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Semiprincess full length peignoir of pale blue taffeta, over which is mounted a white lace net robe with princess lace flounces and Battenburg applique.

ALGONQUINS AND OUTCASTS WINNERS

There were two good games of basketball in the Algonquin rooms, Metcalf street, last evening when the Algonquins defeated Carmarthen street, 27-23, and the Outcasts won from Exmouth street, 31-18.

The Algonquins are now leading the league with the Portlands, Outcasts and St. Georges tied for second place.

The Algonquin team will play the University of New Brunswick in Fredericton on Feb. 19. The Algonquins have been compelled to give up their proposed tour in Maine.

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AGREEMENT MADE FOR PURE BALLOT IN WESTMORLAND CO.

Candidates on Both Sides Agree to Conduct a Clean Election.

Moncton, N. B., Feb. 10.—At a representative meeting of the electors of the county here this afternoon, an organization was effected to prevent bribery and the use of liquor in Westmorland in the present election.

Whereas, the practice of bribery poisons our political life at its source, viz., the heart of the people, and produces many evils, some of which are: It destroys in electorates any healthy sense of political responsibility; it defrauds the inconvertible voter of his just political influence; it puts a stain on political honors and renders the victories of parties inglorious; it places an unwelcome financial burden upon candidates; it leads to the sale of public contracts; the evil use of political patronage and the expensive effects of graft in public services; it makes it possible for combinations of wealth, native or foreign, to unduly influence public policy; it takes the deplorable form of dealing out intoxicants to voters and of intimidation of electors in the employ of corporations; it produces an evil contagion which easily spreads from polling booths to legislative halls.

The meeting, deploring these great evils, recommended that practical steps be taken to secure the enforcement of the law against corrupt practices and promote growth of worthy public sentiment in the duties of citizenship.

Rev. D. MacDermid then moved a resolution to the effect that a county organization be formed to promote purity in elections, that a fund be raised to prosecute all violators of the election laws, to help

play detectives to secure evidence and defray all expenses of carrying out the law. This was adopted.

Dr. Borden said it was proposed to raise a fund of \$5,000 to carry on the work of organization. The officers of the association elected are: Dr. Borden, Sackville, president; Father Savage, Moncton, vice-president; F. A. McCully, Moncton, secretary; R. W. Hewson, Moncton, treasurer; executive officers, Senators Wood, McSweeney and Poirier, Dr. Andrews, C. L. Hamilton, with G. A. Taylor, Salisbury; Frank L. Steves, Moncton; Dr. Andrews, Sackville; Rev. R. G. Colpitts, Westmorland; Clark Chapman, Botsford; R. C. Iain, Shediac.

Dr. Borden read to the meeting the agreement signed by the candidates pledging themselves to conduct a pure election. The pledge says in part: "The candidates, feeling it desirable in the public welfare that no bribery within the reach of the New Brunswick contravened elections act or any act in amendment thereof, should be practiced or committed during or at the present election, or that intoxicating liquors should be used to influence any voter at said election, do hereby pledge themselves and generally agree each with the other to commit no act of bribery or in any way countenance the commission of any act of bribery in any form in said election."

It was decided to confine the prosecution of violators of the act to the terms of the agreement. The agreement is to be passed around among the party workers for signatures. Many have already signed it. The executive met this evening to arrange the details of organization for the different sections.

A weak Stomach, means weak Stomach nerves, always. And this is also true of the Heart and Kidneys. It's a pity that the ones continue to drug the Stomach or stimulate the Heart and Kidneys. The weak nerves, not the organs themselves, need this help. This explains why Dr. Shoop's Restorative has, and is promptly helping so many sick ones. It goes direct to the cause of these diseases. Test its vital truth, and see. Sold by all Druggists.

In the Cause of Freedom, By Arthur W. Marchmont.

Entered according to Act of Parliament of Canada, in the year nineteen hundred and seven, by McLeod & Allen, at the Department of Agriculture.

"Do you call that politeness?" "Politeness or—polity?" "Well, whichever it is, it's not a bit nice. Not a bit like—Bob."

CHAPTER XIII. Volva is a Little Refractory. She was dressed for her new character of the housekeeper's niece, and wore a white apron and a peasant girl's picturesque head-dress.

NOSE COLDS Simple Cure Has Been Discovered. Few escape a cold this weather, but alas! many colds run into catarrh. Neglected catarrh is the straight gateway to consumption.

SPORTING GREEKS LOSE IN GREAT GAME

Fredericton, N. B., Feb. 10.—St. John Marathons suffered defeat in a well-contested hockey match at the Arctic rink this evening by a score of 6 to 2.

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PRINCE'S BEACH LIMERICK FOR FEBRUARY, 1908

A maiden who lived in the Soo On a new kind of gum tried to chew, But of lockjaw she died, And the Coroner cried

POSSIBLE RHYMES FOR THE ABOVE LIMERICK: Coo, shoe, two, too, who, do, do, ado, undo, you, through, true, blue, flew, stew, blew, due, dew, brew, drew, flue, grew, new, yew, slew, glue, rue, Jew.

SIX MORE LOTS GIVEN AWAY THIS MONTH VALUED AT \$400

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By purchasing a half-tone of the "Prince of Wales Elm," which we sell for 25 cents, we give you a coupon which entitles you to participate in the Limerick. No other coupon can be used.

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THE EVENING TIMES, ST. JOHN, N. B. TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 1908.

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GUTTER JOURNALISM

According to an editorial in the St. John Star the ancestors of Mr. J. D. Hazen were land grabbers and fishery thieves, and therefore Mr. Hazen should be defeated on March 3rd. According to the Fredericton Herald, Moncton Transcript and some other government papers Dr. McInerney's father stated certain views regarding confederation, and won a nickname thereby, and therefore Dr. McInerney should be defeated. The first observation to be made in connection with this new mode of political attack is that Mr. Hazen's ancestors and Dr. McInerney's father have passed out of the realm of political controversy. By no stretch of imagination can they be made an issue in this campaign. An insult to their memory is an insult to every self-respecting citizen. It is bad enough to indulge in personalities where the subjects are yet living, but to revile the dead is a course so shocking to the feelings of fair-minded persons that only the rebuke of utter defeat would do justice to a party which stoops to such conduct. It is amazing that Premier Robinson would permit his publicity bureau to do this thing. One finds it difficult to choose language to fitly characterize such a course. No such disgraceful method of attacking a political opponent has ever been adopted in this province, and the government which is responsible for it should be utterly defeated.

