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FINANCIAL and COMMERCIAL

BUTTER WILL BE LOWER IN PRICE High Values Checked-Demand and Advent of New Make Will Cause a Decline.

The butter market during the past ten days has been rather a disappointment to the merchants in general, for it was expected that prices would be maintained, if not advanced to a higher level than quoted at that time.

In England the same position of affairs exists, only in a more pronounced way. Prices there soared, owing to the scarcity of supplies, to a level unknown in recent years, but while the advance there was exceedingly rapid, the decline came just as quickly.

C. P. R. FINANCING. (N. Y. Summary.) The ability of the Canadian Pacific management to do their financing during a period of great financial depression both in the United States and abroad is in striking contrast with the inability of many of the large railroad systems of the United States to raise money, in which they are of greater need than was the Canadian Pacific.

BANK CLEARING. Montreal bank clearings this week show the substantial decrease of \$3,690,000 compared with a year ago:

Cornelius King. Cornelius King, one of the best known residents of the North End, died at his home, Fort Howe, yesterday.

IMPORTS. From Bristol on steamer Montcalm—Sixteen cases of signals, J. Hutton & Co.; 3 cases of twine, J. Kelly; 10 packages of machinery, Sovereign Bank of Canada; 4 chains, Robertson, Foster & Smith; 2 cases of sheet, 178 boxes tin, Emerson & Fisher; 7 crates of earth, square, T. Co.; 3 cases of chocolate, A. G. Dick.

CONDENSED ADVERTISEMENTS (Too late for classification.)

Public Securities \$5,000 Shawinigan Water and Power Co. 5 p. c. 1934 Bonds to yield 5.3-8 p. c. \$10,000 Dominion Power & Transmission Co. 5 1/2 Bonds to yield 5-1/2 p. c. Full particulars upon request.

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THE WORLD OF SHIPPING

MINIATURE ALMANAC. 1908. March. Blows Sets High Low.

VESSELS BOUND TO ST. JOHN. Steamers. Bengore Head, sld Androssa, March 5. Carthaginia, sld Glasgow, Feb 19.

PORT OF ST. JOHN. Cleared Yesterday. Sch. Roger Drury, 307, Cook, for Vineyard Head, for orders, Stetson, Cutler & Co., Ltd.

DOMINION PORTS. Liverpool, N. S., March 12-Cld, sch. Dalry, Vaughan, Godfrey, Halifax; J. A. Silver, Freeman, Halifax.

BRITISH PORTS. Tyne, March 12-Ard, str. Althura, Lockhart, for Rotterdam, for Italy.

FOREIGN PORTS. Philadelphia, March 12-8ld, Cunasa, Starbuck, for Genoa.

REPORTS AND DISASTERS. Bath, Me., March 8-Six-masted sch. Edward, J. Lawrence will be launched this month for J. S. Winslow & Co., of Portland.

Ledge bottom up. Captain A. Porter went to Tiverton last week and purchased the schooner Nias and other ports.

Darien, Ga., March 12-Str. Thrift, (Nor), Teleson, outward bound for Delfzijl, is ashore in Sapote Sound; will probably get off next tide.

St. John, N.B., March 12-The wreckers recovered 208 bales dry cotton from the wreck of steamer Tobely on Tuesday.

LIST OF VESSELS IN PORT. Steamers. Athens, 282, R. Reford Co. Kastalia, 283, R. Reford Co.

Garibaldi, 466, master. Abbie & Eva Hooper, 270, R. C. Elkin. Arthur M. Gibson, 217, W. Smith.

MARINE NEWS. Tug Little, of St. John, had a new boiler put in at Yarmouth this winter.

Point Prim buoy broke from its moorings on Tuesday and went adrift. The government tug "Lord Kitchener" came over and secured it yesterday, leaving it in the basin.

The steamers Stanley and Minto were reported stuck in ice Wednesday evening. The Stanley left Pictou at 7 o'clock Wednesday morning, and at 8.30 that evening was stuck in heavy ice seven miles from Pictou, while at the same hour the Minto, which left Georgetown at 7 a. m., was stuck in the ice five miles off the east end of Pictou Island.

Quebec, March 10-The assessor in the case of the Uster Steamship Co., owners of the Carrigan Head, against the wrecked steamer, Bavarian, has assessed the amount of damages to which the Uster Steamship Co. are entitled being the amount of \$10,000.

A Watson arrived home yesterday. H. Brennan returned yesterday from the Boston train.

OBITUARY

Eva Allaby. Salisbury, N. B., March 12-Little Eva Allaby, the seven-year-old daughter of Rev. and Mrs. E. A. Allaby, passed away last evening after a few weeks' illness with tuberculous meningitis.

