

BALKANS PEACE TERMS WOULD STRIP TURKEY

Include Huge War Indemnity Besides Other Demands.

MUST GIVE UP ALL BUT CONSTANTINOPLE

Peninsula of Gallipoli, Fortresses of Adrianople, Scutari and Janina, and an Extended Frontier, Part of Price of Peace.

London, March 2.—The Turkish government has definitely abandoned its prohibitive stipulations in connection with the bringing about of a cessation of hostilities and has placed the hands of the European powers with a request to conclude peace as advantageously as possible for Turkish interests. Unless, as so often has been the case heretofore, Turkey again changes her mind before the negotiations can be brought to fruition, it is the opinion of official quarters here that direct peace negotiations will be resumed speedily with every prospect of an early settlement and a cessation of the war in which the five Balkan nations are engaged.

Ally's Peace Terms.
Rome, March 2.—According to official information received here the Balkan States will insist upon the following conditions for the conclusion of peace, even through the mediation of the powers:

First—The contracting parties pledge themselves to the immediate and simultaneous cessation of hostilities after the signing of the treaty of peace.

Second—Contemporaneously Turkey must surrender to the Allies Adrianople, Scutari and Janina.

Third—The Bulgaria-Turkish frontier shall extend from Rodosto to Midia, the exact line to be established by a military commission, composed of Bulgarians and Turks.

Fourth—The Peninsula of Gallipoli to be ceded to the Allies.

Fifth—All the Aegean islands occupied at present by the Greeks to be ceded to the Allies.

Sixth—Prisoners of war and hostages to be exchanged with the briefest delay.

Seventh—Turkey to pay the Allies \$200,000,000 war indemnity, deducting from it, however, that portion of the Ottoman public debt borne by the Turkish European provinces.

Eighth—A special representative of the Sultan to be permitted in the Balkan territory for religious purposes, having under his jurisdiction all mosques, pious funds and church properties.

Ninth—All treaties, conventions and agreements existing between the Allies and Turkey before the commencement of the war, to be re-established.

Turks Fear Internal Trouble.
Constantinople, March 2.—The government appears to be apprehensive of a fresh revolution since the discovery of a conspiracy on Thursday last, when several prominent officers and civilians, including a former military governor, were placed under arrest.

The Young Turk leaders are nervous, and the garrison has been increased by two regiments. The guards at the Porte have also been strengthened and other measures have been taken to enable the immediate suppression of any attempted coup.

Many officers have been dismissed from the army for meddling in politics. Thirteen officers delegated by the army at Tchatalja to make representations to the government were arrested today on their arrival at Constantinople. The severe weather continues and the country is covered with snow.

Fire on Foreign Ships.
Constantinople, March 2.—French

SUFFRAGETTES ARE ROUGHLY USED BY MOBS

London Losing Temper With "Glass Smashers" — Women Threatened with Striping and Ducking.

London, March 2.—The public temper is rising against the suffragettes. Wild scenes were witnessed in Hyde Park this afternoon when a mob of several thousand broke up a suffragette meeting held under the leadership of "General" Mrs. Flora Drummond. Several free fights occurred and masses of turf torn from the ground were hurled at the speakers. It required a strong body of police to protect the suffragettes and escort them to a place of safety. Scenes occurred at a meeting at Wimbledon Common. In both cases women were knocked down and bruised. The crowds of people in the streets also showed a manifestly hostile spirit and a number of wrecked barrel organs and dishevelled suffragettes was the result of this evening. The police in several instances had to go to the rescue of women who had fallen into the hands of gangs who threatened to strip and duck them in the nearest fountains.

MONCTON CLERGYMAN SCORES ROUGH HOCKEY

Says if Similar Conduct Occurred on Streets Participants Would be Arrested — Moncton Team Disbanded.

Special to The Standard.
Moncton, March 2.—The Sydney team having declined to accept the challenge of Moncton to play two games in the Halifax Arena for a side bet of \$1,000, Moncton has disbanded and the players left today for their homes. In the Central Methodist church to-night, Rev. J. L. Batty preached on the church and sport, in which he condemned the craze for professional hockey and the way in which the game is played. He said if some of the acts committed during hockey games were committed on the streets, the players would be arrested by the police.

ORDAINED TO PRIESTHOOD OF CHURCH OF ENGLAND

Special to The Standard.
Fredericton, N. B., March 2.—At Christ Church Cathedral this morning, Rev. Brinley Abbott, in charge of the parish of Southampton, was ordained priest and M. Franquette and E. Best, of England, and F. Ellis, of Toronto, were ordained deacons. His Lordship Bishop Richardson was in charge of the service. The candidates were presented by Very Rev. Dean Schofield and the Bishop was assisted in the laying on of hands by the dean, Rev. Canon Smithers, and Rev. C. K. Whalley, of Oromocto. Rev. Mr. Whalley preached and the new organist, W. J. Smith, of Scotland, was in charge of the music for the first time. and Italian steamers passing Charkeul have been fired upon by the Bulgarians. An Italian vessel was badly damaged, and as a consequence was beached. It is reported that British vessels also have attracted the fire of the Bulgarians.

CANADA'S GROWTH SHOWN IN LARGER CUSTOMS RECEIPTS

Special to The Standard.
Ottawa, March 2.—The ever-increasing volume of customs receipts is shown in the returns for the eleven months of the present fiscal year. The revenues for the eleven months, ending on Friday, was \$106,405,000, compared with \$77,716,000 for the corresponding eleven months of the last fiscal year. This shows an increase of \$28,789,000, or in other words, the increase for the eleven months of this fiscal year is greater than the entire customs revenue for the fiscal year 1908-9, which was \$78,726,000. This is showing not only supplies ample testimony of the remarkable prosperity throughout the Dominion,

LAURIER NEGOTIATING WITH LEADER OF NATIONALISTS

Liberals in Serious Position on Question of Naval Aid.

LEADER FOLLOWS BOURASSA IN DEMANDING AN ELECTION

Utter Inconsistency of Liberal Course Plainly Shown — Opposition Favor Any Action, no Matter How Unpatriotic, to Defeat Mr. Borden's Plan to Aid the Empire.

Special to The Standard.
Ottawa, March 2.—The political situation at present is at an interesting point. The naval legislation has made steady progress, the resolution having been passed and second reading given, but at each stage there has been unnecessarily long talking and much time-wasting debate. Throughout the progress of the bill the opposition has talked a great deal about obstructing, has wasted time in repetition and irrelevant speaking and has not quite obstructed. The testing time now has come, and it remains to be seen whether the bill will be allowed to go through committee of the whole with reasonable discussion. There are only five clauses, and beyond a certain point there is little in the way of detail to debate. The Prime Minister already has given nearly if not quite all the details necessary.

Friday's proceedings were interesting. The first clause of the bill merely provides that the act may be cited as the "Naval Aid Act." Upon this clause the OPPOSITION DELIBERATELY WASTED THE TIME OF THE HOUSE FROM HALF PAST THREE IN THE AFTERNOON UNTIL NEARLY MIDNIGHT IN DISCUSSION, THE GREATER PART OF WHICH WAS AIMLESS AND IRRELEVANT. PORTIONS OF THE SPEECHES OF MR. PUGLEBY AND DR. CLARK WERE SIMPLY FOOLISH. Upon the simple question of a convenient name by which the bill may be cited they attempted to debate almost every conceivable question connected with all the navies of the world.

Government Will Not Permit Obstruction.
These filibustering tactics will be not firmly and adequately by the government, which has NO INTENTION OF PERMITTING THE PUBLIC BUSINESS OF THE COUNTRY TO BE OBSTRUCTED OR HINDERED BY THE CLAMOR OF AN IRRESPONSIBLE MINORITY. That renders this the silliest and most unbecoming position in which the opposition could be placed on the second reading of a bill.

No party ever found itself in a more humiliating position than the opposition on Thursday night, when their true situation was revealed in the Prime Minister's speech. Sir Wilfrid Laurier made a good fighting speech which aroused the enthusiasm of his followers, and at its conclusion they were smiling and confident. Within fifteen minutes after Mr. Borden rose both the smiles and the confidence had vanished. There were hurried searchings for their situation as such as the Prime Minister had portrayed.

When the truth at last dawned upon their inner consciousness a more forlorn looking opposition was never seen in any parliament.