Mr. Hazen, says the Moncton Transcript, is a St. John landlord, his family having introduced landlordism in New Brunswick. Mr. Hazen's ancestors, says the St. John Star, were land grabbers and fishery thieves. What has this to do with the election campaign? If Mr. Hazen is a landlord, has he evicted his tenants? Is there war on his estate? Mr. Hazen has been before the public, both as a citizen and as a public man, for many years. Have any charges been brought against his personal character? Has he cheated anybody? Has he proved himself unworthy of public confidence or unfit to deal with public affairs? It may be taken for granted that the personal friends of both Mr. Hazen and Dr. McInerney, regardless of previous political leanings, will resent the vile method of attack upon them resorted to by Premier Robinson's staff of campaign writers, and answer it by electing them by large majorities, along with enough other opposition members to oust a government which relies on gutter journalism to achieve its ends.

LAST NIGHT'S MEETING

The Times commends to the thoughtful attention of its readers the report in this issue of Mr. John E. Wilson's comparison of the price of school books in New Brunswick, Ontario and Nova Scotia. Books as good as those sold in this province at thirty, forty and fifty cents are printed in Ontario for nine, thirteen and fifteen cents. Who gets the rake-off? Mr. Wilson made short work of Attorney General McKewen's boasted figures. It will be noted also, in the report of Dr. McInerney's speech, that he has a clear grasp of provincial questions and will make an admirable representative in the legislature. Mr. Maxwell's exposure of the railway policy of the government, and his general criticism of their financial methods, was just and forcible, and Mr. Hatheway followed with a clear-cut address on the business aspect of certain transactions for which the government is responsible. The opposition candidates opened their campaign last evening in the most satisfactory way, and the enthusiasm aroused proves that the north end of the city will be on the side of better government on March 3rd.

ANOTHER SAMPLE

The Sun is rather hard up for campaign material. In its report of the opposition meeting last night in Alexandra Hall it says: "During the first part of the meeting some excitement was caused by a man who persisted in asking Dr. McInerney questions, somewhat to his discomfort. He was finally invited to leave. He did so with a parting shot to the effect that while he might vote for McInerney he would never vote for Hazen because he was a d-d nigger." The man who interrupted the meeting was under the influence of liquor. He was treated with courtesy by Dr. McInerney, and his first question answered. When he became too noisy and unreasonable he was invited to leave the hall. The Sun regards his profane remarks worthy to be recorded in the government party annals of this campaign. What next?

IN KINGS COUNTY

At Hampton yesterday a committee representing the opposition party laid before a committee of the government party an agreement providing that each party refrain from the use of money or other corrupt influences in the present election campaign. They stated distinctly that they had no amount of money raised or pledged beyond the requirements for purely legitimate expenses, and that no such fund would be raised. Their statement which is printed on another page, speaks for itself. The government party committee refused to believe the statement solemnly made by the representatives of the opposition, and submitted a proposition which was a direct impeachment of the honesty of those gentlemen. Naturally the latter resented the insinuation. The government committee refused to sign the agreement. They were playing what they regarded as a clever political trick, and to give it the appearance of good faith they issued a declaration to the effect that, regardless of the action of the opposition they would run a pure election. This is pure buncombe. Those gentlemen knew very well that the representatives of the opposition were acting in good faith. Their whole aim was to create if possible a division in the opposition party in Sussex, and failing that to appear to put the other committee in the wrong, and be free to use the "resources of civilization." The whole game is so transparent that it is surprising so astute a politician as Mr. King would lend himself to it for a moment. The public understand the situation. There is to be no pure election in Kings, so far as the government party are concerned. The hearing drawn across the trail does not deceive anybody. Recognising that they are facing defeat the government party stoop to subterfuge and pave the way for "influences" of the usual kind.

"Dr. Pugsley has taken steps through Col. McLean to have surveys made on the St. John river for several wharves in Sanbury county," says the Sun. Also through Col. McLean's efforts Sanbury county is to have a metropolitan mail service. Therefore the provincial highways are in fine condition, the provincial debt is a bagatelle, the Central Railway was built for a song, school books are distributed free, and Premier Robinson is a wonder.

Despite the fact that Mr. Wilson last night read a letter from the Canada Publishing Company stating that they were still printing certain readers at prices quoted in the Sun this morning says that "he again compared the price of forty cents for a fourth reader with the bargain price of fifteen cents at which an old edition is being cleared out in Ontario." Could misrepresentation farther go?

The Tom Lawson advertisements of the government party, in the daily press, are in larger type today. The poster-type stage will soon be reached, and yet the people are not convinced. Are these advertisements charged to "legitimate expenses," or to the province?

The Sun appeals to every honorable man in Kings county to applaud the government committee on its refusal to sign an agreement to conduct a pure election. This is what it calls "clean politics in Kings." If there is any money to be had it will be used by the Sun's party in that county.

Dr. Pugsley still lingers at Ottawa. Can it be that the minister begins to ask himself how much it would add to his prestige to be actively associated with a government that is marching to defeat?

What does the Sun mean by the terms Liberal and Conservative, as applied in this election? What would they signify, for example, in Northumberland or Gloucester?

The condition of the government party in St. John is perilous, and yet Mr. McLean lingers in the classic shades of Queens and by the silent pools of Natiguawauk. Rodney McLeod Boston, Mass., Feb. 10.—Rodney McLeod, a retired produce commission merchant of this city, died today at the home of his son, P. P. McLeod, 69 Humboldt avenue, Roxbury. Mr. McLeod was 75 years old, a native of Kings county (N. B.), and was a resident of that locality until 1881 when he came to Boston to engage in business. A widow and two sons survive. The funeral services will be held in the Baptist church at Penobscot (N. B.), to which place the body will be taken for burial on Wednesday afternoon.