Chas. B. Churchill. The death of Chas. B. Churchill occurred at Grand Falls (N. B.) Feb. 23, aged sixty-nine years and two months, leaving a widow, four daughters—Mrs. Thomas Reid, of Nova Scotia; Mrs. Doherty, of New Haven; Mrs. Frank Foster, of Woodstock (N. B.); Mrs. Freeland McKenzie, of Centerville (N. B.); one brother and four sisters to mourn.

Mrs. James Chrystal. Harcourt, March 12-The death of Mrs. James Chrystal occurred at her home here Thursday morning after a brief illness of pneumonia. The deceased is survived by her husband and three daughters—Mrs. Thos. Tarrace, of Irishtown; Alice, of Boston, and Emma at home.

James Watson. James Watson, a former resident of the west side, died on Feb. 22nd at the home of his sister, Mrs. George Earle, Charlottetown (Mass.), aged fifty-three years. He was a son of the late George Watson, of Charlottetown. His mother is at present in Boston, where another son, George, also lives. W. J. Watson, of the Globe job department, is the only member of the family now resident in St. John. The funeral took place in Charlottetown.

Nehemiah Maxwell. Nehemiah Maxwell, mayor of Eleventh (Mich.), was found dead in his barn there on Feb. 28. The coroner gave it as his opinion that the death was the result of heart trouble. Mayor Maxwell was a son of the late Samuel Maxwell of Old Ridge, Charlottetown county. His surviving sisters and brothers here are Mrs. F. H. Beck, Mrs. Albert Gilman, Harris, George F. Charles O. James A., Mrs. N. Glendinning, of Vancouver, and Mrs. John B. Johnson, of Fredericton. He was a Red Man and a Knight of Pythias.

Mrs. W. Wilbert Clarke. Annapolis Royal, March 12-The death of Hattie, wife of Councillor W. Wilbert Clarke, station agent here of the D. A. D., occurred rather suddenly on Thursday morning at an early hour, after but a few days' illness. She was taken ill on Friday last and, notwithstanding the best medical skill, she could get but temporary relief, and it was decided to take her to the Victoria Hospital, Halifax, to have an operation performed, in the hope of saving her life. A special train was got ready and, accompanied by her husband and three daughters, she was taken to the hospital at Kentville, but shortly after leaving that place she passed away on the train. The body was brought back to Annapolis by the noon express and will be interred in Woodlawn cemetery.

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Catarrh and Throat Suffering Cured

No doctor attempts today to cure a genuine case of catarrh or bronchitis except by the inhalation method. Stomach doing has been discarded because useless—medicine so taken affects only the stomach—never reaches the seat of catarrh. The advanced physician recognizes that only air cure can be sent into the lungs and bronchial tubes. Fill this air with healing medicaments and you solve the problem. No combination of antiseptics is so successful as Catarrhose, which contains the richest pine, balsam, and the greatest healers known. One breath of Catarrhose instantly circulates over the area that is afflicted with catarrh. Relief is instant—suffering stops at once—germs are destroyed—every taint of disease removed. Think it over seriously. Here is a remedy that clears the throat, relieves hoarseness, coughing, and bad breath. Irritating phlegm is cleared out, inflamed bronchial tubes are healed, throat and voice are strengthened. When Catarrhose is so pleasant and certain, isn't it foolish to tamper with dangerous internal remedies? You breathe Catarrhose—you don't take it. Large \$1.00 size is guaranteed, small trial size, 25c.—all dealers or N. C. Polson & Co.

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MACFADDEN IS ACCUSED BY HIS STUDENTS
Seekers of Physical Culture at His New Jersey Institute Allege Bad Treatment at His Hands—False Statements and Extortion Are Charged.

