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WEATHER... N. E. and N. winds, cold and snow along Nova Scotia coast tomorrow

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ST. JOHN, N. B., THURSDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1904.

ONE CENT.

AGITATION CONTINUES. Anti-Government Demonstrations in Streets of Warsaw Daily.

New York, Dec. 15.—A Berlin despatch to the Times says: Telegrams received are to the effect that the agitation in Warsaw continues and that anti-government street demonstrations occur daily.

LEAPED FROM FERRY BOAT.

Woman Thirty Years Old Went to Her Death in Boston.

Boston, Dec. 15.—Mrs. John W. Parker of 90 Blanche St. Dorchester, ended her life, by jumping from a boat on the Boston side. She was alive when taken from the water by the crew of a tugboat, but died before medical aid could reach her.

CROOKED WORK IS SUSPECTED. Judge Anglin Orders Examination of Ballots in Frontenac Riding.

Ottawa, Dec. 15.—(Special)—Upon the application of Mr. Shepley, K. representing the government in Chambers here, to-day, Judge Anglin, in the matter of the King v. Reilly, gave the following order:

GOVERNMENT WOULD RECOVER Suit Against Bank of Montreal Up at Ottawa Today.

Ottawa, Dec. 15.—(Special)—The Government's suit against the Bank of Montreal to recover \$75,000, the amount of the defalcations of S. A. Fortin, a former clerk of the militia department, is being heard today, before Judge Anglin.

PROBATE COURT.

The last will of Margaret Finley, widow of the late William Finley, was admitted to probate today, and letters testamentary were granted to John D. and Ada M. Finley, son and daughter of deceased. Edward T. C. Knowles, proctor.

DR. PARKHURST STILL ON TOP.

Boston, Dec. 15.—By official action of the Boston Wesleyan Association, which owns and controls Zion's Herald, the organ of the Methodist Episcopal church in New England, the contest which has been waged against the continuance of Rev. Charles Parkhurst in position of editor ended yesterday by a unanimous vote.

TRAIN ROBBERS CAUGHT.

San Bernardino, Calif., Dec. 15.—Sisley Jarvis and Arthur Swindell have been arrested near San Francisco and brought here charged with robbing the express car of the Santa Fe westbound train on the night of Dec. 4 and killing express messenger Evan O. Roberts. Jarvis and Swindell were in the employ of F. J. McKee, an English millionaire horse man and came west with a car of horses.

FOUND LIFE IN LIBERTY.

Russian Soldiers, Cheered By News of Proposed Reforms, Have Revived Energy... Japanese Advancing... At Mukden.

New York, Dec. 15.—A St. Petersburg despatch to the Herald today says: "It is significant that soldiers on the front are displaying the liveliest interest in the proposed reforms in Russia. M. Kiriloff, in a special despatch to the Russ, says the soldiers talk of little else, appearing thoroughly to understand the meaning of such reforms and attributing the same to a desire to reward them for the hardships they are now enduring. The idea has thrown new life into them; together with a desire to finish off the Japanese quickly in order to get home to live as men with liberties."

Streets Are Deserted.

Headquarters of the Third Japanese Army via Fusan, Dec. 14.—Bovary part of the city and harbor of Port Arthur is visible from 203 Metre Hill and but few soldiers are doing patrol duty. Many buildings have been burned and others shelled. The harbor presents a strange appearance, with the turrets, masts and funnels of warships still showing above the water. There is not a vessel afloat in the harbor. The docks and buildings on the water front are torn and burned. The Japanese shells reach every part of the city and harbor.

Appeal to the States.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 14.—The American Embassy has received a letter signed by 68 Japanese officers who are prisoners at the Village of Medved, province of Novgorod, asking the Embassy to send a representative there. No reason for the request is assigned. One of the attaches of the Embassy was despatched to Medved immediately.

Ready for War.

Honolulu, Dec. 14.—The Japanese of Kauai Island, are drilling preparatory to returning to Japan for the purpose of participating in the war. Governor Carter has ordered an investigation. Japanese consul Meiji has issued a proclamation urging his countrymen to take special care not to violate the neutrality laws and to avoid the possibility of embarrassing America.

Russian Squadron Sails.

Jubill, Dec. 15.—The vessels of the Russian second Pacific squadron which had been coaling here sailed last night.

Bozobrazoff Chosen.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 15.—Vice Admiral Bozobrazoff has been appointed chief of the naval staff during the absence of Vice admiral Rojstvennik. A newspaper this morning again prints a long leader in favor of sending him to the front.

TO REMOVE RESTRICTIONS.

New York, Dec. 15.—A St. Petersburg despatch to the World says that the late minister Von Plehve's secret ordinance that no American be granted a consular visa in the Sibiro-Russian railway in Central Asia, has been annulled by Prince Sviatopolk-Mirsky, acting minister.

CAPE BRETON BY-ELECTION.

Sydney, Dec. 15.—(Special)—At noon today, only about fifty per cent of the average vote of the county had been polled in the by-election in the local house, Dr. Hendall, liberal, is leading by a small majority with the exception of Sydney Mines where Mr. Boyd, labor candidate is ahead. This is Mr. Boyd's house.

OLD BRIDGE GAVE WAY; MANY LIVES WERE LOST.

Charleston, W. Va., Dec. 15.—The suspension bridge connecting east and west Charleston, fell today, precipitating six teams and a number of school children, estimated variously from a dozen to 30, into the ice covered waters some fifty feet below. The dead body of Marie Higginbotham, aged 6, was recovered. Of thirteen horses, but one escaped. Great crowds have congregated on both banks. Many persons living on the west side are employed in the cable. The bridge turned turtle as it went down, and the floor is lying amid the wreckage. A little below the place of crossing. Men in boats are fishing in the twenty feet of water for bodies. The bridge had been in a dangerous condition for some time.

ANOTHER IMMIGRANT HE FOLLOWED

MRS. CHADWICK Swindler, Now Believed to be in Canada, played Duck and Drake With American Banks... More Worthless Securities.

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THE TRAGEDY OF TWO LIVES.

Bride of Two Months, a Montreal Lady, Is Dead.

New York, Dec. 15.—According to the Herald, two months after the marriage of Marie Drolet and Louis Bustanoby, at which he had been present, the Rev. John C. York was again asked to read the prayer-book of rejoicing but of mourning. After their marriage the young couple spent six weeks in travelling over Europe, at the end of which time Mr. Bustanoby was suddenly recalled to New York on important business. His bride, in company with a sister, remained in Glenckon, North Brabant, in the Netherlands. Hardly had he left his wife when the husband received news of her sudden death from pneumonia, after an illness of but two days. Mr. Bustanoby first met Miss Drolet in Montreal. She was the daughter of a prominent banker and was studying music in Montreal at the College of the Sacred Heart. The body of the young bride has been brought to New York and the funeral, just eight weeks after the wedding, will take place to-day at Huntington L. L., in the Roman Catholic church.

FOUND ANOTHER.

