

### BOMBAY RIOTS BECAUSE BOYS KILL PIGEONS

Stock Exchange and Bullion Markets May be Closed by Religious Strike.

### POLICE CHARGE MOB OF EXCITED INDIANS

Native Merchants Meeting to Consider Steps Necessary in the Crisis.

Bombay, Jan. 24.—The stock exchange and bullion markets were closed today and a general religious strike is proposed in consequence of a grave incident yesterday attendant upon the killing of two pigeons in the street by two European boys. The natives consider pigeons sacred, and a crowd of angry Indians gathered and remonstrated with the boys. The police took charge of the lads and also several Hindu boys with whom they had been fighting.

The crowd followed, demanding the release of the Hindu boys, whereupon the police charged and scenes of intense excitement ensued. The natives stoned the police, and several persons were injured and seventeen arrested. Native merchants are meeting to consider what steps should be taken.

### FIRE INTO LINE AT FUNERAL AND SHOOT DOWN TWO

Act of Revenge Planned by Socialists in Retaliation for Student's Death.

### BURN CHAMBER OF LABOR LATER

Uprising Spreads to Another Town Where Fires and Riots Break Out.

Milano, Italy, Jan. 25.—Two men were killed and several wounded today when shots were fired at a funeral procession held under the auspices of the Fascist or extranationalist party for a student who recently was murdered. In revenge the Fascists attacked and set fire to the Chamber of Labor. The police intervened and restored order.

As a protest against the shooting the Fascists at Bologna set fire to the Chamber of Labor there.

Socialists Start Firing. The firing on the procession was done by Socialists. After burning the Chamber of Labor, the Fascists attacked the office of the Fascist deputy, Pio Donati, who is charged with being the organizer and instigator of Socialist excesses. They entered the building and destroyed all the papers. They also attempted to attack the residence of the Socialist Deputy Ferrari, but troops prevented this.

### Two Hurt When Cars Leave Track

Express from Halifax to Yarmouth Jumps Rails Near Annapolis Royal.

Kentville, N. S., Jan. 25.—Two youngsters on the Dominion Atlantic Railway express from Halifax to Yarmouth were slightly injured when two cars left the track near Annapolis Royal this morning. The injured were S. B. Marshall, of Clarence, N. S., and Temperance C. Inspectors. Robert White, Kentville, A. Woodcock, train conductor, was not hurt, but as the line was blocked for some hours, a special train of coaches was sent from here to bring on east-bound passengers, the express from Yarmouth stopping at Annapolis Royal and returning to Yarmouth with the passengers from the partly derailed train who were bound for that point or stations on route.

### Shoes At Bottom Prices Is Claim

Toronto, Jan. 25.—The second annual meeting of the shoe manufacturers' association of Canada opened a two days session here today. E. S. Scott, of Galt, Ont., president of the association in his address, said: "It is generally conceded," he said, "that in so far as the shoe and leather industry is concerned, the bottom in prices has been reached and that from now on, we can look for a gradual return to more normal conditions."

### BELL 'PHONE CASE ENDS

Ottawa, Jan. 25.—Argument in the long drawn out Bell Telephone rates case before the Board of Railway Commissioners terminated just before five o'clock this evening. The commissioners reserved judgment at the close of the argument of Glyn O'Leary, C.C., counsel for the Bell Company.

### Two Dead, Three More Dying From Spinach

Tragic Consequences of a Dinner in Hospital When Nurse and Orderly Dies.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Jan. 25.—Two persons, a nurse and an orderly, are dead at Blodgett Hospital here, three others are dying and several more are in a critical condition, as a result, hospital authorities believe, of eating preserved spinach last Saturday night. The dead are Miss Flossie Coyle, a nurse, John Smith, 35, hospital orderly.

### THRILLING TALE OF RESCUE FROM RUINED AIRSHIP

Airship With Seven on Board Fell Into Icy Waters off Jersey Shore.

### THREE MOTORS FAILED TO REACH PERISHING

Entire Day Spent in Attempts to Save the Seven Men from Drowning.

Keyport, N. J., Jan. 25.—Rescue of seven men who spent fifteen hours in the ice-covered cabin of the 14-passenger flying boat, Ponce De Leon, stranded 500 yards from the Jersey Shore in the ice-clogged surf, was learned here tonight. The machine still is stranded, however, and motor boat parties worked late into the night.

### Were On Trial Flight

The men, three pilots and four mechanics, took the Ponce De Leon yesterday morning for a trial flight, preparatory to a direct flight to Key West, Florida, where it was to be used as a passenger plane to Havana. They alighted about noon for motor adjustments. Before they could get away a forty mile gale came up, bringing huge drifts of ice between them and the shore. They notified men on shore of their plight by wireless, but before they were rescued, three of the parties had tried in vain to reach them.

### Three Parties Failed

One motor boat that went out entered a broken propeller; the engine of the second, guided by searchlights, went dead, and when the third ventured out the men had become so numb from cold they had huddled together in the cabin to keep warm. The rescuers were unable to attract their attention. The windows of the cabin had been covered by a thick coat of ice. About two o'clock, however, whistles here were blown to wake them up and the fourth motorboat ploughed its way through the lumpy surf until it reached the stranded men.

### Covered With Ice

Late this afternoon the ice was so thick in the surf that motorboats could not go direct to the still stranded flying boat. Consequently a powerboat was hauled to a point seven miles distant, whence it went to the machine, decorated with icicles.

### Doctors Blamed For Toronto Tragedy

Coroner's Jury Declares Wrong Drug Given Physician.

The sudden death of Miss Menton Keane, and of Mrs. Emma Bond at Dr. J. H. McConnell's office on January 8, within a few minutes after they had received "blood treatment," the coroner's jury, which investigated the death of Miss Keane, decided tonight that the cause was the wrong drug given to her by Dr. Percy E. Paed and administered by Dr. J. H. McConnell.

### The Verdict

Further the jury's verdict read as follows: "We find that Dr. Paed was guilty of gross carelessness in the matter. We also find that Dr. Paed believed that he had received medical aid from Dr. Abraham Brodey and we find that Dr. Brodey gave Dr. Paed diarsenol instead of what he asked for. We find that Dr. McConnell is completely exonerated."

### Coasted Down Hill To Death Under Car

Halifax, Jan. 25.—Coasting on a sidewalk down Cornwallis street this afternoon, William Craig, aged five years, ran under the wheels of an automobile which William Yetman, chauffeur, was driving up the hill, and was fatally injured.

### ROBBED IN RITZ-CARLETON

Montreal, Jan. 25.—Attacked in his room at the Ritz-Carleton Hotel shortly before noon today, Samuel Rozen, 50 years old, of Pittsburgh, Pa., was beaten on the head with a revolver bullet by two bandits and suffered a fractured skull. He is now in the Royal Victoria Hospital here in a critical condition.

### REV. J. A. IRWIN HAD REVOLVER AND SHOT GUN

Police Found Also Stock of Sinn Fein Literature in His Possession.

### MUCH AMMUNITION FOR HIS ARTILLERY

Now He Will Live in the Internment Camp With Other Prisoners.

Dublin, Jan. 25.—A report issued at Dublin Castle today says the police while searching the home of Rev. J. A. Irwin, a Presbyterian minister, at Kilsand, Antrim, found a revolver, together with ammunition, a shot gun and a quantity of seditious literature.

Announcement was made Monday of the arrest of the Rev. Mr. Irwin, who delivered addresses in the United States when Beaumont De Valera was in that country. The despatch added that the minister had been sent to the Ballykinlarty internment camp.

### INTERNED SINN FEIN PREACHER IS WELL KNOWN

Rev. J. A. Irwin Lectured in Canada on Irish Subjects During Last Summer.

### PROMINENT IN ALL CHURCH FINANCES

Leader in All Ulster Farmer Union Works, Too, and in Religious Insurance.

Special to The Standard. Montreal, Jan. 25.—Rev. J. A. H. Irwin, M. A., B. D., Ph. D., minister of the congregation of Kilsand, a large parish in the County of Antrim, near Belfast, Ireland, was well known in Montreal. He is the preacher who has been interned in a Sinn Fein camp by the British. On May 31st, 1920, Dr. Irwin delivered a lecture in this city under the title of "Irish Rights to Self-Determination." He at all times took the stand that the religion of the church did not enter into the Irish problem.

He is manager of four National Schools, and has succeeded in building the committees of the lead, the finest rural National school in Ireland. He is a member of most of the leading committees of the Irish Presbyterian church (including the committee in correspondence with the British Government), and takes an active part in their work. He is also Synodical Secretary of the Irish Presbyterian Church, and is a member of the Ulster Farmers' Union. He is a man of many parts, for in addition to his executive and administrative duties he has several distinctions as a scholar. He obtained the Ph. D. degree of the National University—a distinction held by only one other individual in the world. He took first place in the M. A. degree and secured the B. D. degree from the Irish Presbyterian Faculty.

In his capacity as member of the Presbyterian Health Insurance Society, which administers the Health Insurance benefits to the majority of Presbyterians insured throughout Ireland, Dr. Irwin has been in close touch with vital social problems in Ireland. He is also vice-president of the County Antrim Insurance Committee, which is combating tuberculosis throughout the county, and holds an executive position also in the Women's Health Association of Antrim.

In addition to the ministerial duties Dr. Irwin owns and operates a large farm, and is a member of the Ulster Farmers' Union. He is a man of many parts, for in addition to his executive and administrative duties he has several distinctions as a scholar. He obtained the Ph. D. degree of the National University—a distinction held by only one other individual in the world. He took first place in the M. A. degree and secured the B. D. degree from the Irish Presbyterian Faculty.

### 3,473,466 Fewer Men Working in States

Michigan Leads the Union With a Wage Reduction of Eighty-Two Per Cent.

Washington, Jan. 25.—The number of persons employed in industry in the United States the first of this month numbered 3,473,466 less than the number employed a year ago, the Department of Labor's Employment Service announced tonight.

Michigan led the states in proportional reduction with 82 per cent and Ohio and Indiana followed with a reduction in employment of 60 per cent each. Next came Illinois with 44 per cent; Connecticut with 43 per cent; Massachusetts with 38 per cent; Wisconsin 35 per cent; New York 25 per cent and New Jersey 23 per cent of all kinds.

### WORLD NEWS TODAY

#### CANADA

Bankers at the Dominion Shipyard in Toronto decide to go out rather than accept work at lower rate. Two hurt when train from Halifax left the rails near Annapolis Royal, N. S.

#### UNITED STATES

Zero weather is sweeping across the United States, and West is tied up by snow storms. At present there are 3,473,466 more men out of work in the United States than there were a year ago.

Allen refuses awaiting deportation at Boston sentence and of their number to death as a spy.

#### THE BRITISH ISLES

Four Irishmen, alleged to have killed a British officer, are being tried by court-martial. Revolver, shot-gun, munitions and seditious literature found in home of the interned Presbyterian minister, Rev. J. A. Irwin.

#### EUROPE

Sir Auckland Geddes is in Paris in consultation with Premier Lloyd George. The conditions of Austria will be reported upon by a special committee of the Supreme Council.

#### INDIA

Uprising in Bombay is reported because two English boys killed two sacred pigeons in the street.

### READY TO SHUT YARDS BUT NOT TO TAKE SLASH

Dominion Shipyards' Employees Declare They Will Not Work Even if Yards Stop.

### GOVERNMENT SAYS NO MONEY IN WORK

Men Decide They Cannot Take Task That is Offered Only as "Charity."

Toronto, Jan. 25.—Behind closed doors the striking shipbuilders were told today that the Dominion Government had decided not to take any further action in connection with the wage dispute at the Dominion Shipyards.

Correspondence was tabled at today's meeting by the strike committee including Premier-Moighen's letter to President Tom Moore of the Dominion Trades and Labor Congress, absolutely refusing to accept the recommendations of the department of labor and adopting the recommendations of Hon. C. C. Ballantyne, minister of marine and fisheries.

### COURT MARTIAL OF FOUR IRISH

Crown Accuses Them of Taking Part in Shooting of a British Officer at Dublin.

Dublin, Jan. 25.—Frank Teeling, William Conway, Daniel Healy and Edward Potter today were placed on trial before a field court martial for the murder of one of fourteen officers on November 21. The charge is the murder, or alternatively manslaughter, of Lieutenant Anglin, who was living under the assumed name of MacMahon.

### Predicts Improvement in Montreal Labor

Montreal, Jan. 25.—Hon. C. D. Robertson, minister of labor, here this afternoon declared that "in my opinion the labor situation in Montreal will ease off considerably within the next two weeks. Contributions of groceries, coal, and other necessities to the 28-Service Men's Association headquarters and today 3,000 cigarettes were received and distributed.

### SYDNEY CUTS PRICES

Sydney, N. S., Jan. 25.—A local business firm announced today that a twenty per cent cut in number prices will take place on Thursday of this week. The cut will cover building material of all kinds.

### NOT TOO LATE YET TO ENTER AUTO CONTEST

Standard's Big \$15,000 Auto and Movie Star Contest Barely Begun.

### ENTER NAME AT ONCE TO BE WINNER

First Large Vote Offer for Subscriptions Will End on Saturday.

It is not too late to enroll in The Standard's big \$15,000 Automobile and Movie Star Contest and capture one of the biggest prizes. The contest has barely begun after a few days, and very little has been done as yet.

Biggest Vote Schedule. It will be noticed by perusing back issues of The Standard, wherein the schedule of votes for the contest are set forth, that the biggest vote schedules are at the outset of the contest. The first schedule ends Saturday night of this week, after which there will be a decline of almost 10 per cent in the regular vote schedule. The next decline will take place three weeks later, Saturday night, after which there will be another decline of almost 20 per cent in the regular vote schedule.

Votes Will Win. It will take VOTES to win the big \$15,000 Studebaker, the Gray-Dort, the Ford, the Movie Star and the rest of the valuable prizes which will be given away free. The fastest way to secure votes is by obtaining new or renewed subscriptions from your friends or acquaintances. The best advice anyone can give you at this stage of the contest is to see all of those friends and acquaintances AT ONCE—before Saturday night—get them to give you their subscriptions. NOW while you can secure so many more votes for your efforts.

Closing Rules. The closing rules of the big first period offer will appear in tomorrow's issue. Each and every contestant can work up to the last minute of the first period and then bring or send in their subscriptions this way those residing out of town will have the same opportunity to make a showing, as those residing within a stone's throw of the Automobile and Movie Star office.

### WIRE FLASHES

Telegraphic News Condensed from Last Minute Messages for Quick Reading

Kiev Garrison Mutinies. Copenhagen, Jan. 25.—Reports that Ukrainian detachments of the garrison Kiev recently mutinied and occupied the arsenal and strong points in the vicinity of the town, are confirmed in a despatch from Heisingfors today, stating the offices of the Russian Union there.

Carson Declines Premiership. London, Jan. 25.—Sir Edward Carson the Ulster Unionist leader, declined the premiership of the new Ulster parliament which was offered him today by an Ulster deputation in London. He is expected to accept the chairmanship of the Ulster Party in the imperial Parliament.

Jail For Rich Man's Son. Calgary, Alta., Jan. 25.—Marion H. Wyberker, son of a wealthy New Yorker, was sentenced to five years' imprisonment for burglary and one year for carrying a revolver, and his father, W. H. Kingsley, of Wyoming, was sent to prison for three years on a similar charge here today.

Ontario Sells Bond Issue. Toronto, Jan. 25.—The Province of Ontario has disposed of a bond issue of \$10,000,000 twenty-year, six per cent bonds, at a purchase price of 96.75 to a large syndicate of local bond houses.

Want Tariff Left Alone. Toronto, Jan. 25.—A resolution was passed at the Shoe Dealers' convention urging upon the government that no reduction be made in tariff on imported boots and shoes, and that more stringent regulations be put into force by the customs authorities to protect the Canadian market from unfair dumping.

BANK WOUND UP. London, Jan. 25.—The court today ordered the compulsory winding up of the affairs of the British-American continental bank, which suspended payments Jan. 8. Counsel said that probably all the creditors would be paid in full.

CREW SAVED—SHIP LOST. Port Said, Jan. 25.—The United States' bark Caricos was abandoned while burning today in the Mediterranean Sea in latitude 34.20 north, longitude 22.40 east, according to a report brought here by the British steamer Agamemnon. The crew of the bark was saved.

### DECEDEDLY COLD

Near East Question For Allied Conference

Greek and Turks to Send Representatives to London to Help Settle the Question.

Paris, Jan. 25.—The Supreme Council of the Allies today decided to call a conference of Allied representatives with representatives of Greece and Turkey in London at an early date to settle the Near East question.

### DE VALERA WAS SEAMAN ON THE WESTERN MILLER

Identified by Captain from Photo as Man Called "H. Merry."

### SHIPPED FOR ONE WAY VOYAGE ONLY

Got a Passport at Philadelphia from the British Consulate There.

New York, Jan. 25.—Despatches received here today from Philadelphia indicated that Eamonn De Valera, "president of the Irish Republic" sailed from that city Thanksgiving Day on the British freighter Southwestern Miller as a stoker under the name of H. Merry. The vessel has just returned to Philadelphia. Photographs of De Valera were shown to Captain James Williamson and Chief Engineer B. H. Hunt and both identified them as pictures of a stoker who shipped for a one-way voyage, and who, after being refused permission to land in London, deserted his ship there December 10 or 11.

Inquiry at the British Consulate in Philadelphia revealed the fact that a passport was issued to Harold Merry, who gave his address as 121 Third Avenue, Long Island City.

### OTTAWA MUST BE VACCINATED

Forty-Eight Hours for City to Enforce Order or Quarantine to Come.