(N. Y. World.)
George Bernarr MacFadden, who last year was fined \$2,000 and sentenced to two years in the New Jersey State penitentiary, on the charge of sending obscene literature through the mails has been sending out circulars to young men telling them of the unsurpassed advantages enjoyed by the members of the Bernarr MacFadden Institute and School of Physical Culture, located at Physical Culture City, N. J. They assert that on arrival there they find that things are not as they had been represented, but that they are helpless, as they have signed a binding contract.
They claim that he misleads them by his "flowery" language, and that he attributes qualities and advantages to his school that the place does not possess; that he does this to bring them there, and that when they arrive they find they have been tricked.
Many come from distant parts of the United States to work their way through the institute and naturally do not bring much money with them, and when they find that affairs are not as they have been represented to them they are forced to submit to the rules laid down. When he writes to them, he says, he is glad if they have not the money with which to pay their tuition that they can work their way through the school by taking employment in the printing establishment, where the Physical Culture Magazine is printed.
The printing works are within half a mile of the school and he tells these "work their way" students that they will be able to use the gymnasium and enjoy the privileges of the pay students. But there is always a postscript to his letters, in which he says: "The demand for free tuition to the Bernarr MacFadden Institute greatly exceeds our requirements, and therefore we feel justified in giving preference to those who will pay a portion of their tuition in cash."
EXPERIENCE OF SIX PUPILS.
Three months ago Miss Alice McNutt was forewoman in a printing establishment in Dallas, Tex.; William Blake and John Zinner were getting \$75 a month as clerks in a dry goods house in Scranton, Pa.; Jacob Hurwitz was a draughtsman in St. Louis, who had left college and was working to enable himself to finish his education; Herbert Shannon was a bookkeeper in his home city in Georgia; Sidney Greenberg was just starting in business in Brooklyn. They received some of MacFadden's circulars, and as they were interested in physical culture they thought this offered a good chance to become prominent in that line.
Influenced by his statements and claims, each left a home and a good position to go to Physical Culture City and work their way through the institute. Hurwitz, who parted with \$70, was the only one of the six who paid any cash. He did this on the condition that he would be able to complete his course sooner than those who didn't pay anything.
Three months ago, all but Hurwitz, who came on a later date, arrived in New York. Immediately before they had even seen Physical Culture City, they were handed a lengthy contract, which they had many other complaints, which were in substance as follows:
The terms, they claim, were very harsh and entirely different from what they had been led to expect from reading the circulars and letters sent to them.
But, with the exception of Greenberg, they had no friends here and were without funds. Having no alternative they signed the contract, under protest, and had many other complaints, which were in substance as follows:
NOT WHAT THEY EXPECTED.
They had been led to expect that they would receive instructions part of the time and that they would work the rest. But from the time they went there, about eleven weeks ago, they were forced to work ten hours a day and received no instructions whatever. They also had been told that they would be allowed to exercise in the gymnasium. But they were allowed only two hours a week for this and these periods came during the lunch hour. By the time they had walked to the gymnasium and put on their "gym" shoes it was time to start back for work.
It had been represented to them that they would be able to work their way in about two years. Although they did the same work for which the union men employed there received from fifteen to twenty dollars a week, they were to get only six dollars a week, and this was not handed over to them. Five and a quarter was taken for board and lodging and the remainder was put away for their tuition.
The tuition and books cost \$15. At this rate of saving seventy-five cents a week they would be able to complete their course in about five and a half years, while they had been told before they arrived that it would take about two years.
Even Hurwitz, who had paid \$70 cash, was allowed none of the privileges of the pay students.
There was no ventilation whatever in the binery, although MacFadden claims that his place is strictly hygienic, and they arrived on winter mornings and the cold in the place was almost unbearable. In this health city, within a few rods of the printing press, in a few rods of where they were to take a bath, and they obtained this privilege only after much pleading.
SAY THAT MORALS ARE LAX.
They say that the pay students are very lax in their morals, and the young men and women are allowed to visit each other in their rooms at unreasonable hours.
About three weeks ago the six mentioned students decided to petition for some of the rights that they had been led to believe would be theirs. One of these demands was that they be allowed to board themselves outside, claiming that they could save more than 75 cents a week. Their action angered MacFadden and he dismissed them all. He refused to give Hurwitz back the \$70 which he had paid in advance. But when Hurwitz threatened to expose MacFadden and his methods the money was immediately paid over to him.
With the exception of Shannon, the little band left the place three weeks ago. Zinner and Blake bought tickets for

Nothing Did Good Until She Tried "Fruit-a-tives"
Madame Rioux is the wife of M. Jos. Rioux, a wealthy manufacturer of lumber in St. Moise. Madame Rioux is greatly esteemed in her home town and her testimonial in favor of "Fruit-a-tives" carries conviction with it, as it is entirely unsolicited.



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WATER SERVICE SATISFACTORY
Impromptu Test Yesterday Afternoon Shows Fine Pressure—Cheaper Fire Insurance Will Now be Asked For.
An impromptu test of the strength of the streams of water from the fire hydrants at the foot of King street yesterday afternoon was attended with most satisfactory results. With a pressure of 20 pounds less than will be carried when the full Loch Lomond service is in operation a stream was thrown over the highest buildings in the neighborhood. As a result it is probable the council will apply to the New Brunswick board of fire underwriters for the promised reduction in the rate of insurance.
A meeting of a sub-committee to report on the question of retaining the services of H. G. Hunter as engineer in charge of the distribution system, was held yesterday afternoon, Ald. Frink, McGoldrick and Bullock being present. After some discussion, during which no definite decision was arrived at, it was agreed that the committee should ascertain for themselves how much the pressure had been improved and that the test should be made without any preparation. Mr. Hunter was telephoned for and another message was sent to bring No. 3 hose cart to the foot of King street.
Arrived there, the committee had two or three lengths of hose attached to the hydrants on either side of the street in front of the Bank of Montreal and the Western Union telegraph office.
Before the water was turned on the gauge showed 70 pounds pressure which was about 22 pounds more than had been previously indicated at that point under the Little River system. Tests were made from each hydrant singly and with both in use together.
From the plug in front of the Bank of Montreal a stream was thrown over the Canadian Drug Company's building between King and Church streets. There was a drop of two or three pounds in pressure. From the hydrant opposite, which is one of a new type recently installed, even better results were ob-