J. B. Jones Locates Another Baby, Farm in South End... Death at the King House.

J. B. Jones, registrar of births, and S. M. Wetmore, secretary of the S. P. C. A., visited the home of Mrs. King, Erin street, yesterday. Their visit was in connection with an application made to Geo. A. Knoll, chairman of the alms-house commission, by a citizen who wanted a permit for the burial of an infant that had died in the home early in the week. The matter was called to the attention of Mr. Wetmore, who in turn asked Mr. Jones if any record had been made of the dead infant's birth. Mr. Jones said that the birth was not on record. Both officers then decided to call upon Mrs. King, where it was learned that the child had become ill last Monday night and had died early the following morning. Mrs. King was of the opinion that death was the result of water on the brain. The child had suffered greatly from the first. Mrs. King said she did not believe that medical aid would avail, and no physician was summoned. She was not in the position to obtain the services of a doctor any way. It is here that a hitch in the proceedings of the coroner's inquest on the board regulations an application for burial must be accompanied by a medical certificate of death from a physician last in attendance. The cause of death must also be shown. Without such, no permit for burial can be issued. Under the circumstances it will be necessary for the coroner to investigate. It is said that the mother of the dead infant is a domestic in a city family. The person employing her has undertaken to do what he can in the matter and is ready to bear all burial expenses. Early yesterday afternoon Mr. Jones visited a house in the southern end of the city and found a woman conducting an establishment similar to that of Mrs. King's. She has been living for four years here and came from Nova Scotia. During the summer she has had the care of five children, and it is said most were illegitimate. Four died from cholera infantum, and at the present time she has but one child under her care. Her mother is a domestic employed in a man. She makes regular calls, weekly. The baby is in delicate health. Its board costs \$1.25 weekly but medicine and special foods must be provided by the mother. It is said there are other houses of this kind in the city, and it is intended that these will all be investigated.

THE WEATHER.

Local Weather Report at Noon: December 15th. Highest temperature during past 24 hours... 22. Lowest temperature during past 24 hours... 10. Temperature at noon... 16. Humidity at noon... 68. Barometer readings at noon... 30.36. Wind at noon... Direction N. Velocity 4 miles per hour. Clear. D. L. Hutchinson, Director.

NOTED JOURNALIST DEAD.

London, Dec. 15.—Norman Coll, former editor of the Albion, is dead of heart disease. He was born in 1843.

A MARINE FATALITY.

Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 15.—The schooner John R. Halliday from New York for Norfolk, went ashore on the point of Cape Henlopen early today and is still aground. A wrecking tug went to her assistance and in an attempt to launch a surf boat the craft capsized in the heavy sea and one of the crew was drowned.

DR. CHADWICK SAYS HE WILL NOT BE INCLUDED.

Paris, Dec. 15.—Mrs. Cassie L. Chadwick's belief that her husband, Dr. Leroy S. Chadwick, has sailed for New York from Liverpool, is erroneous. Dr. Chadwick is still here. The correspondent of the Associated Press has seen him daily. During conversation last night Dr. Chadwick was asked if he Reynolds' charges against him might lead to a prolonging of his stay in Europe. Dr. Chadwick replied that it was still his intention to return to America. "Do you expect to be included in the charges?" the Doctor was asked. "Most certainly not," he replied. Dr. Chadwick spoke of his lengthy stays abroad, which seemed to indicate that he has been absent much of the time during the business operations of his wife. He has decided Chadwick's belief that her husband, Dr. Leroy S. Chadwick, has sailed for New York from Liverpool, is erroneous. Dr. Chadwick is still here. The correspondent of the Associated Press has seen him daily. During conversation last night Dr. Chadwick was asked if he Reynolds' charges against him might lead to a prolonging of his stay in Europe. Dr. Chadwick replied that it was still his intention to return to America. "Do you expect to be included in the charges?" the Doctor was asked. "Most certainly not," he replied. Dr. Chadwick spoke of his lengthy stays abroad, which seemed to indicate that he has been absent much of the time during the business operations of his wife. He has decided not to make a formal statement and says he is determined not to see any more representatives of the press unless he considers his statements have been misquoted. This does not apply to the interview of the Associated Press of December 12, in which Dr. Chadwick's statements were taken stenographically and were afterwards revised and approved by him before transmission to the United States. Oberlin, O., Dec. 15.—President King of Oberlin college has announced that friends of the college had taken steps to reimburse students who had suffered loss in the recent bank failure.

Two Blooming

The Adventures of Two Criminals.

Bay Trees.

BY DOUGLAS WINTON.

"I have seen the wicked... spread himself like a green bay-tree." Psalms, xvii, v. 35.

(Continued) "Now," said Piggy, "I want you, Childs-Gordon, to be off at once with the cab and the driver; it's no good that he should see too much. Remember, eleven a. m. to the second, you hand in your cheque, and at eleven five I shall be at Van Coortvelt's end of the telephone. At noon, we meet in the smoking-room of the Criterion to divide the swag. As for this beauty on the box, make him take you right back to Westminster Bridge; then pay him, and let him go; he can lose the cab, and lose himself, as soon as he likes."

place on the broad terrace which formed the water-front. "Bal Jugs!" what the beg pardon, Princess, but there seems to be some sort of an excitement on over there. Shall I go and see?" Before she could answer he was running over to where now quite a little knot of men were congregated. "What's up?" asked Watterley of Jack Darcy, now elbowing his way from the centre to the outside of the throng.

owner's disappearance, had had his attention drawn to a four-wheeled cab waiting at the door. Something, he hardly knew what, about the driver had struck him as unprofessional. And he had been on duty at the time, he would have demanded to see his badge, as it was, he contented himself with making a mental note of the number of the cab, which, as it happened, was a series of figures easy to remember. Instant enquiries unearthed the driver, only to find that he had been just seen in a peck of trouble. His cab, a few hours before the constable had seen it, had been stolen while he was getting some bread and cheese in a public house, to be discovered, some twenty hours later, with a strange horse between the shafts, somewhere in Southwark. Inspector Mackay went to see the animal, but, alas! the miracle of Baalam was not to be repeated; there was nothing about him to suggest a clue, and, though he doubtless knew much, he could not tell it.

One Came Out After the Other.

Suffered With Boils for Six Months.

Mr. Elie Braizau, Meadowside Station, Ont., tells of his experience with Boils and

Burdock Blood Bitters.

He says:—In the Spring of 1899 I was continually troubled with boils—one coming after another for about six months. I suffered terribly, and was in a very bad condition. In August I got a bottle of Burdock Blood Bitters, and began to feel better after taking it. I kept on until I had used five bottles, and can truthfully say that I was cured, and have remained so ever since. I have not had the least sign of a boil."

FUSHIMI PLEASED.

Japanese Prince finds many Friends in America.

New York, Dec. 14.—The American Asiatic Association held its annual dinner at Delmonico's Monday night, with Prince Fushimi of Japan as the principal guest. The first speaker was Assistant Secretary of State Francis B. Loomis, who responded to the toast: "The President of the United States." He said in part: "Eight million American voters have responded to the sentiment which I am asked to consider this evening. Anything I say will be lost in the reverberating echoes of that prodigious acclaim which was, as we all know, more than a party victory. It is with Theodore Roosevelt, the typical American, that you and I are concerned, if he cannot scale the uttermost heights, he will dauntlessly struggle up as far as courage,

activity and intelligence will carry him. People open their hearts to him because of his manifold compelling qualities; because he is always ready always striving for what he believes to be right; because, in short, he is every inch a man. The President represents a great force because he is a moral influence; he is able to arouse and stimulate lofty and uplifting sentiments in the minds and hearts of the people. The man who can make the homely virtues, as well as the lofty ideals, beautiful and essential to a considerable number of his fellow-beings has not lived in vain.

"Between the President and the men who are doing good and honest work all over the world there is a bond of sympathy and interest. The soldier prince of Japan and the President of the United States, when they met, did not meet as strangers. Though men of different race, different education, different points of view—each instinctively and instantly recognized in the other those splendid qualities of human nature which are peculiar to no race and to no climate."