Ottawa, Jan. 25.—The first progressive action on the part of the city fathers in the fight against the smallpox epidemic was taken this morning when Mayor Plant instructed Dr. T. A. Lomer, medical officer for health, to engage a superintendent for the Hopewell Island Hospital, to obtain additional nurses and maids for that institution and to employ a sufficient number of plain clothes men to prevent the inmates of quarantined houses from leaving their homes. Mayor Plant said he was prepared to take any step aside from compulsory vaccination, in order to combat the epidemic.

### Ice Carried Ferry Away From Course

Took Boat Two Hours to Go Less Than One Mile Across Strait.

Sydney, N. S., Jan. 25.—While on her trip from Mulgrave to Joint Tupper this afternoon, the car ferry steamer with the Sydney express aboard became caught in the drift ice which swept through the Strait of Canso and was carried a considerable distance out of her course. The trip from the mainland to Cape Breton, a distance of considerably less than a mile, took two hours to accomplish.

### Quote Bible To Prove Right To Damages

Boston, Jan. 25.—Proponents of a bill to make persons whose negligence resulted in fires responsible for the loss and for the cost of extinguishing them quoted the Bible before legislative committee today.

"If fire breaks out and catch in thorns, so that the stacks of corn be consumed, he that kindled the fire shall surely make restitution," was the quotation from the book of Exodus.

### NEW ENGLAND STATES SUSPEND WORK

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### ALIEN RADICAL PRISONERS SAY SPY IS TO DIE

Eighteen "Reds" in Boston placed in Solitary Confinement for Men's Decision. COMPANION IN CELLS GREW LESS RADICAL. So Others Decide to Execute Him as Soon as They Reach Russia.

Boston, Mass., Jan. 25.—The action of some of the eighteen alien radicals now at Deer Island awaiting deportation in passing a sentence of death on one of their number, caused their confinement in cells today. For the first time since their arrival at the House of Correction, George N. Harlow said they were not allowed to mingle with each other and were required to eat behind the bars.

They resented the measures and threw mess dishes and utensils through the bars, but became quiet when told that food would be returned as a consequence, according to the warden, a committee tried him as a spy. The death sentence was declared, and the committee bound itself to enforce it. Demetrio Iwanicki, who was the man marked for death, was separated from the others today. A well-educated man, Mr. Harlow, said Iwanicki, who was arrested at Youngstown, Ohio, apparently had undergone a change in his radical views. He voiced his opinion among his fellows, and as a consequence, according to the warden, a committee tried him as a spy. The death sentence was declared, and the committee bound itself to enforce it. Demetrio Iwanicki, who was the man marked for death, was separated from the others today. A well-educated man, Mr. Harlow, said Iwanicki, who was arrested at Youngstown, Ohio, apparently had undergone a change in his radical views. He voiced his opinion among his fellows, and as a consequence, according to the warden, a committee tried him as a spy. The death sentence was declared, and the committee bound itself to enforce it.

### Manager Fined Hundred Dollars

Bedford Construction Co. Stored Dynamite in Building Where There Was a Fire

In the Brockville court last evening before Magistrate Adams, Manager Carnell, of the Bedford Construction Company at Courtenay, pleaded guilty to having fired in the building where dynamite was stored. He was fined \$100 and costs.

### WHITE HAIRD DANCER WANTED SOME MORE

Could Not Get Enough Dancing to Satisfy His Appetite—Liked Taffy.

(Copyright 1921, by Public Ledger.) New York, Jan. 24.—The immaculate and irresistible Colonel Thomas H. Hay, of Boston, Pa., had whirled the third lady of the party back into her chair, and was still hungry for more dances at Claridge's. His legs we all declared were not a day over twenty years old, for he is known as the white-haired colonel is one of the best and most untragic dancers of this great city, and he comes often to town.

### LONGER TROUSERS WILL OFFSET SHORT SKIRTS

Chicago, Jan. 24.—Longer trousers for men will offset short skirts for women next spring, according to the edict of the Merchant Tailors' Designers' Association today. Coats will be longer and of the "athletic or wedge shape" and day over twenty "moderately belted."

### CHINA'S POPULATION NO CASE FOR COURT

Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 22.—Gragich Gagus and Joe Sumar still are willing to wage a neat sum with any person on earth that the population of China is all Greek to the enlightened inhabitants of the world. Gragich and Sumar had great hopes they would be able to settle the question of just how many Chinese there are in China when they went into Common Pleas Court and asked Judge Kennedy to decide which of the two had won a bet made between themselves. Sumar wagered \$100 against Gagus's \$50 that the population of China was under 400,000,000 persons.

After wrestling with the knotty problem for some time Judge Kennedy announced that the court had no way of ascertaining the population of China, and further, that the tribunal had no jurisdiction in the case.

MAKE STUDY OF HOUSE. It is a part of woman's job, if she is head of the house, to inform herself thoroughly as to the house construction, that she may be equal to domestic emergencies. Some women have taken short courses in plumbing and simple electric principles, with

### UNCLE SAM HIMSELF IN A BOOTLEG TRAP

Washington, Jan. 24.—Uncle Sam has found contraband liquor in his own bootleg. Prohibition agents and city detectives reported today that they had seized an automobile-tonneau full of "bottled goods" from a building in a block of houses owned by the Treasury Department.

### Brilliant Address To Canadian Club

John Murphy, Chief Electrical Engineer, Ottawa, Spoke on Subject "Ice Formation."

Before an exceptionally large attendance of members of the Canadian Club and the St. John Branch of the Engineering Institute of Canada, John Murphy of Ottawa, Chief Electrical Engineer of the Board of Railways and Canals and Consulting Electrical Engineer to the Board of Railway Commissioners for Canada, delivered a brilliant address last evening at Bond's Restaurant on the subject "Ice Formation."

Illustrated Address. The remarks of the speaker were illustrated by a series of excellent moving picture film which he had brought with him, showing the formation and action of trail or anchor ice. After stating that it gave him great pleasure to address members of the Canadian Club of St. John and his brother engineers, he declared that the water that passes through the water wheels of a power plant, the temperature of the wheels themselves is raised slightly above the freezing point and the solution of the problem of trail ice is through such means accomplished.

Typical Example. The moving pictures screened were taken in the basement of the Chateau Laurier at Ottawa. Five gallon bottles of water had been filled with water at a temperature of 32 degrees Fahrenheit, which contained no evidence of ice, but when agitated caused the formation of small crystals of trail ice which filled about one-half of the bottle.

Natural Phenomena. The pictures showed to every one present a remarkable natural phenomena with which few are familiar. The speaker also demonstrated the action which takes place when trail or anchor ice is formed in rivers. By an illustration of a fire engine equipped with ice choppers, he pointed out that it was still developing steam and carrying on its function of pumping, despite the fact that a very small thickness of metal separated the heat from the cold.

Horse Power. One hundred thousand horse power was developed at the Chandreore on the Ottawa river. Each year from 1896 to 1906, power plants had been denuded with trail ice, resulting in a tie-up of the street railway cars. As a consequence the speaker had taken a great interest in the question of ice formation and hydraulic power plants, which resulted in his solution of the problem.

In thanking Mr. Murphy for his very able address, the chairman stated that the ice question will eventually also be important to the people of St. John in regard to the development of the plant at Musquash.

### GERMANS JUMP THEIR RESTAURANT BILLS

(Copyright 1921, by Public Ledger.) Berlin, Jan. 22.—"Costs will be delivered only upon showing the waiter's receipted bill for refreshments," is the sign hung out in the cloak room of one of the best-known Berlin dance halls, in an effort to combat the bill-jumping proclivities of a certain part of Berlin's jeunesse dorée. Guests now receive their hats and coats only upon presentation of a small ticket signed by a head waiter.

### "Heavenly Honeymoon" Ended Above Gary

Chicago, Jan. 23.—When Major Paul Mithor, who is an aviator, proposed wedlock to Miss Melissa Martin of Toledo all he needed to say was: "Fly with me." So they flew to Fort Wayne, where Miss Martin suggested they descend on her mother.

There was the first obstacle. Mrs. Martin objected to marriage for her eighteen-year-old daughter. But Ruth continued on toward Chicago. Unfortunately for her training as an aviator's wife, Gary lay in the course of flight.

I couldn't stand flying over those dirty blast furnaces again," Miss Martin said. "I like it all right to Fort Wayne, when we got to that dirt, with darkness coming on—well, maybe no more was right."

### Y.M.C.A. Maritime Divisions Meet

Encouraging Reports Read and Progressive Programme Adopted for 1921.

An attendance that taxed the resources of their buildings and equipment, and an activity and enthusiasm never before equaled in the history of their associations, were reported by each of the Y. M. C. A. secretaries in attendance at the Maritime Division of the Y. M. C. A. National Council's annual meeting yesterday.

Committees Appointed. The appointment of committees was then taken up. A. S. Barnard, Halifax, was appointed chairman of the Maritime Division, G. E. Barbour, St. John, vice-chairman, J. F. Fasser, Halifax, treasurer. The following were appointed to the St. John District Committee: J. Hunter White, G. L. Warwick, R. G. Schofield, H. Usher Miller, S. E. Fisher, G. E. Barbour.

Boys' Work. Boys' Groups now organized (Tuxis Boys ..... 232 No. of boys in groups ..... 3186 No. of committees served ..... 52 Thirteen Boys' Conferences were conducted under the leadership of the three Territorial Secretaries, A. M. Gregg, R. C. Sidonis and L. A. Buckley, with a total registration of 1597 boys.

Military Work. Regular visits were paid and recreational equipment supplied to military patients in the East St. John Hospital, Lancaster Hospital, River Glade Sanatorium, Fredericton Soldiers' Hospital, Kenville Sanatorium, Camp Hill and Cogswell street Hospitals, Halifax, and the N. S. Inane Hospital. Halifax was reported to have 19 communities, with a total enrollment of 455 Tuxis and Trail Ranger Boys.

Foreign Work. The five maritime associations contributed \$3,959.70 to Foreign Work in 1920. A total of \$1,500,000 was raised in North America, of which Canada contributed \$35,000. There were 19 countries the result of 24 foreign labor in that sphere. American and Canadian secretaries numbered 198, native, 455.

Local Associations. Six secretaries were placed in Local Associations during the year. One resigned. The representatives are with-out secretarial leadership.

Financial Statement. The financial statement showed that the regular receipts for the year amounted to \$1,038.98. The regular disbursements to \$1,748.98. The military receipts, amounted to \$1,072.61, the disbursements to \$42,957.30.

Recommendations Passed. The budget committee recommended a maximum and minimum budget for 1921, of \$10,500 and \$9,000. A recommendation was forwarded to the National Council asking that the educational policy be continued.

A further recommendation was passed that a convention be held at the early date to make a survey of the needs of the men and boys reached by the maritime association. Representatives were asked to adopt a policy regarding work amongst the regular and the military forces.

The local board of directors entertained the representatives at a noon luncheon at the Union Club. In the evening supper was served at the Y. M. C. A. by the Ladies' Auxiliary.

### JAZZ SHIRTS AND SOCKS ARE TABOO

New York, Jan. 22.—Warden Lewis E. Lawes of Sing Sing issued an order yesterday forbidding the convicts to wear silk shirts, fancy neckties, silk socks and linen collars. Henceforth they will have to confine their sartorial embellishments to the prison uniform supplied by the State, which is compact and comfortable but not beautiful.

### AUSTRIA'S MILLS WILL BE THEME OF PROBE BOARD

Supreme Council Decides Question Must be Studied by International Board.

PROBLEM GREATER THAN ONE NATION. Sir Auckland Geddes is in Paris in Consultation With Premier Lloyd George.

Paris, Jan. 25.—After rejecting today a proposal to turn the Austrian financial problem over to the League of Nations, the Allied Supreme Council decided to appoint a commission to make a thorough inquiry into the entire question of the economic situation in Europe with particular reference to Austria.

These representatives, it was decided, will be Sir Robert Horne, president of the British Board of Trade; Louis Loucheur, French Minister of Liberated Regions; Signor Giannini, the Italian economic expert, and probably the ministers of commerce of other allied countries, including Belgium.

Problem Very Complicated. During the discussion in the council today, the general opinion developed that it was useless to try to do anything for Austria apart from the solution of the economic problems of the neighboring countries, with which Austria's future is bound to be closely connected, and the suggestion from the Austrian section of the reparations commission for an advance of Austria of \$25,000,000 yearly for ten years, guaranteed by pledges on Austria's resources, was not acted upon. The tendency is, it appears, to reject any proposition likely to involve increased contributions for France and Great Britain. The Italian viewpoint is that Austria should not be allowed to bind herself to any particular country or group of countries through international arrangements.

Geddes Sees Lloyd George. Sir Auckland Geddes, British Ambassador to the United States, called home from Washington for conferences, lost no time in following to Paris the British cabinet officers to consult with him had made his trip to the United States and had been in Liverpool by steamer yesterday afternoon, he left immediately for London and without delay there set out for Paris, arriving in the evening. The ministers, Sir Auckland was summoned to consult with, were Mr. Lloyd George and the secretary of state for foreign affairs, Lord Curzon.

### Church Honors Faithful Sexton

For Forty Years F. J. Triftz Has Been Custodian of St. Paul's Church.

The festival of St. Paul was observed at St. Paul's church yesterday, beginning with the service of Holy Communion at 7:30 and 10:30 in the morning.

At eight o'clock in the evening a large congregation assembled for choral evensong, which was sung by Major the Rev. E. B. Hooper. The choir was specially augmented with seven women conducted by A. Chip Ritchie. The service was conducted the congregation assembled in the Sunday school. Archdeacon A. H. Crowfoot complimented the congregation on the splendid way in which they supported the church.

### STAMP THEFTS FROM OFFICE BOYS LATEST

A new wrinkle that has been worked successfully seven times in the last three months was exposed yesterday when victim No. 7 called up "The New York Herald" and asked that a warning be published. He is the head of a business concern in the neighborhood of the post office, on Park row.

He called attention to the fact that their jubilee of the consecration of the present church will fall on August 15th, which is the day of the warm tribute to the different societies of the church and also to the organist T. Percy Bourne. Ernest Till rendered a solo.

### AGAIN 5¢

COWAN'S CHOCOLATE BARS

AT THE HOSPITAL. Miss G. A. Boyce expired at the General Public Hospital shortly after eight o'clock last evening, death being due to burns received while lighting a fire in her home Monday night.

MORE MONEY FOR UNEMPLOYED. Toronto, Jan. 25.—Toronto city council last night voted a second \$150,000 bond issue for unemployment relief; total \$50,000 toward the deficit of the hospital for sick children, and referred to the board of control a resolution in favor of an increase in the salary of the mayor from \$7,500 to \$10,000.

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### Foresters Install New Officers

W. C. Johnston, New Chief Ranger of Court La Tour No. 125.

The I. O. Foresters met in regular session, Court La Tour No. 125, in their room in Orange Hall, Gormain street, last evening. There was a large attendance and the following officers were installed by N. E. Grass, P. H. C. R., assisted by J. E. Stephenson, P. H. V. C. R.:

W. C. Johnston, Chief Ranger. A. A. Whitebone, Vice Chief Ranger. E. J. Todd, Recording Secretary. Geo. W. Currie, Financial Secretary. Dr. J. Manning, Treasurer. P. Howard, Orator. Thomas Banks, Senior Woodward. Murray Powers, Junior Woodward. Roy Parsons, Senior Beadle. Vince Soderovky, Junior Beadle. An adjournment was made to Bond's where supper was served, followed by speeches and songs.

### Halifax Hikers Off For Walk Across Canada

Halifax, N. S., Jan. 25.—John and Clifford Behan, father and son, the second pair of hikers to leave Halifax for Vancouver within the past week, started off from here this morning on their long tramp. The elder Behan is a former postman and both express confidence in their ability to undertake the feat. Charles Burman and Sid Carr, the first team who got away, who spent last night at Dorchester, N. B.

### To Cure a Cold in One Day

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Resolved. That the Municipal vote no funds for the year 1921. The Councillors Gilbert, Both McKenna, Sussex, spoke in the grant, while Councillor lined up in a speech against the amendment. The vote of 23 to 9, and the motion lost by a vote of 23 to 9.

Morning's Session. The session opened with Gilliland in the chair, and G. O. D. City at his desk. Communication from Premier was read relative to the cost of maintaining the Health Act.

## A PAGE OF NEWS ABOUT THE MARITIME

### HEALTH ACT SCORED SHARPLY BY KING'S COUNTY COUNCIL AND MONEY ASKED REFUSED

After Keen Discussion of the Measure Request for \$7,500 With Which to "Carry On" is Rejected by Council on a Division of 23 to 9 Votes—Much Business Transacted at First Day's Session.

Special to The Standard.  
Hampton, Jan. 25.—A knock out blow was given the famous Health Act of the Provincial Government today when the council for the municipality of Kings refused to approve an estimate of \$7,500 requested of it for the administration of the Act in the County of Kings.

The councillors gathered here today to transact the business necessary to carry on affairs for the year 1921, and from the start to the close of the day's session all seemed to have the "hook" out for anything that savored of extravagance, or that was liable to add any unnecessary burden upon the public they represented in the way of increased taxation.

**'Twas a Big Fight.**  
The big fight of the day came over the Health Act. Its opponents were many, its champions were few. Councillors McAuley, of Lower Millstream and Smith, of Hampton, were leaders of the forces against approving the request of \$7,500 from the Health department. Eloquence and oratory began to flow in a steady stream when Councillor Pearson, Sussex, moved a resolution approving the estimate of \$7,500 for Board of Health purposes.

**Opened the Battle.**  
Councillor Smith, of Hampton, was the first to open up the batteries in opposition to the resolution. He said that only a few years ago, he said, when they got good health service for \$500 a year. Two years ago it cost the county \$2,500 for an indifferent service, \$3,500 last year, and now the modest sum of \$7,500 was demanded. They want double what they received last year. He thought it time to call a halt. He regarded the whole affair connected with the Health Act as "red tape" and declared Kings county was not receiving value for its money. He expressed himself as "disgusted with the whole thing."

