale. COWMAN & WHELFLE 288-30 Paradise Row Phone 1617

Pea Hard Coal \$7.00 Per Ton Delivered First Flight. This is a large size and only a small quantity—Order Quickly.

Geo. Dick, 48 Britain St. Foot of Germain St. Phone 118

Diamond Rings. From \$12.00 to \$240.00 at Old Time Prices. A. & J. HAY JEWELLERS 78 KING STREET.

Bee's Honey GUARANTEED PURE 10c 20c and 30c. Fresh Grated Horse Radish 12c a Bottle.

Libby's Can Peaches 20c a Tin. JAS. COLLINS 210 UNION STREET, Opp. Opera House.

FIRE INSURANCE. A reliable security for the least money. E. L. JARVIS General Agent for Maritime Provinces Agents Wanted.

EAGLES & REYNOLDS Lumber Surveyors and Dealers of Lumber. The Old Reliable Surveyors. 550 CHURCH STREET AND ASSISTANCE GIVEN 51 Elm St., City, St. John. TEL. 2217-11.

Bargains

- Women's Kozy Slippers—Blue, Red, Grey, Brown and Purple **73c**
- Women's Felt Laced Boots, Foxed with Kid **\$1.18**
- Women's All Felt Laced and Elastic Side Boots **78c**
- Women's Grey, Brown, Red, Green and Black, \$1.35 and \$1.50, Juliets **83c**
- A lot of Girls' and Children's Felt Slippers, worth from 50c to 65c **25c**
- Men's Warm Felt Slippers, worth from \$1.00 to \$1.50 **48c, 78c and 98c**

Waterbury & Rising

LIMITED.
King St. Union St. Mill St.

Check Your Cold NOW
Delay may result in pleurisy, pneumonia or congested lungs, which, too often, prove fatal. NATIONAL CASCARA BROMIDE QUININE TABLETS will, if taken in time, break up your cold in a few hours.
Price 25 Cents The Box.
A FULL LINE OF COUGH AND COLD REMEDIES.
S. H. HAWKER'S DRUG STORE - - - Cor. Mill Street and Paradise Row

EQUITY WATCHES
MADE BY THE WALTHAM WATCH COMPANY have proved their worth, and every wearer has become a boomer for this watch. We have just opened a new lot.
The Equity is a neat size and is a gentleman's watch in a nickle case, 7 jewels, for \$5.50; same movement, in gold filled case, 7 jewels, for \$9.50 and in 15 jewels, for \$12.50. These watches are without a doubt the biggest watch values ever put upon the market.
FERGUSON & PAGE
DIAMOND IMPORTERS AND JEWELERS - - 41 KING ST.

GOING "TOURIST"
Is a Popular Way to Travel.
Tourist Sleepers—light and airy, with big comfortable berths, accommodating two adults, if desired—are carried from Montreal on East Transcontinental Express Trains for points in Western Canada, British Columbia, and on the Pacific Coast.
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LOCAL OPTION NOT WHERE IT IS MOST NEEDED

Such Is Comment of N. W. Rowell on Ontario Voting

IS GOOD LAW GIVEN BY LIBERALS

But What Is Most Needed, He Says, Is Province Wide Measure—A Word From H. H. Pitts

An estimate of the result of the local option votes in Ontario this week was the feature of N. W. Rowell's address to the Canada Forward Club.
"Of the many good measures passed by the Liberal administrations in this province for curtailing the evils of the liquor traffic, local option is one of the best," declared Mr. Rowell. "We now have 502 out of 635 municipalities without bars."
"The voting yesterday affords a striking illustration of both the utility and insufficiency of local option as a weapon for fighting the evils of the liquor traffic. Its utility has been demonstrated

by the large area of the province which has been brought under its operation, but its insufficiency has been shown by the practical impossibility of bringing it into force in the larger centres of population.

Where Reform Needed.

"The Liberals of Great Britain," continued Mr. Rowell, "recognize that in any effective programme of social reform they must include dealing with the evils of the liquor traffic, and for many years they looked forward to the adoption of a local option law as the most feasible and effective method of curtailing these evils. But as the Hon. Herbert Samuel, in his book on 'Liberals,' has so well pointed out: 'It has been more clearly recognized that local option might prove an ineffective weapon and be enforced least often in the localities where reform is needed most; for where the public houses have the greatest number of patrons there also they are likely to find at the poll the greatest number of defenders.'"

"The truth of this statement was most clearly demonstrated yesterday. In the 17 municipalities which carried local option there were only 24 licenses; in the 19 municipalities which defeated local option by the 3-5 requirement, there were 97 licenses. In the larger cities it would be still more difficult to bring local option into force. Yet in those places where local option was defeated, or where it was recognized as impracticable to bring it into operation, the bars are the most numerous, the evils of the traffic most manifest and the social and moral degradation resulting from the open bar most prejudicial to the community and the state.

"Unless, therefore, we are prepared practically to concede to the liquor traffic the right to maintain the open bar, with all its abuses, in our chief centres of population, as well as in a large number of the smaller cities and towns of the province, we must have a province-

wide measure, and it is in this view that we have declared in favor of the abolition of all bar and club licenses throughout the province, with them to go the complete abolition of the retail sale of liquor in the municipalities in the province, and local option would continue, under which the remaining one-tenth might wipe out the residue of the traffic where the voters so desired by a majority vote.

Saved by Three-Fifths.

"Without discussing the merits or demerits of the 3-5 requirement," concluded the speaker, "yesterday's vote is a striking illustration of how effectively by the liquor interests when it was enacted as an amendment to the local option law. Out of 121 licenses condensed by the vote of the people the liquor interests saved 97 by the 3-5 requirement."

(Ottawa Free Press)

"Banish the Bar" are words which H. H. Pitts, president of the Ottawa license reduction committee suggests should form a winning slogan adopted by any party in provincial politics.

"After the reduction of liquor licenses there should be strict enforcement of and more drastic provision embodied in the law," is another opinion of Mr. Pitts, told to a Free Press man today.