tained, a stream being thrown from Market Square over W. H. Thorne & Co.'s high building and also over M. R. A.'s furniture store. The loss in pressure was about the same. With both hydrants open the pressure was reduced less than ten pounds.
During the winter the supply from Loch Lomond has been coming as far as the metre vaults in the Catholic cemetery through only one 24-inch main and the pressure at the same time and under the same conditions was reduced by means of the regulators to from 80 to 85 pounds. These conditions prevailed yesterday, and with two streams into play at the same time and under the same conditions the pressure was again brought into use the pressure was increased about 20 pounds, and with all regulators thrown open it is confidently expected that ten streams could be called into play at the same time and would each be equal to the force shown.
A large crowd, among whom were several members of the board of underwriters, watched the proceedings with interest. The opinion was expressed by aldermen present that an application to the board to reduce the rate of insurance would probably be made by the council at an early date.
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To insure the best service we invite as many to come to this sale before Saturday as possible, and avoid the rush of end-of-the-weeks business.
To keep the bargains fresh in your memory, we quote a few of the prices:
\$3.50 and \$4.00 Dress Shoes for men and women, \$2.48
\$2.50 and \$3.00 Shoes, - - - - - 1.98
75c. and \$1.00 Youths' Shoes, - - - - .48
50c. Infants' Shoes, - - - - .28
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FREDERICTON WIN FROM AMHERST

Took Ramblers Into Camp 8-1 in Rough Game—Big Crowd Present.

Fredericton, March 13—In one of the fastest hockey games ever seen here the Capitals tonight in the second contest for the Starr trophy, defeated the Amherst Ramblers by a score of 8 to 1. The crowd in attendance numbered about 1,300 and the superb work done by the Capitals aroused their enthusiasm to the highest pitch.

The ELISON PHONOGRAPH

THE young folks wander away from the home circle in search of music and entertainment. It is so easy to entertain them at home, better than they can be entertained anywhere else, and it is such innocent amusement, by means of an Edison Phonograph, which furnishes music for dancing gives all the new popular songs of the theatre and selections from the grand operas and concerts, and reproduces band music, the old ballads and love songs so perfectly that it is hard to believe that it is not the real music or voice to which they are listening.



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OTTAWA HOUSE WAS THE SCENE OF A LIVELY DEBATE

Ottawa, March 13.—Sir Frederick Borden, as a question of privilege, called attention to a misstatement in an Ottawa Citizen editorial of the 13th inst. regarding the Ross rifle, in which it was stated that in the war office papers for 1906 there was a report on a test of the Ross rifle which showed the latter to be inferior to the Lee-Metford rifle, with which the imperial troops are armed.

SOCIALISM AND INDIVIDUALISM

In the course of a debate on "socialism against individualism" at the People's Forum in New Rochelle last Sunday this question was shot at Individualist Martin W. Littleton, lawyer, of the town by Socialist Wentworth of Boston. "Can any man honestly earn a million dollars?" Littleton's reply is interesting just at this time when there are so many efforts at discrediting wealth.

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DULL TIMES AND THE WAGE QUESTION

The Problem Affects Both Labor and Capital, and Both Suffer. (New York Evening Post.) In all this matter of enforced retrenchment, and of saving so as to provide industry with its needed capital, we are exposed to the fallacy of numbers and of cost. We see the men out of work, the tall chimneys not smoking, the idle cars and engines, and it seems as if simply a question of labor in distress. We forget the anguished capitalist, and the middle classes, haggard with anxiety.

over the boards to see Mr. Olive and Collette have having found in the collector's man, and they were lying two on the and final end, when Charlie struck his old time gut and upset the Customs men's calculator and made three and for the scribbles, making the score even. The rinks were:

PIMPLES

ALTHOUGH, NOT A DANGEROUS DISEASE, ARE A VERY TROUBLESOME AND UNSIGHTLY AFFLICTION. They are caused by either poverty or impurity of the blood and require the prompt use of a good blood medicine such as Burdock Blood Bitters, for their eradication, which is speedily accomplished, at the same time strengthening the entire system.

WEIGHED FOUR POUNDS WHEN FOUR MONTHS OLD.

Most of the sickness that comes to babies and young children is due to the stomach or bowels being out of condition. It is then that they are cross, peevish and upset the whole household. These troubles that Baby's Own Tablets always cure promptly. Here is proof: Mrs. J. Stewart, Everton, Ont., says: "My little girl weighed so badly that at the age of four months she weighed four and a half pounds. Her stomach was badly out of order, and although the doctor treated her he did not help her. Then I got Baby's Own Tablets and right from the first they helped her and now she enjoys perfect health."