**Not Getting Returns.**  
Councillor Puddington agreed to a certain extent with the Hampton councillor, but thought the Act might be all right if properly carried out. He declared the county was paying for something it was not receiving. He then recited from personal knowledge incidents where the Health Act failed to function. Councillor Pearson made a plea for the estimate pointing out where he believed the Act was proving of great benefit to the county, especially in its application to the inspection of the health of school children. He declared the work had been faithfully done, and every penny accounted for. Councillor Smith replied to Councillor Pearson and stated the examination in the schools was a "humbug." He told of quarantines that had never been lifted, of a horse's head being kicked about the streets of Hampton several days, finally landing in the Court House, and many other things when the health officials had failed to do their duty.

**Health Officers to Resign.**  
Officials in the employ of the Health department were rushed in at this point to tell what a boon to humanity the Health Act was proving. They admitted they could not back up their statements with direct evidence, but time would verify what they said. Councillor McAuley secured the floor and when he got through with the Health Act there was nothing to it but a bruised, battered cap of nothingness. He believed the Act was not a question for the municipality. If the government was able to create such a thing, he said, for the sake of providing jobs for some of its favored ones, then they should be able to make provision for raising the revenue to carry it on instead of tapping the pocketbooks of the farmers. He had a long arraignment against the unsanitary conditions existing in slaughterhouses, etc., and of the inhuman treatment accorded children when vaccination was on.

**Send Back to Government.**  
He said "if we have the Health Act let it revert to the government where it belongs and let them look after it. He proposed this amendment:—Resolved, That the Municipal Council vote no funds for the Health Act for the year 1921." Councillor Gilbert, of Sussex, and McKenna, of Sussex, spoke in favor of the grant, while Councillor McVey lined up in a speech against it.

The amendment was carried by a vote of 23 to 9, and the original motion lost by a vote of 23 to 9.

**Morning's Session.**  
The session opened with Warden Gilchrist in the chair, and the secretary, G. O. D. O'Byrne, at the desk. Communication from Premier Foster was read relative to the increased cost of maintaining the Hospital for

Nervous Diseases and notifying the council that the cost of pauper cases would be increased from \$1 a week to \$2.50 a week. Kings county has 47 patients at this institution. Secretary O'Byrne explained that in order to meet the request it would be necessary to increase the estimate three times more than has been provided for. John C. Belyea asked the council to put into operation the Housing Act that the people of Kings might enjoy its benefits.

The warden announced that all committees of last year would stand for present year, and that Sheriff McLeod would be added to the building committee. He also urged the representatives of the different parishes to have their business well in hand and ready to take it up the first thing tomorrow.

**Demanded Proper Time.**  
He didn't believe the people's business should be hustled through without proper and careful consideration. Councillor McKenna put in a plea for remuneration to grand jurors. He thought they should be paid the same as petit jurors. At present they attended court at a great inconvenience, paid their own bills and received no remuneration. He moved, seconded by Councillor Dole, that grand jurors be paid as authorized, and that the rate be the same as paid petit jurors. The motion, though strenuously opposed by Councillor McAuley on the grounds of increased taxation, and who argued it was an honorable duty to serve in the capacity of a juror, was carried by a large majority.

**Asked Assessment Reduction.**  
Councillor McVey read a petition from the heirs of William Baxter, of Norton, asking for a reduction of the assessment value of the estate from \$6,000 to \$3,500.

Councillor Gilchrist courageously moved that the terms of the petition should be made four years instead of two. He thought much better service would be secured from a four year term. The idea was heartily concurred in.

**Kings County Home.**  
The secretary of the Kings county home read the annual report of the home. During the year there were 23 inmates, and of this number five had died. The emergency hospital had been completed at a cost to date of \$1,469.97. There was a bill of \$1,246.89 for heating, outstanding. The sinking fund was now sufficient to retire the bonds and the assessment could now be reduced by about \$2,000. The whole cost of each patient last year was less than \$4 a week.

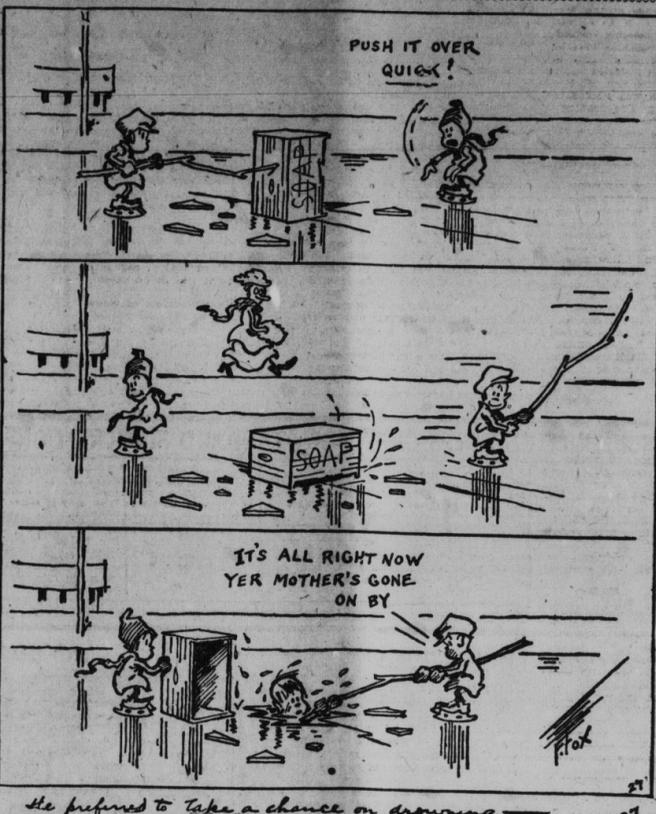
The following estimates for 1921 were submitted:  
Keep of pauper patients ..... \$2,750.00  
Salaries and labor ..... 2,900.00  
Insurance ..... 250.00  
Parish accounts ..... 1,250.00  
Interest on bonds ..... 72.00  
Sundries ..... 554.00  
Total ..... \$8,776.00

**Afternoon Session.**  
Under suspension of rule, the matter regarding the reduction of the assessment on the Baxter estate was taken up. Councillor Gilchrist opposed such a move. He thought the council had no business to interfere. As assessors had been appointed, and he believed they had done their work faithfully and well. They are men of ability, and if the council reduces this assessment it will be an act of censorship upon the assessors. He regarded the property as not being over-assessed, and because of its location which made it extremely valuable for house lots, its assessment was not out of proportion with other property at Norton. A certain portion of the farm had been cut up into house lots and a very fancy price, he said, had been tacked to these lots.

One of the heirs present was heard and allowed Councillor Gilchrist was seeing things and quoting values that did not exist on the lots mentioned.

**Question of Authority.**  
The secretary informed the council they had no authority to reduce assessments. That was for the valuers, according to law's provision. The matter was adjusted by voting a refund to the heirs of \$10.50 on warrant tax and \$6.25 on road tax. Councillor Pearson reported for the Sub-district Health Board. The births for the year was 333, marriages, 169; death, 200. He reported 18 licensed slaughter houses, and 11 dealers in milk by milk routes licensed. The receipts for the year totalled \$3,357.73. The expenditures, \$3,025.51. Balance in bank, \$1,619.41, less checks outstanding, \$1,285.26, leaving \$334.15.

The question of electing delegates to attend the United Farmers Convention to be held in Fredericton, Feb. 1st, 2nd and 3rd, was taken up, resulting in the election of Mr. Arthur Hicks, with Mr. W. W. Tagley as alternate, to represent Middle Sackville. Point de Bute branch will elect their own delegate.



He preferred to take a chance on drowning.

**McAdam L. O. B. A. Officially Visited.**  
County Officers Call on Ladies' Orange Lodge—Enjoyable Evening Spent.

Special to The Standard.  
McAdam, N. B., Jan. 25.—A large and representative meeting of the True Blue Lodge of McAdam was held on Monday evening last, Worshipful Mistress Cooper presiding. A visit was paid to the Lodge representatives of the York County Orange Lodge, headed by County Master Geo. A. Love, after the transaction of ordinary business, addresses were made by the County Master, the Rev. W. H. Lanes, Rector of McAdam, Rev. D. MacGaire, Minister of the Union Church, Brothers Fisher, Cooper and Dupuis of L. O. L. Clark Wallace No. 72 of McAdam, which were very much appreciated.

**Starting Work To Give Jobs To Unemployed.**  
Halifax, N. S., Jan. 25.—Work for a number of unemployed men here was provided at a special meeting this afternoon of the city council, which approved borrowing \$55,000 to pay for immediate water and sewer service extensions by the water works department. The city engineer announced that the work would begin tomorrow morning.

**Sydney Minister To Accept Toronto Call.**  
Sydney, N. S. W., Jan. 25.—Rev. Merritt L. Gregg, M. A., pastor of United Baptist Church here, has accepted a call to Parkdale Avenue Baptist Church, Toronto. Previous to his coming here four years ago, Rev. Mr. Gregg was pastor of the North Baptist Church, Halifax.

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**CITIZENS ELECT MOST OF TICKET AT CAMPBELLTON.**  
N. McKay for Mayor and Seven Colleagues on Slate Successful.

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**Halifax Case Goes To Supreme Court.**

Halifax, N. S., Jan. 25.—The case of Antonio Luciano, arrested here for the Ottawa police on a charge of non-support of his wife, will in view of the fact that there is some doubt with respect to decisions in such cases, be referred to the full bench of the Supreme Court, Chief Justice Harris announced this morning.

**STOLE FOX FURS.**  
Moncton, Jan. 25.—Two fox furs were stolen from the office of Mr. Watson Lutes, City Market clerk. The furs were the property of Mr. Harry Wilmut and Mr. Harry Steeves, and had been left with Mr. Lutes, who was to have endeavored to sell them. The furs were worth in the vicinity of \$200 and \$75 was offered to Mr. Lutes a few days ago for one of the furs, but the price was refused.

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Edward Boudreau was 37 years old and leaves a wife and five small children. The funeral will be held at Campbellton tomorrow.

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At the close of the county council at Dalhousie, Councillor W. H. Wallace, of Campbellton, addressed that body and advocated the building of a county municipal house for the poor. The project was most favorably received and a committee was appointed to act with the Campbellton town council and Board of Trade and report at the next meeting of the county council. County valuers were appointed to the counties, as the last valuation was taken ten years ago.

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**Not A Prisoner In Jail At Newcastle.**  
For First Time in Years Prisoner is Without Single Enforced Tenant.

Special to The Standard.  
Newcastle, Jan. 25.—When the county council visited the jail here last week at its session it got a surprise. Not a prisoner is confined within the place. This is the first time in years that the place has been without an enforced tenant. A motion was made to increase to jailers salary \$200 a year, but it was lost when presented to the council.

**FARRALINE HOME DEEDS GIVEN TO KING DAUGHTERS.**  
Bishop of Fredericton Formally Opened the New Home at Capital.

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**DIVORCE COURT GIVES FREEDOM TO EX-SOLDIER.**

Charles Baker of Harvey Station is Granted Divorce at Fredericton.

**PLAINTIFF SERVED IN OVERSEAS ARMY.**  
Couple Were Married in St. John in 1904 by the Rev. Canon Dr. Cowie.

Special to The Standard.  
Fredericton, N. B., Jan. 25.—In the New Brunswick divorce court this afternoon a decree of divorce was ordered by the court to issue in the case of Charles Baker of Harvey Station vs. Edith Mary Baker of St. John. The case was begun before Mr. Justice Crockett yesterday afternoon. J. T. Sharkey, of this city appearing for the plaintiff, who is a mail driver of Harvey Station and moving for trial. The plaintiff was called to the stand and stated that he had been married to the defendant, then Edith Peppers, on Nov. 23rd, 1904, by Rev. Canon J. H. DeWolfe Cowie.

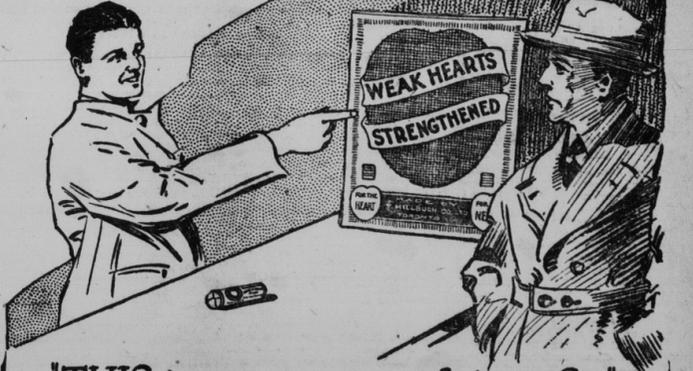
He had enlisted in the Canadian Engineers as a sapper and had gone overseas in April, 1917, returning to this province in January, 1919. At the close of his evidence, the court ordered that a decree of divorce a vinculo matrimonii should issue.

**Minto Coal Selling At 60 Cents Per Bbl.**  
Waterborough, N. B., Jan. 25.—A. L. Gunter, White's Cove, who purchased the farm of the Hon. L. P. Farris, has lately installed a pumping outfit, the cost of having been done by A. L. Wiggins, for the purpose of drawing water for his stock.

A large number of people have taken advantage of the good travelling on the ice of the Grand Lake to get their coal from either Newcastle or Minto. The coal is of good quality and is selling at the mines for sixty cents a barrel for heating purposes and sixty-five cents for blacksmith coal.

Every winter the ice is staked from the shore of T. M. Wiggins and the shore of C. M. Coakley, near Douglas Harbor, a distance of between four and five miles. A. W. Smith staked it half way and someone from the other side will finish it. It will be handy for people on both sides of the lake who have business either way.

Arnold L. Wiggins is a busy man just now, in saving wood with his sawing outfit and doing blacksmithing for a number of people in this vicinity.



**"THIS is my recommendation, Sir"**  
"NOT so very long ago I was in the same ill health as yourself. Long and busy hours, the responsibility of filling drug prescriptions and other duties of the day's work proved a strain. I took a couple of boxes of Milburn's Heart & Nerve Pills and can honestly thank them for my present splendid condition.

This little incident from everyday life fits your case in one way or another. In these days of strenuous living it is only natural for the heart to get below normal, thus affecting the nervous system. Many people ignore the symptoms of heart and nerve trouble. Every day people drop dead, simply because of ignoring them. You cannot afford to do this. Ask yourself, "Have I any of the following complaints?"

Dizziness, Headaches, Palpitation, Breath Shortness, Briza Fog, Loss of Flesh, Depression, Sleeplessness, Anemia, Tobacco Heart, Loss of Appetite.

These are some of the sensations which are experienced. They are a warning of vital importance. If you would be well and strong, just ask your druggist to-day for a box of Milburn's Heart & Nerve Pills.

**YOU WILL BE SIMPLY ASTONISHED** at the fast recovery you will make on taking them. Remember, they have been on the market for over 25 years, and you are using a preparation recommended by prominent people the country over.

All busy druggists sell Milburn's Heart & Nerve Pills at 50c. a box, or they will be mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ontario.

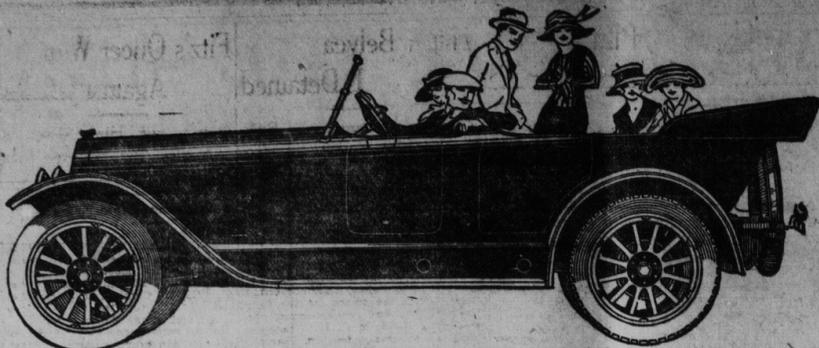
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## 1ST CAPITAL PRIZE



The first prize in The Standard's big \$15,000 Automobile and Movie Star Contest will be a magnificent 7-Passenger Studebaker, Big Six, with a cash value of \$2,350.00. This elegant Touring Car was purchased from J. Clark & Son, 17 Germain St., City, where it will be on exhibition.

The Big 7-Passenger Studebaker will be given to the contestant in The Standard's \$15,000 Contest who has the highest number of votes to his or her credit by midnight, on the closing night of the contest. The contest lasts 10 working weeks. Enroll your name at once and get the early start. There is no reason why this magnificent auto cannot be YOURS!

The automobiles which will be given away in connection with The Standard's big \$15,000 Prize Contest will not be driven around the country or city by members of the Contest Department or any other persons. We are giving away NEW cars in this contest—not second-hand machines.

## ENTRY BLANK

GOOD FOR 10,000 VOTES

Nominate Yourself or a Friend

PRIZE CONTEST DEPT. OF THE STANDARD  
St. John, N. B.

Gentlemen:—

I hereby nominate as a candidate in your Automobile and Movie Star Contest.

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Note—Only one entry blank will be accepted for any one candidate.

## SCHEDULE OF VOTES GIVEN FOR STANDARD SUBSCRIPTIONS

LENGTH OF SUBSCRIPTION	FIRST PERIOD Schedule of votes during first period. First period lasts 1 week, ending Jan. 23.	SECOND PERIOD Schedule of votes during second period. Second period lasts 1 week.	THIRD PERIOD Schedule of votes during third period. Third period lasts 1 week.	FOURTH PERIOD Schedule of votes during fourth period. Fourth period lasts 1 week.	FIFTH PERIOD Schedule of votes during fifth period. Fifth period lasts 1 week.	SIXTH PERIOD Schedule of votes during sixth period. Sixth period lasts 2 weeks.
6 months .....	3,000	7,500	6,500	6,000	5,500	6,000
1 year .....	32,000	30,000	29,000	28,000	27,000	26,000
2 years .....	80,000	75,000	70,000	65,000	60,000	55,000
3 years .....	145,000	135,000	125,000	115,000	105,000	95,000
4 years .....	215,000	202,500	190,000	177,500	165,000	152,500
5 years .....	285,000	270,000	254,000	238,000	222,000	206,000

NOTE.—Votes are given for renewals and for collection of arrearage subscriptions as well as for new business to The St. John Standard

## THE FREE PRIZES AND HOW THEY WILL BE AWARDED

The first five prizes below will be designated in the contest as Capital Prizes, and will be awarded to the five candidates who amass the highest vote scores during the contest, regardless of district.