Only One Cure For Catarrh

And it's neither a dopy mixture, a troublesome atomizer or an irritating snuff—it is fragrant healing Catarrhose which is recommended by at least twenty thousand physicians in United States and Canada. The balsamic vapor of Catarrhose goes at once to the source of disease, kills the germs, heals sore spots, it prevents dropping in the throat, keeps the nostrils clear and cures foul breath. Cure is complete and permanent when Catarrhose is used. It is as certain as eternity to cure, can't fail. Every complete dollar outfit guaranteed, trial size, 25c. Use only Catarrhose's.



RECEIVED THIS MEDAL.



This medal was awarded to Minard's Liniment in London in 1886. The only liniment to receive a medal. It was awarded because of strength, purity, healing powers and superiority of the liniment over all others from throughout the world.

YORKSHIRE BAR.

Ale and Porter 4 per glass or tankard.

Highest Award Colonial and Indian Exhibition, London.

ENGLAND, 1886.

European Plan. - 20 Mill St.

J. RHEA

BEGIN NOW! Times Wants Bring Good Results.

Dry Goods and Millinery CLEARANCE SALE

Owing to change of business, which will continue until the whole new and complete stock (\$15,000) has been disposed of. Such Bargains in say have never before been offered in this city. Absolutely no reserve and no two prices.

B. MYERS, Dry Goods Store, 695 Main Street.

The Demand for MANITOBA FLOUR Has Been Steadily Increasing in the Maritime Provinces The People Find That it is More Profitable to Purchase Flour Made From Manitoba Wheat KEEWATIN "FIVE ROSES" FLOUR Is the Best Flour Made From Manitoba Wheat It is Manufactured by the LAKE OF THE WOODS MILLING CO., LIMITED

Financial and Commercial.

THE CANADIAN STOCK MARKET.

Chicago Market Report and New York Cotton Market. Published by D. C. Clinch, Banker and Broker, for Saint John Times.

NEW YORK STOCK QUOTATIONS.

Table of stock prices including Am Copper, Anaconda, Am Sugar, etc.

A BETTER FEELING.

The Stock Market is Unsettled But More Confident. Received by E. E. Beck & Co. over their private wire.

THE MAKING OF ALE.

THE AGEING—Many methods have been devised to hasten the maturing of ale, but none can produce the mellow flavour that time alone can give.



IMPORTS. From Glasgow, six stms Indrani. From C. N. & Co., 40 cases whiskey.

CAKES FOR CHRISTMAS!

Fruit Pound Cake, Sultana, Plain, Scotch Cakes.

HYGIENIC BAKERY.

Classified Advertisements. One cent a word each insertion. Six consecutive insertions for the price of four.

Satisfy Your Wants By Inserting Them in The Evening Times

Female Help Wanted, Male Help Wanted, Boarders Wanted, Marriages, Deaths, Curler's Coats, E. E. Beck & Co., C. E. Dowden, Sleeth, Quinlan & Co.

AMUSEMENTS.

York Theatre.

Monday, Dec. 12. MYRKLE-HARDER BIG STOCK CO

Opera House.

THE DAILEY CO. TONIGHT.

Victoria Rink.

Season 1914-1915. Grand Opening Christmas Day.

Queens Skating Rink.

Season 1914-1915. Bands will be in attendance Tuesday and Thursday evenings.

Flowers.

Fine Chrysanthemums, Carnations, Roses, etc.

Times Ads.

Bring Results. All kinds of Ordinary Work and Repairs.

The Bank of British North America.

Capital, £1,000,000. Reserve, £400,000.

HOLIDAYS ON CHANGE.

New York, Dec. 14.—The Governors of the stock exchange voted today to close the exchange on Saturday, Dec. 26.

BANK OF ENGLAND.

London, Dec. 15.—The weekly statement of the Bank of England shows the following changes: Total reserve £463,000, circulation, decreased, 195,000; bullion, decreased, 651,000; other deposits, decreased, 692,000; public deposits increased, 294,000; notes reserved, decreased, 276,000; government securities unchanged; proportion of the banks reserve to liability this week 45.37 per cent. compared with 45.93 per cent. last week.

ANOTHER TRANSCONTINENTAL.

Arrangements for the definite extension of the Gould system from ocean to ocean were completed Saturday when E. T. Jeffrey, president of the latter, and R. B. Grosvenor, president of the former, met in New York.

RAILWAY EARNINGS.

Eighty-four roads, for October, show a net increase of \$1,577,000. Thirty-nine roads, for fourth week in November, show average gross increase of 15.56 per cent.

Liberal Organization.

The Liberal Electors of the different Wards of the City of Saint John will meet for organization on FRIDAY EVENING, Dec. 16th, at 8 o'clock.

Kings, Queens, Sydney, Dukes, Wellington, Prince, Dufferin and Victoria Wards in— BERRYMAN'S HALL, Lorne, Lansdowne and Stanley Wards in— UNION HALL, N. E. Guys and Brooks Wards in— ODDFELLOW'S HALL, CARLETON.

THOMAS MCAVITY, Chairman Executive.

CHICAGO MARKET REPORT.

Dec. Corn 45 1/2, Wheat 107 1/2, Soy Beans 44 1/2, Pork 10 1/2.

MONTREAL QUOTATIONS.

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SITUATION TODAY.

New York, Dec. 15.—There was nothing in the circumstance of the day to account either for the morning advance or for the afternoon reaction, further than the natural tendency of the market to re-adjust itself by a series of fluctuations.

EXPORTS.

For Liverpool per stmr Corinthian, United States goods, 317 pkgs, 1493 pkgs, 4700 pkgs, 189 boxes bacon. Value \$78,324.

NEW YORK COTTON.

New York, Dec. 15.—Cotton futures opened easy Dec. 15.52, Jan. 7.71, Feb. 7.78, March 7.89, April 7.98, May 8.01, June 8.05, July 8.04, Aug. 8.13, Oct. 8.00 bid.

BANK CLEARINGS.

Clearings for week ending Thursday Dec. 15, 1914 \$1,013,132. Corresponding week last year \$99,404.

SCHWAB'S NEW SCHEME.

Trenton, N. J.—The Bethlehem Steel Corporation with an authorized capital of \$25,000,000 was incorporated here Saturday. The corporation will succeed the United States Shipbuilding Company now in the hands of a receiver.

BANK CLEARINGS.

Total bank clearings of the United States for last week \$2,276,224, an increase of \$1,681,243,847 over the same week in 1913.

THE WORLD OF SHIPPING.

Liverpool, Dec. 14.—Ard stmr Baltic from New York via Queenstown.

FOREIGN PORTS.

Buenos Ayres, Dec. 7.—Ard bark Wagoner from Montevideo.

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NEW TYPE, NEW STORY.

The Times received yesterday its new dress of head and advertising type, and will have it in use in a few days. It is plainer and more attractive than that now in use. It was a somewhat expensive outfit, on the whole; but nothing is too good for the readers of the Times.

THE GLOBE'S DILEMMA.

The attitude of the Globe people in the present political campaign is a source of some amusement. On Tuesday the Globe published a very long list of names of persons who were supposed to favor the candidature of Mr. Skinner as a candidate.

The second act of the comedy opened in Berrymans' Hall, when Mr. Richard O'Brien explained that he was present because he had read that it was a liberal convention. He spoke very highly of Mr. Skinner, who had already been nominated, and expressed the hope that he would be elected to represent them in the legislature.

CIVIC TAXATION.