Naturally, he is in common with the committee, is greatly pleased at the city people's majority for cutting down liquor licenses.

Mr. Pitts spoke most eulogistically of the assistance given by the fair sex, referring to them as "those consecrated women who heroically invaded the most bitterly contested parts of the city and helped to bring the campaign up to a higher level, and to give courage to those in the firing line."

"Pardonably proud is Mr. Pitts of the thorough organization which was set up by his committee, and he commends it as an object lesson to other constituencies.

"The foreign vote, when under the rum element, is a standing menace to good government and to advanced civilization," is a very strong view of this energetic liquor fighter.

Mr. Pitts pleads that the foreigner should be given better opportunity for the assistance given by the fair sex, referring to them as "those consecrated women who heroically invaded the most bitterly contested parts of the city and helped to bring the campaign up to a higher level, and to give courage to those in the firing line."

"Nothing," we have done our share, it now rests with other powers," replied Mr. Pitts, with resignation and evident satisfaction at the success of the lightning campaign.

\$1 A POUND FOR FOOD

Prices at Sushanna, New Gold Fields—Lumber Sells at \$250; Per Thousand

Vancouver, B. C., Jan. 9.—Two parties who left here in August, en route for the new gold fields at Sushanna, have written to friends in this city giving graphic descriptions of conditions there. One of the letters says:—
"There are about 300 cabins erected so far and more are being started. Men are coming and others going out every day. grub is worth eating here. Flour sells at \$70 per 10 pounds, and everything else at \$1 a pound, and beef 60c a pound by the quarter.
"We are whipsawing lumber at present, and it sells at \$250 a thousand feet; just selling enough to buy grub, but we are getting a stock ahead which will sell later. Everyone here does his own car-

do it with.

"Only two or three cabins have windows; all the rest are lighted with sacks from the more popular brands of flour. Yukon stoves sell for \$2 a pound, and stovepipes the same. I patronized the barber (lady) yesterday to the extent of a haircut for which I was set back \$2.50 the regular price. It is the only shop in town.

"If the country shows any good prospects this winter the camp will be a hummer. It is located on a well-timbered bar in the middle of Johnston Creek, but water is a scarce article. The creeks are all fed from glaciers, and when the frost comes they dry up.

"We have to carry water about half a mile, but we are the proud possessors of a ten-gallon keg to carry it in. Nobody else in Sushanna can negotiate more than a gallon, so you can see the position we hold in the eyes of the rest of the inhabitants. There is not a saloon, hotel or restaurant here yet, but buildings are being erected for them."

MONTREAL TO HAVE BULL FIGHT

Montreal Star—Some time ago the Star announced that attempts would be made to have some real bull-fights staged in Montreal. At present Senor Enrique Robles, champion bull-fighter of Spain and Mexico, who has been staging bull-fights in the United States at La Corona hotel, Senor Robles intends pulling off his form of amusement here, providing that satisfactory arrangements can be made with the authorities.

"There is no law broken by me in my performance," said Robles, "neither do I use a sword to kill the most ferocious animal. Everything is absolutely human. I have been in this business since I was 14 years old and have met with success, and as yet found no difficulty in putting on a show in any city."

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WANTED—A girl for general housework, 285 Germain street. 6029-1-18

WANTED—A housemaid, 83 Carleton street. 6067-1-16

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CIVIC FINANCE AND TAXATION

To the Editor of The Halifax Echo: Sir—A glance through the last printed annual report of the city for 1911-12 reveals the first handicap under which our civic officials labor. The total taxable real estate assessment is given as \$19,888,260, the exemptions, on the other hand, enjoying all the advantages and privileges of civic government, without any of its financial responsibility, amount to \$11,818,950. In other words we forfeit to exemptions on a 196 basis the sum of \$8,069,310, equal to forty per cent of the sum required to run our city, namely, \$20,000,000. A further analysis of this item shows that \$7,105,000 is the property of the Dominion and Imperial governments, or 37 per cent of the total exemptions. The pressure of this handicap can be fully realized when it can be shown from the report that this exemption alone is just as if the real estate of Wards Nos. 4, 5 and 6 was entirely relieved of taxes and the other three wards of the city called on to maintain all their services or an integral part of the corporation.

Any corporate body that could meekly submit to a surgical operation of such magnitude and yet continue to perform its functions as a normal, healthy and efficient body, must have a mighty reserve of vitality. Whatever justification there may be for certain local benevolent exemptions, it can certainly not be just that Halifax bears, on behalf of the Dominion and Imperial governments, the whole burden of the maintenance of their property within the city. In this case we forfeit, of income alone, \$140,000, and it would be interesting to know just what it costs the ratepayers annually in addition to maintaining sewers, pavements, light and police.

Mode of Assessment. The only other matter to which I venture to refer is our present mode of assessment. Judging from the assessor's suggestive report this continues to be most unsatisfactory. As this problem is fundamental, underlying and affecting as nothing else does all our civic problems, it is passing strange that the capital city has done so little towards its solution. I am not attempting any such task, only calling attention to it that a better qualified man may throw light on it. One fact, however, is forever scientifically certain, and it is that, to get normal and orderly results in any department of human effort, we must give due to its legitimate basic principle. The ever-sliding and fluctuating scale of assessment is like trying to measure dimensions with an elastic yardstick. While I am not a single tax advocate, I am convinced we have much to learn from its theories. The valuable kernel of truth concealed in such a system is that it provides for all efforts of taxation a stable and scientific unit based on relative land values irrespective of improvements. The nearer any civic system can get to that principle consistent with other co-related conditions, the more satisfactory progress are we certain to make. Attempted additions or expansions of our present unsound and unstable method are like parasite growths on a fungus. They only result in sapping the growth and progress of our city. We may tax any luxury or improvement of our existence, even to dogs. When France put a tax upon windows, people began to limit their use, and the poor to do without them to the detriment of the public health.