**FIRST CAPITAL PRIZE**—\$2,950.00 7-Passenger Studebaker Touring Car. It will be given to the candidate who secures the greatest number of votes during the contest regardless of district.

**SECOND CAPITAL PRIZE**—\$1,455.00 5-Passenger Gray Dort Touring Car. It will be given to the candidate who secures the second highest number of votes during the contest (regardless of district).

**THIRD CAPITAL PRIZE**—5-Passenger Ford Touring Car. The capital prize Ford will be given to the candidate who secures the third highest number of votes during the contest (regardless of district).

**FOURTH CAPITAL PRIZE**—Opportunity to become a movie star with the Universal Film Company of Universal City, California. Fare paid to studios at Universal City, California, tryout in the movies at \$25 per week during a four-week period, six month's contract (or possibly longer) if suited for the work; \$100 cash consolation prize if unsuited for the work. \$100 cash pin-money also included with this prize. This prize will be given to the candidate, regardless of district, who secures the fourth highest number of votes by the end of the contest.

**FIFTH CAPITAL PRIZE**—Opportunity to become a movie star with the Universal Film Company. Fare paid to studios at Universal City, California, tryout in the movies at \$25 per week during a four-week period, six month's contract (or possibly longer) if suited for the work. \$100 cash consolation prize if unsuited. This prize will be given to the candidate, regardless of district, who secures the fifth highest number of votes by the end of the contest.

### DISTRICT PRIZES

NOTE.—After the five capital prizes have been awarded, a certain number of prizes which will be designated as District Prizes will be allotted to each district equally, as follows:

**FIRST DISTRICT PRIZE**—To the candidate in each of the two districts who has the highest number of votes after the awarding of the five Capital Prizes, we will give \$150 Cabinet Phonograph and other prizes to be announced later.

NOTE.—In event of the candidates who win the Movie Star Opportunity prizes are not in a position to take advantage of the openings to become movie stars, The Standard will give them a cash prize in lieu of the movie star prize, the sum of cash to be the amount these prizes are costing The Standard.

In addition to the prizes mentioned above there will be a number of other prizes consisting of Cabinets of Silver, Phonographs, Furniture, Suits, etc. Arrangements are being made for the purchase of the complete prize list, at the present time, and details will be published shortly. The above partial list, however, is proof conclusive that the assortment offered by The Standard will be far above the average list of free prizes offered in Circulation Campaign competitions.

### A TIP ON HOW TO WIN

First—You enter the competition by sending in an entry blank properly filled out. The entry blank is good for 10,000 votes, and only one Entry Coupon will be accepted for any one candidate. Then enlist the aid of your friends and neighbors. Use your telephone. Let everybody know that you are a candidate before they promise their help to a more enterprising competitor. Be ambitious and determined to win from the start. If you have friends you cannot see at once, write them. It will take votes to win the free prizes—secure the votes. They can be obtained by clipping them from editions of The Standard or by securing subscriptions for The Standard (either the Morning or Semi-Weekly).

You can get votes and subscriptions anywhere. Votes will be given on new subscriptions to The Standard and on renewals of old subscriptions that are paid in advance, also on payment of arrearages.

## 3RD CAPITAL PRIZE



Third Capital prize in the big prize competition will be a five-passenger Ford Touring Car, latest model, fully equipped with all the latest factory equipment. This handsome prize will be given to the contestant who has secured the highest number of votes by midnight on the closing night of the contest.

The Ford was purchased from and is on exhibition at The Universal Car Co., Dealers in Ford cars and Ford parts, 85 Prince William St.

The automobiles which will be given away in connection with The Standard's big \$15,000 Prize Contest will not be driven around the country or city by members of the Contest Department or any other persons. We are giving away NEW cars in this contest—not second-hand machines.

## 2ND CAPITAL PRIZE



The contestant who has the 2nd highest number of votes by midnight, on the closing night of the contest, will be given this elegant 5-passenger \$1,455 Gray Dort Touring Car. The Gray Dort which will be given away is the very latest model, and fully equipped with the regular factory equipment.

See The Standard's magnificent 2nd prize on exhibition at the Gray Dort Agency (Wm. Pirie, Son & Co., 42 Sydney St.), from which firm it was purchased.

The automobiles which will be given away in connection with The Standard's big \$15,000 Prize Contest will be driven around the country or city by members of the Contest Department or any other persons. We are giving away NEW cars in this contest—not second-hand machines.

## Information, Rules and Conditions of The Standard's Big Prize Contest

Everyone who is of good character, whether married or unmarried, old or young, is eligible to compete in this Prize Contest. This means men, women and children are acceptable as candidates.

Candidates may nominate themselves. Nominations must be accompanied by the proper address of the candidate. No employees of The Standard or members of an employee's family can enter or compete for any of the prizes.

The Standard reserves the right to reject any nominations. Nominations may be made at any time during the contest.

Vote coupons good for 50 votes will be published in The Standard which, when neatly cut out, name filled in and brought or mailed to the Prize Contest Department of The Standard, will count for the amount thereon.

All votes issued on subscriptions are good until the end of the Contest, and will be polled at the discretion of the candidate, subscriber or the Contest Department of The Standard.

Candidates who seek to lessen competition by discouraging other competitors, or whose friends endeavor to lessen competition by the same method, will be disqualified and dropped from the Contest. Votes are not transferable except under the following circumstances: If a candidate wishes to withdraw from the Contest, he or she may change her votes to a substitute, but said substitute must be a new candidate who has not been before accepted in the Contest.

A committee of well-known business men will be selected by The Standard to count the votes and decide upon the prize-winners.

The Judges' Final Count of votes will be made in public, and all candidates and their friends may witness it.

All Contest records will be open to the inspection of the candidates the day following the Judges' Final Count of votes.

Cash must accompany all subscriptions where votes are to be issued.

Candidates can secure subscriptions anywhere.

The list of candidates and the number of votes polled will be published throughout the entire period of the Contest.

Active voting begins Saturday, January 22nd, but candidates may start subscription getting at once.

There will be ten working weeks of the Contest.

The Standard reserves the right to add more prizes or to give extra prizes.

The Standard reserves the right to encourage the candidates in every way possible.

The Standard reserves the right to alter the vote schedules, but it guarantees the candidates that all subscriptions turned in from the beginning of the Contest will receive the benefits of any alteration in the vote schedules, if same are altered, or of any extra votes if another than those mentioned in this ad. are given.

We wish to make it perfectly clear that the carrier boys or newscasters are in no way affected by this Contest. They receive their commission the same as usual, even though their subscribers pay candidates.

In case of a tie, the prize will be equally divided among those polling a tie vote.

The Standard guarantees fair treatment to all contestants and should any question arise a decision of the management will be considered final and absolute.

No statement or promise made by any solicitor or agent varying from the rules or statements published in The Standard will be recognized by The Standard.

Candidates influencing or attempting to influence any of the judges shall forfeit all rights to either a prize or commission.

A candidate is not required to be a regular subscriber or agent of The Standard to enter the competition.

The Standard reserves the right to alter the rules and regulations or any of the offers; everything in fact, except a reduction of the prize list.

Persons who enter and take part in this Prize Contest, therefore, bind themselves to abide by the foregoing rules.

Exciting Horse On Gagetown

Fine Day's Sport on Another Meet for February 5th

Gagetown, Jan. 25.—First off the honors in an Gagetown race, when "Doctor," owned by or of Hampstead, and C. Ebbett, of Lower Gagetown, owned by Gilbert Stockford and Henry deVaber. The took place on a three track, three heats out-race, resulted as follows: "Doctor"..... "Oakley H."..... Time—1:58 1/4; 1:51 3/4.

The race was for \$500. A three minute race on track was also an interest of the afternoon. The results were as follows: "Barney Black," owned by Wm. P. Fox, driver Frank Fox..... "Lou," owned and driven by Frank Hayden..... "Dolly Wilkes," owned and driven by H. H. Gibbs..... Time—1:18; 1:19 1/2; 1:19 1/2.

A purse of \$35 was officials of this afternoon. Starter—Fred L. Corey. Judges—J. W. Ham. Judges—J. W. Ham. Judges—J. W. Ham.

Plans are already on other race on February match race between H. owned by Harold C. Ro. John and Queen Earl, W. S. Allingham, of race to take place Creek.

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The following are the swimming events at the last night:—

25 yards dash—Fred Vanwart, Polly, 2nd. Junior B.—Nicholas Douglas, McKenny, 2nd. Junior Business Boyston, 1st. High School—George Robert Hayes, 2nd. Long plunge, Junior A. 1916, 1st; Vanwart Polly Junior B.—Nicholas Douglas, McKenny, 31 ft. Junior Business — F. 1st; Ralph Singer, 2nd. High School—Frank the whole length of tan Hayes, 2nd, with plun 11 in.

25 yard back stroke—Vanwart, Polly, 1st; 2nd. Junior B.—Douglas Nicholas Bone, 2nd. Junior Business—Arthur Belyea, 2nd. High School—Frank ert Hayes, 2nd.

Leap dive, Junior A. 1916, 7 points; Eric G. Junior B.—Douglas points; Eric Noble, 9 p. Junior Business—Archie points; Robert Singer, High School—Geor points; Frank Kee, 3 p. Fancy dive, Junior B. 11 points; Douglas points.

Junior Business—Rod points; A. Belyea, 3 p. High School, 3 p. points; Frank Kee, 3 p. Junior Business—Rod points; A. Belyea, 3 p. High School, 3 p. points; Frank Kee, 3 p.

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# THE STANDARD'S SPORTING SECTION

## Exciting Horse Races On Gageton Creek

Fine Day's Sport on the Ice—Another Meet Scheduled for February 5th.

Gageton, Jan. 25.—Gageton carried off the honors in a match race on Gageton creek this afternoon, when "Doctor," owned by C. H. Dent, of Hamstead, and driven by F. C. Ebbett, of Lower Gageton, was outdistanced by "Oakley," owned by J. Gilbert Stockford and driven by J. Henry DeVoeber. The race, which took place on a three-quarter mile track, three heats out of five to be raced, resulted as follows:

The race was for \$500. A three minute race over a half-mile track was also an interesting feature of the afternoon. The entries and results were as follows:

"Barney Mack" owned by Wm. P. Fox, driven by Frank Fox, . . . 1 1 1  
"Lou," owned and driven by Frank Hayden, . . . 2 2 2  
"Dolly Wilkes," owned and driven by H. H. Gilbert, . . . 3 3 3

A purse of \$35 was divided. The officials of this afternoon's race were: Time—Fred L. Corey. Starter—Weldon Purdy, James Judges—J. W. Hamilton, H. B. Bridges and Fred D'Angelo.

Plans are already on foot for another race on February 5th for a match race between Helen of Troy, owned by Harold C. Robinson, of St. John, and Queen Earl, owned by H. W. S. Allingham, of Gageton, the race to take place on Gageton Creek.

## Swimming Results At The Y.M.C.A.

The following are the results of the swimming events at the Y. M. C. A. last night:

25 yards dash—Fred McIntyre, 1st; Vanwart Polly, 2nd. Junior B.—Nicholas Bone, 1st; Douglas McKenny, 2nd.

Junior Business Boys—Fred Johnston, 1st. High School—George Burton, 1st; Robert Hayes, 2nd.

100 yard back stroke, Junior A.—Vanwart Polly, 1st; Alex. Gouling, 2nd.

Junior B.—Douglas McKenny, 1st; Nicholas Bone, 2nd. Junior Business—F. Johnston, 1st; Arthur Belyea, 2nd.

High School—Frank Kee, 1st; Robert Hayes, 2nd.

50 yard dash, Junior A.—Fred McIntyre, 1st; Eric Gouling, 2nd. Junior B.—Douglas McKenny, 1st; Eric Noble, 2nd.

Junior Business—Arthur Belyea, 1st; Robert Hayes, 2nd. High School—George Burton, 1st; Robert Hayes, 2nd.

100 yard dash, Junior A.—Fred McIntyre, 1st; Eric Gouling, 2nd. Junior B.—Douglas McKenny, 1st; Eric Noble, 2nd.

Junior Business—Arthur Belyea, 1st; Robert Hayes, 2nd. High School—George Burton, 1st; Robert Hayes, 2nd.

100 yard dash, Junior A.—Fred McIntyre, 1st; Eric Gouling, 2nd. Junior B.—Douglas McKenny, 1st; Eric Noble, 2nd.

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## Leave Montreal To Meet Rickard

C. F. Graham Will Guarantee \$700,000 if Big Fight is Brought to Montreal.

Montreal, Jan. 25.—"I leave tonight for New York to see Tex Rickard, and tomorrow I hope to hear the chances of staging the Dempsey-Carpenter fight in Montreal," said C. F. Graham, president of the Eastern Canada Securities, Limited, this evening. His company is making a guarantee of \$700,000 to Rickard if the fight is brought here, and Mr. Graham will join the representative he already has in New York.

It is stated here today that the rival forces working for the staging of the big bout here, have joined hands, or are about to do so. These are the Eastern Canada Securities, Limited, and Tom Duggan, a prominent fight promoter of this city, and the managing director of the Mount Royal race track, as well as of the Mount Royal Arena. Duggan is anxious to stage the big fight on the Mount Royal race track.

## Charles Herzog Given Release

Veteran National League Infielder Leaves Cubs—Makes Room for Younger Man.

Chicago, Jan. 25.—Charles "Black" Herzog, veteran National League infielder, who has been with the Chicago Cubs for the last two seasons, today was given his unconditional release. The letter was said to be in conformity with the policy of Manager John Evers to reconstruct the club with young men.

## Sussex Victor Over Moncton

By Score of 5-4 in Fast Hockey Moncton Lost in Four Minutes Overtime.

Special to The Standard. Sussex defeated Moncton tonight at the Alchemers rink in a game in the Eastern Amateur Hockey League by a score of 5 to 4. The game, which was full of thrills from start to finish, was one of the fastest ever played in the Sussex rink.

In the first period Moncton scored two goals and Sussex one. In the second the count was reversed, Sussex leading the net twice and Moncton once. In the third period Sussex scored one and Moncton one, making a tie, the count standing four each.

In four minutes' overtime, P. Radcliffe scored for Sussex, making the final count five to four in favor of Sussex.

## Man O' War Leaves For Old Kentucky

Berlin, Maryland, Jan. 25.—Man O' War, Samuel D. Riddle's famous three year old racing champion, left here this afternoon for his future home in the Blue Grass Country of Kentucky, where he will enter a stud. He is due to arrive in Lexington late tomorrow.

## Canadian Curlers Defeat Lancashire

Manchester, Jan. 25.—The Canadian curling team defeated Lancashire county here today by 32 shots to 53. The skips and scores follow:

Canadian. Lancashire. Waddell, 18; Robb, 10; Lewis, 11; Wilson, 12; Swift, 14; Gray, 11; Simple, 20; Murray, 11; McFadden, 13; Hough, 12; McLeod, 17; Kerr, 7. Total, 103 63

## FRANK BROWN REFEREE.

Fredericton, N. B., Jan. 25.—The Chatham and Fredericton clubs having failed to reach an agreement during the prescribed time as to a referee for the game they will play on Wednesday night at Chatham, J. D. Black, president of the N. B. H. L., last night notified Frank Brown, of Moncton, that he had been named to take charge of the game.

## WILLARD STARTS TRAINING.

New York, Jan. 25.—Jess Willard arrived here yesterday from the west to begin training for his bout with Jack Dempsey, March 17, in which he hopes to regain his title. He declared he weighs 150 pounds less than when he began training for the Toledo contest.

## NEW GLASGOW LOST.

New Glasgow, Jan. 25.—Amherst defeated New Glasgow by 6 to 4 in the Independent League game here tonight. Jack Twaddle, George Stewart and Chapman starred for the visitors.

Howell—"The story says that he light voice was heard in the dark."

## NEW BRUNSWICK BONSPIEL IN THE LOCAL CURLING RINKS

Thistles, St. Andrews, Carleton, Fredericton, Sackville, Hampton and St. Stephen Curlers Carried Singles, Consolation and Doubles, Morning, Afternoon and Evening.

All three curling clubs in St. John's—Thistles, St. Andrews and Carleton—were places of attraction yesterday from morning until late at night when all local clubs had rinks who battled against Fredericton, St. Stephen, Sackville and Hampton. The morning and afternoon was taken up in the single and consolation competition, while the evening the clubs curled the doubles.

The New Brunswick bonspiel was most interesting, and a large number of spectators thronged each club house all day and enthusiasm was keen.

The results of the singles, consolation and doubles follow, as well as the names of those who will curl in All New Brunswick against St. John competition which takes place today:

Table with columns for Club, Player, and Score. Includes sections for Single Competition, St. Andrews' Ice, and Carleton Ice.

## TODAY'S PLAY

All New Brunswick vs. St. John. The following is the make up of the rinks who will compete in the all New Brunswick against all St. John today along with the place of play:

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON. On Carleton Ice. R. Ross, C. O. Morris, H. Regan, J. L. McAuliffe, T. A. Wilson, H. Langley, D. Hamilton, C. H. Ferguson, A. B. Kingham, T. C. Ledingham, B. Buchanan, C. E. Clark, A. B. Copp, G. A. Kimball, S. Limerick, P. Holman, W. S. Wilkinson, E. R. Taylor, H. Belmore, W. A. Stewart, skip.