The Opposition's Untenable Position.
The situation may be summed up as follows: Even since Sir Wilfrid Laurier introduced his first amendment on the twelfth of December last, the opposition have been working themselves into a paroxysm of fury upon the following contentions: First—That it is unconstitutional and outrageous to appropriate public money of Canada to increasing or assisting the naval forces of the Empire because, as they claim, the Parliament of Canada has no authority to make any provision for defense except the defence of its own territory. Second—That in any case the naval defence of the Empire is absolutely sufficient, and that there is no need whatever to make any provision for defence, which should be provided for by the British taxpayer alone. Third—That in any case no sum should be appropriated until after a general election.

Liberals Caught in Their Own Trap.
Until Thursday night the Liberals had apparently either overlooked or forgotten the fact that under Laurier's amendment they have voted for the following paragraph of the naval bill: "FROM AND OUT OF THE CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUND OF THE DOMINION OF CANADA, THERE MAY BE PAID AND APPLIED A SUM NOT EXCEEDING THIRTY-FIVE MILLION DOLLARS FOR THE PURPOSE OF IMMEDIATELY INCREASING THE EFFECTIVE NAVAL FORCES OF THE EMPIRE."

They have shouted until they were hoarse that any such appropriation was unconstitutional, but in their own vote in the House of February 13 they have declared not only that such an appropriation is entirely constitutional, but that it is eminently proper.

Laurier's amendment further proceeded to declare that the consent of the naval forces of the Empire in home waters rendered it necessary that Canada, without further delay should enter actively upon a permanent policy of naval defence and that effect should be given to such policy during the present session by establishment of two fleet units.

THE PRIME MINISTER SHOWED CONCLUSIVELY THAT THE CONSTRUCTION OF TWO SUCH FLEET UNITS, BUILT IN CANADA, AS PROPOSED BY LAURIER, WOULD COST AT LEAST \$68,000,000. UNITS WOULD BE AT LEAST \$4,500,000, AND THAT OTHER NECESSARY EXPENDITURE IN ESTABLISHING A NAVAL ORGANIZATION DURING THE NEXT TEN YEARS, IF LAURIER'S POLICY WERE ENBARKED UPON, WOULD AMOUNT TO AT LEAST \$7,000,000, MAKING A TOTAL EXPENDITURE OF \$150,000,000 WITHIN TEN YEARS FROM THE DATE OF COMPLETION.

The position, therefore, is this:—Laurier and his followers contend that because the Empire is perfectly safe, because there is no need, or emergency, or peril, Canada should embark upon a permanent policy involving an expenditure, within a little more than ten years, of one hundred and fifty millions. The cogency of this illustration of their position did not tend to encourage the Liberals in their task of opposing the government's measure.

Laurier Opposed Submission to People.
As to submitting the question to the people, Mr. Borden showed that ON FOUR OCCASIONS, IN 1910, SIR WILFRID LAURIER DELIBERATELY VOTED AGAINST SUBMITTING A PERMANENT NAVAL POLICY TO THE PEOPLE, but the most crushing reply which he made to the leader of the Opposition was this: That he proved to a demonstration that during the present session LAURIER AND HIS FOLLOWERS, ON THE SAME DATE, HAD VOTED FIRST THAT THERE SHOULD BE AN APPEAL TO THE PEOPLE, AND TWO HOURS AFTERWARD THAT THERE SHOULD NOT BE AN APPEAL TO THE PEOPLE.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier's amendment called for immediate action during the present session by provision of two fleet units. Mr. Verville's amendment provided that the resolution should not take effect until submitted to the people. These two resolutions were diametrically opposed to each other. One denied emphatically that any appeal to the people should be taken. Laurier and his followers voted for these two contradictory motions on the same night.

Mr. Verville's motion was inspired by those Nationalists in Quebec who are opposed to doing anything whatever for the defence of the Empire. It carried out the policy of "Le Devoir," the organ of Mr. Bourassa.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier, although his own motion called for immediate aid in the establishment of two fleet units, accepted through Verville, swallowed his own first proposal, and DELIVERED HIMSELF INTO THE HANDS OF BOURASSA, WITH WHOM HE IS SAID TO BE IN SECRET NEGOTIATION.

Such negotiations are on foot is shown by the fact that the equipment of Mr. Turville, which was prepared under Sir Wilfrid Laurier's direction, and with his approval, carried out the policy of Bourassa by demanding that a general election shall take place before any effective aid to the defence of the Empire shall be given.

THE BRITISH POLITICIANS ARE RESTING

Election for London County Council is Interesting.

NATIONAL POLITICS ARE HOWEVER QUIET.

May Be Compromise on Home Rule Question — Municipal Parties Drag St. Paul's Cathedral Into Politics.

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London, March 2.—There is a profound calm for the moment in British politics, both armies being exhausted by the strenuous campaign of the last three years. Indeed, so great is the weariness of the political class that it is doubtful if any effort will succeed in arousing them from their lethargy in the approaching session, which seems likely to be devoted to recuperation in preparation for the decisive action of 1914.

There is even a marked and increasing desire among the Liberals to minimize the issues (such as the tariff) which have been the cause of contention with Home Rule. In a section of the chamber, known as the "Home Rule Club," it was stated that to this session Hon. Mr. Birrell will be present, while it is understood that Lloyd George was never blindly attached to Home Rule. At present the movement has not taken definite shape in the Liberal party in England, but in Ireland moderate Home Rule is already forming committees to promote an arrangement.

At the obstacles to the final passage of the measure into law are reduced, a certain feeling of nervous doubt as to the details of the bill is increased. Proximity to the actual decision has the effect of making the distance gape; thus a compromise is in the air, but it is difficult to see how it can be reached. Possibly some Unionists are unwilling to reach an agreement and settlement by consent, but the difficulty consists in finding a common ground of discussion.

The differences between the parties are not merely on details, which are capable of adjustment, but on essential points of principle, between which the gulf seems unbridgeable. Nevertheless, the willingness on the side of the victorious party to give up some of the results of victory, when ultimate triumph is assured, is very significant, and is suggestive of curious developments.

A Municipal Election.
While Parliament rests, London politicians are waging a fierce war in the triennial election of the members of the London county council. Counts are proceeding in all the 59 London constituencies, each returning two members, between the municipal reformers and the progressives. The former represent the Conservative and the latter the Liberals. Last election was gained by the Conservatives by a majority of one, the deciding member being himself elected by a majority in a poll of some thousands.

The conflict is therefore strenuous, since the result is not only important as affecting the vast interests of the metropolis, but being an index of the political tendencies. In this respect it is not always reliable, since the vote in municipal elections is much smaller than in parliamentary contests; still the election is not altogether negligible as a political sign of the times, and as such is being followed with interest throughout the country.

On this occasion the progressives have dragged St. Paul's Cathedral into the controversy. In consequence of reports of the movement of the structure and of the danger of disturbing the subsoil, the council have decided not to construct an underground tramway near the east end of the Cathedral as contemplated.

The progressives, thereupon, accused the opponents of the deliberate policy of impeding tramway development in the metropolis. The city treats the charge as a huge joke, being greatly concerned at the revealed defects in the great imperial church.

The latest engineer's reports declare that not only considerable subsidence has occurred, but that a portion of the edifice is actually moving at the present time, and that the stability of the fabric is being seriously affected by the vibration of heavy motor traffic. As St. Paul's is a common asset of the Empire, the statesmanlike attitude of the London progressives is not uninteresting.

CLAIMS UNITED STATES INFRINGED ON TREATY

VESUVIUS IS ANGRY, FEAR FELT BY ALL

Persistent Rumbblings Heard For Sometime Past Create Consternation Among those Living Near.

Naples, March 2.—The rumbling of Mount Vesuvius, which has been persistent for some time past, has caused considerable alarm, in the fear that eruption may be pending. New cracks and fissures are to be seen, and a great mass of basalt has rolled down, its dark outline contrasting against the white bed of snow. Prof. Mercalli, director of the observatory, and his assistant, Prof. Mallada, have made an ascent of the mountain and Prof. Mallada descended into the crater, which has been extinct since the eruption of 1906. He found it filled with snow, the lower strata showing no signs of melting. This indicates, said Director Mercalli in an explanation, "that the zone of fire is still a very considerable distance from the bottom of this crater and is sufficient to disprove alarmist reports. It is inevitable that the activity of the volcano will be resumed, but that is not probable for from five to twenty years."