The city treasurer of Montreal recently submitted a series of recommendations on the subject of civic taxation. The council of the board of trade took up the question, and at a meeting of the city council on Monday sent in the following recommendations, which will be read with special interest in St. John at the present time.

The council of the board endorses the proposal to increase the tax on real estate, believing it to be the fairest of all means of raising revenue, as such a tax reaches directly or indirectly all citizens, the council considers that the rate of such taxation should not exceed 1 1/2 percent.

The council most emphatically approves the taxation of vacant lots and recommends that they be assessed at their full value. The recommendation of the city treasurer regarding the taxation of government property is approved as it stands, viz., what government property should be subject to special taxes for those improvements which add to the value of real estate, such as permanent paving, sidewalks, sewers, etc.

The council would strongly urge that uncoupled land appertaining to religious and benevolent institutions should be taxed, excepting when it immediately adjoins and is constantly required for the needs of the work; also that where trades and industries are carried on in public institutions in competition with taxpayers, such institutions should be subject to taxation.

THE PROGRESSIVE WEST.

Telephone extension is a feature of the progress of the west. A Winnipeg paper states that during the coming year the Bell Telephone company will extend its long distance lines throughout the province, connecting many new towns with Winnipeg.

YOUNG GIRL A FORGER.

New York Dec. 14.—Louis Williams, 16 years old, was held in \$200 bail at Newark, N. J., today, on a charge of having passed forged checks for small amounts on Merchants Bank.

TURK AND BIBLE.

Constantinople, Dec. 15.—In consequence of American and British representations the porte has renewed its instructions to the provincial authorities to sell bibles in towns and villages. The porte persists in objecting to the sale of bibles in the Anatolian provinces in Asiatic Turkey, because of the alleged fact that the colporteurs may distribute seditious literature to the Armenians.

OBITUARY.

Andrew E. McLaughlin. For the second time in a year death has visited the home of William McLaughlin, baker, of 318 Brussels street, North-West. This is an increase of 235 over last year. The greatest number of entries was at Regina, the records being 737.

THE DAILY, TONIGHT.

"The King of the Opium Ring" will be the attraction of the Opera house this evening. The Daily Company have been presenting a line of comedy and high class dramas during the past few weeks and their efforts in sensational melodrama will be watched with interest.

QUEEN'S RINK.

By present indications it would seem that skating will be more popular this season than ever before. Never were so many hockey clubs lined up for the season's play as now, and probably never as much interest was taken in the sport. More clubs are anxious to organize than can be accommodated with practice hours at the Queen's rink.

SUGGESTIONS BY READERS.

FOR THE TIMES WILL BE WELCOME AND GIVEN FULL CONSIDERATION. The Montreal Witness advocates a Canadian census every five years, arguing that the rapid growth of the country makes it a necessity.

AFTER THE RAILROADS.

Roosevelt Wants to Ensure Equitable Freight Rates.

Washington, Dec. 14.—President Roosevelt has considered with several friends his recommendations that increased powers be conferred by legislation upon the interstate commerce commission.

ON MANUAL TRAINING.

T. B. Kidner, Provincial Superintendent, Meets Board of Trade.

T. B. Kidner, superintendent of manual training work in connection with the schools of this province, was in town yesterday and talked with some of the Board of Trade delegates. Manual training departments have been established and are vigorously carried on in connection with the schools at Fredericton, St. Stephen, St. Andrews, Milltown, Campbellton, Woodstock, Florenceville, Sackville and Kingston.

THE TIMES IS ALARMED.

Asserts That British Artillery Has No Modern Guns.

London, Dec. 15.—The Times today prints a special article in which it is asserted that there has been an unparadonable delay in rearming the British artillery. The article declares that the exception of 18 batteries of quick firing guns hurriedly bought during the Boer war, the British army has no guns that would seriously count in a modern war.

UNCLE SAM'S REFERENCE.

Washington, Dec. 15.—Admission free of duty on all articles which are the product and growth of the Philippine islands, except tobacco and sugar, is provided for in an amendment proposed to the tariff by Senator Foraker to the act providing for the administration of the affairs of the Philippine islands, now before the Senate.

COMMERCIAL TRAVELLERS.

Halifax, N. S., Dec. 14.—The annual meeting of the Maritime Commercial Travellers' Association was held at Halifax this evening, 150 members being present. The treasurer's statement showed a financial gain of \$4,268, on the business of the year. The total resources amount to \$31,648.

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A WESTERN TOWN.

Calgary to Have a \$60,000 Church and Municipal Electric Lighting. The young men of Calgary have started a fund to build a Y. M. C. A. home and have already collected \$5,000.

GOOD WORK FOR CONSUMPTIVES.

National Sanitarium Association Will Increase Accommodation at Muskoka Free Hospital.

Toronto, Dec. 14.—That the National Sanitarium Association is doing good work among those afflicted with tuberculosis is evident from the report of the physician in charge of the Muskoka Free Hospital, Dr. O. H. Elliott.

STILL TALKING RECIPROCITY.

Boston, Dec. 14.—At the annual dinner of the New England Grain Dealers Association tonight at the Exchange Club, Henry M. Whitney, President, and Elywn G. Preston, Secretary, respectively of the Chamber of Commerce, were guests.

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Women's Fine Kid and Patent Leather Dress Slippers—a dainty present, \$2.00 to \$4.00.

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NEWS OF THE PROVINCES

Gleaned by Times Correspondents in Various Centres.

A Typhoid Epidemic... Mount Allison's Magazine... Wedding at Annapolis... Sackville, Sussex and Harcourt Notes

Sussex, Dec. 15.—(Special)—G. W. Fowler, M. P., entertained a few of his friends at luncheon last evening.

J. D. Frier, manager of the Maritime Dairy Co., also left for Halifax last evening.

Mr. R. Ross, manager of the Sussex Tackling Co., left for Amherst last evening, where he will perform the duties of judge at the Maritime Winter Fair and Fat Stock Show.

Murray Heustis, Dr. J. J. Daley, J. R. McLean, Harvey Mitchell, C. W. Stockton, G. H. White, Dr. Murray, Robert Morrison, and H. P. Robinson, left by C. P. R. for St. John, where they will be further enlightened into the mysteries of Malsonry.

ANNAPOLIS. Annapolis, Dec. 14.—A very pretty house wedding took place last evening at the residence of Simon G. Riley, of the D. A. Railway, when his eldest daughter, Miss Mabel Gertrude, and William Hilderson, of Boston, Mass., were united.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Douglas Hemenon in the presence of the immediate relatives of the family. The bride was very becomingly attired in a costume of grey cloth and looked charming. She was the recipient of a number of useful presents, showing the esteem in which she is held in the community. The happy couple left today by the western bound express for Yarmouth on route to Boston where they will reside.

HARCOURT. Harcourt, Dec. 14.—The ladies of St. Matthew's Episcopal church, held a social at Rev. Mr. Freeman's last night, at which from sixty to seventy people, representative of the whole neighborhood, were present.

The supper and sale held under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian Church last evening was a decided success. There was a good display of fancy work which was sold at a good figure.

The supper table was not vacant until nearly nine o'clock, and the other attractions were well patronized. The supper will be continued this evening when the surplus of fancy articles and delicacies will be disposed of.

SACKVILLE. Sackville, Dec. 14.—Rev. E. N. Nobles of St. John preached very acceptably, in Main St. Baptist church Sunday morning and evening to large congregations.

Mrs. W. J. Harvey of Port Williams N. S., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ogden.

Upwards of twenty-five relatives and friends of Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Foxworth met at their home in Sackville on Monday evening, to celebrate the tenth anniversary of their marriage.