On Thistle Ice. R. M. Pawcett, L. P. D. Tilley, W. J. Hatt, W. A. Lockhart, R. B. Vandine, Dr. F. G. Sanction, C. S. Stanstone, Geo. J. Scott, skip.

On St Andrew's Ice. J. H. MacFarlane, Roy Campbell, J. H. Ramsay, A. W. Estey, A. D. Ganong, Geo. Warwick, E. R. Richard, G. F. Fisher, skip.

W. McKay, C. Stackhouse, C. W. Hall, A. L. Foster, F. E. Smith, C. B. Allan, A. McWha, D. Willett, skip.

G. T. Feeney, W. S. Jewett, G. Taylor, C. H. Peters, C. C. Campbell, B. A. Smith, G. M. Wilson, H. G. Barnes, skip.

J. E. Angerville, W. E. Dennings, H. Wry, J. Pritchard, W. Limerick, J. F. Belyea, H. B. Colwell, W. J. Shaw, skip.

B. C. Staples, R. E. Smith, B. C. Rayworth, A. R. Melrose, C. R. Barry, M. F. Mooney, R. Smith, R. M. Magee, skip.

## CONSOLATION

On Carleton Ice. Thistles. Smith, Brown, Thistles. Skip, 13. Skip, 14. On St Andrew's Ice. Carleton. Lyman, Thistles. Skip, 11. Skip, 10. On Thistle Ice. Carleton. St. Andrew's. Skip, 13. Skip, 11. On St Andrew's Ice. Carleton. McDonald, Thistles. Skip, 3. Skip, 20. DOUBLES COMPETITION. The following is the result of the doubles' competition last night, in which Thistles defeated St. Stephen:

## "Dear Me" Now At New York Theatre

St. John Man in Cast—Success Prophesied for the Comedy by All Who See It.

By GILBERT SELDER. New York, Jan. 25.—"Dear me," under which name "Me" has at last been presented in New York is billed as a selfish comedy, but I am impressed more by the concentration of activities in it. Namely: John Golden, the eminent producer thereof is likewise composer of the songs therein; Halse Hamilton, who acts one of the principal roles, is part author of the play itself; Grace LaRue, featured player, is the author of the lyrics for Mr. Golden's music. And there is, of course, George Spelvin, the non-existent actor who has appeared in every play with which Winchell Smith has been con-

cerned since the earliest days. Mr. Smith, I understand, added touches to this fantastic comedy. Miss LaRue is a bit paradoxical herself, for she was well known as a singer in musical comedy and then went to Paris to study singing. Having learned, she returns to the stage as an actress with only incidental songs. For a further paradox, the play deals with failures and, if I understand the signs, will be something of a success.

George N. Price of St. John, has a good part in the play which is now at the Republic Theatre, New York.

"No city," says a newspaper story, "has yet solved the problem of the reckless automobile speeder."

How about Venice?—Detroit Motor News. "Say," carped a hypercritical customer in the rapid fire restaurant. "This soup tastes kinda funny, some way."

"Tastes funny, hey?" cooly replied Heloise, the waitress. "Well, why don't yeh laugh?"—Kansas City Star.

## Hilton Belyea Is Detained

Maritime Champion's Business Engagements Interfere Gorman and Garnett Go.

The skating fraternity will learn with regret that Hilton Belyea, Maritime champion speed skater, will be unable to go to Montreal today to participate in the National championship skating events next Friday and Saturday. It was the intention that Belyea would accompany Charles Gorman, who carries the colors of the Commercial Club, and Frank Garnett, representing the Y. M. C. I. to race not only at Montreal, but at Saranac Lake and Lake Placid.

Belyea was being sent by the St. John Power Boat Club, which was being assisted financially by a few outside friends, and Frank White was instrumental in making all arrangements. Yesterday afternoon Hilton informed Mr. White that owing to his business he would be unable to make the trip. The champion feels very badly that he is unable to compete against the fastest skaters of Canada and the United States, and extends his thanks to the Power Boat Club and other friends who made it possible for him to make the trip. There is no doubt that if Belyea started in the races he would have brought back to St. John honors.

Gorman and Garnett leave today for Montreal in the pink of condition, and their friends expect that they will return with the championship honors.

## Montreal Men To Meet Rickard

Ready to Discuss Staging the Dempsey-Carpenter Fight in Montreal.

New York, Jan. 25.—Tex Rickard this afternoon received a message from C. F. Graham and Frank Goodspeed, of Montreal, stating that they were prepared to come to New York to discuss with him a proposition for staging the Dempsey-Carpenter fight in Montreal.

The Montreal men asked Rickard to make an appointment and said that they would come down at any time which suited his convenience. The message was conveyed to the New York promoter by a New York man who said he was a friend of the Montrealers, and had just received a wire from them. Rickard said he would make an appointment in the near future, but declined to state when he would meet them.

## Hank Gowdy Has Signed With Boston

Boston, Jan. 25.—Hank Gowdy today signed with the Boston Nationals what was said to be one of the first completed contracts under the new regime in baseball. It is for one year. In the abbreviated agreement, player and club owner subscribe to recognition of Judge Landis as the arbiter of all disputes.

## Fitz's Queer Work Against Jeffries

Didn't Hit Him. When a Novice, But Battered Him Later On.

Form reversal never had a sharper illustration than in the two battles that Robert Fitzsimmons fought with James J. Jeffries. True, Jeffries knocked out "Old Freddie" in both contests, but in the first meeting at Coney Island, June 9, 1896, in which Fitz lost his title, the Cornishman was ineffective up to the time the knockout blow was struck in the eleventh round. In the second encounter, which took place in San Francisco, July 25, 1892, Fitzsimmons administered the severest beating that Jeffries ever received. But for the unfortunate giving away of his hands, Fitz would unquestionably have regained the title he lost in the preceding combat.

When the first match between Fitz and Jeffries was announced, it was generally regarded as one-sided affair, and the champion was a 1 to 3 favorite over the Californian. With the exception of a ten round bout with Bob Armstrong, which was a very disappointing exhibition so far as Jeffries was concerned, the Hollermaker had done nothing to attract attention. He had boxed twenty round draws with Gus Ruhlin and Joe Choyanski, and had shaded Shackerly in twenty rounds on the coast, but at this time his opponents were far from the form they displayed later on.

Yet he was matched with Fitz, the champion of the class, heaviest hitter, greatest ring general and most successful boxer in the ring, who had just vanquished the clever Corbett.

It was not surprising that the pattern boxing installed Fitz a warm favorite over the youngster.

Jeff Was Nervous.

When Jeffries entered the clubhouse on that fine June night he was unquestionably in a highly nervous condition, due undoubtedly to the reputation of the title holder.

The first round was customary with Fitz stepping about and feeling out his man. This was customary with the Cornishman and was expected.

The second round was barely under way when Fitz stepped in apparently to land a blow, but he bumped his chin against a straight left poked out by Jeff. The Cornishman sat down on the floor with considerable force, but did not measure his opponent. Fitz sat on the canvas for a few seconds and then arose, after which he boxed carefully to the end of the round. When he got to his corner the champion stood erect and did not use any ring chair. He complained that he had injured the base of his spine by the force with which he sat down in the second round. He afterward stated that this injury prevented his hitting with customary force and enabled Jeff to stop him in the eleventh round.

It is true that Fitz did not fight with customary vigor in the bout and that his blows for the most part were wide of the mark. It is certain that the champion did not try his famous left shift with which he caused the down-

## Nothing Decided On Race Circuit

Delegates from Various Tracks Gather at Houlton, Me., to Discuss Summer Plans.

Special to The Standard. Houlton, Me., Jan. 25.—Representatives of racing and fair associations controlling most of the tracks in New Brunswick and Northern Maine, met here this afternoon to form a new harness racing circuit for the summer.

Fredericton, Woodstock and St. Stephen were present with representatives of Houlton, Presque Isle, Carleton, Fort Fairfield and Danforth, the Maine tracks. The conference organized with Arthur Fairbanks as president and J. D. Black secretary.

Purses, dates and classes were discussed, but as some of the delegates did not have authority to act finally, the meeting adjourned to meet at Presque Isle in the second week in February at the call of the chairman.

When the going sounded for the fifth round Jeff did not make a move to get out of his corner, and was pushed out by his seconds. It looked as though Fitz could finish Jeff in the fifth, but the champion made no effort, and the Hollermaker recovered from the punch he got in the fourth and went on to ultimate victory. The performance of Fitz in this fight was the subject of much discussion, as he had never previously failed to finish a tired opponent.

To all outward appearances Fitz was unable to hit Jeff with effect in the Coney Island battle, despite the fact that the Californian was practically a novice. Yet two years later, when Jeff, with the advantage of experience and the confidence instilled by numerous victories, had developed into a formidable fighter, Fitz went to the coast and beat the new champion till he looked as though he had been run over by an auto whizzing on a joy ride.

For seven rounds Jeff was a punching bag for Fitz, who landed every blow he started. Jeff could not reach Fitz with a left or a right, and the Hollermaker's left shoulder failed to save him from the fusillade of shots aimed at him by the Cornishman. Despite the bombardment the Hollermaker's iron jaw saved him, for Fitz, who made a determined attack in the seventh in an effort to finish his man, broke knuckles on each hand.

When "Freckles" came out for the eighth he was unable to hit with any force, and Jeff, realizing that the enemy's fire had slackened, waded in and again knocked out Fitz.

The puzzling feature of the subject is: If Fitz could batter Jeff all over the ring when the Hollermaker was a seasoned fighter, why did the Cornishman fail to land effectively and stop his man when Jeffries was practically a novice?

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## CONCERNING CIVIC AFFAIRS

Mayor Schofield has very sensibly suggested that all who are desirous of making representations regarding civic appropriations, should have the opportunity of meeting himself and the members of the Council before this year's estimates are approved and passed on to the assessors. Various organizations in this city have accepted the invitation, and it is sincerely to be hoped that all who have the well-being of the City at heart in a practical way and who have courage enough to express their views, irrespective of who may feel grieved, should arrange to attend at City Hall today and say what they think. The great trouble in St. John in all past years has been that our private citizens are reticent about expressing themselves for fear of wounding the feelings of others, and that the members of our Council have been so anxious to retain the support of electors, that they have swallowed almost every proposition put up to them. It is nearly time that someone took a hand, and possibly today's sessions may bring forward the right parties.

Our civic balance sheet shows that a very considerable portion of the City Council. Some of it must of necessity be applied to interest and other fixed charges. More of it is disposed of by the Municipal Council, in which body, although contributing the very heavy end of the revenue, the City does not enjoy the heavy end of the voting power. It is only with the remainder of St. John's income that today's meetings can deal. But even in respect to this portion of the assessment there are methods by which our taxation may be reduced as well as means by which our revenues may be increased.

This City has for years been given over to faddists, fakers and reformers. A majority of them of the female persuasion, and many of the others of the almost-female persuasion have indulged in the popular pastime of starting new stunts, all of them worthy in themselves, and all undoubtedly along lines which any organized community should maintain if its finances permitted. Unfortunately however, it has been the custom—and scarcely an exception can be found—to conduct these movements or institutions for a year or so by means of private funds and enthusiasm and then, when their value has been partially realized and the interest of the promoters has waned, to unload them on the city. There are hundreds of men in this town, of sound common sense in their business affairs, who are interested to some extent in one or other of these movements and who are delighted that the City Fathers have shouldered the financial burdens, men, however, who feel that some of the other movements in which they are not personally concerned are not entirely deserving of civic aid, but who would not for a moment suggest that they be dropped from the list of public charity.

If the City of St. John in the present critical state of its finances is to be father and mother, guardian and spiritual advisor, as well as a protector and sport and everything else that the human mind can devise or desire, then let us go into it whole-heartedly and forget our growling and complaining about increasing taxes. If, on the other hand it is the duty of the City to attend solely to its own business affairs, and to allow charity, philanthropy and all the rest of the flock to be conducted as they should be by separate organizations, then for goodness sake throw out the entire list of special recipients of public funds and turn our general revenue into the general account.

The Standard has not always found itself in a position to agree with Mrs. Lawlor, but in the present instance this paper cannot help feeling that this city is perfectly right in her contention that vocational education as applied in St. John today is not accomplishing the object for which it was intended. The scheme was originally agreed through the Legislature largely to give a job to a supporter of the present government, according to the prevailing belief, and until it is taken as a part of our public school system it will be merely another fad reaching an entirely different class of persons than those intended to be reached and crying constantly for more and more money to keep itself alive.

There are certain well defined lines which the financial administration of any city must follow. The condition of St. John today is that many of these legitimate expenditures have been to be neglected or the appropriations reduced in order to make room for those things which should be maintained by private aid.

As a result of our well-intentioned, but frequently unwise, generosity of former years we now find ourselves incapable of maintaining necessary public services at a proper standard of efficiency, a condition which will only become worse as time passes. But until someone who is not afraid of his own voice and who has nothing to gain or lose by the support of the electors goes to City Hall and expresses the ideas which the great body of our people entertain, just so long will our financial affairs continue to go from bad to worse.

## THE BREAKWATER

The Hon. Mr. Wigmore's announcement that tenders will shortly be called for the dumping of stone to make the foundation of the extension to the Negro Point Breakwater, is very welcome. Citizens have been waiting for a long time for the Ottawa authorities to wake up to a realization that the work badly needed doing, and they had almost begun to despair about the matter. So many promises have been made by different Ministers who visited the city, none of which have ever been fulfilled—or attempted to be fulfilled—that hope that the much-needed improvements to the harbor would ever be attended to was beginning to die out. Hope however revived when Mr. Wigmore entered the Cabinet, for it was felt that as no knew what was wanted here, and how badly it was wanted, he would take advantage of his position as a member of the Government to see that the work was done. His fellow citizens placed faith in him, and they have the satisfaction of knowing that that faith was not misplaced. To some it has seemed that the call for tenders about to be made might just as well have been made several weeks ago, as wait till now. Still it is better late than never, for it does indicate a willingness on the part of the Government to recognize the needs of the port, even if the recognition be somewhat tardy. Mr. Wigmore is entitled to the thanks of his fellow citizens for his action in the premises, and they will be given unstintingly, with the hope that he will continue his efforts on behalf of the port.

## BRITAIN AND AMERICA

In the midst of all the vapourings and soul-outpourings of a certain section of the people of the United States on the subject of that country's relationship to Great Britain, it is very satisfactory to note the attitude taken in the matter by the incoming President. While he no doubt received the support of all the different anti-British elements of the electorate in his election, he is showing himself big enough not to cater to these elements now that he is facing the responsibility of office. He has no sympathy with the narrow programme of Secretary Daniels, aimed as it is at Britain, and all the speeches he has made have been animated by a spirit of good will towards that country.

In the course of a letter written a few days ago to Mr. John A. Stewart of New York, chairman of the board of governors of the Sulgrave Institute, an organization promoting good fellowship between Britain and the United States, Mr. Harding gave utterance to the following remarks:

"Destiny has made it a historical fact that the English-speaking people have been the instrument through which civilization has been flung to the far corners of the globe. I am impressed not so much by the glory of this instrument, but by the fact that English-speaking peoples may take to themselves as by the profound duties that God has thrust upon them—duties of being restrained, tolerant and just. These duties will find their greatest recognition in a united unshakable friendship and understanding and oneness of purpose—not for the exclusion of any other nation, but to protect and include them."

There is such a bitter anti-British propaganda in progress in the United States at the present time that a statement of such a character from the man who will guide the destinies of the Union for the next four years is highly encouraging.

Mr. Maclean King continues to show his two-facedness and insincerity on every possible occasion. He is now telling the electors of West Potosi that the issue in the by-election there is not the tariff, but whether or not the Government should at once amend

the people. If he was sincere on that point, he would not now be supporting a candidate in opposition to Mr. Burnham, who resigned the Government by way of protest against the Government's adhering to the perfectly earned view that there was nothing in the mandate received at the last general election to limit the life of the present Parliament. By putting a candidate of his own party into the field and opposing Mr. Burnham, who takes precisely the same stand as he himself does, Mr. King shows himself false even to his own ridiculous cry that the Government should dissolve the House.

The Municipal Council of King yesterday followed the example of Northumberland, and promptly dealt another black eye to the present method of administering the Health Act. The Council was asked to appropriate \$7,500 for Board of Health purposes, but refused to make any appropriation at all. Last year the Council took the same course, and refused to allot the money; but later in the session recanted, as the result of an article in one of the local newspapers, which deliberately misrepresented the position in which the Council placed itself by such refusal. The Council members were told that they had rendered themselves liable to all kinds of pains and penalties for failing to make the appropriation, and this scared them into compliance. They afterwards found out that the newspaper had deliberately misled them, and their resentment was partly keen for a time. They probably will not be caught the same way again.

It will scarcely be denied that several of the sidewalks in the city are in a shocking condition from a pedestrian's point of view, in fact some of them, in places, are not safe to walk along at all. They are both lumpy and slippery, and the gravel that is spread on them collects in the hollows, leaving the "high spots" high and dry, and slippery. A scrapper drawn over these walks, but it would give a better foothold. Sidewalks in the condition many of them are now in are dangerous enough on the level; but when we take into account the slope at which a person has to walk on some of them, they become doubly dangerous. A scrapper produces excellent results in Fredericton, and there is no reason to suppose that equally good results could not be got here.

## WHAT OTHERS SAY

**Working Hard For Peace.**  
Uncle Sam's latest contribution to peace is a battle-cruiser 854 feet long and with twelve 16-inch guns.—New York Evening Mail.

**Social Legislation.**  
The year 1920 was a prolific one for this country in the matter of social legislation, and the Social Council of Canada contemplates publishing a review of legislation of this class. Here is a brief summary: Ontario—Allowances for women with children, minimum wages for women and girls, the doubling of allowances of deserted wives, establishment of technical schools, grants for community halls in rural districts, etc.