UNPOPULARITY OF THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT'S INSURANCE ACT GROWS

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London, March 2.—The work of the Insurance Act reveals weekly fresh grievances which tend to its unpopularity. The insurance committees recently issued regulations inflicting fines on persons calling in doctors on Sunday without sufficient cause.

The question is asked: How can the patient decide the gravity of the situation without advice? The preliminary symptoms of many maladies are very ordinary, such as appendicitis and pneumonia, though they are diseases in which prompt attention is essential. Under the rules, patients may fear calling a doctor until too late, for fear of penalties. It also appears that the insurance is already on the increase, as might be expected from the example of Germany where the amount of illness increased alarmingly on the passage of the insurance act.

AVIATOR KILLED.
Verzon, France, March 2.—Lieut. Porteau was killed here today when the aeroplane in which he was making a flight crashed to the ground.

U. S. TROOPS CLASH WITH MEXICANS.

El Paso, Tex., March 2.—In a running fight, on the border, near Douglas, Arizona, early today, between Mexican soldiers and troops of the Ninth United States Cavalry, four Mexicans were killed.

None of the American troops were killed or wounded, according to the advices received here late today.

GERMANS WILL CONTRIBUTE A VAST SUM FOR ARMY UPLIFT

Berlin, March 2.—Emperor William is credited in connection with the proposed increase in the peace footing of the German army with the remark: "1913 was a year of sacrifice. Let 1914 also be so for everyone, for the time is scarcely less critical than 1913."

The first cost of Germany's increased armaments, according to a semi-official announcement today, is to be covered by an unprecedented general levy on property. German subjects throughout the empire are to be called upon to contribute a lump sum in proportion to their possessions. The retaining houses, according to an unofficial report, are to be asked to sacrifice their freedom from taxation.

Great Britain Answers Congress on Panama Canal Dispute

IS INCONSISTENT WITH AGREEMENT

Ambassador Bryce, in Official Note, Makes Clear the Position of England — Is Contrary to the Hay-Paunczefote Treaty Rights.

Washington, D. C., March 2.—Great Britain's final word to the Taff administration on the Panama canal tolls dispute made public today, insisted that a case for settlement under the Hay-Paunczefote treaty had arisen, but suggested in effect that there would not be time to discuss the subject before the United States government changed hands.

Secretary of State Knox acknowledged receipt of this communication without committing the state department to an answer, reserving to his successor the decision of the question of whether it is proper to make such answer at all, or to await another communication from the British government containing the argument.

This latest British note which was submitted to Secretary Knox yesterday instead of being a communication from Sir Edward Grey, the foreign minister, was a set of "observations" by Ambassador Bryce. The ambassador explained his reasons for submitting at this stage an objection to the decision of the actual collection of tolls from British ships, while American ships were allowed to pass free.

The British Note.
The note follows:—His Majesty's government is unable before the administration leaves office, to reply fully to the arguments contained in your despatch of the seventh ultimo to the United States charge d'affaires at London, regarding the difference of opinion, that has arisen between the two governments as to the interpretation of the Hay-Paunczefote treaty. They desire me in the meantime to offer the following observations with regard to the argument, that no case has yet arisen calling for any submission to arbitration of the points in difference between His Majesty's government and that of the United States on the interpretation of the Hay-Paunczefote treaty, because no actual injury has, as yet, resulted to any British interest. All that has been done so far, is to pass an act of congress under which action held by His Majesty's government to be prejudicial to British interests might be taken.

"From this view, His Majesty's government holds bound to express their dissent. They conceive that international law or usage does not support the doctrine that the passing of a statute in contravention of a treaty affords no ground of complaint for the infraction of that right and that a nation which holds that its treaty rights have been so infringed, or brought into question by a denial that they exist, must, before protesting and seeking a means of determining the point at issue, wait until some injury has been done, or until its rights in a concrete instance, has been taken, which in the present instance, would, according to your argument, seem to consist in tolls having been actually levied upon British vessels, from which vessels owned by citizens of the United States have been exempted.

"The terms of the proclamation issued by the President fixing the canal tolls, and the particular method which your note sets forth, as having been adopted by him, in his discretion, on a given occasion for determining on what basis they should be fixed do not appear to His Majesty's government to affect the general issue as to the meaning of the Hay-Paunczefote treaty which they have raised.

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MARINE NEWS

MINIATURE ALMANAC

Table with 2 columns: Day, Month. Rows for March phases of the moon.

SCHR. TOTAL WRECK. Schr. Montrose W. Hock, from Tampa for New York...

SAVED IN BREECHES BUOY. Cape Henry, Va., Feb. 28.—Schr. Zacheus Sherman, Scranton, from Port Royal Feb 24 for New York...

DISASTERS TO STEAMERS. London, Feb. 27.—The steam. Yoro (Br) from New Orleans before report...

LETITIA FROM GLASGOW. The Donaldson Line steamer Letitia Capt. McNeill, sailed from Glasgow for this port Saturday with a large general cargo...

THE ALLAN LINE. The steamer Pomeranian, Captain J. A. Snowball and C. D. Ruddle, left port Saturday afternoon from London and Saturday with passengers and general cargo...

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VESSLS BOUND TO ST. JOHN

Table with 2 columns: Vessel Name, Destination. Rows for various ships bound to St. John.

VESSLS IN PORT

Table with 2 columns: Vessel Name, Origin. Rows for various ships in port.

PORT OF ST. JOHN, N. B.

Arrived Saturday, March 1, 1913. Str. Empress of Ireland, 6288, Forest, Liverpool, CPR, mds and pass. Str. Pomeranian, 2834, Hains, London and Havre, Wm Thomson and Co mds and pass.

BRITISH PORTS

London, Feb. 21.—Sid: Str. Lake Champlain. Belfast, Feb. 27.—Arr: Str. Bray Head, Str. John. London, Feb. 28.—Sid: Str. Kanawha, Kellman, Halifax and St. John; Monrose, Webster, Halifax and St. John; 27th: Str. Lake Michigan, Parry, Str. John.

FOREIGN PORTS

Pensacola, Fla. Feb 22.—Arr: Sch. Margaret G. Havana. Kahulu, Feb 2.—Arr: bark Jordan Hill, Iquique. Pascagoula, Miss. Feb 27.—Arr: bark Golden Rod, Jarvis, Mobile. Buenos Ayres, Feb 2.—Sid: ship Avon, Barbados for orders.

FEARED STEAMER FOUNDERED

Port Arthur, Tex. Feb 27.—No tidings have yet been received of overdue Str. Theresia Horn (Ger.) which left here 46 days ago for Rotterdam with a cargo of oil. It is feared that she foundered in the Gulf.

CAPTAIN AND CREW DROWNED

St. John's, Nfld., Feb 21.—Sch. Lucy Beck, from Colby, for this port with salt, has been totally wrecked near St. Lawrence. Capt. Robert Courtney, the cook, named McCarthy, and Seaman Hally were drowned.

CHATHAM NEWS

Chatham, Feb. 26.—The roasting mill of the Miramichi Lumber Co. at Morris Cove, will be in operation this summer and is being put in readiness for the beginning of work. The foreman of the mill, Daniel Delaney, of Pentecost, Que., has had many years of experience with the St. Maurice Lumber Co. Albert McLean who has been connected with the company since its organization, and has worked for 24 years in the Muirhead mill, has been appointed foreman. Mr. McLean has a fine record.

FOR SAFETY AT SEA

London, March 1.—The regulations formulated by the British board of trade looking to the greater safety of life at sea become operative today. In general, the regulations provide that all seagoing ships shall be equipped with lifeboats and life-saving appliances sufficient to accommodate the entire passenger list. Steamships carrying passengers on short excursions during the summer months shall be supplied with boats for 70 per cent of the total number of persons they are certified to carry.

LETITIA FROM GLASGOW

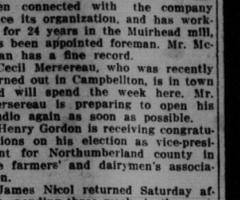
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Dated St. John, N. B., the seventh day of February, 1913. SLIPP & HANSON, Solicitors for The New Brunswick Hydro-Electric Co.