A pleasant evening was enjoyed and numerous gifts testified to the high esteem in which they are held.

The public temperance meeting which is to be held under the auspices of the Law and Order League, in Main St. Baptist church, is announced for to-morrow evening at 7.30.

(Dr.) Andrews are in Amherst today attending the Maritime Winter Fair.

Mrs. Ralph Siddall died on Saturday at the home of her daughter Mrs. Joseph Lowerison, who is what for at the advanced age of 88.

Monday evening the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Snowden, Middle Sackville, was the scene of a general

Is Your Liver To Blame? HERE ARE THE SYMPTOMS WHICH TELL OF A CONGESTED LIVER, AND INDICATE THE NEED OF DR. CHASE'S KIDNEY-LIVER PILLS.

An attack is liable to come at any time from over-exertion, excitement or emotion. If blood rushes to your head and palpitation and shortness of breath are noticeable, there's a great cause for alarm.

A. F. Beattie, of the Allen Hotel, Bay City, Mich., was cured of heart disease by Ferrozone. See if your case is similar to his:

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LA GRIPPE

Colds, Bronchitis, Pneumonia, Vin Mariani Absolutely Reliable in La Grippe Epidemics.

General Henry Libermann, M. D., who reached the distinction and honor of Surgeon-in-Chief of the French army, writes: "Vin Mariani was the tonic absolutely relied upon in 'La Grippe' epidemic in France, and had frequent deserved mentions in the Medical Press."

VIN MARIANI Holds the premier position as a remedy for La Grippe and all Lung Troubles. Vin Mariani serves both as a preventive and a remedy to relieve and successfully combat this dread malady.

While surprise party, when sixty friends assembled and presented Mr. and Mrs. Snowdon with a handsome dinner set, the occasion was the tenth anniversary of their marriage.

Refreshments were served and everyone had a good time. Mrs. Bedford Harper, who has been spending several weeks at her daughter's, Mrs. Lamon of Campbellton, returned to Sackville Saturday.

Dr. Borden intends spending part of his vacation at his old home in Avonport, N. S.

The Allisonia, a spicy magazine of more than one hundred pages of interesting items concerning the Mount Allison institutions, will be published this week. It will also contain a full account of Mount Allison Jubilee celebration, and a number of illustrations. This edition will be known as the jubilee number.

Mrs. A. B. Copp, returned to Sackville the last of the week, after spending several weeks at her old home in Newcastle. Mrs. Copp's friends are glad to see her home again.

GRAND FALLS. Grand Falls, Dec. 14.—An epidemic of typhoid fever prevails in the back settlements adjoining Comau ridge. Dr. B. A. Puddington reports six new cases of severe type today. It is unusual for typhoid fever to exist at this time of year, and physicians attribute it to bad water or tainted milk from diseased cows in the locality. The disease is generally spreading in the settlement, as the cold weather does not seem to check it.

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Berge—They tell me Mervin is a literary lion in the city where he has taken up his residence. Must have changed mightily. Down in our town he was only a jackass.

The C.M.B.A. At a meeting of Branch 133, C. M. B. A., Carleton, last evening, the following officers were chosen:

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OFFICERS ELECTED.

Fraternities Chose Office Bearers Last Evening.

Last evening was an important one with many of the fraternal organizations in the city the occasion being the selection of governing officers for the ensuing term. At the meetings were well attended and contests between various candidates were exciting. The elections resulted as follows:

Sons of England. Marlborough Lodge, Sons of England, has elected the following officers: B. W. Thorne, president; Geo. Lewis, vice-president; Thos. Bennett, chaplain; C. Ledford, secretary; R. P. Pearce, treasurer; Dr. G. A. B. Addy, surgeon; T. W. Pile, 1st guide; J. T. Jones, 2nd guide; W. H. Collins, 3rd guide; E. H. Eyles, 4th guide; A. E. Logan, 5th guide; T. H. Cunningham, 6th guide; Geo. Maxwell, 7th guide; F. Fisher, 8th guide; G. J. H. Walker, past president; H. Noakes, organist; R. E. Coupe, A. Carlone, F. Fisher, auditors; G. Maxwell, A. Carlone, B. W. Thorne, trustees.

Knights of Pythias. New Brunswick Lodge, No. 1 K. of P., has elected the following officers for the ensuing term: W. C. Bowden, Chancellor; Commander: B. Stillwell, Vice-Chancellor; S. Everett, Prelate; W. B. Kierstead, Master-at-Arms; A. L. Martin, P. C.; Master of Works; W. H. Green, Langr Guard; W. E. Hooper, P. C.; Outer Guard; Reverdy Steves, Master of Finance; John Ross, Master of Exchequer; James Moulton, P. S. P.; Keeper of Records and Seal.

The L. O. B. A. Officers for the L. O. B. A., No. 18 were elected last night as follows: W. C. Bowden, W. M.; Wm. Parks, D. M.; Miss M. Thompson, C. Miss T. Parlee, R. S.; Miss A. Hately, S.; Miss M. Moran, D. P.; Miss A. Fowle, D. C.; Miss G. Estey, I. G.; Miss E. Moran, O. G.; Misses Brown, Stone, Estey and C. Parlee, Committee.

Royal Black Knights. Trinity Precinctory, Royal Black Knights of Ireland has elected the following officers: Sir Knight W. W. Williams, W. P.; Sir Knight T. W. Moore, D. P.; Sir Knight Samuel Ferguson, Chaplain; Sir Knight Nelson Spinney, Registrar; Sir Knight J. J. Armstrong, Treasurer; Sir Knight John Smith, 1st Lecturer; Sir Knight J. C. Mowbray, 2nd Lecturer; Sir Knight Christopher, 3rd Lecturer; Sir Knight Hebble, 4th Lecturer; Sir Knight Wm. Rogers, Pursuivant; Sir Knight John Knight, 1st Standard Bearer; Sir Knight James Keyes, 2nd Standard Bearer; Sir Knight Thos. Morrison, W. B. Walling, 3rd Standard Bearer; Fred Stanley, J. J. Cook and Geo. Chamberlain, Committee.

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pointed and instructed in case the secretary gets a favorable reply to his letter to the railway commission, to apply to the railway commission, which will meet in St. John shortly for a hearing on the disputed subjects.

A Digby N. S. dispatch says: Lester Melton is deckhand on the steamer Westport III, is missing. The steamer sailed from Yarmouth at 4 o'clock yesterday morning for Westport. Captain Powell, commander of the boat, called at Little River and reported Mount missing. The boat arrived at Yarmouth yesterday afternoon.

Yesterday at Charlottetown the packets of special votes polled in the provincial election were opened by the returning officers of each county, contained and forwarded to the count-houses where they belong, to be added to regular vote so that the total will be known on declaration day.

One of the most fashionable and largest gatherings to witness a marriage ceremony were present yesterday afternoon in St. Stephen when Miss Margaret Alberta Topp, married George Wilson, formerly of London, (Ont.).

General. Earl Grey has consented to address the Canada club at Ottawa at a date to be arranged later.

At New York yesterday when Mrs. Young, widow of Caspar Young, took the stand against Nan Patterson the latter turned deathly pale. Mrs. Young identified a letter to which a previous witness had referred.

A Montreal despatch says:—After causing an inspection to be made of the quality of steel rails now being made at the works of the Algoma Steel Company at Sault Ste. Marie, (Ont.), the Canadian Pacific Railway Company has placed with the Algoma Steel Company an order for 25,000 tons of 80-pound rails.