The Danger Limit. It might be interesting to discover just how far this same principle is silently at work in shaping our civic affairs. Has Halifax already reached the danger point in this direction? If houses and improvements are unequally and unduly taxed, they will not be built, nor the city improved; and the rents will rise on the other hand so long as unsanitary and ram-shackle tenements, which disgrace our city, are provided for all efforts of taxation. Under his instructions, they are not likely to be improved and exchange hands. A movement already in being agitated to have a thorough and painstaking survey of our city. This survey would also include a valuation of all city property. The just unit of value being set in each district, an orderly and related value of all others could be ascertained, gradually shading off to the more remote. This method would give us at least a consistent and sound economic principle. The result, too, would be more equality in taxation, a larger income without being unduly burdensome to any, as all would bear their equal share. On the threshold of a New Year, Mr. Editor, and as we all hope a greater and better Halifax, it surely only requires an awakened civic spirit to accomplish these reforms and many others. This survey could be made with little expense by a competent citizen with subordinates who were acquainted with local conditions. Halifax, Jan. 8th, 1914. JOHN McKEN.

AFTER BEAUTY VANDALS. Protests Against Signs on Thames Hill London Papers. That some Londoners do not take kindly to the electric sky signs which are such a prominent feature of the modern advertising has been made clear lately in the press. One enterprising newspaper has published quite a collection of indignant protests from prominent men, roused to give vent to their feelings by the dreadful possibility of these brilliantly lit advertisements spreading up the river towards Chelsea.

Acid Stomachs Are Dangerous. Common Sense Advice by a Distinguished Specialist. "Acid" stomachs are dangerous because acid irritates and inflames the delicate lining of the stomach, thus hindering and preventing the proper action of the stomach, and leading to probably nine-tenths of the cases of stomach trouble from which people suffer. Ordinary medicines and medicinal treatments are useless in such cases, for they leave the source of the trouble, the acid in the stomach, as dangerous as ever. The acid must be neutralized, and its formation prevented, and the best thing for this purpose is a teaspoonful of bisulphated magnesia, a simple anti-acid, taken in a little warm or cold water after eating, which not only neutralizes the acid, but also prevents the fermentation from which acidity is developed. Foods which ordinarily cause greatest distress may be eaten with impunity if the meal is followed with a little bisulphated magnesia, which can be obtained from any drugist, and should always be kept handy.

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POEM BY H. L. SPENCER. The carrier boys of the The Gazette, then a St. John evening paper, on New Year's Day in 1903, presented a card of greeting that bore the following poem by H. L. Spencer: A New Year's Reverser. In this chamber, dim and cold, By Time's fingers scared and seamed, In the pleasant days of old, How they dreamed. Age, with retrospective eyes, Mused beside this smouldering hearth, Of a time when he was wise, And owned the earth. And Manhood built his castles fair By the window where I sit; Like the birds that sing they were— Above their heads, the grass grows green. Their hearts are still. And Children sang, and Children played— Their songs I hear, their ghosts, I see; All life, then nothing but a shade. A memory. They saw the Years pass, as we see The Years depart—and where are they? Go, ask the flower, the leaf, the tree, The Slouless clay. In this chamber, dim and cold, By Time's fingers scared and seamed, In the pleasant days of old, How they dreamed. H. L. SPENCER.

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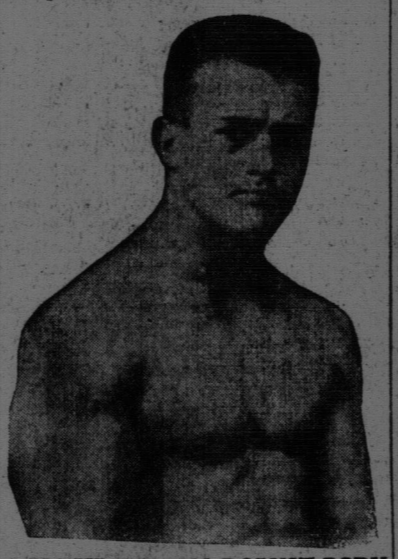
A little church in Minneapolis, appointed postmaster Dec. 31, 1913, and his son, Lewis, although 65 years old, measures exactly 30 feet from the sill of its door to the top of the cross on its spire. The church is used by Syrians, and contains fifteen pews, quite enough to accommodate those worshipping there. A Pennsylvania woodworking plant is using the largest drill ever built to bore through six feet of boards at a single operation.

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EFFICIENCY PRIZE WON BY NOVA SCOTIA UNIT. The prize for the most efficient clearing hospital in the Canadian Militia has been awarded to No. 2 Clearing Hospital of which Major F. S. L. Ford, is the commanding officer. This unit trained at Sussex, N. B., in June, 1913, and was inspected by Lieut-Colonel J. A. Grant, assistant director of medical services, 6th Division, and by Colonel G. C. Jones, director general of medical services of Canada. The following is a list of the officers of No. 2 Clearing Hospital: Major F. S. L. Ford, M. D., L. M. C. C., Milton, N. S. Captain W. T. M. MacKinnon, M. D., Berwick, N. S. Capt. C. Harold Dickson, M. D., Springfield, N. S. Lieut. C. S. Hennigar, M. D., Liverpool, N. S. Lieut. C. E. A. deWitt, M. D., Wolfville, N. S. Quartermaster, Lieut. W. A. Pickup, B. A., McGill University. Acting Quartermaster, Lieut. Robert Kirkpatrick, B. A., B. Sc., McGill University. Dental Surgeons, Lieut. H. L. Mitchell, D. D. S., Mahone Bay, N. S. and Lieut. F. W. Bruce Kelly, D. D. S., Shelburne, N. S. The non-commissioned officers were: Quartermaster-Sergeant R. Acker, Acadia Academy. Staff-Sergeant R. Robert, Greenfield, N. S. Staff-Sergeant E. Hunt, Acadia Academy. Staff-Sergeant Rev. F. Burnett, Atholville, N. B. Sergeant P. B. Eaton, B. A., University of Edinburgh. Sergeant E. Grimm, Springfield, N. S. Sergeant R. Brown, Milton, N. S. Sergeant H. Cass, Springfield, N. S. Sergeant R. Morris, University of Toronto. The rank and file were recruited in Queens and Annapolis counties. The score was 338 points out of a possible 350.