RECLAMATION OF THE EAST SIDE OF COURTENAY BAY, ST. JOHN, N. B. In the matter of Chapter 115 "Navigable Waters Protection Act," R. S. C. 1906, notice is hereby given that a description and plan of a reclamation to be formed on the east side of Courtenay Bay, St. John, N. B., have been deposited with the Hon. Minister of Public Works, Ottawa, and duplicate thereof with the Registrar of Deeds for the County of St. John, N. B., 30 days after date application will be made to the Governor General-in-Council for approval thereof.

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CAPTAIN AND CREW DROWNED. St. John's, Nfld., Feb 21.—Sch. Lucy Beck, from Colby, for this port with salt, has been totally wrecked near St. Lawrence. Capt. Robert Courtney, the cook, named McCarthy, and Seaman Hally were drowned.

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A NEW SOURCE OF WEALTH.

The legislation introduced by Mr. Fleming for the cultivation and propagation of oysters on the barren beds in Bay Verte is a movement on practical and progressive lines which cannot fail to result in the revival of this great industry. The oyster industry in the Maritime Provinces years ago was one of very great importance. In the year 1880 61,549 barrels of oysters were produced in these Provinces. From that date down to the present there has been a continuous falling off and in the year 1911 there were only 27,005 barrels of oysters produced, of which 14,043 barrels were from beds in New Brunswick.

An inspection of these figures leaves no doubt as to the fact that the industry has seriously declined and was in danger of becoming a thing of the past. The seriousness of the situation has been fully realized both by Mr. Hazen and Mr. Fleming. Last year as a result of co-operation and agreement between the Federal and Provincial Governments the Minister of Marine and Fisheries introduced an amendment to the Fisheries Act empowering the Provinces to lease their oyster beds under terms and conditions authorized by the Governor-General in Council. By this means a method was found under which licenses could be issued without raising the question of fishery rights and without prejudice to the claims of other Provinces in any way. Arising out of this satisfactory settlement the Bill introduced by Mr. Fleming is now before the Legislature.

It is not the intention of the Government at present to deal with live oyster beds but to secure authority to carry on surveys and to deal exclusively with barren areas. To that end negotiations have been entered into with the Canadian Oyster Company of Toronto which is desirous of leasing an area of barren bottoms in Bay Verte. The conditions under which the lease will be granted are fair and reasonable and should tend to great development.

The company agrees to spend \$10,000 annually, for seven years, in the work of preparing the beds and in other directions connected with the industry. It will take at least four years before oysters from these beds will be ready for the market. The company expects to be able to fill 100 acres of beds each year and after January 1st, 1920, is prepared to pay the Province a royalty of 25 cents a barrel. The royalty shall not amount to less than \$5,000 annually.

The Province will be making no mistake in accepting these proposals. The comparatively small area which the company will develop at first will add \$5,000 to the revenue annually and that amount is only a fraction, as Mr. Fleming stated, of what may be expected when a much larger area is brought to a state of productiveness. It means a beginning of the development of the oyster industry of the Province on practical lines and holds out the probability that when the whole area under lease to the company is brought to a state of productiveness it will provide more oysters than were produced in all Canada last year. The Legislature has the assurance of Mr. Fleming that the Government will safeguard the interests of the Province in every way. There is much force in the Premier's contention that the proposed legislation will create wealth and bring revenue to the Province from a source that has hitherto been unproductive.

AT THE BAR OF THE HOUSE.

A case of some local interest is recalled by the Vancouver News-Advertiser in referring to the position of Mr. Richard C. Miller, who is incarcerated in the Carleton county jail, Ottawa, for refusing to answer questions at the bar of the House of Commons. It happened twenty-one years ago, and the reluctant witness brought to the bar on that occasion was Mr. Michael Connolly. The Larkin-Connolly (McGreavy) contracts were under investigation. There were charges against the Conservative Administration then in power.

Mr. Tarte, who was prosecuting the charges, caused Mr. Connolly, one of the contractors, to be summoned, with an order to bring the books of the firm and all his own private accounts, bank books and other papers. The witness appeared and officers of Parliament brought from the office of the firm several boxes of books. While the witness said he was willing to show in the books any items relating to the contract, he refused to allow the fifty members of the Committee to take possession of all the private papers and search them through. The books contained records of all the contracts and business of the firm for many years and he did not wish to have them all made public.

But this Committee controlled by Conservatives, with a Conservative chairman, and with Sir John Thompson, Minister of Justice, taking the lead asserted its rights. Mr. Connolly stood over his box of books and defended them. He was brought to the bar of the House and there told that he must either give up everything or go to jail. Finding resistance useless Mr. Connolly gave up and the Committee took possession of all his books and papers.

"This," comments the News-Advertiser, "was what a Conservative Minister did to compel a witness to give evidence and disclose the facts against a Department of the Government and against the party of which he was a leader. We should expect a Government of the same party to do as much today to compel witnesses to testify in a public investigation."

DIARY OF EVENTS

THE HUMAN PROCESSION

SIR JOHN MURRAY.

Canada gave the world its greatest oceanographer in Sir John Murray, who was born in Colburn, Ont., two years ago today, March 3, 1841. The distinguished ocean explorer, who knows all the depths of the deep by their first names, was educated at an accountant, and was educated in the public schools of London, Ont., and at Victoria College in his native town, with a post-graduate course at Edinburgh University.

In the interests of science he has visited all parts of the world, and his contributions to geographical, geographical and biological knowledge have been invaluable. Nobody knows better than Sir John the queer and curious creatures that have their habit of miles below the surface of the sea.

Sir John's first scientific voyage was as a naturalist on board a whaler which visited Spitzbergen and the Arctic regions. He was one of the naturalists on board H. M. S. Challenger when it made its famous circuit of the world—a cruise that yielded a greater wealth of scientific data than any other of its kind before or since.

His explorations of the physical and biological conditions of the great ocean basins added tremendously to the stock of knowledge on such subjects which had been hitherto meagre. His report on the expedition, which filled half a hundred massive volumes. Scores of other expeditions have since followed, but none have surpassed Sir John's. His attainments have won recognition from all the great scientific bodies and universities of the world.

Sir John Murray, inventor and perfected numerous appliances for bringing to the surface the strange fishes and other creatures which dwell at the bottom of the sea, and to five miles beneath the surface—abysses where sunlight never reaches, realms of cold and darkness and perpetual silence. Fishes and other creatures never reach the surface alive, the change in water pressure causing their death.

SIR ERNEST CASSELL.

One of England's greatest merchants, Right Hon. Sir Ernest Cassell, will pass his sixty-first milestone today. He was born in Colburn, the son of a German banker, and was one of the pioneers among English merchants to recognize the power of advertising. Wealth and honors have been his reward.

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There are 12,500,000 telephones in the world, thanks to the genius of Alexander Graham Bell, who was born in Edinburgh, Scotland, sixty-six years ago today. For years the inventor of the telephone vainly sought capital to back his "mad and impossible contrivance." It is on record that former United States Senator Depew was offered a sixth interest in the company for \$10,000.

FROM THE BOOK-SHELF

PRESIDENTIAL WEATHER

Rumor, often "A Lying Jade," declares that Medicine Hat has spoiled Most Inauguration Days in the United States—Past Records Not Encouraging.

There is tradition that Medicine Hat supplies the North American continent with all its winter weather, and, if this be true, that Albertian municipality has much to answer for in the case of spoiling the inauguration festivities of presidents of the United States. Every body in the United States hopes that the President-elect, Woodrow Wilson, but statistics are all against the cherishing of such hopes. Here is what the Medicine Hat "Jinx" has done to former presidents of the United States:

Extreme cold marked Washington's first inauguration to office, and rain damped the ardor of the participants in the second inaugural of the father of his country. Madison was greeted by fair weather and so was Jefferson in 1801, but in 1805 a snow storm marked the beginning of the second inauguration. Madison had one fair inauguration day and one very cold and cloudy one. Monroe's two terms began with cold and snow. The weather was fair and cold when J. Q. Adams began his term, Jackson's first inauguration was meteorologically auspicious, his second very cold.

Jupiter Pluvius smiled on Van Buren, but frowned on W. H. Harrison, and the latter caught a cold from which he died a month after taking the oath of office. Polk's inaugural was a clear, cold day. Snow storms marked the beginning of the Taylor and Pierce regimes. Buchanan had a fair day for his inaugural. Cold weather marked both Lincoln inaugurals. The first Grant administration began with rain and the second with a howling blizzard.