**Manitoba—Legislation dealing with such matters as mother's allowances, workmen's compensation, joint council of industry, proportional representation in Winnipeg, legitimization by subsequent marriages, etc.**  
Saskatchewan—Mother's pension legislation, amendments to the minimum wage act, curtailment of the hours of work in factories, and provision for the special protection of children in industry.  
Alberta—A minimum wage board for women and legislation in the interests of children.  
British Columbia—Mother's pension and special provision for the treatment of sub-normal children.  
Nova Scotia—Legislation providing for legitimization by subsequent marriage, with extra safeguards regarding the employment of women and children.  
Nova Scotia—Minimum wage law for women in factories, and a fair wage law.

The above makes a splendid record of achievement for one year, and there is no doubt that the things which have been set on foot will be accomplished during 1921.—Guelph Herald.

## A BIT OF VERSE

### THE GATES OF GOLD.

It's forth across the roaring foam, and on toward the West,  
It's many a lonely league from home, o'er many a mountain crest,  
From where the dogs of Scotland call the sheep around the fold,  
To where the flags are flying beside the Gates of Gold.

Where all the deep-sea galleons ride that come to bring the corn,  
Where falls the fog of evenside and blows the breeze at morn;  
It's there that I was sick and sad, alone and poor and cold,  
In yon distant city beside the Gates of Gold.

I sleep as one that nothing knows; but far along my way  
Before the morning God arose and planned the coming day;  
Afar before me forth he went, as through the sands of old,  
And chose the friends to help me beside the Gates of Gold.

I have been near, I have been far, my back's been at the wall,  
Yet you and ever close the star to guide me through it all;  
The love of God, the help of man, they both shall make me bold  
Against the gates of darkness as he made the Gates of Gold.

—Robert Louis Stevenson.

## Benny's Note Book

Ma was in her room darning holes out of different people's stockings especially mine, and all of a sudden I had a good idea and I put my hands rite on the radiator were it was hot as anything and my hands got all warm and I went over to ma saying, "Gosh ma, you awt to feel my hands, they feel as if I must have a fever some place."

Let me see, sed ma. And she felt my hands, saying, "My goodness you're burning up, have you got a headache?"

I don't notice any, I sed. "Wich I dident, and ma sed. Let me feel your forehead."

Wich she did, saying, "That's queer, your heds as cool as a kewumber and your hands are burning hot."

Maybe its some new kind of a fever, ma, maybe its a hand fever, I sed.

Dont talk foolish, there's no such a thing, sed ma, let me feel them agen. Meaning my hands, and she felt them agen, saying, "Well of all things, they feel all rite now, I goss you must of imagined it, and I must of too."

Maybe its a imaginary fever like the equator, ma, I sed. And I went over and heated up my forehead on the radiator and went back saying, "Holey smoke ma now my heds hot and not my hands."

Well for goodness sake, sed ma. And she felt my forehead, saying, "Mersey, are you sure you have no fever?"

I mite for all I know, ma, I sed. "Wich I mite of, and ma sed, "Well, id better give you a little medicine to be on the safe side."

Aw no, ma, G. M. Im on the safe side, I wouldnt be surprised if its just on account of leaving agens the radiator, I sed.

O, you wouldnt, sed ma. And she gave me a fearsome crack, me saying, "Owch, gosh, hay ma, you awt to be glad im hot and not reely sick, and ma saying, "Aid you awt to be glad I dident give you a reel spanking."

Wich I wa.

## THE LAUGH LINE

**Mocking a Bishop.**  
Funny stories are told about Archbishop Bruch, who, seeing one day in Dublin a little girl trying to reach a door-knocker, came to her assistance. "Rap hard!" said the little innocent.

He did so.

"Now, run like the very devil!"

Trench always feared paralytia. One day at a dinner party he started probing his knee with his fork, and not feeling any pain, exclaimed: "It's come at last, I am afraid."

"It's my knee," said the lady next to him!

**The Scotch Of It.**  
An enterprising drummer attempted to bribe an old Scotch merchant by offering him a box of cigars.

"Na, na," said the old chap shaking his head vigorously. "I canna take 'em. 'Nonsense," said the drummer. "If you have any conscientious scruples you may pay me a quarter for the box."

"Weel, weel," said the old Scot, "I'll tak' two boxes."

**Slight Misunderstanding.**  
The paper published at Yale University tells this yarn: Mrs. Edwina was showing Selma, the new Swedish maid the ropes. "This," she said, "is my son's room. He is in Yale."

"Ya?"—Selma's face lit up with

sympathetic understanding. "My brudder bane there, too?"

"Is that so? What year?" asked Mrs. Edwina somewhat surprised.

"Ach, he bane got no year; the Judge just say, 'You, Axel, sixty days in jail!'"

What it Means.

The Freshman Class was raw and green.

Says Lompahada, "What does donna mean?"

A bright guy stuck his hand right up—"It means a dog that has a pup."

"It would be folly for us to invade Mexico," says an editorial, "unless it becomes absolutely necessary for us to do so."

The contention being based, doubtless, on the old adage that necessity is the mother of intervention.—Lita.

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## ARRESTED WEARING TOP HAT HE S

Pittsburg, Jan. 25.—Sporting suit, collapsible high hat and Harry E. Oakley was sentenced months in the workhouse today was arrested near the ballroom William Penn Hotel while wearing a pair of gloves and a high hat from A. K. McCray.

"I beg pardon, but where got those gloves?" inquired approaching Oakley.

"Bought them, of course," Oakley, adding haughtily, "you suppose I got them?"

McCracken's property, favoring justice and Oakley was arrested. Investigation showed that Oakley called on the Rev. Ouzz Hart had sold him a \$400 overcoat stolen from McCray.

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Pittsburg, Jan. 25.—Sporting a dress suit, collapsible high hat "neverthing," Harry B. Oakley was sentenced to six months in the workhouse today. He was arrested near the ballroom of the William Penn Hotel while wearing a pair of gloves and a high hat stolen from A. K. McCray.  
"I beg pardon, but where did you get those gloves?" inquired McCray, approaching Oakley.  
"Bought them, of course," snapped Oakley, adding haughtily, "where do you suppose I got them?" McCray, recognizing his property, informed the police and Oakley was arrested. Investigation showed that Oakley had called on the Rev. Otto Herbert and had sold him a \$400 overcoat he had stolen from McCray.

#### GREAT FIRE IN GEORGIA.

Athens, Ga., Jan. 25.—Damage estimated around \$2,500,000 was caused here early today by fire of undetermined origin in the business section of Athens. Three city blocks were practically destroyed.

#### GIRLS' SMILES MAKE PICKETS OF PATRONS

Boston, Jan. 25.—The smiles of striking waitresses induced many patrons of the Quinoy House to volunteer for picket duty today with the girls who had often served food to them. Men in tall hats joined with college youths in notifying prospective guests that a strike was on. From early afternoon until long after midnight the girls were kept up.  
It was reported at the hotel that three labor unions which have been holding regular Sunday meetings there canceled their gatherings today as a result of the strike.

#### DRY SWITZERLAND COMING.

Geneva, Jan. 25.—A campaign to make Switzerland dry has been undertaken by the Swiss Anti-Alcoholic League. Its first step, it is announced, will be to demand a federal referendum authorizing the Swiss cantons to exercise local option.  
The prohibitionist leaders here say that recent unofficial balloting indicated that a large number of the cantons would vote to become dry if the issue were presented to them.

## DAUGHTER RESTORED, MOTHER OVERJOYED

### "I Am So Thankful I Just Want To Tell Everybody About Tanlac," Says Fair- view Woman.

"I am so thankful to see my daughter strong and well again that I just want to tell everybody about Tanlac," declared Mrs. Frank Clark of Fairview, N. S., recently.  
"All last year Marjorie was in failing health. She was studying hard so as to finish up high school and the strain just seemed to affect her whole system. Her appetite left her and she ate so little you couldn't miss it from the table. She complained of severe pains in the chest and a heavy, press-

ing feeling around her heart and lungs. She had a bad cough that she just couldn't get rid of. She fell off in weight, looked pale and delicate and was all the time complaining of how weak and droopy she felt.  
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Hopes to Interest Capitalists of United States in His Country.

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London, Jan. 25.—Prince Antoine Bibesco, with Princess Bibesco, formerly Elizabeth Aquith, sailed on the Aquitania on their way to Washington where the Prince will assume his duties as minister from Rumania. The Prince, in bidding farewell to his London friends, who are not confined to the nobility said he was looking forward to a pleasant life in Washington.  
In the absence of a definite foreign policy of the United States, the Prince declined to say what his policy in Washington would be other than he hoped to influence capital in the United States to help tide Rumania over her present difficulties. He is very optimistic for the future of Rumania.

### Country Needs Many Things.

"My country potentially is very rich, but right now we need many things," the Prince said. "We need credits, it is true, but it is not only finances that are interesting us, indicating that they desired definite assurances from the Powers that her word would be guaranteed. The Prince, who has just returned from Bucharest, said Rumania does not fear an attack by the bolsheviks, believing the Russians could not muster enough men or material at the Rumania frontier to be effective.

### Makes Strad of Ordinary Violin

Hamburg Merchant's Invention to be Tested by Berlin Musicians.

Berlin, Jan. 25.—A Hamburg merchant, Heinrich Ohlhaever, says he has invented a process by which he can turn any ordinary violin, if delivered to him directly from the maker's hands and before it is varnished, into a veritable Stradivarius. Arthur Nikisch and other celebrated musicians who have tried an instrument to which Herr Ohlhaever's process has been applied, say that they could not tell the difference between it and a genuine Stradivarius.  
On February 7, Herr Ohlhaever's invention will have another test before an audience of famous musicians, composers and critics in Beethoven Hall, Berlin, where experts chosen by the audience will play his instrument and their own (of the genuine Stradivarius make), alternately.

The same high qualities were claimed once before for violins constructed on the so-called Grossmann method, but they generally lost their virtues after six months' use. Ohlhaever's instruments, however, are said to have improved with age.  
What may prejudice sober-minded persons against his invention is the fact that he is a spiritualist and asserts that the ghost of Stradivarius appeared to him and told him his secret. But whether they have a supernatural origin or not, those who have heard his instruments unanimously vote them of the highest quality.

## CANNON BOOMED WHEN ONTARIO HOUSE CALLED

Second Session of the Farmer Government Began Its Sessions at Queen's Park.

### FARMERS CLAIM THEY ARE IN BAD WAY

Period of Unrest Sweeping Canada Declares Speech of the Lieutenant-Governor.

Parliament Buildings, Toronto, Jan. 25.—Promptly at three o'clock this afternoon, His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor opened the second session of the fifth annual legislature of the Farmers' Government. The galleries were crowded to their utmost capacity when the accompaniment of booming cannon the Lieutenant-governor escorted by Premier Drury entered the legislative chamber. Speaking from the throne his honor or the lieutenant governor said: "In opening this session I desire to give expression to the profound and grateful gratitude which our people owe to Almighty God for the manifold blessings that flow from the tranquility of our country, the stability of our institutions and the bountiful harvest of the past year.  
Period of Unrest.  
"At the present time the civilized world is passing through a period of readjustment to peace conditions, presenting serious problems to this province. The situation calls for wise and generous counsels in order that industry may be maintained and labor afforded every possible opportunity of employment. My government has found it advisable under the circumstances to extend financial assistance to provide relief for the unemployed, and will initiate a legislation for public co-operation to the same end. I trust that before long a general revival of business activity will restore normal conditions in this province.  
Farmers Are Hit.  
"The agricultural industry has suffered materially from the rapid deflation of the market price of farm products and the probable effect of this loss upon our rural districts is a matter of importance to the whole province. A consideration of the situation looking towards a better understanding and a more general co-operation between our rural and urban populations will, I trust, lead to beneficial results, and tend towards reducing the cost of distribution and bettering rural conditions in the province.  
Good Roads System.  
"One of the most practical ways of improving the conditions of rural life is by means of a judiciously designed good roads system. This matter has been kept prominently before my ministers during the past year, and much progress has been made in the direction of broadening the scope of the plans for highway improvement. It is felt that good roads are among the greatest material needs of the province at the present time, by reason of the fact that they will not only help to solve the transportation problem and promote the economic welfare of the whole community, but will also contribute immeasurably to the convenience and happiness of the people."

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Owing to recent purchases, at spring prices, we are enabled to offer the following articles at greatly reduced prices.

- Cotton Damask, 68 inch, assorted designs, \$1.90, \$2.00, \$2.25
- Glass Towelling Check, 20x23 in., 40c., 45c., 48c., 60c.
- Roller Towelling, 18 in., 35c., 40c., 50c., 60c. per yard
- Bleached Cotton Sheetting, 68c., 75c., 85c., \$1.00, \$1.10, \$1.25
- Bleached Pillow Cotton, 45c., 50c., 65c., 75c., 80c., 85c.
- Ready-made Hemstitched Pillow Cases, Longcloth, 40 in., 60c. each.
- Cotton Damask Table Cloths, assorted patterns; sizes 45 in. @ \$3.00 each; 54 in. @ \$3.75 each; 63 in. @ \$3.50 and \$4.00 each; 66x66 in. @ \$4.50 each; 66 x84 in. @ \$5.50.
- Cotton Dish Cloth, red border and fringe, 45 in. square @ \$2.25.
- Cotton Damask Cloths, fancy red borders, 63x63 @ \$4.50 each; fancy white borders, 63x63 @ \$5.00 each.
- Hand Towels in half-dozen lots @ \$1.75, \$2.25, \$3.50, \$3.75, \$4.00.
- Old Linen Damask, 72 in. special @ \$2.75 per yard.

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Use a MAJESTIC ELECTRIC HEATER to warm up that cold corner. SPECIAL \$6.00 each. THE WEBB ELECTRIC CO. Electrical Contractors. S. C. WEBB, Manager. Phone M. 2162 Store: M. 2217-21 Res.

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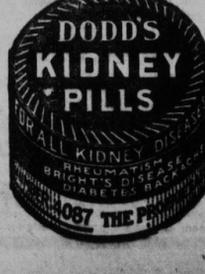
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#### OBITUARY.

Mrs. Loretta Cody.  
Loretta Augusta, widow of George Redmond Cody, passed to rest yesterday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Fred Leonard, 5 Clarendon St. She is survived by three children, Mrs. Fred Leonard of this city, Mrs. Howard Leonard of St. George and Rev. H. A. Cody, rector of St. James Church, St. John, also fourteen grandchildren and two great grandchildren. Mrs. Cody was born in St. John seventy-nine years ago, daughter of the late Chas. Doney. At the age of seventeen she moved with her parents to the Washademoak Lake where she lived most of her life, returning to the place of her birth just three years ago. Of a large family but two brothers survive, Harde Doney of Cody's, Queens Co., Charles Doney, Calgary. Mrs. Cody is the last of seven daughters. Two others died within the last few months, Mrs. R. P. Butler, and Mrs. Thos. R. Jones. The funeral will be from her late residence on Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock.  
William Conway.  
Word of the death of William Conway of 16 Keowick street, Boston, was received Monday. He was ill for some time and underwent an operation. He formerly resided in this city where he was highly respected. He is survived by his wife, formerly Miss Donovan of St. John, four daughters and two sons.

#### FUNERALS.

The funeral of Mrs. Mary M. Warwick was held yesterday afternoon from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Charles F. Stevens, 150 Adelaide street, to Cedar Hill. Service was conducted by Rev. Mr. Spencer of St. Matthew's church.  
ACTING SECRETARY OF STATE.  
Ottawa, Jan. 25.—Hon Hugh Guthrie is acting as Secretary of State, pending the appointment of a new minister to fill the vacancy created by the death of Right Hon. A. L. Sifton.



## Our Free Hemming Sale Offers Many Very Special Attractions

This is the very best time for keepers of hotels, boarding houses, institutions and private homes to replenish their stocks of all kinds of Household Cottons and Linens. Many bargains of a very exceptional nature in such things as Tablecloths, Napkins, Bed Spreads, Towels, Sheetting, Long Cloth, etc., await your attention. Any of these things will be hemmed for you free of charge during this event.

- Here are some of the things specially featured:—
- Fine English Long Cloth** in 5 and 10 Yard Lengths.  
SALE PRICES ..... 10 yds. for \$1.90  
..... 10 yds. for 2.00  
..... 10 yds. for 3.30  
..... 5 yds. for 2.25
  - Good Heavy English Sheetting** Firm and Free from Dressing.  
SALE PRICES ..... 2 yds. wide .98 yd.  
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  - The Balance of Our Stock of Riplette and Printed Bedspreads to be Cleared Out at Half Price**  
These are very dainty, in pretty colorings and patterns.  
Size 63 x 90 ..... Sale \$2.75  
Size 72 x 90 ..... Sale 2.95  
Size 81 x 90 ..... Sale 3.25
  - PRINTED DIMITY BEDSPREADS—**  
Size 63 x 80 in. .... Sale \$3.60  
Size 72 x 90 in. .... Sale 5.25  
Size 81 x 90 in. .... Sale 6.00
  - WHITE CROCHET BEDSPREADS—**  
Single Bed Size ..... \$1.75 each  
Three-quarter size ..... 1.95 each  
Double bed size ..... 2.25 each
  - Bleached Damask Tablecloths and Napkins**  
A splendid assortment from which to make selection. Different sizes and patterns. Tablecloths are wonderful bargains while they last.  
Sale Prices, \$3.00 to \$10.25 each  
Napkins offer equally attractive inducement.  
White Terry with hemmed or fringed ends. Small, medium and large sizes. Sale Prices range from .55 to \$1.25 pair.
  - Bargains in White Bath Towels**  
Ecu and Red Stripe Bath Towels. Small, medium and large. Sale Prices .40 to \$1.30 pair.  
Brown Linen Crash Towels. Size 17 x 36 in. Sale .35 each  
Huck Towels, white or red bordered. Sale .65 and .85 pair  
Huck Towels in half dozen lots, priced very low.  
Hemmed Office Towels. Size 14 x 20. Sale .85 half doz.  
Hemmed Towels. Size 17 x 33 in. Sale \$1.35 to \$1.75 half doz.  
Hemstitched Towels. Size 16 x 34. Sale \$2.75 half doz.