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THE STAGE AND ITS PEOPLE; MANY WELL REMEMBERED HERE

ARTHUR JOHNSON HAS TO FACE THE HOUSEWIVES

Makes Converts to the Photo Play—St. John Favorites Change to Mutual Company—Mary Fuller as a Writer

Murbert Lusk, as Arthur Johnson's secretary, has done it again. On behalf of Mr. Johnson he accepted the invitation of The Eclectic Club, in a Philadelphia suburb to deliver an informal talk on "The Mission of the Motion Picture."

In the taking of a picture at the Lubin Studio last week Howard Mitchell, one of the players, had to fall down a flight of twelve stairs. Arthur Johnson, the director, was watching the camera. Mitchell made an excellent fall and doubled up in a heap at the bottom of the stairs, and for a few seconds did not make a move. Johnson stopped the camera. Lottie Briscoe rushed to the prone figure and with a shriek yelled, "He is dead!" Mitchell recovered himself and demanded why they had stopped the camera. Johnson replied that he was supposed to be killed. "Well," replied the actor, "you might have given me time to die, which I can do very realistically."

Moving pictures, to be shown in thousands of "movie" houses throughout the country, will be used to trace Jessie McCann, a Flatbush, N. Y. social worker, whose disappearance has mystified the police. Arrangements were completed by the wealthy family of the young woman for a film showing the missing girl.

Augustus Carney, who originated Alkali Ike, the comedy cowboy, has signed with the Universal. He was formerly with the Essanay Co. Carney is now in Europe. He will return to take up his work with the independent concern in a short time.

Mary Fuller is writing an article for a woman's publication on "Thrilling Moments in the Life of a Picture Star." Romane Fielding, of the Lubin South western studio, contends that if minor details are not correct, it is just as harmful to a film as a bad scenario or incompetent actors. He has therefore employed, as he terms it, a "detail" watcher, whose duty it is to carefully follow the filming of every scene, taking particular note of the way the scene is dressed, the players clothed, their exits and entrances, etc. Fielding believes that in this way performers who for weeks have worked in the preceding scene, taken days before, can be put on the right track.

Arthur V. Johnson is known to be a brave man. His courage was recently put to the test. It was like this:—Johnson came back to his hotel from the theatre at midnight. First of all, he found the door of his suite unlocked. Runners of recent burglaries flashed into his mind. The door was ajar and he stepped into the room and touched the electric switch, but there was no answering flash of light. Just then Johnson's foot came in contact with a soft object. It could be but one thing—a thief crouching in the darkness. Johnson fell upon his knees, grasping the miscreant. There was no resistance. For the fraction of a second Johnson thought it was a dead man he had on his hands. At this point lights in the adjoining room sprang up and a chorus of hearty laughter burst out. Simultaneously half a dozen of Johnson's close friends strode into the room to find the lucky Lotta being kicked aside the roll of carpet they had placed there.

Augustus Phillips, an Edison player spent several days recently at the old family home in Indiana, where he completed arrangements for leasing the farm buildings and part of the land. Though he seldom has time to visit the place, it has always been a hobby with him to maintain it, and some day he is going back to it to live. But that time is a long way off, for this gifted player is expected to continue his clever work for many years.

The "personal movie" has become part of the social programme of Washington. Mrs. James W. Pinchot, mother of Gifford Pinchot, surprised a party of callers at her home some time ago by showing a moving picture of her son in the surf off the coast of Florida. Everybody was delighted. This was followed by a party given by Mrs. Thomas S. Walsh, who presented the pictures of the secretary of war and Mrs. Garrison while viewing the Panama canal. The Garrisons were guests at the party. Mrs. Edward B. McLean, Mrs. Henry F. Dimmock and Mrs. William F. Draper have ordered "personal movies" for coming functions.

Three first class Boston theatres may swing to the movies within a few months although the theatrical heads of the city are reluctant since the rumors began gaining credence. That historic old ark, the Boston theatre, which B. F. Keith bought in April 1908 for a million dollars and in order to keep out competition almost next door to his pet house and also to get the passageway rights from Tremont to Washington streets seems to be fated to fall back into his hands. Frohman and Harris have had the enormous house, with success, and now lease will expire on Jan. 29 at which date the engagement of "The Whip" will end with nothing booked. Klav and Erlanger are also declared to hold a heavy interest in the lease.

Paul Keith is said on good authority to be ready to put in low priced movies on two weeks' notice if the New York interests do not come under the wire at the last moment for a renewal.

The second theatre involved in the rumor is the Park, under lease to Frohman, Rich and Harris. The Park is owned by Lotta Crabtree, a retired stage favorite. She is quoted as asserting that she wants to sell the old house, which has been a good money-maker, and that if another lease is made it will be only for a short time. In case such a lease is not issued, Miss Crabtree is understood to have already received a fair offer by a syndicate who want to put in moving pictures of a better grade than the average.

The third house is the Tremont, owned by four interests and which Manager Schoeffel practically controls. The crisis in the affairs of this house is said to be due on July 1 and mystery envelopes all the details of what is apt to happen.

A Vitagraph Theatre On an early date in the New Year, Broadway, New York, will see the opening of the Vitagraph Theatre. Though no announcement has yet been made as to the location of the new playhouse, it is understood that the Brooklyn film manufacturing concern has taken over a lease on the Criterion Theatre, Broadway and Forty-fourth street. The playhouse is to be entirely renovated, which is ideally located, before christening it with the new name. The Vitagraph Theatre is planned to be a "Theatre Beautiful."

All the Vitagraph features, of five or more parts, will be shown at the Vitagraph Theatre.