Clouds overcast the sky on Hayes's inaugural day, and snow greeted Garfield. Very cold weather prevailed in Washington when Cleveland was inaugurated the first time, and his second inaugural was accompanied by a blizzard that caused the death of five people from exposure. Harrison's regime began on a rainy day. McKinley's first introduction to office was marked by pleasant weather, his second by rain. Roosevelt's administration began with a rainy day. Every body knows what J. P. Mulvey, or Prof. Willis Moore, or the mayor of Medicine Hat—fix the responsibility to suit yourself—did to President Taft four years ago.

FIRST THINGS

THE STATE OF MINNESOTA. The first separate government for the State of Minnesota was established by act of the United States Congress nearly sixty-four years ago today when it was made territory with the name of Minnesota. The Minnesota country was formally taken over by France in 1680. In 1760 it was annexed to the British Dominion and six years later, when Lord Selkirk, an Englishman, explored a considerable part of it.

After the American revolution, parts of the territory were successively included in the territories of Indiana, Upper Louisiana, Illinois, Michigan, Wisconsin and Iowa. The territorial government formed in 1858 and in 1859

PROVINCIAL PERSONALS.

(Moncton Times, March 1.) James Rosa, of St. John, was in town yesterday and registered at the Brunswick.

D. Sampson and wife, of Campbellton, are in the city and are staying at the Brunswick.

Misses Doris and Eleanor Metalar entertained a number of their friends last evening at their home on Queen street.

Mrs. Pitt Murray, of Sussex, is visiting friends in the city.

Mrs. H. B. Jarvis returned yesterday from a visit to St. John, N. B.

Geo. H. Trueman, who has been confined to his home through illness for the past few days, is reported improving.

Messrs. Seymour and Joshua Peters have returned to Montreal after attending the funeral of their father, the late Joshua Peters.

(Yarmouth Times.) Captain Henry Smith, of the Standard Oil Co.'s barque Brilliant, arrived from Philadelphia on Wednesday to visit relatives in Yarmouth, which will be a very quiet one, will take place at the parish church, New Ross, N. S., on Wednesday, April 23rd next.

(Halifax Chronicle.) Mrs. John Pearce, who accompanied her husband, Capt. Pearce, of the Elder-Dempster liner Sokoto, on the round trip to Mexico, returned on the ship last evening and is again a guest at the Birchdale.

Captain W. Edwin and Mrs. Larder, of New Ross, announce the marriage of their eldest daughter, Mabel Blanche, and Rev. George Owen Chease, rector of Christian Church, New Ross. The wedding, which will be a very quiet one, will take place at the parish church, New Ross, N. S., on Wednesday, April 23rd next.

(Moncton Transcript.) J. B. Lambkin, District Passenger Agent of the I. C. R. at Halifax, has resigned his position, and D. Murray (London, of Moncton, transferred from the Passenger Department in the I. C. R. offices here and appointed in his stead. Fred Robertson, secretary of J. M. Lyons, General Passenger Agent of the I. C. R., has been appointed chief clerk in the stead of Mr. Condon.

(Fredericton Gleaner.) Harry Gibson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gibson, arrived home from Acadia Collegiate Academy last evening.

OTHER CELEBRATIONS.

Today is Independence Day in Bulgaria, a country which has lately occupied much front page space. In Japan today is celebrated as the "festival of dolls" by all the little girls of Nippon.

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL NEWS AND COMMENT

DAY'S SALES ON CLOSING PRICES OF MONTREAL MARKET

Table listing Montreal market sales including various stocks like Canada Cotton, Crown Reserve, and Dominion Steel.

OF BOSTON STOCKS

Table listing Boston stock sales including Adventure, Algonquin, and various other regional stocks.

CURRENT PRICES OF NEW YORK EXCHANGE

Table listing current prices for various commodities and stocks on the New York exchange.

COPPERS ALONE SHOWED ANY STRENGTH

Article discussing the strength of copper prices and the market's reaction to government actions.

CLOSING LETTER ON MONTREAL EXCHANGE

Summary of the day's trading on the Montreal stock exchange.

PRODUCE PRICES IN CANADIAN CENTRES

Report on produce prices in Canadian centers, including flour, wheat, and other commodities.

Investment News St. John, March 3, 1913

Investment news section featuring 'Baby Bonds' and other financial opportunities.

MONTREAL UNLISTED SALES

Table listing unlisted sales for Montreal, including various bonds and securities.

CLOSING STOCK LETTER

Summary of the closing stock market activity.

CLOSING COTTON LETTER

Summary of the closing cotton market activity.

Acadia Collegiate Academy Closed

News item regarding the closure of Acadia Collegiate Academy.

To Open Peace Temple

News item regarding the opening of a Peace Temple.

To Ease Tight Chest And Cure a Cold Rub on Nerviline

Advertisement for Nerviline medicine, claiming to ease chest tightness and cure colds.

We Recommend STANDARD CLAY PRODUCTS Ltd. 6 p. c.

Advertisement for Standard Clay Products Ltd. offering 6% interest.

MONTREAL STOCKS

Table listing Montreal stock prices for various companies like Canadian Cement and Dominion Steel.

THE BOSTON CURB

Table listing Boston curb market prices for various stocks.

NEW YORK COTTON RANGE

Table listing New York cotton market price ranges.

R. ESTATE

Real estate listings and advertisements.

AN ATTRACTIVE INVESTMENT OPPORTUNITY

Advertisement for an investment opportunity with small amounts.

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS

Advertisement for Dodd's Kidney Pills, highlighting its benefits for kidney health.

The Merchants' Bank of Canada

Advertisement for The Merchants' Bank of Canada, offering various financial services.

MARITIME PROVINCE SECURITIES

Table listing securities for Maritime provinces including Acadia Fire and Acadia Sugar.

WE OFFER FOR TRUSTEE INVESTMENT IN NOVA SCOTIA

Advertisement for trustee investment opportunities in Nova Scotia.

TOWN BONDS TO YIELD 5 p. c.

Advertisement for town bonds yielding 5% interest.

TORONTO PAPER MFG. CO. LTD.

Advertisement for Toronto Paper Mfg. Co. Ltd. offering 6% bonds.

DOMINION EXPRESS COMPANY

Advertisement for Dominion Express Company, offering shipping services.

INSURANCE CO. OF NORTH AMERICA

Advertisement for Insurance Co. of North America.

THIS RIF

Advertisement for 'This Rifle' or similar product.

N. Y. BANK STATEMENT

Table showing the New York Bank Statement with various financial figures.

ROYAL SECURITIES CORPORATION LTD

Advertisement for Royal Securities Corporation Ltd.

REAL ESTATE

Real estate listings and advertisements.

THOMAS BELL & CO., ST. JOHN, N. B.

Advertisement for Thomas Bell & Co., St. John, N.B.

W&M SPECIAL SELECTED HIGHLAND WHISKY

Advertisement for W&M Special Selected Highland Whisky.

TRY IT ONCE

Advertisement for a product, likely whisky, with the slogan 'Try it once'.

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Advertisement for Thorpe, likely a brand of goods.

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SPORTOGRAPHY

BY "GRAVY"

When the Brooklyn Superbas return from their spring training trip, which is scheduled to begin tomorrow, they will find awaiting them one of the finest baseball plants of the National League circuit.

One of the most famous battles in ring history was the first bout between Kid McCoy and Tommy Ryan, which was pulled off at Maspeh, N. Y., seven years ago tonight.

"Twenty Years of Baseball" would make a mighty interesting story, if set down by "Wee Willie" Keeler, one-time hero of the diamond.

Million Dollar Brooklyn Plant—Diamond Hero is 41 Years Old Today.

he retired from baseball in 1911 has been pretty well occupied signing checks and leases and contracts, and he has no time for literary labors.

Keeler was forty-one years ago today and he began playing professional ball at the age of twenty-one. Between his debut with Binghampton in the Eastern League in 1892, and his retirement at the end of the 1911 season with Toronto, Keeler was a bright particular star of the Baltimore Orioles, the Brooklyn Trolley Dodgers and the New York Americans.

UPPER CANADA HOCKEY

OTTAWA, 3; TORONTO, 2.

Ottawa, Ont., March 1.—The Ottawa was tied Wanderers and Canadiens for second place in the National Hockey Association, by beating the Toronto, 3 to 2, at the Arena last night, in a hockey match that was charged with thrills.