One of the World's Fair, alleges that Boyd gave him the double cross by throwing the race. Yesterday Boyd, who belongs to Woodstock, (Ont.) was arrested on a charge of conspiracy to defraud. Boyd, in a race against Hugh Anderson, induced Douglass to bet \$10,000 on him and then, it is charged, he threw the race.

Hon. Clifford Sifton has received a letter from Premier Mulhain stating that he will be in Ottawa during the first week in January to take up the question of provincial autonomy for the Northwest Territories, with the Dominion government. Before leaving for California, Sir Wilfrid Laurier wrote Mr. Haultain inviting him to go to Ottawa during the first week in January, so that the matter could be dealt with by parliament.

DO NOT WALK ON THIN ICE.

If You Have Catarrh You are in Danger—It Breeds Dyspepsia, Bronchitis and Consumption.

Aside from the extreme offensive and odious nature of the disease, catarrh is also very dangerous if left to run its course unchecked. The constant droppings into the throat, which are mostly swallowed during sleep cause poisonous disorders of the throat, stomach and lungs, which rapidly developed into dyspepsia, laryngitis, bronchitis and consumption. These diseases become established, especially the latter, the result is too well known to need pointing out.

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At a meeting of the cabinet at Ottawa yesterday an order in council was passed awarding the contract for building the new post office in Winnipeg to Thomas Kelly, of Winnipeg. The contract price is \$500,000. Mr. Kelly is a well known contractor in the west. Another contract was awarded to John McLean for constructing an immigration building in Halifax. It will cost \$75,000.

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MR. BALFOUR IS PRUDENT.

Insists That Colonies Must Not Be Pressed.

GRADUAL UNION.

No Cut or Dried Proposals For an Imperial Conference—Comments of the Press.

On Saturday last, Sir Michael Hicks-Beach headed a deputation to Mr. Balfour, the purpose being to induce the government to include imperial defence as well as imperial trade reciprocity among the questions for discussion at the proposed colonial conference.

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HAD VERY GOOD YEAR. RUSSIAN REFORMS

Ship Underwriters Made Money on Great Lake Navigation.

Chicago, Dec. 14.—The carrying season just closed has been the most profitable one to ship underwriters in the history of the Great Lakes.

Because of the strike of masters and pilots general navigation did not begin until after June 1. From that time until the close of navigation, 480 days were noted in the official record of the underwriters.

STEAMERS HAD BAD WEATHER. New York, Dec. 14.—Coated with ice from stem to stern several transatlantic steamers arrived here with reports of unusually heavy weather at sea.

SHY ON WATER IN COLUMBUS. Columbus, O., Dec. 14.—Drought has lowered the Scioto river, to a low stage and the river from which Columbus secures its water supply is today nearly solid.

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NEWS OF SPORT.

DISSATISFIED RIDERS HEAVILY PENALIZED.

National Cycling Association Takes Action Against Cyclists Who Left the Track in Six Day Race--Definition of an Amateur--Local Hockey Notes.

CYCLING.

Wheel Riders Penalized.

Boston, Dec. 14.—The eight bicycle riders who refused to finish in the six days race in New York last week have been penalized by the National Cycling Association.

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"B. A. Walthour, Atlanta, Ga., and James F. Moran, Chelsea, Mass., suspended for one year.

"Otto Mayr, Erie, Pa., and James B. Bowler, Chicago, Ill., suspended for six months or pay a fine of \$100.

"Nat Butler, Cambridge, Mass.; Ted Newkirk, Chicago, Ill.; Menus Bedell and John Bedell, Lynbrook, L. I.; Bennie Munroe, Memphis, Tenn., suspended for six months or pay fine of \$50 each.

ATHLETICS.

Amateurism Defined.

An amateur is one who plays for pleasure only; he can play with whom he pleases, so long as he plays for pleasure alone, says Frank S. Butterworth, in "Outing".

He may play with or against a team which is being paid, or playing for gate money, or against them. There is no reason why an amateur should not play in any company he pleases so long as he enjoys it, provided he plays only for that reason.

The professional is one who engages in athletics for a livelihood. This, however, would not make a professional baseball player a professional tennis player.

Experience has taught that, as a

rule, men who are playing for a livelihood, that is, for money, place a small value on pleasure, and are ready to mar the game by quarrelling, trickery, or unfair dealing.

It is only when the professional hurts the pleasure of the game that he is objectionable. This is not the distinction perceived by our makers of rules who have been so absorbed in the money, summer baseball and summer board question, that they failed to notice how rapidly they were creating in the amateur world all the unpleasant characteristics of the professional.

The most notable of which is quarrelsomeness, and making a business of it. The colleges for their athletic intercourse need only the common rule that an amateur is one who has received no compensation for his athletic skill; that those who have received such compensation are professionals; and that professionals are barred.

With all subscribing to this simple rule and living up to it, only an agreement to meet annually each year for a certain period would be further needed.

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R. F. KELSEY, Chairman, Board of Control, N. C. A.

THE RING.

Home From London Trip.

Young Peter Jackson, pugilist returned from England on the Oceanic last Monday, leading a bulldog with an outfit of gleaming jivies.

The negro fighter and his companion attracted much attention on the pier. Jackson said he had defeated in England Private Castler, the army champion, in two rounds, Harry Nixon, heavyweight champion of Eng-

land in two rounds. Harry Barnett, before the National Sporting Club, in two rounds, Charles Knock, in three rounds, Jack Steales at Newcastle, in five rounds, and Charles Allen in London, in five rounds.

After a short rest and visit to his home in Baltimore Jackson will be ready to accept any offer for a fight from men in his class.

AQUATIC.

New World's Record.

Miss McLaughlin has made a new world's record for lady swimmers at Glasgow, Scotland. She recently swam fifty yards in 37 seconds which is one second faster than the previous record.

BASEBALL.

Late Gossip.

Pitcher Charles Pittenger is running a cigar store in Carlisle, Pa. Club Owner Frank Farrell has given Manager Bollins is in favor of a season shortening to 140 games.

The New York Americans will train at Montgomery, Ala. The Washington club has taken on renewed life and among the finds of its management is a college player by the name of Shaughnessy, one of the fielders of the Notre Dame nine last season.

The Philadelphia club, which went into bankruptcy at the close of last season, has been reorganized with a capitalization of \$50,000, and will do business next summer at the old stand. William J. Shattlesin is the president of the new organization. Hugh Duffy is to be retained as manager and the club will train at Savannah, Ga., next spring.

THE TURF.

Fortune For a Jockey.

San Francisco, Dec. 14.—A fortune of \$200,000 is waiting in Kentucky for little jockey J. L. Boyd. He was last heard from in Seattle. Mrs. Annie Berry of this city, an aunt of Boyd, wishes to locate him. She says the jockey is the only heir of Mrs. J. L. Boyd of Bowling Green, Kentucky. His grandmother. He is only sixteen years of age and had made arrangements to ride for W. L. Haxlip this season on the Oakland track, but the contract was rescinded.

DELINEATOR FOR JANUARY.