Close at 6 p. m. St. John, Feb. 10, 1908. Penman's Wool Fleeced... Shirts and Drawers... On Sale 39c Each Now at 39c Each

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Store Closed at 7 p. m. Tuesday, February 11, 1908. LADIES' OVERSHOE RUBBERS, \$1.00 All sizes, different widths. This is the rubber that sold for \$1.15. LADIES' TWO BUCKLE OVERBOOT, \$1.75. — This is the Regular \$2.00. LADIES' BUTTON OVERBOOT, \$2.00. — Regular Price, \$2.25. There is nothing better possible in combination rubber and cloth goods known to the makers today. These prices are to clear out these lines, therefore we will not be able to quote these prices for any stated time. PERCY J. STEEL, Foot Furnisher, SUCCESSOR TO WM. YOUNG, 519-521 MAIN STREET

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We sell the P. C. Corsets—the best fitting, the most comfortable, the best value for the money. Prices, 50c., 75c., \$1.00 per pair. A. B. WETMORE, Tape Girdles, 33c. pr. 59 Garden St.

AS TIME PASSED (Washington Star.) "I shall not run for office." A statesman said one day. "I shall return to private life And try to make it pay." "I shall not run for office." "There's nothing to be said." My interests are in the hands Of my devoted friends. And later on he murmured: "There's nothing to be said." And at the finish did he run? He did. And ran like Neil!

IN LIGHTER VEIN MORE PROFITABLE. (Milwaukee Sentinel.) "Why don't we have any more imaginative novels as we did in the days of Scott and Dickens?" "That is easy enough. Imaginative persons are busy these days inventing new names for breakfast foods."

NOT GREY. Miss Elder—"The idea of his pretending that my hair was grey." Miss Peppery—"Ridiculous!" Miss Elder—"Wasn't it, though?" Miss Peppery—"Yes, just as if you'd buy grey hair."—Philadelphia Press.

COULD NOT AFFORD THE TIME. Nodd—"There was to be a meeting of my creditors today." "Nodd—"Well, wasn't there?" "No. They unanimously agreed that they couldn't afford to spend the time."—Life.

UNANIMOUS. Dad—"I wish I could be a little boy again, like you, Willie." Willie—"I wish you could, dad—only littler, of course."—Judge.

THE MAGNATES IN JAIL. "So you people put a couple of magnates in jail on heavy fines, did you?" asked the investigating reformer. "Yes," replied the native. "We fined them the limit; they wouldn't pay, and we put them in cells." "That's a good example." "Is it? Within two days they organized the prisoners, guards, and jailers into the International Penitentiary Company, issued five hundred million in bonds, paid the fines of all the prisoners, left us with a mortgage on the jail and outhouse—and stuck the surplus money in their pockets."—Chicago Evening Post.

WATCH YOURSELF GO BY. Just stand aside and watch yourself go by; Think of yourself as "he" instead of "I." Note closely as in other men you note, The bag-kneed trousers and the seedy coat. Pick flares; find fault; forget the man is you, Confront yourself and look you in the eye. And strive to make your estimate ring true. Just stand aside and watch yourself go by. —S. W. Gillian, in Success Magazine.

PEOPLE OF NOTE



Mrs. Oscar S. Straus Mrs. Oscar Solomon Straus, the wife of the Secretary of Commerce and Labor, in Mr. Roosevelt's Cabinet, is a very accomplished woman and was for years the confidential friend of the Baroness de Hirsch, the great philanthropist. Mrs. Straus now looks after the directing of the De Hirsch Home for Working Girls in New York city. Mrs. Straus was a Miss Sarah Lavenberg, of New York city, and comes from a very wealthy family. She has three children—two daughters, one of whom has married, and one son, who is still a student.

ITEMS OF INTEREST

Not an article allowed to pass out of Unger's Laundry doors without passing the close scrutiny of our inspector. Clean, well-ironed and beautiful work. A LARGE CROWD AT THE PRINCESS Theatre last night and saw the famous De Beer's diamond mines, Kimberly, South Africa, in actual operation; showing the different processes the precious stones are put through before they are cut. Mr. A. R. Globe, who went out with the first contingent, is assistant manager of the De Beer's mines. The Spy, a drama of the American civil war, shows how a woman will even risk her life for the man she loves. Gamblers' Paradise shows a fashionable Paris resort and how they fool the police. Neighbors who borrow, brought down the house with laughter, for they even borrow the baby. Mr. Harry Newcombe sang Bye, My Caroline, a southern moon song and was repeatedly encored. The above programme will be repeated today.

BIG SHAKESPEARIAN REVIVAL TORONTO, Feb. 10.—Ernest Shipman, the well known New York theatrical manager, who is at present making a flying visit to Toronto, has just signed contracts with Laura Burt and Henry Stanford, two of his stars, who are appearing this week at the Grand in "The Walls of Jericho," for a spring tour of Shakespearean repertoire. The plays selected for the tour with Mr. Shipman are "Romeo and Juliet," "Taming of the Shrew," and "As you like it." Miss Burt will be cast as Juliet, Katherine and Rosalind in the respective plays, while Mr. Stanford, who has an enviable international reputation in Shakespearean roles, will play Romeo, Petruchio and Orlando. The contracts were executed at the King Edward Hotel, where the parties are staying, last Friday evening. In an interview today with Mr. Shipman he stated that the itinerary would include the principal Canadian cities and towns, and that no expense would be spared to make the production a memorable one.

Stylish Buffets and Sideboards!

Our assortment of High-grade Buffets and Sideboards is the best we have ever shown on our floors, and every good housekeeper should take their choice early. STYLISH BUFFETS, in SUITES, from \$25.00, 30.00, Quartered-cut Oak, Piano 35.00, 40.00, up to \$100.00. Polish, up to \$85.00. HANDSOME SIDEBOARDS, Quartered-cut Oak, Piano Polish, etc., up to \$45.00. PARLOR CABINETS, MUSIC CABINETS, LADIES' SECRETARIES, HALL TREES, HALL CHAIRS, at lowest prices - MAGNIFICENT PARLOR

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Mrs. Slowpay—I think I owe you a call. Mrs. Doctors (cuttingly)—Really! Only this morning my husband was remarking that your husband owes him a half dozen visits.