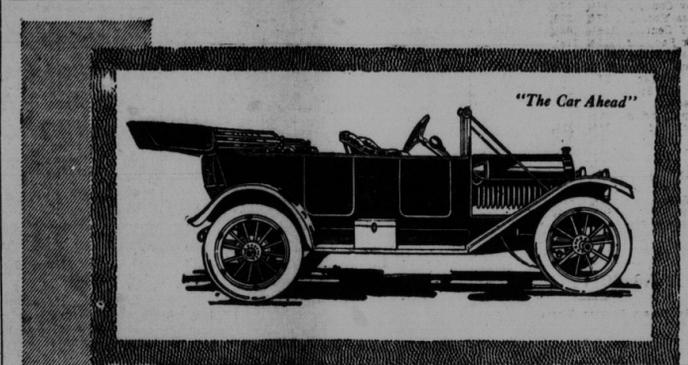
QUEBEC'S TENTH VICTORY.

Montreal, March 2.—By defeating Wanderers at the final meeting on Saturday by a score of six to four, the champion Quebec team scored their tenth successive victory.

MELVILLE Looke Collars. Sizes 14 and 15. They fit 2 for 25¢. The MELVILLE promises to be very popular this Spring and Summer.

game was one of the best exhibitions of hockey played here this winter. The play was not only marked by numerous brilliant rushes but both teams scored on more than one occasion through two and three men combinations.

CANADIENS, 3; TECUMSEH, 1. Toronto, Ont., March 2.—In a listless and for the most part an unexciting game the Canadiens defeated the Tecumseh by the score of 3 to 1, at the Arena Saturday evening.



TUDHOPE "436" 5 passenger, Electric Lighting, \$1,625 f.o.b. Orillia.

TUDHOPE MOTOR Co., Ltd. 96 Charlotte St. St. John, N.B. What men want This Car has YOU want power—you want a reliable machine—you want distinction in design and finish—you want ease of control—you want the comfort of a generously proportioned car.

FOOTBALL PLAYED ON SATURDAY

An interesting association football match was played on the barrack square Saturday afternoon when a team from the steamer Saturnia, although the square was full of deep snow, this did not prevent the men from playing a hard fought-out game.

In the second half both teams worked hard. Marsden for St. John, got the ball on a pass from Peebles, and running down the field evaded the Saturday men and scored the second goal for St. John.

DUBUC SIGNS WITH DETROIT.

Detroit, Mich., March 2.—Pitcher Jean Dubuc came to the Detroit baseball office today and after he had conferred with the management a short time, it was announced that he had signed his 1913 contract.

WAS WEAK AND RUN DOWN, NOT ABLE TO DO HER WORK.

Many women get run down, and are unable to look after their household duties, owing to their nervous system becoming unstrung. Day in and day out they have to go through the same routine of work, sweeping, dusting, cooking, etc. No wonder their work gets on the nerves and they become run down.

THIS DATE IN RING ANNALS

- March 2. 1896—Kid McCoy stopped Tommy Ryan in 15 rounds at Maspeh, near New York. 1908—Jimmy Austin knocked out Tom Murray in 4th round at San Diego, Cal. 1909—Jimmy Gardner defeated Bill McKinnon in 12 rounds at Boston. 1911—Tommy Honck and Young O'Leary fought 10-round draw at Brooklyn. 1912—Al Thompson defeated Tim Land in 19 rounds at Sydney, Australia. March 3. 1884—Tommy Warren stopped Johnny Burns in 5 rounds at Denver. 1908—Joe Jeannette and Sam Langford fought 12-round draw at Boston. 1909—Jimmy Clabfy defeated Fred Gilmore in 10 rounds at Hammond, Ind. 1910—Johnny Kilbane knocked out Kid Tyler in 3rd round at Cleveland. 1911—Knockout Brown beat Ad Wolgast in 10 rounds at New York.

THORPE PLAYING GOOD BALL.

Dallas, Texas, March 2.—James Thorpe, Indian athlete, contributed largely to the 9 to 1 score which the New York Nationals rolled up in the first exhibition game of the season here today, with the Dallas team of the Texas league. Thorpe five times up batted up two singles and a double, got twelve chances, handled them cleanly and took part in two double steals. Goulet and Smith pitched for the New York team and held the Texas leaguers to five hits.

RAILWAYS.

CANADIAN PACIFIC

AROUND THE WORLD EMPRESS OF ASIA From Liverpool, June 18th Full Particulars on Application.

SHORT ROUTE TO MONTREAL ALL RAIL ROUTE St. John to Boston Two Trains Every Week Day.

W. B. HOWARD, D. P. A., C. P. R., St. John, N. B.

INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY

Winter Service Quebec and Montreal No. 134 Express leaving St. John at 6.35 P. M., connects at Moncton with the

MARITIME EXPRESS Leaving Moncton at 9.50 P. M., Daily, except Sunday.

Daily service from Moncton by the OCEAN LIMITED

Departing at 2.30 P. M. Connection from all points between St. John and Moncton by Number Two Train leaving St. John at 7.00 A. M.

For rates, reservations, etc., apply to GEORGE CARVILLE, City Ticket Agent 3 King Street.

THE INTERNATIONAL RAILWAY

Uniting Campbellton at the head of navigation on Bay Chaleur with the St. John River Valley at St. Leonard's and connecting the Intercolonial and Canadian Pacific Railway systems.

Winter Time Table Summary GOING WEST.

Express train leaves Campbellton daily (except Sunday) at 7.30 a. m. for St. Leonard's and intermediate stations, due at St. Leonard's at 12.30 p. m.

GOING EAST Express train leaves St. Leonard's daily (except Sunday) at 5.00 p. m. after arrival of C. P. R. express from St. John, Vancouver, etc., due at Campbellton at 10.00 p. m.

GOVERNED BY ATLANTIC STANDARD TIME. See local time tables and for full information regarding connections, etc., apply to R. B. Humphrey, freight and passenger agent, 55 Canterbury street, St. John, N. B.

DOMINION ATLANTIC RAILWAY

S. S. Yarmouth leaves Reed's Point Wharf daily at 7 a. m., connecting at Digby with trains East and West, returning arrives at 5.30 p. m., Sundays excepted.

PICKFORD & BLACK LINE

ST. JOHN, N. B. to DEMERARA. S. S. "Orono" sails Feb. 8 for Bermuda, Montserrat, Dominica, St. Lucia, St. Vincent, Barbados, Trinidad, Demerara.

For passage and freight apply to WILLIAM THOMSON & CO., Agents, St. John, N. B.

FURNESS LINE

From London, St. John, Jan. 30, Feb. 5, Feb. 19. From St. John, Feb. 13, Feb. 22, Mar. 11.

For passage and freight apply to WILLIAM THOMSON & CO., Agents, St. John, N. B.

For Sale

The Schooner CALABRIA, of 461 Tons Register, and Schooner ORIOLE of 124 Tons Register. Enquire of J. SPLANE & CO., 61 and 63 Water St. St. John, N. B.

Watches, Clocks and Jewelry A Complete Line of Waltham and Equity Watches in Stock. ERNEST LAW, - 3 Coburg St. Issued of Marriage License.

STEAMSHIPS.

NEW ZEALAND SHIPPING CO. Limited.

From St. John, N. B. S. S. KIMORA ... Feb. 20th S. S. RAKIA ... Mar. 15th To be followed by steamers at regular monthly intervals.

J. T. KNIGHT & CO., Water Street, - St. John, N. B.

ALLAN LINE ROYAL MAIL

Twin Screw and Turbine Steamers ST. JOHN TO LIVERPOOL. Grampian ... Dec. 12 Jan. 12, 1913. Hesperian ... Dec. 20 Jan. 20, 1913.

MANCHESTER LINE

From Manchester, Jan. 25, Feb. 1, Feb. 8, Feb. 15, Feb. 22, Mar. 1, Mar. 8. To St. John, Feb. 15, Feb. 22, Mar. 1, Mar. 8.

HEAD LINE

St. John to Belfast. S.S. Inghowen Head ... Mar. 10 S.S. Bengore Head ... Mar. 28

Wm. Thomson & Co., Ltd. AGENTS

DONALDSON LINE GLASGOW SERVICE

From Glasgow, Feb. 20, Feb. 27, Mar. 6, Mar. 13. To St. John, Feb. 27, Mar. 6, Mar. 13, Mar. 20.