NORDICA



Madame Nordica, opera singer, who was one of the imperilled passengers on the stranded steamer Tasman and who suffered nervous prostration because of her experience. She has sung in St. John.

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At the Art Club on Thursday night Mrs. E. T. Sturges was one of the hostesses at the tea, in addition to Mrs. E. Raymond and Mrs. H. A. Powell.

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STAGE LOST PROMINENT MAN IN WM. HAWTREY

He Played in St. John in Dear Old Billy—Another Success For Charles Meakins—Nice Stage Setting

The death of Wm. Hawtrej, which occurred this week in New York, removed one of the prominent character actors of the English legitimate stage and has caused regret amongst friends in the profession as well as amongst many admirers who have witnessed his fine work. He was decidedly funny and was billed generally as an eccentric comedian. His performance of "Dear Old Billy" in which he played in St. John a few years ago, was his instantaneous favor with local audiences and has caused him to be most favorably remembered here.

May Robson, a prime local favorite through "The Rejuvenation of Aunt Mary" and "A Night Out" is appearing in Boston in a new play "The Clever Woman." Paul Decker, who supported here, is also in the cast. Variety pays her a fine compliment, but is not so well pleased with the show. It says: "The Clever Woman," which opened at the Park to only a fair house, got across, but the credit was due to May Robson rather than to James Forbes, the author of this new comedy. Miss Robson is the show and on the other hand the show seemed to be all Miss Robson.

The plot contains nothing new or dramatic. It deals with a western financier who has become rich quickly, played by Burr Caruth. He takes his wife (May Robson) to New York where her experiences with breaking into society are funny solely through this actor's indigestible energy and enthusiasm in a part which would seem to contain no latent possibilities.

Edward Mearns, favorably recalled in St. John, is playing in "The New Henrietta" in New York in support of W. H. Crane and Amelia Bingham. The preliminary press matter is already out for a production of "The Love Slave," a playlet founded on the circumstances of the death of Melvyn M. Couch in Montreal, N. Y., and the revelation that for fifteen years Adelaide M. Branch had lived in a room partitioned off from his law office in Ottawa.

"He Fell in Love With His Wife," by E. P. Roe, and "The Silver Horde," dramatized from Rex Beach's novel of that title, are slated among the January stock releases. A recent release was "A Romance of Billy Goat" which was shown in St. John for some time and that presented this week in "What Happened to Mary" which the stage was devoted to be near him.

Charles Meakins who was the dancing prince in "The Merry Widow" when produced here, is appearing in the latest operatic rage in the states, "Suri," Mrs. W. Savage's biggest hit this season. Meakins is a prominent role and is adding to his laurels. It is interesting to note that he is another Canadian who has done well in the ranks of the thespians across the line. The premiere of the piece was given a few nights ago at Atlantic City and the audience was enraptured.

William A. Blyde has accepted a comedy from Frank Craven and plans to give it an early production. The piece is to be called "Too Many Crooks." Craven will play the leading role in his own comedy.

Ann Meredith has been engaged for an important role in "The Rule of Three" which is to be produced in New York this month by the New Era Producing Company. The play is a farce by Guy Bolton.

Charlotte Walker will be seen next season in a dramatization of Jack London's story, "The Valley of the Moon." Mr. London will collaborate with Eugene Walter in preparing the stage version.

Louise Gunning has determined to travel in Europe for a year, to herself for coloratura work in grand opera, following the example of Alice Nielsen. A new comedy, with music, entitled "Pretty Miss Smith," with Kitty Gordon in the title part, was produced in Los Angeles last week.

More than forty new theatrical productions are to be made between now and May 1 in New York.

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ture for the Chinese merchants who are backing it.

The ballet girls at the National Theatre of Manhattan, in Germany, have revolted because the managements dismissed the ballet girls and the union has dance barfetched or barfegged if this was desired. The girls' union brought suit against the theatre, alleging that the management was seeking to impose terms derogatory to the dignity of the profession. The management has dismissed the ballet girls and the union has dance barfetched or barfegged if this was desired.

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By "Bud" Fisher



SPORT NEWS OF A DAY, HOME AND ABROAD

BOWLING
Last Night's Game
The Sweeps took three points from the Wanderers in the City League fixture on Black's alleys last evening. The tally was 1818 to 1841. Logan, on the weak side, was high man with 98. In the Commercial League T. S. Simms & Co. took all four points from W. H. Thorne & Co. Connel, on the winning team scored 87-2-8. Stevens & McDonald took five points from Baxter & Evans in the Victoria Men's Tournament on the Victoria alleys last night. The high average was rolled by McDonald, 96-4-5.

HOCKEY
St. John Wins First Game
St. John annexed their first local game in the Inter-provincial Hockey League by defeating the Amherst team, 5 to 2. The St. John boys had practically no difficulty in trimming the visitors. The goals for the St. John team were scored as follows: Brad Gilbert, McAvity, Brad Gilbert, J. McGowan, Courtney, Lyle McGowan, Tait, Brad Gilbert. All the visitors' goals were tallied by Stuart. The teams lined up: St. John—Lyle McGowan, Campbell, B. Gilbert, T. Gilbert, McGowan, with L. McGowan, Courtney, Tait and J. Gilbert reserves. Amherst—Tower, J. Chisholm, McLean, Stuart, Chisholm and Black. H. E. C. Sturdee was referee.

CRICKET
Australians Well Paid
President Charles E. Morse, of the Montreal Cricket Association, has sent out his annual report to the members of the affiliated clubs for the season of 1913. The report contains the annual financial statement, which shows a satisfactory balance. The largest expenditure was the amount paid to the Australian cricketers, they being given \$1,000 for their visit to Montreal.