Spinach, Sweet Potatoes, Cucumbers

Cauliflower, Artichokes, Squash, Cape Cod Cranberries, Celery, Lettuce, Radishes, Parsley. Hams, Lard and Bacon. HENNERY EGGS. J. E. QUINN, CITY MARKET Phone 636. 10 King Street.

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25-25 Charlotte Street. Tel. 1765. EYE STRAIN When you experience the first symptoms of eye strain, don't delay, but have your eyes attended to at once. CONSULT D. BOYANER, GRADUATE OPTICIAN, 33 Dock Street.

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Choice Steak and Roasts. Call in and Inspect It. 133 Phone 133 JOHN HOPKINS, 186 Union St. Established 46 years 1908

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20 per cent. discount off our entire stock of Ready-to-wear Trousers during this month, and we finish every pair to your measure. We won't go into details as to values, etc. Every pair is worth the regular price and most of them are the 20th Century Brand. Other reliable makes are also represented, including some lines of Hewson Tweed.

Regular Prices, \$2.50 to \$6.50 Sale Prices, \$2.00 to \$5.20.

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MINK! MINK!

We have just opened a number of Fancy Ties, Stoles, Throwovers and Muffs in this popular Fur.

Prices \$25.00 to \$45.00

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THORNE BROTHERS. Furs for the Holiday!

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PURITY FLOUR. Give them all they can eat—makes 'em healthy and strong. WESTERN CANADA FLOUR MILLS CO., LIMITED. MILLS AT WINNIPEG, GODEFRICH AND BRANDON.

St. John, N. B., Feb. 7, 1903.

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We have just finished our stock taking and we find some broken lines which we will sell regardless of cost.

- 20 doz. ALL WOOL HAND KNITTED MITTS. Regular 40 cent MITTS, sale price 29 cents. SWEATERS, regular price \$1.50, sale price 97 cents.

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PORT HOOD DISASTER

Inquest Being Held to Fix Responsibility for Last Week's Accident.

PORT HOOD, C. B., Feb. 10.—(Special)—The court house was filled this afternoon when the inquest to ascertain the cause of the accident by which ten miners met death in the mine last Friday, was held before John Cameron, coroner.

THE VICTIM IDENTIFIED. NEW YORK, Feb. 11.—A Mrs. Callahan with whom "Queenie" boarded, visited the morgue and said that the dead woman was Annie Conning, a chambermaid in a local hotel.

TO LET—BRIGHT SUNNY FLAT, 7 rooms, 155 Gley Road, cor. Stanley street. Can be seen Wednesday and Friday afternoons. Enquire 13 Stanley street. 307-2-18.

OPPOSITION RALLY!...

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Speakers: Robert Maxwell, M.P.P., John E. Wilson, Dr. J. P. McInerney, W. F. Hatheway and others.

tion, but it is generally believed here that he is going to Italy.

MARSEILLES, Feb. 11.—Senator Franco, premier of Portugal, and his family, who arrived here last night, left by train for Genoa at 7.22 this morning.

A RELAY RACE. There will be a relay race in the Victoria rink on the 20th, which promises to be interesting.

On his way up to the warehouses the ice passes under a planer that scrapes off all the slush and snow.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET. Tuesday Feb. 11. New York Stock Quotations, Chicago Market Report and N. Y. Cotton Market.

Table with columns: Closing, Opening, Noon. Includes items like Amalgam, Am. Sugar, Am. Steel, etc.

KELSON IS KNOWN HERE

Crook Arrested in Boston on Murder Charge Has a Police Record in St. John.

An engraving of Oscar L. Kelson as the man under arrest, which appeared in yesterday's Boston Post, was recognized by Sergeant Caples and Patrolman Charles H. Marshall, of the local police force.

Kelson was in this city about two months ago, when a drowning accident occurred on a Nova Scotia schooner, lying at Gibbons' wharf, and it was he who accompanied the captain of the schooner when he informed the police of the accident.

A Boston despatch announces that Oscar L. Kelson, of Somerville, who has been incarcerated in East Cambridge jail since Tuesday last on a nominal charge of theft, was last Saturday handed over to the Somerville police and detained by them under the charge of complicity in the murder of Charles E. Buebe, a Somerville druggist, who was terribly beaten in his store on January 12th, and died Thursday.

Kelson decided to turn state's evidence against those with whom he was identified in the crime and John Joseph Kilian, a City Hospital orderly, was locked up in Somerville police station yesterday.

Kelson told the police that he and his companions needed funds and that was why he had mentioned Buebe's place. They went to Somerville on January 12th, and he stood guard outside while Gilmore and Kilian entered the store and asked for five cents worth of paragon.

When the old man turned to get the medicine, the police quote Kelson and Kilian as saying that Gilmore felled him with a blow from a bludgeon which Kilian claims to have made and then, according to Kelson, Gilmore was beating the old man, unmercifully when Kelson came to his rescue.

At Somerville a number of charges were entered against Kelson and Briggs, among which was the breaking into a store and a brutal assault on a Chinese laundryman. Later they were imprisoned in Bangor jail for compound larceny, having broken into Waterman's store and taking goods.

On the 27th of March, 1902, the store of D. J. Purdy on Main street, was broken into and over two hundred dollars in cash and checks were taken. Kelson was

To Suffer From Headaches Makes Life Miserable...

It takes a person that has had and is subject to headaches to describe the suffering which attends them.

The majority of cases are caused by constipation and dyspepsia. The dull throbbings, the intense pain, sometimes in one part, sometimes in another, and then over the whole head, varying in its severity by the cause which brings it on, purely indicate that there is something the matter with the stomach or bowels.

Mr. Wm. R. Gildchrist, New Mills, N.B., writes: "I was troubled for years with constipation and headaches, but after using four bottles of Burdock Blood Bitters I am completely cured."

Mr. John T. Kidner, Red Deer, Alta., writes: "I was troubled for several years with headaches. I tried a number of remedies but they did me no good. I tried a bottle of Burdock Blood Bitters and it cured me completely."