SCRIBES TIE THE CUSTOMS

Great Game in St. Andrews Rink Yesterday Afternoon. Scribes, 11; Customs, 11. That was the result of a two-rink curling match in the St. Andrews rink yesterday afternoon. "It was truly a treat," said a veteran. And well he might say so, as many were the wonderful shots. The assortment of "turns" the "newies" had up their sleeves was amazing.

BUSINESS OUTLOOK AND STOCK MARKET

The average man has now a special set of glasses through which to view the security markets. When he adjusts those all the hopesfulness which is conveyed to him by a survey of the commercial progress of the country leaves him and he is filled with doubt and distrust of the future. To use market terms, he feels bullish on the business outlook and bearish on the stock situation, although the one is in the end the unfailing barometer of the other.

TIMES DAILY PUZZLE PICTURE



Simple Simon met a pieman. Find the pieman. ANSWER TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE. Left side down, in gown.

Advertisement for THE CIGARS of QUALITY. SMOKE DIXIE 10¢ NUF SED 3 FOR 25¢. DEMAND THE BEST. SMOKE POLO 5¢.

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Advertisement for CHEAPEST STOVE STORE IN THE CITY. Model Art Range, No. 8, 6 holes, high shelf, and water front. M. J. SLINNEY, Cor. Waterloo and Paddock Sts. Phone 1780.

Advertisement for CANADIAN PACIFIC ATLANTIC STEAMSHIPS. St. John and Liverpool Service. LAKE CHAMPLAIN, Sat, Mar. 14. EMPRESS OF BRITAIN, Fri, Mar. 20. LAKE ERIBI, Sat, Mar. 28.

Advertisement for CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILROADS. Commencing February 29th and until April 29th, 1908. SPECIAL LOW RATES. Second Class. To British Columbia and Pacific Coast Ports. From St. John, N. B.

Advertisement for HOTELS. ROYAL HOTEL, 41, 43 and 45 King Street, St. John, N. B. Raymond & Doherty, Props. VICTORIA HOTEL, King Street, St. John, N. B. Electric Elevator and all Latest and Modern Improvements. D. W. McCORMICK, Proprietor.

Advertisement for THE DUFFERIN, Foster, Bond & Co. King Square, St. John, N. B. JOHN H. BOND, - - Manager. DO YOU BOARD? NEW VICTORIA HOTEL - AN IDEAL home for the winter. Warm, well furnished rooms; good restaurants; good table home-like in all respects. Terms very moderate for service rendered. 242, 258 Prince Wm. St., St. John, N. B. J. L. MOOREHEAD - PROPRIETOR.

Advertisement for All Good Things Come to Him Who Advertises Judiciously. -Your Ad. in "THE TIMES" Shows Sound Business Judgment.

Advertisement for Piano and Household Furniture at Residence. BY AUCTION. I am instructed by the executor of the estate of the late Mrs. Arthur Everett to sell at residence, No. 123 Westworth Street, Westport, March 18th, at 10 o'clock a. m. the following: Grand Old English and Walnut Bedroom Furniture; Hair Mattresses; Dining Room Furniture, upholstered in leather; Large Walnut Sideboard; Old Mahogany Baites; Lace Curtains; Old English Steel Bed; Large Mantel Clock; Large Silver Plates; Old English China Tea and Breakfast Set; Hair Rack; Hall Chair; Davenport; Porcelain Dinner Set; Old Glass; Valuable Sets Books; Gramophone; Radio; Lawn Mower; Sprinkler; and Kitchen Utensils, Etc., Etc. T. T. LANTALMA, Auctioneer. Office: 184 Prince Wm. Street; Phone 763.

THE EVENING TIMES, ST. JOHN, N. B., SATURDAY, MARCH 14, 1908.



New Scale Williams Player Piano

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ALCOHOL AND WEST INDIA RUM

Editor Times:— Sir,— noted in the Telegraph of Feb. 27th the following:—

"Mr. Bole (Winnipeg) moved a resolution that as the regulation requiring two year storage of alcohol after distillation tended to create a monopoly in the article and increase the price without increasing its usefulness for manufacturing medicinal preparations and that as the possible article costs in the Canadian market twenty-five times more than in any other country of production, the government prohibiting its use as an economical agent in the field of industrial activity, the government should appoint a commission to inquire into and report upon a method by which alcohol can be generally used for legitimate scientific and industrial operations, without increasing the danger of its use as a potable spirit."