With a most attractive cover and a variety of contents, including the latest news of the fashions and literary and domestic features of the "greatest interest," the Delineator for January is an altogether excellent number. The regular fashion display is supplemented by a strikingly illustrated article on "The Stage as a School of Costume," showing the close relations that exist between the theatre and the world of style. Heretofore D. Ward and Semmas MacManus contribute stories of rare charm, and under the pseudonym "Marie Columbia" a very clever writer describes the "smart set" in Washington society. "Jesus Lover of My Soul" is the first paper in a series, by Allen Sutherland, giving the history and romance of the famous hymns of the world, and in the "Composers' Series" the love story of Mendelssohn and Cecile is related by Gustav Kobbe. For children there is a wealth of interesting matter, the names of L. Frank Baum and Grace MacGowan Cooke being prominent among the contributors. Among the domestic features, in addition to the regular features, is the first paper of "The Making of a Housewife," by Isabel Gordon Curtis. A new department, "Good Looks," supplements a series of papers along similar lines that appeared during the past year.

LABOR DISPUTE.

Sydney N. S., Dec. 15.—There has been as yet no settlement effected of the matter in dispute between the P. W. A. and the management of the Dominion Coal Company, regarding a proposed three year contract for

the mining of coal at prevailing prices. A lengthy conference was held today, extending over several hours, but nothing definite was decided upon. A meeting of the grand sub-council is called for next week to discuss the situation.

PRISON GATE WORK.

Brigadier Archibald Talks of What the Salvation Army Has Accomplished—His Bullock Criticizes Jail Methods.

In the schoolroom of German St. Baptist church last evening, Brigadier Archibald gave a lecture on the prison gate work of the Salvation Army. Dr. G. O. Gates occupied the chair. At the conclusion of the lecture Brigadier Archibald, in seconding a vote of thanks, moved by Judge Ritchie, took occasion to criticize the condition of the St. John jail.

The brigadier spoke about the system of indeterminate sentence, which has been adopted with so much success in Switzerland. Great caution was needed, he said, in handling criminals, as many would almost make you believe that they were as good as angels. However, it was well to remember that, although prisoners were distinguished by numbers instead of names, they still had souls to be saved.

In moving a vote of thanks to Brigadier Archibald, Hon. R. J. Ritchie said, that in his experience in the court, he had found that the unfortunate ones who were brought before him were very susceptible to kind words. In the month of November one unfortunate had been brought before him three times. In each case a friend paid his fine. This was one of the worst things that could be done, as it encouraged more than it checked the person. Ninety-nine per cent. of the persons he sent to jail were there because of over indulgence in liquor.

Ald. Bullock in seconding the motion, said that he hoped some one would take up the task of reforming the jail. In spite of all that had been done, three or four men were often confined in one cell, and these passed the time by smoking and playing cards. The alderman also said that it was also as important to help the unfortunates before they got into jail.

ASSOCIATED CHARITIES.

A meeting of the board of Associated Charities was held yesterday afternoon. Those present were: W. S. Fisher, presiding; S. D. Scott, J. Hunter White, Wm. Young, Ald. Bullock, Mrs. Robt. Thomson, Mrs. G. P. Smith, Mrs. J. N. Golding, Mrs. Brittain and the secretary, Mrs. Hall.

The report of the secretary for October and November was submitted. There had been 200 applications, seventy wanting employment, thirty-three relief and twenty-seven advice. She had recommended thirty to employers. Employment was provided for thirty-two. Of men there were twenty-two, of men four, of boys four, and of girls two. Three failed to respond to appointments, and of the thirty-three seeking relief fifteen were provided for.

There were five unworthy cases and two could not be found at the addresses. Thirty-five cases were investigated, eighty visits were made and six conferences were held.

Mrs. Hall referred to the case of Wilfrid Kane who was injured in Chishams mill, having lost several fingers. Mr. Cushing paid the doctor's bills and signified his willingness to take the lad back into his employ when he recovered.

Several cases of street begging were mentioned, and it was felt the practice should be stopped.

There was also some discussion on the subjects of misplaced charity, compulsory education and manual training.

Christmas treats for the deserving poor will be provided as usual.

THE ARCTIC REGIONS.

Ottawa, Dec. 15.—A. P. Low, of the geological survey, will address the Canadian Club of Ottawa, at dinner on Dec. 21st. Mr. Low will speak on the Arctic regions, he having spent considerable time in the north, while in charge of the Neptune, which was sent to Hudson's Bay by the government.

IT WAS NO DREAM.

Even Though Nearly Inertible.

"For twenty years I suffered with Piles, sometimes being confined to my bed for days at a time. The relief received from doctors, herbs in the United States and Mexico was temporary and more frequently I received no relief; other medicines had no effect; it was a continual drag. I was fit for nothing. I finally tried Pyramid Pile Cure; first application was magical; I could not believe I was awake next morning. I experienced a relief I had not known for twenty years.

"One box cured me, but not believing myself cured I bought two more and they are still in my trunk. I first used this remedy in July, 1902. I HAVE HAD NO OCCASION TO USE IT SINCE. The world should know of Pyramid Pile Cure. I have no words to express its merits." E. A. Leonard, Nueva Calle de San Antonio de las Huertas No. 5, City of Mexico.

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Aunt Jane—Didn't I see you and Mr. Linnam kissing in the hall last night, Millie?

Millie—Of course you did Aunt Jane. We had been talking about the existence of microbes in kisses, and as we couldn't settle the question any other way, we just exchanged a kiss to see if the microbes were true or false.

Aunt Jane—Well, and what decision did you come to?

Millie—Oh dear. We have only begun our experiment. Of course it wouldn't be right to give them up after only once trying.

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TONIGHT'S ATTRACTIONS. Dalley Stock Company at the Opera House in The King of the Opium Ring.

Local News. TO SUBSCRIBERS.

If THE TIMES is not regularly delivered to you kindly advise the office, so that the trouble may be overcome.

The liberal electors of the different wards of the city, will meet for organization on Friday evening next.

The Fabian League will hold a public meeting in Berryman's Hall, tonight. Ald. Macrae will speak on Civic Taxation.

The Atlantic express is six hours and a half late today. The delay was caused by a broken truck on a freight train west of Magentic.

The fish market is well supplied today. Smelt are still scarce, but other fish are plentiful. Following are the prices—haddock, 5c. cod, 6c. halibut, 15c. smelt, 10c. herring, 12-20c. salt herring, 50c. haddock, 7c. cod, 8c. haddock, 12c. clams, 15c.

The R. K. Y. C. smoker to be held in the rooms of the club tonight should prove a very enjoyable affair. An interesting programme has been prepared and the usual good time will be indulged in. It is expected that there will be a very large representation of the members present.

The remains of Charles Lamont, who died yesterday morning at Hoyt Station, arrived on the Boston express last night, and were taken to Chamberlain's undertaking rooms, Mill street. He was 21 years of age, and formerly conducted a confectionery business on Union street. He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Johanna Lamont, two sisters, and one brother. Funeral takes place Saturday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock, from his mother's residence, 115 Queen street. Rev. Canon Richardson will officiate.

SHE TOOK TOO MANY.

Ferrozone Tablets Prove Fatal to Gibson Baby—Coming Nuptials.

Fredericton, Dec. 15.—(Special.)—Mabel, the one year old child of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cochran of Gibson, swallowed sixteen Ferrozone tablets, last evening, and died two hours afterwards. The little one had been given the box to play with and, in some manner, succeeded in removing the lid. When discovered she had swallowed sixteen of the twenty tablets which the box contained. Coroner McNally was called but decided an inquest was unnecessary.

Mr. and Mrs. Cochran lost a child from diphtheria only a fortnight ago. Mr. Blair returns to Ottawa on this afternoon's train.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

At the Royal—G. T. Wright, London; F. Woodruff, New York; S. Perry Benjamin, Wolfville; T. S. Pettillo, Truro.

POLICE COURT.

After an interval of three days, during which the arrest book at the central police station presented a clean sheet—two prisoners were before the magistrate this morning.