OBITUARY E. P. Eastman

PETITCODIAC, Feb. 8.—On last Friday evening Edward Payson Eastman died here with heart failure after a week's sickness. The deceased was born in Denysville, Maine in December 1837. He lived there with his parents until the civil war broke out when he enlisted as a private in the sixth Maine Regt. of the union army.

HARVESTING THE ICE AT LILY LAKE

This afternoon will see the ice crop for 1903 harvested at Lily Lake. On Monday, Feb. 3, operations were commenced by the St. John Ice Company, and today will see the completion of the stowing of upwards of 8,000 or 10,000 tons of ice, in the warehouses near the lake.

A FINE CONCERT

The P. C. Shortis Banjo Recital Last Evening Was Greatly Enjoyed.

P. C. Shortis gave his first banjo recital in this city before an appreciative audience on the evening of last night.

GOING OUT OF BUSINESS SALE

ROBERT LEDINGHAM'S, 233 Union St. Specials for This Week: Dress Goods, from 16c. to 59c. per yd.

Hamburgs, Ribbon V.a.s., Torchon and Oriental Laces, from 1c. to 19c. per yd.

Ladies' Undervests, 13c. to 39c. each. Ladies' and Children's Hose, 9c. to 27c. per pr.

Table Oil Cloth, 19c. per yd. White Lawns, Waistings, Gingham, Muslins, Prints, Cretannes, Art Muslins. All at half price.

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EVERY DAY --- IT WILL PAY YOU

Wednesday, Feb. 12th, We Offer:

- \$2.00 Shaker Night Gowns For \$1.35. 1.50 " " " " 1.10. 1.25 " " " " .98. 1.00 " " " " .78. .75 " " " " .58.

We will offer a Special Bargain Every Day during month of Feb.

WILCOX BROS., Dock St. and Market Sq.

SALE OF RUBBERS

400 pairs of WOMEN'S and MISSES RUBBERS, sizes 2, 2 1/2, 3, 3 1/2, 4, 7 1/2 and 8, to be closed out at 34c. a pair

Come quickly and avoid disappointment. Hatty, Lahod & Hatty 282 BRUSSELS STREET

received here yesterday. Deceased was the fourth son of the late David Brown, truck master of the C. P. R., and a resident of the West End. He was about thirty-five years of age, and for some years was employed in the C. P. R. general offices in this city, but of late had been connected with the steamship business in Boston.

GOMEZ UNSEATED

End of Exciting Political Contest in Manila.

MANILA, Feb. 11.—After a series of exciting sessions Senator Gomez was unseated by a vote of 40 to 35 today.

All who have had the pleasure of listening to one of Hon. H. A. Powell's lectures will be glad to hear that he has kindly consented to lecture on Westminster Abbey on Tuesday evening, 18th inst.

Mrs. Eliza Spencer

The death occurred at an early hour this morning of Mrs. Eliza Spencer, at the advanced age of 87. She was the widow of Andrew Spencer, and is survived by two sons—George, with whom she resided at Millsideville avenue, and William, and a sister, Mrs. Geo. H. Chamberlain.

Catarrh Cannot be Cured

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order that you must take internal remedies.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is a new remedy, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quick medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonic known, combined with the best blood purifier, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing Catarrh. Send for testimonials free.

THE M. P. A. A. A. have announced the suspension of Claude Oren and Jimmy Williams of the Fredericton Capitals, pending an investigation into their amateur standing. President Litwog witnessed the Capital-Marathon game at Fredericton last night.

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The following enterprising Druggists are authorized to receive TIMES WANT ADS. and issue receipts for same.

- Centres: Geo. E. Price, 808 Union St. Burpee E. Brown, 102 Pelicans. E. J. Dick, 144 Charlotte. Geo. P. Allen, 29 Waterloo. G. C. Hughes & Co., 109 Brussels.

- North End: Geo. D. Hobson, 877 Main St. E. J. Dwyer, 605 Main. E. J. Mahony, 87 Main.

- West End: W. C. Wilson, Corner Rodney and Ludlow. W. C. Wilson, Corner Union and Rodney. E. A. O'Neil, Corner Ludlow and Teaser.

- Lower Coast: P. J. Donohue, 997 Charlotte St. O'Leary, 65 Garden St. C. F. Wade, 46 Wall.

- Fairbairns: O. D. Hanson, Fairbairns.

- American Dye Works: WE CAN MAKE THAT OLD SUIT OF YOURS LOOK LIKE NEW.

- Attorney at Law: A. BARRY, 405 Water Street.

- Baggage Transfer: S. J. WITHERS, GENERAL CARTAGE.

- Carriage and Sleigh Firms: NEW AND SECOND-HAND FURNISHERS.

- Equal and Wood: BEST OF ROCK MAPLE AND MIXED HARD WOOD.

- Landings: LANDING NOW--SCOTCH HARK, SCOTCH HARK.

- Saint John Fuel Company: SAINT JOHN FUEL COMPANY.

- Wholesale: R. P. & W. F. STARR, LTD., WHOLESALE.

- Contractors and Builders: CLARK & ADAMS, WEAP BUILDERS.

- Engravers: F. C. WESLEY & CO., ARTISTS AND ENGRAVERS.

- Fancy Goods: THE PEOPLE'S BARGAIN STORE.

- Fruit, Etc.: APPLES, APPLES, APPLES--MOST every variety.

- Harness Oil: COX'S NEATFOOT COMPOUND.

- Hardware: FRAMERS 60c, SLIDERS, 25c, HOCKEY.

HAY OATS ETC. HAY, OATS, FEED, STRAW, GRAIN.

IRON FOUNDRY: UNION FOUNDRY & MACHINE WORKS.

LIGHTING: CHEAP LIGHTING--INTRODUCING NEW system in N. B.

LIQUOR DEALERS: MONTY & COMEAU CO., LTD.

PHONOGRAPH RECORDS: EDISON GOLD MOULDED RECORDS.

PAINTING AND PAPER HANGING: PAINTING AND PAPER HANGING.

PALMISTRY: MADAM ZELKA, PALMIST, HAS RE- moved.