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## BETTER DAY FOR FILM IN CANADA NEAR ITS DAWN

Such is the View of Social Workers of Canada Now in Annual Convention.

### SUGGESTS UNION OF CENSOR BOARDS

New Laws Sought to Give More Protection to Women and Girls.

London, Ont., Jan. 25.—All phases of motion picture industry in Canada together with legislative concerning same, were subjected to an exhaustive criticism by the delegates in attendance at the morning session of the three-day meeting of the Social Service Council of Canada. The discussion and subsequent recommendations arose out of the report of the executive committee on the co-operation among provincial censors, amendment of the criminal code, race tracks, gambling and adultery.

**Better Day for Pictures**  
Secretary Agar of the provincial council informed the meeting that a better day was dawning insofar as better film productions throughout Canada were concerned. In connection with his report on what had been accomplished in Ontario he stated emphatically that the people were not going to suffer in their character because of the little money that a few individuals had invested, not only in the United States but in Canada, due to the activities of the Ontario council, the board of censors had been reorganized. The next big step which would have to be taken was uniting the different provincial boards into one conference which would pass judgment on all productions.

**Better Protection of Girls**  
In answer to a question put by one of the women members, Rev. J. G. Shearer, dominion secretary, said that adultery was not classed as a crime in Canada as yet, although the council had been active for the past ten years in aiming to get remedial legislation. The secretary, however, pointed out that legislation had been secured for the better protection of girls and for the better enforcement of the law against commercialized vice and also race track gambling included in the proposed legislation for 1921 are acts to protect the feeble minded woman from the white slaver and to prevent houses of ill-fame from being maintained.

**HONOR DR. FORREST.**  
Halifax, Jan. 25.—Eloquent and heartfelt tributes were paid to the memory of Dr. John Forrest, former president of Dalhousie University, and all his life an active and ardent worker in Presbyterian Church circles, at the morning services in Fort Massey Church, Sunday, when a tablet to Dr. Forrest was unveiled and formal addresses made by Dr. R. W. Ross, the minister; Dr. John MacMillan, a life-long friend of Dr. Forrest, and Dr. J. W. Falconer, of Pine Hill college. The tablet was unveiled by the pastor, Dr. Forrest of the session of Fort Massey.

### Children Cry for Fletcher's

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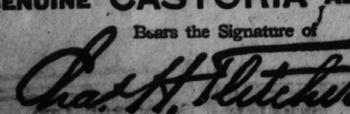
Fletcher's Castoria is strictly a remedy for Infants and Children. Foods are specially prepared for babies. A baby's medicine is even more essential for babies. Remedies primarily prepared for grown-ups are not interchangeable. It was the need of a remedy for the common ailments of Infants and Children that brought Castoria before the public after years of research, and no claim has been made for it that its use for over 30 years has not proven.

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## Eight Hundred Widows On Provincial Payroll

Toronto, Jan. 25.—There are now 800 widows on the payroll of the province. This is the total number of applications for monthly allowances passed so far, out of 1800 examined. This announcement was made to the local allowance board of Hamilton by Rev. Peter Bryce yesterday at a conference between the Hamilton board and the provincial commission. Sixty applications from Hamilton have already been passed.

## Why Not Censor The Clothes Line?

Toronto Local Council Wishes Underwear Ads. and Wax Figures Carefully Watched.

In a moment of levity, the fear was here expressed that the insatiable demand of eternal molarists for soft Government jobs would cause Hon. "Pete" Smith to appoint an Ontario censor of underwear advertisements, one of wax-figures in windows, and still another of windy corners. Already the first two of these ideas have been taken up by the Social Moral Standard Committee of the Local Council of Women, and resolutions will go forward to the National Council.

**WEDDINGS.**  
**Bowman-Johnston.**  
Yesterday afternoon at 6 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Bowman, 72 Coburg street, when Mrs. Josephine Johnston, 36 Sydney street, was united in marriage to William E. Bowman, vice of this city. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Canon R. A. Armstrong in the presence of immediate relatives and the principals were attended. The bride was attired in a navy blue travelling suit with hat to match. Mr. and Mrs. Bowman will go to Halifax on a short honeymoon trip and on their return will reside in this city.

**Keator-Littlebrandt.**  
Announcement was made yesterday in St. John of the Royal Trust Company, son of Mr. and the late Dr. Geo. E. S. Keator, was married in the Church of the Transfiguration, New York, on Saturday last, to Miss Marjorie, daughter of the late Brig. General Littlebrandt, of the United States army. The wedding was a quiet ceremony witnessed only by immediate friends, Bertram Harrison, formerly of St. John, was the groomsmen. Mr. and Mrs. Keator are expected to reach St. John on Wednesday. Mrs. Keator, who has been a summer visitor at the Pines, Digby, will be welcomed to St. John.

## JUST HAMMERING AWAY

It wasn't so very long ago that I used to love to stand in unshod feet and watch the blacksmith pound and pound and pound with his big hammer. I would pin my eyes upon the red-hot iron as it was freshly drawn from the forge and I would watch every piece of progress as the pounding finally stopped and a brand new shoe for the waiting horse would be thrown into the water-filled tub. All day long the blacksmith would keep hammering away. I remembered that the faster he hammered the sooner would he have a finished shoe. I remember that he was always a pleasant man, who never complained because I got in his way. I remember that with a lot of black on his face!

## Mrs. Lawlor Says Burns' Night Was Celebrated Whole Idea Wrong

Informing City Council That \$17,000 Spent on Vocational Education Was Wasted. The \$17,000 spent last year on vocational education was absolutely wasted; the whole idea was wrong and the city council should refuse to vote another cent until the proper system is adopted. Mrs. J. W. V. Lawlor before the city council yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Lawlor and Mrs. Richard Hooper appeared before the common council yesterday afternoon to voice their views on vocational education and the city council in relation to it and both urged no further action be taken until it had been made independent of the school system and administered by the board of education.

**Spent Months in War Ridden Europe**  
Major G. H. Willet Tells of Conditions in Latvia, Estonia and Western Russia. Moncton, Jan. 25.—After many months spent in Latvia, Estonia, and Western Russia, where he was major in the Timber Operators and Contractors, Major G. H. Willet, son of ex-Sheriff and Mrs. George H. Willet, arrived in the city last night. Major Willet landed in St. John Monday, having sailed from Liverpool on the S. S. Victorian. He left Riga on Dec. 14th last and with the exception of a few days spent in London, has been since that time on the homeward trip.

**Doctors And Nurses Leave Women To Die**  
Startling Charges Regarding Alleged Conditions in Aroostook County. Houlton, Me., Jan. 25.—All Northern Maine is deeply stirred at the situation holding forth in Aroostook county, whereby physicians and nurses have refused to call in the outlying sections to give their services in cases of child birth or even in cases of serious illness. In consequence, babies are being born without the presence of a physician or nurse, neighbors and relatives meeting the situation as best they can. Particular complaint is registered against the physicians of Houlton several in number who, it is charged, have bound themselves not to answer calls in maternity cases in rural homes.

**Doctors Refuse Attendance.**  
The physicians, it is explained, have requested that the women come or be brought to the hospitals which they can easily reach. It is stated that this is literally impossible in a large number of cases. Conditions in the outlying sections are described as worse than those in the new and crude frontier communities of the west fifty to a seventy-five years ago. At least one baby has died at birth as a result of lack of expert care, it is stated.

### RUSSIAN DANCERS' ODD COIFFEUR.

(Copyright, 1921, by London Daily Mail and Cross-Atlantic.)  
Paris, Jan. 25.—Oil soaked hair is the fashion of the coiffeur introduced by the Russian ballet, which has just opened in Paris. The women dancers have cut their hair short and so make it with oil that it looks like a shell-cap. Their eyebrows are painted in a long fine line which runs right back to the roots of the hair, giving the face the appearance of a mask.

## W.C.T.U. Makes Appeal For Quilts

Bedding Wanted for Seamen's Institute Which is Sheltering Large Number of Men. An appeal for quilts—was heard at yesterday afternoon's meeting of the W. C. T. U. Mrs. Seymour asking for bedding for the Seamen's Institute, which is sheltering a very large number of men this winter. Mrs. David Hipwell, who presided, read the 31st Psalm. Mrs. W. H. Humphrey led in prayer. Mrs. Humphrey reported taking flowers to a sick member and brought messages of appreciation. Hon. Mrs. R. D. Christie and Mrs. George Loque were appointed buying and cutting committee for garments for the needy of the city.

## Eternal Triangle In English Court

Wife Sues for Support—Story of Woman and Two Men Told to Judge. (Copyright, 1921, by Cross-Atlantic.) London, Jan. 25.—Charging her husband with desertion, a London woman, Mrs. Ridge Jones, told the Westminster Court a remarkable story involving a Canadian soldier, William Castle, who has now returned to the Dominion. While her husband, Thomas Ridge Jones, the son of a doctor, was in the army, she formed an irregular alliance with Castle, and a boy was born. The birth occurred after her husband had been discharged from the army and had rejoined her. Two months later he went out one day, promising to return for dinner, but never came back. They parted in a friendly manner. Castle had since sent his mother over to take his son to Canada, and Mrs. Ridge Jones said she "had a chance to go, too. Now, deserted by both husband and lover, she with her two legitimate children, is being maintained by the poor-law authorities.

**Half Operations Not Essential Says Doctor**  
St. Catharines, Ont., Jan. 25.—That about fifty per cent of the operations now being performed by the medical profession are unnecessary was a statement made by Dr. Hott, ex-mayor of Kitchener, in an address at the Welland on the national day of the medical profession. He advocated that doctors should be under government salary.

**Eat Enough A Safe Rule**  
Have No Fear of Sour Stomach, Gasiness, or Distresses Due to Indigestion or Dyspepsia. From the daily food the system must have a diversified supply of materials or parts of the digestive machinery will quit for lack of work. Therefore, to cut down food or go on a starvation diet calls for a degree of selective knowledge that very few men possess. The best plan is to eat anything you like and as much of a variety as possible. Follow meals with a Stewart's Dyspepsia Tablet and you supply the stomach with an alkaline effect which enables digestion to go on without gasiness, rumblings, water brash, biliousness, coated tongue, abnormal thirst, and the feeling of drowsiness after eating. Get a 50 cent box of Stewart's Dyspepsia Tablets at any drug store and you will realize why so many physicians have recommended them for indigestion and dyspepsia.

**A QUIET SEA.**  
"There is a sea—a quiet sea— Beyond the furthest line, Where all my ships that went astray, Where all my dreams of yesterday, And all the things that were to be— Are mine!"

"There is a hope—a quiet hope— Within the heart untried— That if, undaunted, on I sail, This guiding star shall never fail, But shine within my labor's scope, Fulfilled!"

"And there's a tide—a quiet tide— Flowing toward a goal— That ebbeth by every humble shore, And at its foot shall rise no more; And on that final swell shall ride— My soul!"

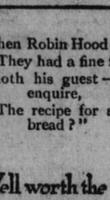
## Plenty of Style To Parliament Opening

Pre-War Display to Mark Summoning of the House of Commons. Ottawa, Jan. 25.—The opening of parliament on February 14 will be marked by all the old-time display. The ceremony will be full-dress and will be held in the new chamber of the Senate, and for the first time since the outbreak of the war, Their Excellencies, the Governor General and the Duchess of Devonshire will subsequently hold a drawing room. This will be held in the senate chamber, the Saturday following the opening of parliament. The drawing room will be on the same lines as drawing rooms held previous to the war, in the old parliament buildings. There will be but one change. Following the example set in drawing rooms at Buckingham Palace feathers and veils will not be worn.

## Robbin Hood Flour

When Robin Hood dined the old Friar, They had a fine feast, it is said, Quoth his guest—"May I frankly enquire, The recipe for such cracking good bread?"

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**"Scratch My Back"**  
Directed by Sidney Olcott. He Cops The Prize! For sheer, unadulterated, brass-bound, copper-riveted nerve, Val Romney deserves the Victoria Cross! See him in a picture that is one long shout of merriment!

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**Reds Plan Revolt Campaign**  
Sending Men and Spread Bolshevism All Over. (Copyright, 1921, by Cross-Atlantic.) Copenhagen, Jan. 25.—The revolution in the Bolshevick sphere and Trotsky are planning a campaign of revenge against the Allies. The first step is to overrun by Soviet agents whom are now here awaiting an opportunity to enter the States. They are planning to send money and other supplies to the revolutionaries in Russia. Their present plan is to take into Mexico and Canada, across the border single signal territory.

**Boils Sores**  
HAD TO GIVE UP WORK. From the days of Job and since, boils have been afflictions of the human race. All the poulticing and ointments do not prevent breaking out again. Boils are simply case blood boiling out; and must be made pure by well-disinfecting. Burdock Blood Purifier has been on the market years, as well known a blood medicine preparation that purifies the blood every particle of foul matter, and when this boils vanish, and you are freed from them.

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**ROB AND MURD**  
**ALL WHO A**  
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**Wiped Out.**  
Oppen, Silesia, Jan. 25.—The population of Upper Silesia with rifles, revolvers and the Inter-armed Communist guns, and is well supplied with munition, which the British forces and the Polish are hesitating to seize in a general uprising, said the Inter-armed Communist. Widespread terroring between the German during and after the fortitude cannot be prevented, he declared, without a between the troops of a police and civilians.  
Bandits Busy Everywhere  
Whole communities in districts now are being organized bandits operate bodies, which is assigned to the German security police force of police to each side believing the of those outrages. The are making no attempt to terror, except in the last case of the hostile situation. The French were Pyrenees and Pless double patrols.  
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Three Principal  
The United States has equivalent districts to each of the agents has been with roving commission in certain industries exact their energies all over the country in especially interested. The British in Copenhagen frustrated the attempts of those men to ship ships going to America and Mexican ports. The British had planned to make their way into the general Danish-American spending their holidays in Mexico and Canada, to surrender their agents of the Soviet, and able for them to penetrate States through any port.

### ROBBER GANGS TERRORIZE ALL SILESIAN LAND

Allyes Fear to Disarm Robbers  
Least They Start General  
Uprising.

### ROB AND MURDER ALL WHO ARE RICH

Whole Colonies Have Been  
Burned and Settlements  
Wiped Out.

Opatow, Silesia, Jan. 25.—The entire population of Upper Silesia is armed with rifles, revolvers and machine guns, and is well supplied with ammunition, which the Entente military forces and the plebeian police are bent upon to seize in the fear of a general uprising, said a member of the Inter-Allied Commission here today. Widespread terrorizing and fighting between the Germans and Poles during and after the forthcoming plebiscite cannot be prevented, this member declared, without serious clashes between the troops of occupation, the police and civilians.

Bandits Bury Everywhere  
Whole communities in the mining districts now are being terrorized by organized bandits operating in large bodies, which is augmenting the hatred between the Germans and Poles, each side believing the other guilty of those outrages. The French troops are making no attempt to suppress the terror, except in the large cities, because of the hostile attitude of the mines. The French ventures into the Pysk and Pless districts only in double patrols.

Bismarck the Allies  
The terrorism and increase of crime are partly due to the fact that the Inter-Allied Commission replaced the German security police with the force of plebeian police, composed equally of Germans and Poles, the commission member said, "and these men, who are still unaccustomed to the work, are unable to control the situation. Since the middle of September, fifty-five men have been murdered, a number of small colonies burned and whole settlements of Germans or Poles driven out.

### Reds Plan Revenge Campaign in U. S.

Sending Men and Money to  
Spread Bolshevik Propaganda  
All Over Country.

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Copenhagen, Jan. 25.—Infused by the expansion by the United States of the Bolshevik agent Martens, Lenin and Trotsky are planning a campaign of revenge against the United States. The first step is to have America overrun by Soviet agents, many of whom are now here awaiting a favorable opportunity to enter the United States. They are plentifully supplied with money and some are boasting that each has a quarter of a million roubles in gold in his possession. Their present plan is for them to get into Mexico and Canada and then slip across the border singly to their assigned territory.

### FAMOUS "BIG TREE" HAS TO TAKE A BACK SEAT

Exploration of Stanley Park  
Brings to Light Others of  
Larger Dimensions.

Vancouver, Jan. 25.—The famous "Big Tree" in Stanley Park, Vancouver, has been visited by hundreds of thousands during the past twenty years and until a few days ago it was generally believed to be the biggest tree in the Dominion. This is not the case however, if larger trees have just been found in Stanley Park, a gang of men engaged in clearing away a debris in a portion of the big tract never before explored having discovered standing timber appreciably bigger than the famous tree. Access will be made for the public to these new monarchs of the park.

### Boils So Bad HAD TO GIVE UP WORK.

From the days of Job, up to the present time, boils have been one of the afflictions of the human race. All the poulticing and lancing you may do will not prevent them from breaking out again. Boils are simply caused by the bad blood bursting out, and the bad blood must be made pure before the boils will disappear. Barwick Blood Bitters, which has been on the market for over forty years, is well known as the greatest blood medicine procurable. It purifies the blood by removing every particle of foul matter from the system, and when this is done the boils vanish, and you should never be troubled again.

### DRIVEN FROM HOME HE SLEEPS UNDER BRIDGE

Vancouver, Jan. 25.—The heartless rapacity of Vancouver landlords has driven me to this, confided the aged "Wild Man of Vancouver" to the only person who has spoken to him this winter.