John DiStocill, drunk on Sydney street, was remanded.

Peter Linehan, also charged with drunkenness, forfeited \$8.

PRESIDENT ELECTED.

Berno, Switzerland, Dec. 15.—The Bundesrath today elected M. Ruchet, vice president of the federal council to be president and M. Forrer minister of commerce industry and agriculture, to be vice president of the confederation for 1905. Both men are radicals.

WILL GO TO CONFERENCE.

New Brunswick Ministers to Attend Toronto Meeting.

Among the delegates to the union conference at Toronto, which is to be held on December 20th, between representatives of the Methodist, Presbyterian and Congregational churches will be the following delegates from the Methodists of New Brunswick: Rev. Dr. Evans, Hampton; Rev. Dr. Paisley, Rev. Geo. Steele, Dr. Allison, Sackville; Dr. Inch, Fredericton, and John D. Chipman, St. Stephen.

THE SHERIFF IS SATISFIED.

With Jail Arrangements in St. John, But Not With Alderman Bullock.

Sheriff Ritchie told the Times this morning that he was not going to discuss Alderman Bullock's charge, but would content himself with saying that he was perfectly satisfied with the way the jail was run. He also stated that he was very much pleased with the way the jail was run.

When asked whether newspaper men could visit the jail and talk to prisoners the sheriff said that this was not allowable under any circumstances.

"What do you think of the principle of one man to a cell?" asked the Times man.

"Oh," said the sheriff, "he's talking through his hat." This allusion was to Ald. Bullock.

TONIGHT AT THE Y. M. C. A.

The Burlesque Circus Will Be Seen For the First Time in St. John.

The Y. M. C. A. Burlesque Circus will give its first performance tonight, in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium. The building has been trimmed with flags and bunting.

This novel entertainment is the first of its kind to be held in St. John, and many of the things to be seen in a real circus, will be seen tonight in burlesque, such as wild animals, including the great giraffe, canals, bears, elephants and a trained orang-utan. There will also be a couple of clown, a Japanese juggler, a strong man, torch swinger and tumbler. During each performance, the "Warstream" Grand Band will give selections. The show opens at 8.15 sharp.

BROKE HIS ARM.

Walter Looney the elevator boy in the Royal Hotel met with a painful accident this morning. He was tending the elevator when his arm caught between the rope and a wheel breaking it. Dr. T. D. Walker was summoned and dressed the injured member, and the young man was taken to his home in the north end.

WINTER PORT NOTES.

The C. P. R. steamship Lake Michigan, Captain Owen, arrived off Portridge Island this morning, about 10 o'clock direct from Liverpool with over 600 passengers on board. She docked at the west side this afternoon at No. 3 berth. She has on board a large inward cargo for this city and the west.

Donaldson line steamship Indranti, Captain Gilles, arrived in port this morning, from Glasgow. She has with a large general cargo, including 4,122 bags of Scotch hard coal.

Canadian Pacific steamship Lake Champlain, arrived at Liverpool, Wednesday, December 14th from this port.

Still they come manifests for the following United States products will be received at this Custom House today viz 3 cars barley, 5 cars meats, 1 car hams, 3 cars lard, 2 cars cedar ties, 2 cars corn, 1 car pork products 1 car oil meat, and 1 car lumber.

VICTORIA RINK.

There is no better or more pleasant pastime than skating, especially when one is in agreeable company, and skating to the music of a band such as the Victoria rink now controls. The band this year is superior in many ways having many new plays and being capable of giving a change of programme nightly. All the most popular and catchy airs will be introduced assuring the patrons a most pleasant season of skating. If you are in doubt as to the selection of an Xmas present, chose a season ticket for the Victoria.

THE N. B. HOCKEY LEAGUE MEETS AT ROYAL TONIGHT.

St. John, Fredericton, Moncton, Sackville and Sussex to be Represented—The Outlook is For an Active and Very Interesting Season.

The meeting of the New Brunswick Hockey League tonight (should be a very interesting one. The president, L. D. Chipman, arrived in the city yesterday, and will meet the delegates of the various clubs at the Royal Hotel, at 8 o'clock.

There will be six teams represented, the same number as usual. Marysville, which has amalgamated with the Fredericton team, and will meet the delegates of the various clubs at the Royal Hotel, at 8 o'clock.

The delegates from the Trojans at Fredericton are Chas. Allen, secretary of the league, and Chauncey Coleman. A. M. Hamann will be one of the delegates from Moncton. J. D. McKenna from Sussex. The representatives of Sackville could not be learned, but Herbert Wood is mentioned as one of the delegates.

The Mohawks will be represented by W. Rising, (capt.), and K. Ingersoll. The Neptunes will have Geo. Blizard and H. D. Forbes to look after their interests.

There will be a number of questions brought up at the meeting relating to laws and rules of the league. We quote the following clipping from the Fredericton Gleaner, which should receive the attention of the members.

ST. DAVID'S CHURCH.

Will be Opened Again Next Sunday, After Extensive Repairs.

The members of St. David's Presbyterian church will worship in their own edifice on Sunday next, under the leadership of Rev. Prof. Magill of Pine Hill College, Halifax, who will conduct the services. This building has been closed since the first of June, while repairs were being made.

The work was in charge of Architect Brodie, and has been carried out in a very creditable manner. A new choir loft, which is in line with the choir stalls, has been added, extending the whole width of the building. This includes, rooms for the minister and choir, a reading room of sixteen feet to the length of the parlor and side rooms for the Sunday school, and a sub-basement for the boiler and coal storage. The platform space is very much greater than formerly, the choir loft which is immediately behind the pulpit being 28 x 16 feet. The organ will be placed in an alcove at the south end of the platform, 18x20 feet, with opening in the end wall for the pipes.

The additional room in the auditorium has provided for six new pews in the main aisle and four on each of the side aisles making 175 more seats in all. The church will now seat a thousand or more persons.

The steam heating has been so arranged that all parts of the building can be heated as desired. Electric lights have been installed throughout. It is expected that Rev. Angus A. Graham, of Petrolia, the new minister, will be here in time to conduct the services the first Sunday in January. Rev. Prof. Magill, who will have next Sunday, is considered one of the finest pulpit orators in Canada.

POLICE REPORTS.

The police were called into John Brodie's house, yesterday to quell a disturbance. Officer Burchill was called into the house on Leach Road yesterday, to eject Douglas Doyle, who was creating a disturbance.

A bunch of keys found on Rockland street was awarded to the owner at the north end police station. Main street was a key found by the owner at the north end police station.

PERSONAL INTELLIGENCE.

Roy F. Wisdom, who has been on the International Railway Survey in Restigouche county, is in the city spending his Xmas holidays with his parents on Cannon street.

H. R. Fleming, I. C. R. chief train despatcher, of Moncton, was in the city last night and returned home this morning.

G. M. Jarvis, I. C. R. district superintendent at Truro, is at the Victoria.

J. R. Sangster, I. C. R. restaurant keeper, at Moncton, is at the Victoria.

Dr. C. A. Murray, of Moncton, was in the city yesterday and returned home last evening.

Mrs. L. P. Parry, of White's Cove is at the Royal.

Hon. A. R. McColgan and Mrs. McColgan are at the Royal.

Mrs. D. C. Millet, of Buffalo, is visiting her father, James Reynolds, Union street.

B. H. Appleby, of Lancaster Heights, will leave today for Southern California, where he will spend the winter.

Mrs. B. H. Noble of Sussex is in the city today.

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