POST CARDS: NOTICE--WE HAVE XMAS CARDS THAT will open your eyes.

PRODUCE COMMISSION MERCHANT: ALWAYS ON HAND, A GOOD STOCK OF

CHEESE: CHICKENS, LAMBS, WESTERN BEEF.

IRON FENCES: STEWART IRON WORKS COMPANY.

SILVER PLATING AND ETC.: GOLD AND SILVER PLATING--J. GRON- dines.

TAILORING: WE ARE OFFERING A LIBERAL DIS- count.

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY: WANTED--PARTY WITH \$2,000 TO IN- vest.

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Times Wants Cost: For 1 day, 10c for each word.

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PRINCESS THEATRE TODAY The Spy A military drama of the American Civil War. Debeer's Diamond Mines, South Africa.

OPERA HOUSE Pastime Picture Co. TODAY and WEDNESDAY The following subjects: DEAF AND DUMB A SOLDIER'S BETROTHAL WILLING TO OBLIGE THE ROY WRESTLERS THE SMUGGLERS

OPERA HOUSE Sembrich Prices: Ground floor \$3.00 First two rows balcony 3.00 Third and fourth rows balcony 2.50

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS ALL KIDNEY DISEASES CURES RHEUMATISM BRUISES AND SWELLINGS DIABETES AND GRAVEL

OPPOSITION RALLY West End Orange Hall, Guilford St. Wednesday, Feb. 12, At 8 p. m.

Abbey's Effer- vescent Salt Just follow the directions--take a morning glass--and you will find yourself growing stronger and feeling better every day.

Glacier Rink Skating and Band Tuesday and Thursday Evening and Saturday Afternoon

Close of Roberts' Campaign John H. Roberts, who is conducting the temperance campaign in Centenary church.

Small Flat To Let, \$4.00 PER MONTH. J. F. GLEESON, 120 Prince Wm. Street.

GET THE NICKEL HABIT NICKEL TODAY New Pictures and New Songs

ENERGIZER A very funny skit on the patent breakfast food.

THE CEDAR 5 CENTS 5 Read this programme, then come and see it.

Professor Hansone The celebrated magician will appear at each performance all this week.

VICTORIARINK TONIGHT FINE SKATING GOOD MUSIC BIG CROWDS

NEARLY EVERYBODY READS THE TIMES--AND ALL READ THE WANT ADS.

CITY CAMPAIGN OPENED WITH ROUSING NORTH END MEETING Hot Shot for the Government from Local Opposition Candidates.

Maladministration of Premier Robinson Shown in Convincing Speeches-- Where the Opposition Will Effect Sweeping Reforms.

Standing room only and unbounded enthusiasm marked the first meeting of the local opposition, which was held in the Alexandra hall, North End, Monday evening. The meeting was opened by Dr. R. F. Quigley, M. P., Dr. P. McInerney, J. E. Wilson and W. Frank Hatheway.

On a future occasion. He was greeted with hearty cheers as he resumed his seat. The chairman then briefly introduced Dr. McInerney and the reception he received left no room for doubt as to his popularity.

Dr. McInerney then referred to his speech on that occasion in which he spoke of the attempts to levy estate duties on estates of \$25,000. His remarks had been garbled by the Sun. He took issue with the government's suggestion to depart from the old regime under which duties were levied on estates of \$50,000.

PRESENTATION AT BASS RIVER Rev. W.M. Townsend Pleasantly Remembered by Young People of the Presbyterian Church.

BASS RIVER, N. B., Feb. 7.—Last evening a number of the young folk of Bass River Presbyterian church gathered at the manse and were accompanied by many of their parents. When they were all assembled, Miss Kate P. Murphy, on behalf of the young people, read the following address to Rev. W.M. Townsend, after which Miss Nellie L. Rogers presented the reverend gentleman on behalf of the young ladies, with a handsome leather dress suit case, and on behalf of the young men, Mr. James M. Jones presented him with a folding umbrella with the recipient's name engraved on the handle.

Dr. Townsend will be much missed in this part of Kent county and the best wishes of everybody, irrespective of creed, will go with him. The following is the address: Rev. Wm. Townsend, M.A. Friend and Pastor:—When we first heard of the possible departure of our beloved pastor from our midst we had a feeling of regret that such a possibility should be even mooted.

When we found that such action was manifest and it was definitely decided that the great majority of us were only girls and boys, little children, when you came amongst us nine and a half years ago, and most of us were just babes in arms, we were glad to see you, and we have grown physically and mentally, and we have grown in our spiritual growth.

Dr. McInerney then turned to the question of the proposed railway, and he said that he was glad to see that the government was taking such a strong interest in the matter. He said that he was glad to see that the government was taking such a strong interest in the matter.

NO MORE RHEUMATISM "FRUIT-A-TIVES" CURED HIM

Christopher D. Graham is a well known citizen of Ottawa—formerly in the City Hall and largely instrumental in forming the Ottawa Hunt Club. Mr. Graham's voluntary testimonial as to the great benefit he received from taking "Fruit-a-tives" will carry conviction.

I have been a sufferer from Rheumatism for a long time—pains in my shoulder and joints practically all the time. I tried various treatments without benefit and then I was recommended by a friend to try "Fruit-a-tives." I took several boxes of the tablets and now, for a long time, I have been entirely free from all rheumatism and rheumatic pains.

I wish to state, also, that I suffered from hemorrhoids, or piles, for years. I used all kinds of ointments and treatment and nothing did me any good, but after taking "Fruit-a-tives" for my rheumatism I am entirely cured of these dreadful piles. (Sgd) C. D. GRAHAM.

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STEAMERS C.P.R. ATLANTIC STEAMSHIPS IN ROYAL MAIL EMERGESSES

St. John and Liverpool Service. Feb. 21, 1908. Empress of Britain. Feb. 29, 1908. Lake Manitoba. Feb. 6, 1908. Empress of Ireland.

RAILROADS CANADIAN PACIFIC BETWEEN MONTREAL AND VANCOUVER

Doctor Hammond's NERVE AND BRAIN PILLS

ROYAL HOTEL, 41, 43 and 45 King Street, St. John, N. B.