I might say that Mr. Bole is right in bringing this before the House, but I cannot understand why it should ever become law. If I am not mistaken, the government claimed it was harmful to the health of Canadians to use rum or whisky black, unless it was matured two years in bond. How considerate of them. I take, for example, a person who wishes to become a distiller. He must be manufacturing for two years before he can sell a gallon. Think of the loss of revenue on a month's production. It is not a monopoly I fall to see. I wonder how Mr. Templeman, minister of inland revenue, figures a total loss of revenue when he opposed the resolution. In the first place, what does alcohol cost the distiller a gallon, strength being 45 c. p. About 40 cents a gallon, and he gets \$1.25 per gallon; a nice profit when you consider he gets his hard cash before the merchant receives his alcohol. Many people, no doubt, would go into the business only for the law, and the law is a great protector to only the chosen few. You can buy today grain alcohol in the United States 60 c. p. (denatured) for 60 cents gallon retail, and the difference between Canadian alcohol and United States alcohol is that the former is made from corn and the latter from molasses.

It is to be hoped that the dominion government which has assumed a paternal attitude in reference to the manufacturers of spirits in Canada, will endeavor to formulate rigid laws which will prevent the importation of foreign liquors, which are manufactured perhaps not more than a month previous to their exportation to this country. Yours truly, A. H. BELL.

PRINCE OF WALES IS WELL GUARDED

Big Fleet Will Accompany Him to Canada This Summer.

Montreal, March 13.—A special London cable says: The Prince of Wales will, the Canadian Associated Press understands, be accompanied to Quebec by an Atlantic fleet of six battleships, ten cruisers, with its attached second cruiser squadron. After leaving Quebec the fleet will cruise along the Canadian coast visiting several places.

Ottawa, March 13.—(Special)—Colonel Hanbury Williams, secretary to the governor general, and a member of the committee in charge of preparations for the Champlain tercentenary celebration at Quebec next July, stated today that the programme for the event had not yet been decided upon.

The only pageant so far contemplated is to represent the landing of Champlain. There was no thought, he said, of having a military pageant to represent the battle of the Plains of Abraham, as had been stated in the despatches from Quebec. Such a pageant would be absurd in view of the race prejudices it might excite.

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NO BEER NO WORK

Italians in Dominion No. 1 Strike Because They Are Unable to Get It.

Sydney, N. S., March 13.—All the P. W. A. lodges in Glouce Bay held special meetings today to vote on the finding of the board of conciliation appointed to investigate questions at issue between the Dominion Coal Company and its employees regarding wages schedules.

Under the award of the board about \$73,000 more will be paid in wages in the aggregate per annum and the agreement will last till December 31, 1909. The increase will be about three per cent.

The Dominion Coal Company has signified its willingness to accept the decision of the conciliation board. The new schedule will involve a slight increase in the cost of mining coal.

Today Dominion No. 1 colliery has a peculiar strike. All the young men, number, who are employed chiefly as loaders and laborers, quit work because no beer could be obtained.

ONE HUNDRED PASSENGERS WERE INJURED

Bad Accident on the Newfoundland Road When a Whole Train Left the Rails.

North Sydney, N. S., March 13.—Steamer Bruce which arrived at North Sydney today, had over 100 passengers, the majority of whom carried injuries received on the Newfoundland railway yesterday in one of the worst accidents in the history of the Reid road.

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MONCTON NEWS

Schools and Churches Ordered Closed Because of Smallpox.

Moncton, March 13.—In the equity suit brought by G. L. Harris against the directors of the Moncton Exhibition Association court was adjourned this evening to meet next Tuesday in St. John.

The plaintiff and R. Clark, manager of the Bank of Montreal; D. I. Welch, secretary of the association; Directors W. F. Humphrey, J. H. Harris, F. W. Sumner, E. C. Cole, H. S. Bell and others gave evidence.

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AMATEURS AT THE CEDAR

Six amateurs, all of very good quality, entertained the audience at the Cedar last night. From an amateur standpoint the acts were all good.

Prof. Harrington, in his hypnotism and magic, is drawing big houses and is pleasing and mystifying the spectators.

Bahia is the principal commercial city of Brazil after Rio Janeiro. It exports large quantities of sugar, cotton, tobacco, coffee, cocoa, rum and hides.

Failure in Hamilton Hospital Full Particulars Now Given to the Public.

The case of Mr. Jesse Munro, of 373 John Street, is attracting considerable attention. For more than three years he had the best advice and hospital treatment in the city—but it all failed.

TEACHERS ENJOY IRISH NIGHT

The teachers' association last night enjoyed a very pleasing programme in Forester's hall, Charlotte street. It was an Irish evening.

President Lewis was in the chair. This fraternal visit was the best yet held by the society here.

SONS OF ENGLAND Marlborough Lodge, No. 297, Sons of England, received a visit from Portland Lodge, No. 246, on Thursday evening in their rooms in Odell's hall, Union street.

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The Boston Dental Parlors, 527 Main Street

Full Sets of Teeth \$35.00 Best \$50.00 Gold Crown in Canada. Gold Filling, \$1 up. Silver Filling, 50c up.

THIS EVENING

The Every Day Club. Joe McLaughlin Company in "Why He Divorced Her," at the Opera House.