ELDER-DEMPSTER LINE NASSAU, CUBA, MEXICO SERVICE.

S. S. "BORNU" sailing from St. John about March 20th for Nassau, Havana, Puerto, Mexico, Vera Cruz, Tampico and Progreso.

ALL THE WAY BY WATER

Eastern Steamship Corporation

International Line WINTER FARES. St. John to Boston ... \$4.50 St. John to Portland ... \$4.00

THE MARITIME STEAMSHIP CO. (Limited)

Commencing Feb. 7 and until further notice the gasoline boat Page and other boats will run as follows: Leave St. John, N. B. Thorne Wharf and Warehouse Co., on Saturday, 7.30 a. m. for St. Andrews, calling at Dipper Harbor, Beaver Harbor, Black Bay, Black Harbor, Beaver Harbor and Dipper Harbor, Tide and weather permitting.

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AROUND THE CITY

P. E. I. Steamers. Steamer Earl Grey crossed to Georgetown on Saturday. The steamer Minto arrived at Pictou at 10 o'clock Saturday and will leave for Georgetown at 7 o'clock Monday morning.

WHL Quality. Walter McKenzie, Oliver Spinney and Colin Dick, chief of French and Bruce McKivier of St. George, sergeants in the 28th New Brunswick Dragoons, passed through the city last evening for Quebec, where they will qualify at the military school.

Saturday Drunks. Five drunks were gathered in by the police on Saturday afternoon and night. Sergt. Baxter in the afternoon placed Thomas McGinnis under arrest on Water street, and charged him with being drunk and using profane language.

Ship's Officer Injured. News reached the city yesterday that the steamship Tokomaru, which left here for Australia and New Zealand had put into Cape Town with her bows and parts of her superstructure swept away in a gale she encountered on the way out. During the storm Chief Officer Roberts was caught by a sea and flung against the side of the deck house, fracturing his thigh. He was landed in Cape Town.

Seaman's Mission. A very interesting meeting was held in the above institute Saturday evening when a large number of men gathered to listen to a helpful, stirring temperance address delivered by the Rev. W. R. Robertson, of the West Side. After an inspiring song service on Sunday evening, the Rev. J. A. MacKellan, of St. David's church, spoke words of counsel and cheer to many men representing the various ships in port.

Today's Council Meeting. The regular meeting of the Common Council will be held today when some matters of interest will be taken up. While the street paving programme of the council seems as a whole to meet with approval, it is expected that some of the property owners on Paradise Row and Brittain street will offer opposition to the proposed work on those streets on the ground that they are not in a position to pay.

A Ralph Connor Evening. The Free to Serve Reading Club of Centenary Church met at the home of Miss Edna Leonard, 40 Queen street, on Saturday evening and discussed Ralph Connor. Miss Laura Baxter had charge of the programme. Miss Edna Leonard read the story of the Life of Ralph Connor, and Mrs. Dawson gave a synopsis of "The Sky Pilot." Miss Muriel Turner rendered a vocal solo in an evocative manner. Mrs. Marion Harding was then heard in a reading, after which refreshments were served.

Presentation to F. P. Lawson. Fred P. Lawson who for a long time has been in the employ of the Ames Holden-McCreedy Co., and who has accepted an appointment in the government customs service was on Saturday morning given a most pleasant surprise. His fellow employees in the Ames Holden Company establishment presented him with a beautiful case of silver. W. M. Angus with a brief address made the presentation and Mr. Lawson accepted the gift with a few well chosen words of thanks. Mr. Lawson will enter on his new duties in the custom house this morning.

The Janitor Was Not Dined. John A. Young, who has been for the past three years manager of the Bank of New Brunswick at St. Stephen, was recently given a farewell dinner by the members of St. Andrew's Society at that place, as he is to leave shortly to take service with the Bank of Nova Scotia elsewhere. In a report of the affair Mr. Young was referred to as janitor. The authorities of the Bank of Nova Scotia have a much better job in view for Mr. Young, and the members of St. Andrew's society in St. Stephen are highly indignant at the idea that they should have been represented as giving a blow out to a janitor.

PRIZE WINNERS IN THE SONS OF ENGLAND FAIR. Fair Closed Saturday Evening—Names of Fortunate Ones who Secured the Prizes.

The fair held by Portland Lodge, No. 246, Sons of England, to raise funds for the band, was brought to a close Saturday evening. There was a good attendance. The fair was a success in every way, and the officers wish to thank the citizens who donated prizes and assisted in carrying it on. Much credit is due the president, R. Chambers; the secretary, J. Mills; the treasurer, E. Britton; and other officers. The prize winners' Saturday evening were as follows: First prize, fancy lamp, W. A. Smith; second prize, smoking stand, J. Walsh; third prize, barrel flour, P. Pumper; fourth prize, umbrella, J. W. McKenzie; fifth prize, carving set, Miss F. Thompson; sixth prize, safety razor, W. Limber; seventh prize, electric iron, A. L. McIntosh; eighth prize, silver cake box, Miss Belyea; ninth prize, Mandolin, A. D. Ward; tenth prize, three-quarter ton of coal, J. McClellan; door prize, carving set, Fred Logan; air gun (gent's), picture, Jas. Cook; air gun (ladies), brushes, Miss H. C. Green; hoopla (gent's), hat, W. J. Blackwell; hoopla (ladies), picture, Miss Angelo; bowling (ladies), Miss H. C. Green; bowling (gent's), Geo. Robertson; bean toss (gent's), 1st, dressing case, A. Faulkner; 2nd, umbrella, C. Flemming; bean toss (ladies), 1st, slippers, Arch Green; 2nd, perfume, Mrs. Reynolds; child's bean toss, perfume, Miss Gladys Angelo; guessing contest, Miss E. Lawrence; in the drawing for the violin, Miss Stewart won the prize. C. London won a year's subscription to The Standard and A. Thorne to The Telegraph. In the contest for the most popular member of the lodge H. C. Green secured 125 votes and C. Leonard 95 votes.

VISITING SOCIALIST SCORES THE MILITANT SUFFRAGETTES

Moses Baritz, of Manchester, has Little Sympathy with the "Glass Smashers" of London — If they Use Violence, Must Expect Reprisals in Kind.

"As for the suffering suffragettes of England, they are beginning to get just what they deserve," said Moses Baritz, the socialist agitator of Manchester, England, who arrived in the city yesterday. "I have no sympathy with their tactics, because I don't believe in violence in any form. Those who appeal to the Caesar of force, can only expect to have force meted out to them. If you have a good cause it is not necessary to use violence at the present age of the world. The people are intelligent enough to appreciate the value of your cause if you put it before them in an intelligent manner. If you cannot state your case in a manner that will appeal to the people's intelligence, then so much the worse for your cause. When the suffragettes learn enough to state their case intelligently, they won't have much trouble convincing the people. But when they resort to violence, they will get what they deserve. Violence never decided whether a thing was right or wrong. It is just as foolish for the suffragettes to appeal to force as it would be for the socialists, and I am, as much opposed to the tactics of the militant suffragettes as I am to the tactics of the industrial workers of the world, which is an ambitious organization and no socialist one."

In regard to Sir George Asker's glowing report upon the virtues of the Leminier and Comrade Baritz said the workers of England would not favor the adoption of such an act, because they had studied his working in Canada carefully, and felt that it was in the interests of the working class. They objected strongly to the idea of having to give 30 days' notice before instituting a strike. "The workers of Canada are thirty days behind the workers of England because they accepted the Leminier act," he added.

Mr. Baritz characterized Lloyd George as a scoundrel, and declared his old age pension scheme and national insurance act were of no benefit to the workers. In fact, he said, Lloyd George speaking in Manchester his old age pensions scheme had enabled the country to save over \$8,000,000 in the operation of the poor law because it kept nearly three times as much to keep the poor people in a poorhouse than to pay them the pitance of five shillings a week, half of which anyway went to the private landlords.

DELIVERY WAGON AND CAR IN COLLISION

Street Car Does Much Damage to Howard Johnston's Cart on Main Street—Driver Escaped Without Injury.