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### Trade Treaty Made Between France And Czecho-Slovakia

Pact Concluded Which Gives  
Many French Commodities  
Benefit of Preferential Tariff

By HENRY W. FRANCIS.  
(Copyright, 1921, by Cross-Atlantic.)  
Paris, Jan. 25.—French products are admitted across the customs frontier of the Czecho-Slovakia. Considerable trade on the most favorable terms by virtue of a trade convention between France and Czecho-Slovakia, which is now before the French Chambers for ratification.

### KEMALISTS ARE FEELING RATHER COCKY JUST NOW

Friendship of Italians Has  
Greatly Increased Their  
Confidence.

### DEMAND PRE-WAR STATUS IN EUROPE

Will to Dismantle Dardanelles  
Forts and Make Straits  
Free to World.

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Constantinople, Jan. 25.—The semi-official Kemalist representative here, whose name under the circumstances cannot be given, today showed our correspondent an official letter he had just received from the Ankara government containing a statement of the peace terms which it now demands. These terms, which have been the subject of much speculation in Constantinople lately, are as follows:

### Train Ferry Between England And Sweden

Proposed to Establish Daily  
Service at Cost of Ten Million  
Pounds.

London, Jan. 25.—A plan for linking up Sweden with England by means of a train ferry to cost £10,000,000 is being considered by business men of the two nations.

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### Baby Was Naked

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RIORDAN JUMPS TEN AND A HALF IN BIG TRADING

STEEL STOCKS UP WITH CANADIAN BEST

All Other Issues Were Little Changed from Closing of Previous Day

Montreal, Jan. 25.—The outstanding feature of today's local stock market was the trading in Riordan

The balance of the paper group showed general firmness except Laur

Table with columns: Bid, Asked, and various stock symbols like Ames Pld, Abitibi, etc.

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Bears Broke Wheat Five Cents When They Pressed For Delivery

Easier Tone Evident in Market for All Coarse Grains at Winnipeg.

Winnipeg, Jan. 25.—A sharp setback occurred on the local wheat market

Chicago, Jan. 25.—Foreign selling which apparently resulted from non

Toronto, Jan. 25.—Manitoba oats No. 2

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Following real estate transfers have been recorded in St. John's

IN THE PUBLIC EYE



ROY M. WOLVIN.

Montreal, Jan. 25.—Roy M. Wolvin, president of the Dominion Steel

While no definite information can be obtained at the office of the British

Canadian exports of Pulp and Paper during December totalled \$14,812,083

United States reports by the Montreal stock exchange follows:

In addition to the regular dividend of 3 per cent for the quarter

According to the Bureau of Statistics, Ottawa, figures compiled show

The American Foreign Banking Corporation is opening a branch in the City of Mexico.

Java has sold about 300,000 tons of the 1921 sugar crop

The Nash Motor Company report for fiscal year ended November 30, 1920

The \$2,000,000 Mississippi River Power Company 15-year 7 per cent debentures

Canada's Trade Up Over \$400,000,000

Exports Increase About \$8,000,000 and Imports Nearly \$400,000,000 Last Year.

Ottawa, Jan. 25.—Canada's trade for the twelve months ending December, totalled \$2,639,736,135

INTERCOLONIAL IS NOT CAUSE OF THE DEFICIT

Making Maritime Provinces Pay for Bankrupt Western Roads.

I. C. R. BELONGS TO THE PEOPLE

All Attempts to Take it Away from Them Should be Resisted.

In connection with the agitation now afoot to hand the Canadian National Railways

It is stated in the papers that a project for handing over the railways to private ownership

Intercolonial Big Eng.

It was publicly stated a few months ago that of the published traffic figures of the National Railways

Will People Stand For It?

Are the people of the Lower Provinces going to stand idly by and see the pledge of Confederation

It seems useless to appeal to the Maritime Provinces Boards of Trade

London, Jan. 25.—Close: Calcutta

HESITANT TONE TO WALL STREET AND PRICES BAD

General Asphalt Almost the Only Stock to Make Any Substantial Gain.

STERLING STRONG BUT OTHERS ARE WEAKER

New Belgian Bond Issue Active at a Slight Advance on Par Prices.

New York, Jan. 25.—Trading in the stock market today retained all of its recent irregular and hesitant character

Equipment, shippings and steels, specially independent issues of the latter group rose and fell within a range

In Foreign Remittance

In foreign remittances sterling bills strengthened, but French and Belgian rates cancelled much of yesterday's sensational gain.

N. Y. QUOTATIONS

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LONDON OILS

N. Y. COTTON MARKET

TURPENTINE VERY QUIET

SAXONIA LEAVES HALIFAX

LONDON MONEY MARKET

Manitoba Phones Lost \$390,000 During Year

Due, it is Alleged, to Change from Manual to Automatic Systems.

Winnipeg, Man., Jan. 25.—For the fiscal year 1920 a loss of \$390,000 was sustained by the Manitoba Government Telephone Commission

Raw Sugar Quiet

New York, Jan. 25.—Raw sugar was quiet early today at 4 3/4 c.

RAILWAY EARNINGS

Toronto, Jan. 25.—The gross earnings of the Canadian National Railways for the week ending January 21 are: \$1,556,701

MONTREAL PRODUCE

Montreal, Jan. 25.—OATS—Canadian western, No. 2, 67; No. 3, 63.

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Two Cent Reduction in Gasoline Prices

Chicago, Jan. 25.—A reduction of two cents a gallon in the price of gasoline was announced here today by the Standard Oil Co. of Indiana

Steel Earnings Are Lower For Quarter

New York, Jan. 25.—The United States Steel Corporation at its quarterly meeting here today declared regular dividends of 1 1/2 per cent

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# AROUND WORLD'S PORTS

## The Cranes At Manchester's Docks

The excellence of the equipment and general facilities for dealing with traffic at the Manchester docks is generally acknowledged by steamship owners and traders.

The company has decided to supplement the equipment by acquiring a floating crane with a lifting capacity of sixty tons to handle heavy machinery, boilers and other similar traffic requiring to be shipped to or unshipped from the largest vessels using the Canal.

The crane which is now in course of construction is a floating self-propelling derricking and revolving crane, and is capable of carrying a deckload of 150 tons to alongside ship lying in any portion of the docks or canal.

Shipowners and other interested parties will doubtless welcome the contribution of this equipment for promptly handling heavy weights in the Manchester docks, or at any point on the ship canal.

## Pilfering From West Side Sheds

Matter Brought to Attention of Common Council—Other Business Transacted.

The matter of pilfering from the sheds on West Side was called to the attention of the city council yesterday afternoon by the C. F. G. S. and the Board of Trade reports of the chief of police, fire chief, building inspector and the city forester were received and several routine matters disposed of.

The committee of the whole recommended that the application of Mooney and Gorman for permission to erect an electric sign on Prince William street and a petition for sidewalks on Somerset street, be referred to the commissioner of public works; that Frank Garson be sold a lot now under lease to him for \$800, and the commissioner of water and sewerage be authorized to call for tenders for hauling pipe from Lake Lattimer to Little River. Carried.

On motion of Commissioner Thornton the bill of the La. Frisco Co. of \$504.98, cost repairing motor pump after accident at the corner of Union and Carmarthen streets was ordered paid.

The reports of the city forester, chief of police, fire chief and building inspector were received and ordered printed.

The City Service Employees Union accepted the wage schedule of 1920 for 1921 and called attention to the fact that a retired C. P. R. man was working on the West Side and asking that he be dismissed and a returned man put in his place. Commissioner Jones explained that this had occurred in his department and on the matter being brought to his attention the man in question had been dismissed.

Judge Ritchie wrote asking for an increase of salary and on motion of Commissioner Bullock the communication was laid on the table.

A letter from the C. P. O. S. complaining of the large amount of pilfering, particularly of liquor, which was going on at the West Side docks and asking the city to provide additional watchmen and police officers to prevent such happenings. They also charged that in four cases brought before the police magistrate the offenders had been let out on suspended sentence. They asked for two city policemen, a lockup on the West Side and more watchmen for each shed. A letter from the Board of Trade along the same lines was placed before the council.

Commissioner Bullock said the transportation companies received extra money for this class of freight and it was up to them to look after it. He suggested that in future cargo of this nature be handled only in the day time and placed at once in the cars. He also pointed out that it was not only in port there was pilfering of liquor, for all the time reports of cars on sidings being broken into were being brought to his attention.

The communication be referred to the commissioners of harbors and safety to report.

Commissioner Jones said the communication contained a serious reflection on the police magistrate and this should also be looked into. The motion carried.

Council adjourned to meet in committee this morning at eleven o'clock to hear citizens on the assessment question. The regular committee meeting will be held on Thursday morning and the council will meet Thursday afternoon to pass the estimate.

## Ouch! Aching Joints, Rub Rheumatic Pain

Rub Pain right out with small trial bottle of old "St. Jacobs Oil."

Rheumatism is "pain" only. Not one case in fifty requires internal treatment. Stop drugging! Rub soothing, penetrating "St. Jacobs Oil" right into your sore, stiff, aching joints, and relief comes instantly. "St. Jacobs Oil" is a harmless rheumatism liniment which never disappoints and cannot burn the skin.

Linger up! Quit complaining! Get a small trial bottle of old, honest "St. Jacobs Oil" at any drug store and in just a moment you'll be free from rheumatic pain, soreness and stiffness. Don't suffer! Relief awaits you. "St. Jacobs Oil" is just as good for sciatica, neuralgia, lumbago,...

## Captain Ranson Making Last Trip

Captain J. R. Ranson is retiring from the command of the Adriatic and of active service. He has reached the age limit of sixty and is now taking his ship across for the last time. After his arrival at Southampton, Captain Ranson will be tendered a public reception at a local theatre, with an address by the mayor of the city, and presentation of a set of plate and other gifts from his associates on the Adriatic.

Captain Ranson is a native of Liverpool, and has been a seafarer nearly fifty years. He was first employed in the Pacific Steam Navigation Company's service to the west coast of South America. He has been a captain since he was twenty-four. He took command of the old Adriatic of the White Star fleet almost thirty years to a day from the date of his sailing from New York on his final trip in the White Star service.

Captain Ranson has a fine record as a sailor. When in command of the Baltic he rescued the 1,750 passengers of the Republic, when that ship was sunk in collision off Nantucket in January, 1909.

## SEEKING HIGHER PAY.

Chicago, Jan. 25.—Applications for salary increases from the 12,000 city employees, asking raises totalling \$600,000 a year have been denied for the present by the city council finance commission.

## WHISKEY EVIDENCE SQUEEZED FROM SACK

Buffalo, Jan. 25.—When Lewis Orloff was stopped in Elk street last night by Detective Simon Grotty, he dropped a burlap bag which he was carrying. There was a crash of glass as Orloff took to his heels.

## HAS SLEEPING SICKNESS.

Winnipeg, Jan. 25.—Arthur Pellick, heavyweight champion pugilist of Canada, now a member of the Ford Canada and police force, is in the Hotel Debut today with what doctors diagnose as sleeping sickness.

## British Liner Made A Fast Run

The White Star liner Olympic, the largest British liner afloat, arrived in Cherbourg Friday afternoon, making the run in five days, thirteen hours and twelve minutes, at an average speed of 25.5 knots. After landing passengers and mails the liner proceeded to Southampton, arriving there at midnight. The passengers and mails were landed on the yesterday and were in London by 10 o'clock, the message stated.

## Airship Company Will Base Fares On Weight

Milwaukee, Jan. 25.—The Lawson Airplane Company, when it begins its Chicago-New York passenger and mail service next May will charge passengers, according to their weight. Alfred W. Lawson, president, announced yesterday. Provision has been for carrying passengers to the approximate weight of 4,000 pounds. The Lawson No. 1 standard loadings of a passenger has yet been fixed, he said.

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WANTED—Second Class Female Teacher for Trussary Department, East Monroeville Graded School. Salary, \$650 per year. W. W. Melville, Secretary.

WANTED—Teacher for School District No. 4, Parish of Eidon, County of Restigouche, for term opening January, 1921. Salary \$67 per month. Apply at once to David J. Myers, Secy. to School Trustees, Westey Brook.

WANTED—Teacher, Intermediate Class, with experience up to 10 years. Apply to E. K. Connell, Secretary, Board of School Trustees, Woodville, N. B.

WANTED—A Second or Third Class Female Teacher for District No. 17. Apply, stating salary, to Albert E. Kierstead, Secretary, St. Mary's, Queens County, N. B. R. No. 1.

WANTED—A registered drug chemist to apply to The Brayley Drug Co., Ltd., 13 Mill street.

WANTED—in hunting town, location for men's clothing and furnishing store. Apply stating terms to A. B. C. care of Standard.

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THE WEATHER. Table with columns for location and weather conditions. Locations include Toronto, St. John, Dawson, Prince Rupert, Victoria, Calgary, Edmonton, Prince Albert, Saskatoon, Winnipeg, White River, London, Toronto, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, and Halifax.

AROUND THE CITY

PURCHASING BOARD. Mayor Schofield has been advised from Ottawa that the Purchasing Commission of Canada has taken over the duties of the War Purchasing Commission and in future will have control of the purchase of supplies for all the Dominion departments.

TRINITY BLEIGH DRIVE. Trinity Y. P. A. held a most enjoyable sleigh drive last night. Those present numbered over fifty, and left the church shortly after eight o'clock.

NEW INSPECTOR APPOINTED. The chief inspector announced yesterday morning that he had appointed Samuel Thompson of West St. John as a sub-inspector on the west side of the harbor.

LEFT FOR TORONTO. S. B. Stokes, general secretary of the local Y. M. C. A., L. A. Buckley, machine general secretary, of Halifax, and H. G. Schofield, of the Y. M. C. A. maritime board of directors, left last evening for Toronto to attend the meeting of the National Council which will be held on the 28th and 29th.

DREW USED ABUSIVE LANGUAGE. George Dwyer, the alleged assailant of the two little Norcump children, was brought before the police magistrate yesterday and asked if he wished to call any witnesses in his defense. The question led to a tirade of abusive language.

FIRST REHEARSAL. The Apollo Male Chorus held its first rehearsal at the Brander Studio, 116 Princess street, last evening. A splendid showing was made, and the rehearsal continued for about one hour.

CORSICAN CONCERT PARTY ENTERTAINS. An excellent concert was given last night at the Seaman's Institute by the Corsican Concert Party before a large audience.

JUDGMENT GIVEN IN EXCHEQUER COURT. Judgment was delivered in the Exchequer Court, in New Brunswick Admiralty District, yesterday by Sir Douglas Hazen, C.J., in the suit of Elias Loupidis and Olga Loupidis, his wife, against the five-masted schooner "Callimaris".

COOKING COURSE. In regard to the cooking course, the official in question stated that about forty or forty-five attended, while from fifteen to twenty had been refused admission, so as to avoid congestion.

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Hospital Aid Heard Reports

Adopted Patterns of Furniture—DeMonts Chapter Pay for Bedroom in Nurses' Home.

At an adjourned meeting of the Women's Hospital Aid, held yesterday afternoon in the Board of Trade rooms, the report of the furnishing committee was adopted and the patterns of furniture shown highly approved.

Vote of Sympathy. A vote of sympathy was passed on Miss MacLachlan for her recent bereavement, and regret was expressed at the illness of Mrs. W. W. White and Mrs. A. J. Mulcahy.

Check From DeMonts. A check from the DeMonts Chapter, L. O. E., for \$135 for a bedroom, was gratefully acknowledged.

Donors of rooms will be consulted as to the wording to be placed on the brass plates. Mrs. Skelton brought in a report regarding prices for brass plates.

The Dokeys' Had One Real Session

Thirty-One Candidates Were Initiated into Dramatic Order Knights of Khorassan.

The Pythian Temple was the scene of a celebration yesterday afternoon evening, when a meeting of Adels Temple No. 57, Dramatic Order Knights of Khorassan, otherwise known as "The Dokeys," was held.

Officers for Year. Officers for the year are: James S. Lord, St. Stephen—Royal Visier; T. E. Totten—Grand Emir; A. R. Holder—Secretary.

Free Kindergarten Express Gratitude

Association Extend Thanks to All Those Assisting—Reports Received.

Gratitude to individuals and societies who are contributing to the Free Kindergarten Association, was expressed at yesterday afternoon's meeting held in the Board of Trade rooms.

Supervisor's Report. Mrs. A. S. Robinson, supervisor, stated in her report that there are five teachers at work.

Tag Day Plans. Tag Day plans were discussed and the following committees appointed: Ward convener, Mrs. A. W. Estey; tags, Mrs. F. E. Holman; advertising, Mrs. J. S. Plagior; boxes, Mrs. Alice Estey.

ADJOURNED CASES IN POLICE COURT. There were no prisoners to be charged before the police magistrate yesterday morning, as the night preceding terminated without an arrest.

RATHER UNFORTUNATE. It is but unfortunate that the very night of the Nurses' Ball the Imperial should be showing that convulsively funny Rupert Hughes comedy "Scratch My Back."

SALE OF MEN'S NECKTIES. Midseason sale of Neckties, 75c. ties now 49c, or three for \$1.39. \$1 ties now 67c, or three for \$1.95. \$1.50 ties now 96c, or three for \$2.79.

VOCATIONAL SCHOOLS. The 2nd. of the series of lectures in connection with the Home-making courses will be held on Wednesday evening, January 26th at 8 o'clock in the Oddfellows' Hall, on Union street.

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Another Big Blanket Bargain Today. Some very extraordinary bargains in High Grade Blankets will be offered you at this store today. It will pay you to look over your bedding supplies now, find out your present and near future needs, and—BUY NOW while these startling reductions are available.

FUR COATS--NO TWO ALIKE. Tuesday--Wednesday--Thursday. LESS THAN HALF PRICE. NEAR SEAL. 1-Plain \$125.00. 1-Squirrel Trimmed Were \$275.00. 1-Dyed Skunk Trimmed \$200.00. 1-Taupé Lynx Trimmed Were \$350.00, \$425.00.

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