ATHLETIC
American Athletes Won
San Francisco, Jan. 9.—According to advices received here, Power, of the Boston Athletic Association, and Templeton, of the San Francisco Olympic Club, members of the All-American track team, broke records in the meet held in Wellington, New Zealand. Power established a New Zealand 880 yard record, with one minute, 58 seconds, which is a fifth better than the record made by Burke in 1905. Templeton broke the New Zealand record and Australian pole vault record, leaping 11 feet and two inches, which displaced the former mark of 11 feet and one inch. Templeton broke his pole at this height, and was unable to continue for a better mark. Caughy, the weight man, won the shot put with plenty to spare. All events were handicaps.

First Was Contested In Canada

(FROM T. S. ANDREWS)

Milwaukee, Jan. 8.—A western writer stated the other day that the first battle for the light heavyweight championship was arranged by Jim Coffroth, a San Francisco promoter, in that city in the fall of 1903, the contestants being George Gardner and Bob Fitzsimmons. No one will deny that Jim Coffroth is one of the best promoters that this country has known, but in this case, it was not the first contest arranged for what was known as the commission championship. Lew Houseman of Chicago, who formerly promoted

least a pound heavier. In recent bouts the St. Paul wizard has been making 148 and 150. Gibbons was a failure when he boxed Eddie McGoorty in the Garden a year ago last fall, but he has maintained ever since that he was ill and has produced a doctor's certificate to prove it. McGoorty weighed 154 pounds on that occasion while Gibbons scaled under 146, alleged as the result of worry and poor health. Yet Gibbons was not disappointed by a wide margin by any means. For that reason, being in good health again, Gibbons has accepted Manager Gibson's offer to box the recent conqueror of Battling Levinsky.

BASEBALL
Larry McLean's Case
The refusal of the National Commission to grant the request that, when a player is transferred, the transfer shall carry all the conditions of the contract, is a sad blow to Larry McLean of the Giants, formerly of St. John. Larry's case against the St. Louis club is still undecided. When he was transferred to the Giants there was a condition in his contract that he should receive a bonus of \$600 as a reward for his sobriety during the season.

BASEBALL
Hoppe and Sutton
Chicago, Jan. 9.—Willie Hoppe and George Sutton will play 1500 points 18.2 billiards here Feb. 23-25 under the auspices of the Chicago Athletic Association for a stake of \$2000. Sutton announced yesterday that Hoppe had accepted his challenge for the match.

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has drawn a prize in Yingling. Not alone is he a pitcher of some merit, but he is a natural hitter. He finished the season with an average of 400 or thereabouts. Furthermore, he is fast on his feet, a clever base-runner and an exceptional fielder. Keep critics here said that Yingling, played in the outfield, might develop into another Ty Cobb or a Tris Speaker.

Former Royal Signed
New York, Jan. 9.—President Frank Farrell, of the New York American League club, announces that Frank Gilhooley, a young outfielder who was purchased from the Montreal club for \$10,000 last season, has signed a 1914 contract. Gilhooley, who is spending the winter at his home in Toledo, Ohio, will report at Houston, Texas, on March 1.

Big Offer to Wagner
Pittsburg, Jan. 9.—Honus Wagner, a famous shortstop of the Pirates, and draw down during the next two years the largest salary ever paid to an active ball player in this country, if he signs a contract to play with the local Federal League team. Wagner's salary with the Pirates during the last four years is reported to have been \$10,000 annually. President J. B. Barbour announces that he has offered the big Dutchman a contract for two years calling for \$15,000 a year if he will sign with the local Pirates. Barbour declares he believes Wagner is worth every cent of the money, basing the value of his services on the salaries now being paid to other stars.

YACHTING
One of the Defenders.
Bristol, R. I., Jan. 9.—The yacht under construction at the Herreshoff yards by a syndicate of New York men as a candidate for the defense of the America's Cup will probably have a wooden mainmast of the 'stave' variety. The boat is not as large as the Columbia and Reliance. The attention of the builders at present is devoted principally to the completion of the bronze keel plate, which was cast recently.



ORVILLE WRIGHT
Dayton, Ohio, Jan. 10.—Orville Wright, one of the famous Wright Brothers, inventors of the aeroplane, is receiving the congratulations of scientists and inventors from all over the world, for his latest invention an automatic stabilizer for aeroplanes. On New Year's Day he made seventeen flights with the new attachment to his machine, demonstrating its practicability. Mr. Wright says that it is possible for a novice to learn to fly in twenty minutes with the use of the new attachment, which completely controls the machine in the air. The financial statement of Hon. Mr. White for the first nine months of the fiscal year shows a decrease in revenue and an increase in expenditure with an increase in Canada's obligations payable to London of \$8,871,000. There was an increase in postal and railway receipts but a falling off in customs.

IF KIDNEYS AND BLADDER BOTHER

Take Salts to Flush Kidneys and Neutralize Irritating Acids

Kidney and Bladder weakness result from uric acid, says a noted authority. The kidneys filter this acid from the blood and pass it on to the bladder, where it often remains to irritate and inflame, causing a burning, scalding sensation, or setting up an irritation at the neck of the bladder, obliging you to seek relief two or three times during the night. The sufferer is in constant dread, the water passes sometimes with a scalding sensation and is very profuse; again, there is difficulty in voiding it. Bladder weakness, most folks call it because they can't control urination. While it is extremely annoying and sometimes very painful, this is speedily relieved by a glass of water before breakfast, continue this for two or three days. This will neutralize the acids in the urine so it no longer is a source of irritation to the bladder and urinary organs which then act normally again.