Traffic was held up for some time on Main street on Saturday evening when a street car collided with the delivery wagon driven by Howard Johnston, upsetting it, throwing the driver to the ground and causing a general mix-up. The accident happened between eight and nine o'clock. Mr. Johnston was driving his horse and wagon from an alley into the street. At the same time car number 45 was coming down Main street towards the intersection, and either not noticing it, or thinking he would have time to clear the track, he drove ahead, with the result that the car struck the wagon, breaking the back wheels into pieces, also doing considerable damage to the body.

The driver was thrown to the ground but escaped serious injury. The horse was also thrown and the harness broken in several places.

DISORDERLY BOYS ARE ACTIVE IN NORTH END

Several Reported Yesterday by Police, for Throwing Snowballs and Otherwise Interfering with Pedestrians.

For the past few weeks the boys in the North End have been behaving themselves and less complaints have been made. They are beginning again, however, to congregate about the street corners, causing considerable annoyance to pedestrians by throwing stones and snowballs and otherwise interfering with traffic. The boys of Sheriff street have lately been acting in anything but a gentlemanly manner, and the constant attention of the police has been necessary to keep them in check. In certain sections of Main street the same actions are noticeable, especially in the vicinity of Acadia street.

Yesterday afternoon as a result of their actions the following boys were reported by the police for throwing snowballs and otherwise conducting themselves in a disorderly manner: T. Burke, Fred King, Fred Foley, Robert Lockhart, William Gormley, Thomas Ramsey and T. Johnston.

MAY BE CONFERENCE ON THE STEEL PLANT

Burton Stewart will Meet Representatives of City, County and Province to Explain His Proposals.

Burton Stewart, managing director of the Norton Griffiths Company, did not have a conference with the city authorities during his last visit here, but it is expected that in the near future there will be a joint meeting of the city commissioners, the county councillors and the members of the Provincial Government, at which Mr. Stewart will be given an opportunity to explain his proposals in detail. At the last meeting of the county council it was decided to take steps to arrange for such a meeting in order to explain his proposals in detail. The sinking funds of the dry dock and ship repair plant might be discussed from the point of view of the three bodies who are asked to make the guarantee.

St. John Golf Club. The annual meeting of the St. John Golf Club will be held this evening at 8 o'clock in the club house.

WORK ON THE VALLEY ROAD

Chief Engineer Reports that Construction is now Going Forward well — Climatic Conditions have Helped.

Ross Thompson, chief engineer of the Valley Railway, arrived in the city yesterday and is at the Dufferin, M. Thompson reports that the construction work along the route of the new railway is being carried on with good progress. The weather thus far during the winter has not had any serious effect on the work, and it has been possible to keep up with the schedule. The absence of any great quantity of snow has helped considerably but on the other hand, the ground has been unprotected during the greater part of the season, and considerable frost has entered, but it is hoped that this will not retard the work in the spring.

The labor question in the earlier stages of the work, Mr. Thompson said, was not a little difficult; laborers were scarce, and with the outbreak of the affair in the Balkans, some of the patriots on the job left for the scene of action. Since winter came in, however, it has not been hard to find workmen owing to the closing off of other lines of work.

There are at present employed on the whole route about 1200 men and in addition there are ten steam shovels at work. The first portion of the line to be opened is that from Centerville to Gagetown, a distance of about 120 miles. It is hoped that an early start in laying the rails on this section can be made with the opening of spring, but that the line can be ready for operation by November 1, the scheduled date.

NEW BOARD OF TRADE TO MEET TOMORROW

Committee will Recommend Secretary with Ten Years Experience in Publicity Work — Comprehensive Campaign

The first meeting of the re-created Board of Trade will be held on Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 in the Board rooms when all the new members secured during the recent campaign will be formally elected to membership. A meeting of the council of the board will be held this afternoon to get matters in shape for the meeting of the full board tomorrow. It is understood that the committee appointed to look over the applications for the position of secretary of the board have decided to recommend the board to appoint a man who has had ten years experience in Board of Trade and community publicity work. It is understood that the board will come here at once and take up his duties. At the meeting on Tuesday it is expected a general campaign of publicity work will be discussed, and measures taken to forward the interests of the city.

ANNIVERSARY OF DEATH OF JOHN WESLEY WAS OBSERVED YESTERDAY

Fitting Memorial Services were held in Methodist Churches Throughout the World — Sang Favorite Hymns.

Yesterday, the one hundred and twenty-second anniversary of the death of John Wesley, was observed with special memorial services in the Methodist churches throughout the world. In the city the different pastors of the Methodist churches delivered addresses dealing with his life and works, and in addition to this ten minutes were set aside for silent prayer and meditation upon the far reaching results of his life. Special hymns were also rendered, among them being Wesley's favorite, and the one which he repeated upon his death bed, "I'll Praise My Maker While I've Breath."

In all the churches the service was practically identical and indeed the same form was generally observed in the Methodist churches throughout the world. In the United States the services as in St. John, were begun with prayer and an address upon the life of Wesley, but in addition and at an appointed time the hands of the church clocks were stopped for ten minutes, during which the congregations meditated upon the great place the works and life of John Wesley has today in their lives. This silent meditation was broken only by the pastor who during the period gave a short historical address of Wesley's life. The favorite hymn of John Wesley was also sung at each service.

In the Queen Square Methodist church, yesterday, Rev. J. A. Pinkerton of Silver Falls preached at both services, exchanging pulpits with Rev. F. W. Gaetz, in the Carmarthen St. church Rev. Wm. Hearts of Amherst preached at both services. Rev. T. J. DeJansst, at the evening service, gave a short address on the life of John Wesley.

Lovely Pallidette Silk Dresses. F. A. Dykeman & Co. have just received by express a shipment of lovely pallidette silk dresses. These are made from a nice heavy quality of pallidette, very attractively made, with the high waist line and belt effect, rich lace collar and cuffs, making altogether most fetching garments. They have placed two prices on these, \$5.95 and \$10.95. The colors are navy, Copenhagen, brown and tan. Do not judge the dresses by the prices. See the dresses and see the wonderful values.

J. S. Gibson, L. C. Prime and F. E. Williams left last evening for Ottawa on a business trip.

PRINTERS WILL GET SALARY INCREASES

Typographical Union and Employing Printers Come to Agreement Regarding New Scale to be Paid.

At a meeting of the St. John Typographical Union held at the rooms on Sunday night, it was decided to accept the proposals made a few days previous by the employing printers. At the beginning of the year the union asked for a new scale which included a general increase extending over a period of six years. The employing offices felt that while business in this city continues limited, it is unwise for them to meet the terms of the request, and made a counter proposition which, however, was not entirely acceptable to the union. There were further negotiations, which resulted in a second proposition being put forward and which had as its basis an increase of pay to extend over a period of two years, in place of the six years as first suggested.

This new scale which has just been accepted by the men, involves an increase in the flat scale for linotype operators of five dollars per week, foremen and machinists five dollars per week, and floor men or compositors, and ad men, two dollars per week.

POSTMASTER SEARS IN EVERY DAY CLUB

"Character Building" the Theme of an Interesting Address at Last Evening's Meeting.

Character Building was the theme of an interesting discourse delivered by Postmaster Sears before a well attended meeting in the Every Day Club hall last evening. Addressing himself particularly to the young people, he spoke of the necessity of faith in God and faith in themselves. Taking up the various stimulants to the building of character he dwelt on the value of having a purpose in life, the virtue of high aims and ideals, and the power of ambition which, however, should be kept within the bounds of permitted aspirations and be tempered with a spirit of helpfulness and consideration for the rights of others.

Many able men who had risen to high places began life as poor boys in obscure surroundings, and this fact should always be an inspiration to the young of all classes, and lead them to try to make the most of such opportunities as fell in their way. Mr. Sears spoke of the importance of a practical training for boys and girls going out into a world where the technique of production was so complex and wonderful, and argued that it would be a good idea if manufacturers set aside parts of their plants into which boys and girls could, while still pupils at the public schools, spend a portion of the day getting a practical training of one kind or another. He thought it was important that the work which was needed in the building of character should also be of a kind to enable boys and girls to qualify themselves for the earning of a livelihood.

Mr. Sears' address was listened to with great interest. During the evening W. J. Benbury sang with fine effect Abide With Me.

Stole An Overcoat.

Saturday afternoon Deputy Chief Jenkins and Detective Killen arrested Jim Jeffries, on suspicion of having stolen an overcoat from a boarding house at No. 10 Charlotte street. The coat was stolen from a boarder named DeLozier and the case will be given a hearing in the police court this morning.

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