THE DUFFERIN, Foster, Bond & Co. King Square, St. John, N. B.

SMOKE TEN-CENT CIGAR FOR SALE EVERYWHERE

CHEAPEST STORE IN THE CITY. Model Art Range, No. 4 & 6, high shelf, high metal, complete line of second hand goods, as good as new.

Times Daily Puzzle Picture. February 11, 1907.—One year ago today Thomas A. Edison was sixty years old and announced his intention to devote his time to scientific research hereafter in stead of to commercial work.

DOWLING BROS., The largest Retail Distributors of Ladies' Coats, Jackets and Blouse Waists in the Maritime Provinces.

Table Linens-Extra Value

- 66 in. CREAM TABLE DAMASK35c. yard
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18 x 34 White Linen HUCK TOWELS 20c. pair, hemmed ends all white.
18 x 38 White Linen HUCK TOWELS 20c. pair, hemmed ends, red border.

Hemming on Sheetings, Pillow Cottons, Linens, Etc., Free of Charge.

DOWLING BROTHERS, 95 and 101 King Street.

EVERY DAY!

We keep adding more goods to the Bargain Lots at the CLEAN-UP SALE now on at our King Street Store.

- Women's Dongola Strap Slippers, 68c, 88c, \$1.28 and \$1.38.
Men's Laced Boots, in Calf, Vicl, Patent and Enamel at \$3.50. Regular \$5.00 and \$5.50

Come and look through and see if you cannot see a pair of some kind to fit you there cheap.

WATERBURY & RISING, Dr.

Horse Blankets

OF EVERY DESCRIPTION.

For Stable or Street, 70c., 95c., \$1.10, 1.35, 1.50, 1.75, 2.25, 2.95, 3.00, 3.25, 3.50 Each.

S. W. McMackin

335 Main Street. Phone Main 600.

Grand Sale OF CHILDREN'S TOQUES AND TAMS.

75c Quality, Now 59c. 60c Quality, Now 49c. 50c Quality, Now 39c. Tams, regular 50c to 75c, Now 35c. Girls' Toboggan Sets, in navy and red, regular \$1.00 and \$1.25, Now 69c and 89c. As the number is limited the first come will get the peaches.

ANDERSON & CO., Manufacturing Furrier, 55 Charlotte Street.

Silverware at Less Than Cost

Tea Sets, Cake Baskets, Butter Dishes, Castors, Pickle Jars, etc., at less than cost. Great Reductions on all Lines of Gold Filled Jewelry. 1 Dozen Beautiful Solid Silver Neck Chains for young people, only 75c each.

DAVIS BROS., Reliable Jewelers, 24 Prince William Street, St. John, N. B.

The Boston Dental Parlors 527 Main Street. Full Sets of Teeth \$5.00. Best \$5.00 Gold Crowns in Canada. Gold Filling, \$1 up. Silver Filling, 50c. up. Bridge Work, \$3 and \$5. Teeth extracted absolutely without pain, 15 cts. Sole right to use the famous Hale Method. Finest Dental Apartments in Canada. None but Experts employed. Consultation Free. Office hours, 9 a. m. until 9 p. m. Care pass our door every five minutes. DR. J. D. MAHER, Proprietor

THIS EVENING

The Every Day Club Pastime Picture Company at the Opera House. John H. Roberts will lecture in Centenary church. Subject: 'The Story of My Life, from the Stage to the Cross and the Christian Service.'

LATE LOCALS

For nearly a month past water has been oozing up and forming ice on the sidewalk in front of a home on Acadia street, making it necessary for pedestrians to go into the street. Who is responsible? A meeting of the journeymen painters will be held in their hall, Charlotte St. at 8 o'clock tomorrow night. All members are particularly requested to be present as business of importance will be transacted.

Mrs. (Dr) Corbet gave a party Monday afternoon for her little daughter, Georgia (Byrdie) being her fifth birthday. Thirty little guests sat down to tea in the dining room which was prettily decorated with evergreen and pink carnations.

Miss Trafion, head of F. W. Daniel & Compy's millinery department, was a passenger on last evening's train for New York. She expects to spend sometime studying the early spring styles and looking up the season's novelties.

Among the matters to be considered by the school board at their meeting next Monday night will be the estimates for the year, the granting of increased salaries to the teachers and an application from J. Boyd McMann, trustee officers for an increase in salary from \$600 to \$800.

There will be a bean supper in the school room of the Ludlow street, west end, Baptist church tomorrow night from 6 to 8. This will be followed by a choice musical programme of about an hour and a half's duration. The affair is in aid of the choir of the church.

Despite the talk that has been heard of many unemployed men being in St. John, L. R. Ross, terminal agent of the I. C. R., said this morning that he had had difficulty in getting enough men to shovel snow in the I. C. R. yards. About sixty men could be utilized, but he has only about twenty have appeared for work.

OPPOSITION RALLY ON THURSDAY NIGHT

Candidates Will Address Big Meeting in Fairland Hall, Mill Street.

A rally of the opposition party will be held in Fairland Hall, Mill street, on Thursday evening at 8 p. m. There will be addresses by Robt. Maxwell, J. E. Wilson, Dr. J. P. McInerney, W. F. Hatheway and others.

POLICE COURT

Theft Case Against Yul Thompson Taken Up This Morning

The case of theft against Yul Thompson, who was last night arrested in the Ottawa Hotel bar by Deputy Chief Jenkins and Detective Kilien, on suspicion of stealing razors and other articles from a number of hotels in the city, came up for hearing in the police court this morning, and took the form of a preliminary hearing. After the evidence of Gabriel Simibaldi had been taken, the prisoner was remanded for three days.

Mr. Simibaldi told of being at dinner in Clark's Hotel, King square, on Saturday last, when he saw a man, whom he believes to have been Thompson, sitting at one of the tables, between G. S. Wetmore and another man, whose name he did not know--witness was only able to get a back view. He had heard some of the boarders tell of having missed various articles from their rooms, and had himself missed two razors, a silk handkerchief, a briar pipe and a necktie. The handkerchief and pipe he identified in court. The matter of the sixty-nine laborers who have been reported for working on the C. P. R., the Donkey and the Allan line steamships on the west side, without license, came up for hearing, but, as only a few of those reported appeared in court, the matter was set aside till Friday, and his honor directed that the parties reported be notified again. The matter may be settled in the afternoon. William Glose was fined \$8 or twenty days in jail for drunkenness.