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Just as the chin gives qualities to the face, so the thumb marks the personality of the hand, and is an unerring index to a man's natural strength or weakness of character. The man with a long, straight thumb, square at the tip, possesses good mental capacity, and can always be relied upon to carry out successfully any work with which he may be entrusted. His temperament is even and judicial; he is a born governor of men, overcomes difficulties, carries himself with dignity, and by his ability to concentrate all his faculties upon the matter in hand, combined with his tenacity of purpose, rapidly becomes a power among his fellows. If the thumb be long, thick, and heavy at the tip, with the joints prominent, a tyrannical and cruel nature is indicated, everything being viewed from an intensely selfish standpoint. A short, straight thumb shows obstinacy and driving power. If very thick and heavy at the tip, a brutish, unreasoning disposition will be noticed. A short thumb tapering at the tip, denotes an inconstant, changeable nature, particularly in matters of the affections. A man with a tapering thumb cannot concentrate, and has, consequently, little continuity, in addition to being unpunctual and unable to work except in spurts. Such a man takes up many things, but finishes nothing properly, and often makes others suffer from his indecision. If the thumb lies close to the hand, cautious, timid, mean nature is indicated. If the thumb curves outward at the tip, adaptability to people and circumstances is shown, accompanied by natural politeness and a tendency to make compliments. The owner is broad-minded, a good conversationalist, impulsive, generous, and easy-going. If the curve be very marked and the whole thumb stands away from the hand, extravagance and want of principle in money matters will be found accompanied by boasting, a desire to "show off" and vain pride in any abilities or accomplishments which may be possessed. The nature is also highly impulsive, and careless. If the first joint—that which forms part of the hand—be full and fleshy, a warm and affectionate nature is denoted; but if very full, sensuality lowers the character.

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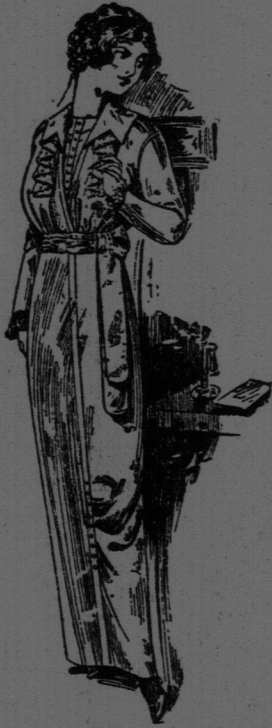
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FAIRVILLE BOY MISSING SINCE SUNDAY NIGHT

No Trace of Son of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Joyce Can Be Discovered

Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Joyce, of Mill street, Fairville, are very much agitated over the disappearance of their son, Samuel Joyce, aged seventeen, who has been missing from home for about a week. He has not been seen since Sunday last, when he left home after having had his supper. Inquiries have been made, but to no avail—there seems to be no person who can tell of having seen him, since Sunday evening.

LOCAL NEWS

SPECIAL TRAINS
Two special passenger trains were taken through the city this morning bound to Halifax for the steamer Empress of Ireland, from the west. They carried large numbers of passengers.

FORTY BIRTHS DURING WEEK
The births of forty infants, twenty-three boys and seventeen girls, were recorded during the last week. Four marriages were recorded during the same period.

THE SCHOONERS
Schooner A. J. Stirling, lumber laden from Windsor for Boston, came into port this morning for harbor.

Schooner Wanda was reported this morning at Yarmouth on her way from Port Daniel to New York with lumber.

CONSUMPTION CAUSED THREE
The white plague caused the death of three of the seventeen persons who died in the city during the week, according to the board of health returns. The other causes of death were two each for senility, heart disease, chronic endocarditis, and one each for cystitis, gangrene, inanition, pneumonia, aneurism, paraplegia, cerebral hemorrhage, and chronic rheumatism.

FLOUR TAKES TWO JUMPS
Advices have been received this morning stating that the price of Golden's flour has advanced fifteen cents a barrel. This is the second increase during the week, the first being a jump of ten cents.

An advance of 15 cents took place today in Ontario flour, making an increase of twenty-five cents since the first of the week.

A PINE CALENDAR
A handsome and instructive calendar, featuring the holidays and notable days of the year and with a separate three color illustration on each sheet, has been received from the White & Wyoff Manufacturing Company, stationary manufacturers, Holyoke, Mass.

THE OPERA HOUSE
At a meeting of the directors of the Opera House yesterday, John Ross was elected treasurer; H. J. Anderson, secretary; H. L. Sturdee, auditor; and R. H. Duckell, P. G. Brown and E. W. Paul, managing committee. It was decided to install the sprinkler system on the stage.

WEST END BRIDGE PARTY
Mrs. Fred N. Long entertained the West End Younger Set at a very enjoyable "bridge" at her residence on Prince street on Thursday evening in honor of her sister Miss Helen Clark. The fortunate prize winners were Miss Marion Berry and Ollie Makenney. After a very enjoyable evening the gathering broke up about two o'clock.

DIED IN MEDFORD, MASS
In Medford on Jan. 6, 1914—Mary beloved wife of Patrick J. Conley, passed away after a week's illness at her home 8 Poole street. The deceased is the daughter of the late James and Margaret Fox of the parish of St. John's, St. John county. She is survived by two daughters and one son. She leaves seven brothers, six of whom live in St. John, and one in Prince Edward Island and a sister, Mrs. William Wilson living in Boston.

FRIGHTENED BY ENGINE
Although numerous complaints have been made through the press and otherwise concerning the standing of engines near the roadside at the Courtenay Bay works the habit seems still to continue. On Thursday evening there came very nearly being a serious accident on the roadway when a horse bolted on becoming frightened at an engine puffing near the road with its headlights flashing out brightly. The horse ran for some distance throwing out the driver and smashing into a fence.

DIED IN DORCHESTER, MASS
Mrs. Bartlett Munde, of West St. John, this morning received a telegram announcing the death of her sister, Miss Martha King, which occurred this morning at six o'clock, at the residence of her brother, Lyman L. King, in Dorchester, Mass. Miss King has been ill about two months and the news of her death will come as a great shock to her friends in the city. She was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Henry King, of West St. John, and was well known in that part of the city, being a life-long member of the Ludlow street Baptist church, and also being closely connected with the Hebeke Lodge, I. O. O. F., during her residence there. Miss King is survived by three brothers and one sister. The brothers are—Lyman L. King, of Dorchester; William King, of Sagwa, and J. Harry King, of Arlington Heights, Mass. The sister is Mrs. Munde. The funeral will take place on the arrival of the Boston train Monday morning.