LATE LOCALS

R. M. S. "Empress of Ireland," arrived at Liverpool at 6 a. m. today.

Allan line steamer Victorian, left Liverpool, G. B., yesterday, March 13, for this port via Halifax.

Mrs. George Price died today at the residence of her sister, Keatalla, Cap-done and was about 70 years of age.

Donaldson line steamer Keatalla, Captain Black, is ready for sea and will sail tonight or tomorrow for Glasgow.

All members of Eastern Vaudeville Company will meet at two o'clock Sunday afternoon in the Palmer building, Room 4.

Steamer Boston, Captain McKenzie, which vessel has been on the Digby route has gone to Yarmouth to go on the Boston route from that place.

In consequence of several cases of diphtheria having been discovered among the scholars in Douglas Avenue and St. Peter's schools, these buildings are being disinfected today.

Rev. W. Camp will address the gospel temperance meeting to be held by Thorne Lodge, I. O. G. T., tomorrow afternoon in Tabernacle church, John Wood and Mrs. F. Jones will sing.

A meeting of the creditors of W. J. Burns was held yesterday afternoon in Sheriff Ritchie's office. Very little business and adjournment was made until next Friday at 3 o'clock.

Norwegian steamer Borgestad, Captain Falkner, due to arrive here this afternoon from Sydney with 6,500 tons of soft coal is carrying the largest cargo of coal that ever came to this port in one vessel.

Registrar Jones reports eight marriages during the week, also two deaths. There were other births during the week but the registrar has not been notified, although law requires the registration of all births.

A St. John man is in the city with an important message for Captain Phil Ferguson, formerly of St. John, but now thought to be a resident here but is unable to find Captain Ferguson's address. The message is in reference to the command of a new vessel.—Halifax Chronicle, March 13.

The Rev. Z. L. Faah of Hillboro will be the speaker at the temperance meeting in the Every Day Club tomorrow afternoon at four o'clock, and the Rev. H. D. Matr will speak in the evening at 8:30 o'clock. A week from tomorrow the speaker will be the Rev. William Lawson of Hillboro. There is good music at all these meetings.

Meeting of believers in the Atonement, A Ransom for all. Service held in Obedience Hall, Union street, Sunday at 3 p. m.; discourse on the Divine Plan of Life. Subject: The Narrow Way of Life. How do we have the way narrow? How may we gain entrance and receive life at the end of the way. Meetings free to all.

Lainster street United Baptist church, Rev. W. Camp, M. A., pastor. Rev. Z. L. Faah, D. D., who is assisting the pastor in special meetings, will preach at both services tomorrow. Morning subject, The Foundation of the Gospel. Evening, The Lost Christ. Evangelistic services will be continued in the church through the week.

Nineteen deaths were reported at the office of the board of health for the week ending today, as follows:—From heart disease, four; pneumonia, three; consumption, two; cystitis, one; grippe, gangrene, paralysis, alcoholism, tuberculosis, general debility, arterio sclerosis, rheumatoid arthritis and malignant disease of the bowels, one each.

THE MILL TROUBLE

Threatened Strike Has Been Delayed If Not Definitely Averted.

The threatened strike situation in Stetson, Cutler Co's mill at Pleasant Point has been somewhat relieved, and the trouble has been delayed, if not definitely averted.

Fred C. Beatson, manager for Stetson, Cutler & Co. told a Times man today that they had decided to give the men further time to consider, and consequently the new scale had not yet gone into effect; the men received the old rate this morning.

CITY BUYS LAND

Four Lots on the Loch Lomond Road Sold at Auction.

The board of water and sewerage of the city of St. John were the purchasers at auction at noon today at Chubb's corner of four lots of land known as the Raymond property at Loch Lomond. The price paid for the four lots was \$3,500. Auctioneer F. L. Potts conducted the sale of the property being sold on a decretal order issued out of the supreme court in equity.

The New Victoria Hotel was offered for sale by Auctioneer Lantaulum and withdrawn at \$11,000. A city house was sold on the Market Square for \$132.

EMPRESS OF BRITAIN

The royal mail steamer Empress of Britain of the C. P. R. line arrived from Liverpool via Halifax this morning and docked at No. 2 berth, Sand Point, about 8 o'clock. She brought 1,200 passengers, divided as follows:—116 saloons, 47 second cabin, 67 steerage.

CLOSE THE BREACH

Correspondent Urges the Need of Complete Harmony Between Magistrate Ritchie and Police Force.

St. John, N. B., 14th March, 1908.

To the Editor Evening Times:—Sir:—I permit me to extend my congratulations upon the publicity yielded in yesterday's Evening Times to the denunciation of our police force by our police magistrate. You gave the item the most prominent position in your paper—and, I am persuaded that you did so deliberately. Doubtless, like the great body of your intelligent readers, you are wearied at such intermittent outbursts and desire, if possible, to influence matters to a crisis which shall inaugurate a better condition of things.