AN UNKNOWN MAN MAY BE DROWNED

Man Supposed to Have Fallen Into Lovitt's Slip Last Evening

An unknown man is supposed to have been drowned last evening in the harbor, by falling into Lovitt's slip, Water street. The fire brigade were called out, grapples were used, search was made when the tide was low, but there was no sign of a man, and there were some who doubted that any one had fallen overboard. Langford Coram and Donald McDonald, however, are positive in their statements that they saw the man fall into the slip and the police believe their story.

GOING TO HARTLAND

Rev. E. C. Jenkins Has Resigned as Pastor of Ludlow St. Baptist Church.

Rev. E. C. Jenkins, who has been in charge of the pastorate of the Ludlow street Baptist church, has resigned his charge and will leave about the first of May for Hartland.

Rev. Mr. Jenkins tendered his resignation at a meeting of the trustees of the church last evening, and it was received with a great deal of regret, as during his pastorate the reverend gentleman has greatly endeared himself to the members of the church and congregation.

Rev. Mr. Jenkins, although a robust, healthy-looking man, has had a great deal of trouble with his throat, and he feels that the climate here is aggravating the trouble, and so has decided to go inland.

ALD. FRINK TALKS OUT

What Qualities He Thinks Are Necessary in a Mayoralty Candidate.

There has been much conjecture of late as to the probable aspirants for the mayoralty chair to be rendered vacant by Mayor Sears' entry into provincial politics.

The name of Alderman Bullock has been before the people for some time and he is in the fight to stay.

Many citizens have been urging Ald. J. H. Frink to run, but he has been undecided what course to pursue. Speaking of the matter this morning, Frink said: "It must be apparent to people who keep in touch with civic affairs that the situation demands a strong man for the position of mayor, not only strong intellectually but resourceful and above all a leader. My views do not harmonize with those of a majority of the council and I do not see how I can utilize effectively whatever ability I may have. The situation must be regarded as critical, however apathetic the citizens may be concerning it. My feeling just now is one of hesitancy and I am willing to support any person who comes forward for the position who, in my opinion, is equal to the occasion."

There are no doubt many citizens who are anxious that there should be a contest for the mayoral chair and if Ald. Frink should decide not to run an endeavor will be made to get some one to offer in his stead.

WHAT IT WILL COST

To Hear Sembrich, Van Hooser and Zadora Wednesday Next--Five Different Prices.

Notwithstanding the fact that the cost of bringing Sembrich and her associates to St. John is enormous, and more so than any previous entertainment enterprise, the prices will be by no means beyond the reach of any who may wish to attend the big musical and social event of the decade, locally. It will be worth the money to see the magnificent audience, more representative of the beauty and culture of the province than any that has previously gathered here. As will be noted in the regular advertising column, there will be five different prices, and all will be sold in advance. Those who do not wish to pay more can hear Sembrich at a price which means only a few admissions to a nickel show. No matter what one secures, whether an orchestra seat, a seat on the stage, standing room, or the gallery, no intelligent person who possesses the small sum necessary should miss this great event. The subscription list will remain at Landry's music store until tomorrow evening at eight o'clock and all those who purpose hearing Sembrich in the reserved seat portion of the house should sign at once.

MAY BE FRANK FOSTER

Man Who Collapsed from Hunger in Toronto Thought to Have Recently Lived in St. John.

A Toronto despatch to the Times yesterday told a pitiable story of a young Englishman, Thomas Foster, who collapsed on the street after being fifty-eight hours without food. He was taken to St. Michael's hospital. It is believed by several St. John people that the young man mentioned is Frank W. Foster, who was until a few months ago employed by the Dunlop, Cooke Company here. Foster left here about three months ago for Montreal, where he was looking for work. A letter received by a friend of Foster last week ago, stated that he had been unsuccessful, and it is thought he has been going west in search of employment, but has met with failure.

FUNERALS

The funeral of Leonard Williams took place this afternoon from his late home, corner of High and Acadia streets, north end, to St. Luke's church where service was said at 2:45 o'clock by Rev. R. P. McKim. The casket company of the church of which deceased was a member attended in a body.

The funeral of Miss Vera M. Macaulay took place this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from her father's home, 174 Carmarthen street. Service was conducted by Rev. J. E. Hand and interment was at Cedar Hill.

The funeral of Mrs. Daniel Michaud took place this afternoon from her late home, Three Mile House at 2:30 o'clock to the Cathedral where service was said by Rev. D. S. O'Keefe. Interment was in the New Catholic cemetery. The pall bearers were Wm. McIntyre, Wm. Newcombe, J. B. Hamr, Angus Chaisson, David McLeod and David Connell.

The funeral of George Brown was held at noon today on the arrival of the Boston train. Service was conducted by Rev. H. R. Reid, and interment was at Cedar Hill.

OPPOSITION RALLY IN WEST ST. JOHN

The supporters of the provincial opposition will hold a grand rally in the Orange Hall, west side, at 8 p. m., Wednesday. The speakers will be Robert Maxwell, W. Frank Hatheway, John E. Wilson and Dr. J. P. McInerney.

OPPOSITION RALLY IN FAIRVILLE TONIGHT

The opposition rally in the county tonight will be opened at 8 o'clock in Orange hall, Fairville. H. A. Powell, K. C., and the county candidates--Messrs. Clark and Hancock--will be the speakers. Lanecaster organization will be completed after the speech-making.

TO STUDY NEW YORK STYLES.

Miss Hoyt, of M. R. A.'s wholesale millinery department, and Miss McBeath, of the costume section, have gone to New York to confer with Messrs. A. V. Boncompagni and W. L. Robson, European buyers, in the matter of American styles. Messrs. Branscombe and Robson are returning from London and Paris at present.

Valentine party at Queen's Hall, St. James street, Friday evening. Former pupils and advance class invited. (Committee supply valentines).

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