Public subscription is to be opened on January 31 in Paris for \$40,000,000 of four per cent bonds, forming part of an issue of \$900,000,000 for the improvement of the western state railroad system.

SPELLMAN IN FOR ANOTHER WEEK IN JAIL

Again Refuses Evidence in Liquor Case — A Carleton Incident of the Head Tax

After having already spent two weeks in jail for not answering the questions put to him by the court while he was in the witness box, Thomas Spellman was again sent to jail for seven days by Magistrate Ritchie this morning and the case against Cornelius McHugh, charged with having sold liquor to Spellman, a minor, will come up again on next Saturday morning. Spellman was brought up from jail this morning and on being asked if he had ever been in McHugh's bar room, he refused to answer or on the two previous Saturdays when the case came up.

OFFICIAL STENOGRAPHER

Thomas McCullough Appointed For St. John, Kings and Albert County Courts

Thomas McCullough is receiving congratulations upon his appointment as official stenographer for the county courts of St. John, Kings and Albert. Although the act providing for the appointment of stenographers for the county courts went into effect some time ago all the courts have not yet been supplied owing to the difficulty experienced in securing stenographers with qualifications high enough to meet the severe tests imposed in the examinations. Mr. McCullough's wide experience in all classes of stenographic work will make him a valuable acquisition to the court staff.

HELPED TO GOOD CHEER OF THE KINDERGARTEN KIDDIES

The Free Kindergarten Committee wish to thank all those who, last year as in the past showed such good will when Christmas cheer was solicited for the children of their schools. The children look forward to this treat with much eagerness. We often wish the donors could see the faces of the children on the morning of Christmas for Christmas holidays. The exclamations, the joy beaming from bright eyes would surely convince all that "it is more blessed to give than receive."

The following is but a partial list of those who contributed, as many wished their names withheld.

- Underthings, mittens, stockings, dolls, mouth-organs, biscuits, candy, fruit, toys, came from St. Andrew's Church Guild per Mrs. McLellan, St. Andrew's Benevolent Society, Circle of Mrs. McLellan's Guild, St. Andrew's Infant Class, Daughters of the Empire, Willing Workers' German Street Baptist Church, Rev. Dr. Raymond, Miss McAvity, Miss Page, Eleanor Cline, Kathleen Skelton, Audrey Rankine, Jess and Constance McKinney, Eva Groat, Mrs. Rankine, Mrs. Stetson, Mrs. Golding, Mrs. D. Suley, Mrs. J. J. Seely, Mrs. Robert Thomson, Mrs. Vassie, Mrs. A. E. Trentowsky, Mrs. Calhoun, Mrs. Beatty, Mrs. Peck, Mrs. Elkin, Mrs. Kirkpatrick, Mrs. Rodgers, Mrs. White, Mrs. C. H. Smith, Mrs. R. Maxwell, Mrs. E. A. Ellis, Mrs. A. S. Willett, Mrs. H. Miller, Mrs. M. M. Woodman, Mrs. L. R. Morton, Mrs. Louis Green, Mrs. E. Lamont, Mrs. Rising, Miss Isaac, Miss Kimball, Miss Weldon, Miss Phillips, Miss Parks, Miss I. Estabrooks, Miss Harrison, Miss Flagg, Miss Barnes, Miss Pitt, Miss G. McDiarmid, Miss Heaton, Miss Robinson, Ladies from Home of Aged, Messrs M. McAvity, Shillington, Burgess, Goodwin, Estabrooks, W. Hayes, A. Florne, F. Gregory, F. Roache, T. H. Estabrooks, W. Rising, A. Tufts, Mrs. Warlock, Mrs. Taylor, Mrs. Morrison, Mrs. Cooke, Mrs. Doody, Mrs. Estabrooks, Mrs. W. P. Miles, Mrs. L. W. Simms, Mrs. T. S. Simms, Mrs. M. P. Edwards, Mrs. F. Smith, Miss Rahaine, Miss Scrimby, Miss Roach, Miss Curren, Miss Wisely, Miss K. McKinnon, Miss Murray, Miss Harding, Girls of Sussex Grammar School, Infant Class of Trinity Sunday School.

PLAN FOR NEW THEATRE

House To Seat 2,300 People is Project Now Taken Up

Plans are said to be under way for the erection of a handsome new theatre in a central part of the city by local men aided by outside capital. It is expected that the deal will be successfully put through, although the capital has not yet been fully subscribed. The plans call for a seating capacity of some 2,300 and the intention is to have the house thoroughly modern in every respect, involving a very heavy outlay of money. Although not fully determined upon, it is said that the policy of the house would be largely vaudeville and motion pictures, but provision would be made for other theatrical enterprises as well.

PRESENTATION TO WILLIAM MCGORMAN

At the Union Mission, Paradise row, a joint meeting of the Abolition Brotherhood and Good Cheer Club was held last evening. A pleasing programme was rendered and the chairman, Mr. Rogers, presented to Wm. McGorman, the founder and leader of the work, on behalf of the Abolition Brotherhood and Good Cheer Club, a beautiful Bible which was very much appreciated by the recipient. Mr. McGorman spoke a few words of appreciation and help and prayed God's blessing upon the members of both clubs.

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Men's Regular 20c. Wool Mitts... Now 14c. pair	Men's Black Wool Mitts at... 19c. pair
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TODAY AT RARE INDUCEMENTS IN PRICE

As our stock of Persian Lamb Furs and Coats is larger than usual at this time of year we must lower it at once. Now, to do this we must make prices worth while taking advantage of, so here they are:

TIES AND SCARFS		MUFFS	
\$13.50	Were \$18.00	\$18.75	Were \$25.00
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56.25	Were 75.00	33.75	Were 45.00
75.00	Were 90.00	37.50	Were 50.00

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36 Bust, 43 Inches Long \$318.00	Was \$425.00	40 Bust, 45 Inches Long \$281.00	Was \$375.00
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