It goes without saying, and must be apparent to every one, that a systematic and, shall I say, a sympathetic co-operation ought to exist between the police force and the police magistrate. Instead of this, however, we have frequent, very definite indications of a most bitter and highly undesirable friction antagonistic, in the very worst possible sense, to that sterling essential—esprit de corps, so very nothing of the proper conduct of business.

The matter is a serious one. Magistrate Ritchie asserts that certain members of the force are not to be believed even upon their oath. Consequently, we may reasonably conclude that culprits are convicted and sentenced upon evidence which the presiding magistrate himself so frankly condemns as unreliable. The acceptance of this perfectly logical conclusion sweeps us right back into the darker ages, and constitutes an iniquitous incongruity unworthy of a civilized Christian community.

And yet, it would be folly even to suggest that Magistrate Ritchie was not thoroughly certain of his ground ere venturing so superlative an accusation. He could not possibly have said anything more damaging. Now, if Magistrate Ritchie's denunciation is warranted, why should such a condition of things be permitted, and who is responsible? His position as an upright gentleman must be extremely trying when he is called on to convict a prisoner upon the evidence of a constable believed by him to be unreliable, even under oath.

It is said that this unhappy friction in our police circles is of a purely individual nature, being confined to a personal antipathy between the police magistrate and the chief of police. If this is actually so, then it is greatly to be deplored because both undoubtedly able men in their several capacities, and are deservedly held in high esteem by our citizens. Surely, there is some way whereby the rough places may be rendered smooth. Why should our police force be continually held up to ridicule and worse than that, simply because two gentlemen find some difficulty in pulling together? And, why should disunity be retained in our force for the same reason? Remember, I am assuming that Magistrate Ritchie was sure of his ground when he made the accusation referred to above.

It is worthy of note that we hear nothing whatever from Chief Clark. So far as our police force is concerned, its organization and efficiency may be gauged by our statistics of crime, at the same time, taking into careful consideration the peculiar local conditions involved. Thus, we are on the American border, and we are a seaport city. And apart from these features, to not simply that we have here a goodly community of as truly tough a character as could well meet with anywhere. Furthermore, St. John, on account of its hilly formation, is an extremely hard city to patrol effectively with a small body of men. In a city like Toronto, it is easy for an officer to see a long way down a street. Here it is very different. Try it, and you will realize just how different.

Now, is there a better-behaved, quieter, safer place than St. John on the American continent—that is for its size? And is there any other place of its size possessing so small a police force per thousand people? I think not.

Although comment is really superfluous, I cannot help adding that if our safety and peace as a community are not due to competent organization or efficient officers, then, pray, to what may we tender the credit? Were Chief Clark incompetent at the above desirable condition of things could not exist by any possibility.

For Magistrate Ritchie, I have the highest regard, just as I have for Chief Clark; and in common with many who have the best interests of our city most truly at heart, it is my sincere hope that, at this propitious time, some measure will be adopted to mend or finally end all difficulties.

F. M. Scanders.

EVERY DAY CLUB CONCERT

At the Every Day Club last evening a crowded house enjoyed the following programme: Selections by the club orchestra; up to the minute news; Miss Pearl Spragg, John Salmon and Mr. DeWolfe; Japanese character songs, Miss Hill; trio, Rev. L. McLean, Mr. Crocker and Mr. Mann; violin solo, Miss Retallick; physical drill, Scotch Boys' Brigade; piano duets, Miss Lulu Colwell and Miss Bell; vocal solos, Mrs. Handren, Mrs. Murray Long, Miss Florence Long, Miss Lulu Colwell and Mr. Mitchell; club swinging, the Gibber sketch, by Thos. F. Stack, William and Walter McCluskey, of the Eastern Vaudeville Company; imitation of minstrels, by Messrs. Stack and Mack; quartette of songs, Witteries, McLaughlin, Brown and Colwell.

PERSONALS

W. W. Hubbard was a passenger to the city on Monday's Boston train. Col. George W. Jones returned to the city on today's Boston train.

Mr. Aston Morley, formerly of this city, but now of Boston, and Mrs. Morley, came in on today's Boston train. Mr. Morley who has been ill with typhoid fever will spend some time here recuperating.

GAME IS CALLED OFF

The proposed hockey match tonight between the Marathons and Amherst Ramblers has been called off.

DEATHS

JOHNSTON—In this city on the 14th inst. Walter Gordon, eldest son of Samuel W. and Cora M. Johnston, aged 16 years and 6 months.

MURRAY—In this city, on the 13th inst. Margaret Frances Murray, aged 2 years and 6 months.

BOYD—In this city, on the 13th inst. Margaret, widow of late Joseph Boyd, aged 71 years, leaving one daughter to mourn.



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