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IR WILFRID AS A BOY AGAIN

takes Great Time of it Recalling School Days

TELLS OF FIRST FIGHT

Rough and Tumble Affair Which Made For Life-Long Comradeship—Bouquets From Young Ladies of St. Joseph's

(Canadian Press.)

Toronto, Dec. 18.—All day yesterday Wilfrid Laurier bested father time. He recalled his school days, he made a great day of it, going school, paying his respects to the professors, traveling through the class and corridors, and mingling with the students. He recalled his struggles in mathematics, his fondness of literature, his love for the languages. He his first fight, a very earnest life-long comradeship. He also is games and his ambitions. Wilfrid was the first man outside of the family to address a gathering in St. Joseph's Hall. In St. Joseph's Academy, he was one of 400, but it was none the less a very important occasion. He read an address of welcome to distinguished guests and on behalf of the school he made the recipient of bouquets and one of roses by K. O. Grady.

"Please you, it will please me," Mr. Wilfrid said with a smile. "But I am going to ask the mother to give you all a holiday tomorrow. Naturally there was a great outburst of cheering, and happy shouts at the remark."

Then the mother superior completed the happiness of the young ladies by saying "Your wish will be granted." Addressing McMaster students, Mr. Wilfrid said, "Learn the English language, learn the German language, but over all, I advise you to learn and read again, the English language. You will know later in your lives what an advantage it will be to write and speak in English."

Wholesale Co-operation By Farmers of Canada From Atlantic to Pacific

Westerns Make Proposals at Meeting of the Dominion Grange

Toronto, Dec. 18.—There were three alters of outstanding interest discussed the annual meeting of the Dominion Grange here yesterday. West and east to consider concerted action, the limitation of the middlemen, direct interchange of trade, regulation of profits, sanitation and co-operation.

UT NINE DAYS MARRIED; SHOOT TO KILL BRIDE

Wesman Then Writes to Tell Mother About it—Says Wife Threatened to Leave Him

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 18.—John F. Conard, aged thirty-one, salesman for a local fish company, shot and fatally wounded Mrs. Catherine Conard, aged nineteen, his bride of nine days, in their apartment here today. After the shooting, Conard wrote to his mother, who lives in Toledo, Ohio, the story of the crime, while he was waiting for the coronator told the police that he shot his wife because she had threatened to leave him.

Cut Down by Some Millions

London, Dec. 18.—It is now learned that the amount paid by Harry Malby-Delley for the Duke of Bedford's Covent Garden estate was about \$18,000,000, \$500,000,000 as previously estimated.

Phelan and Pherdanna WEATHER BULLETIN

Issued by authority of the Dept. of Marine and Fisheries, H. F. Stupart, director of meteorological service.

FURTHER RESTRICTIONS ON MIXED MARRIAGES

Intimation of Action to be Taken By Catholic Church

NEW YORK ANNOUNCEMENT

Inference From Rev. Dr. McMahon's Words a That if Protestants Believe in Divorce at All There Can Be No Union With Catholics

(Canadian Press.)

New York, Dec. 18.—A strong intimation that the Catholic Church is soon to lay down a new rule which will greatly restrict the number of marriages of its members and Protestants came yesterday from Rev. Jos. McMahon, pastor of the church of Our Lady of Lourdes.

NOTED SHIPBUILDER OF ST. CROIX DEAD; NEARLY 90 YEARS OLD

Owen P. Hinds and Brother Had Sent Many Barks and Schooners Afloat

(Special to Times)

Calais, Me., Dec. 18.—Owen P. Hinds, the last surviving master ship-builder on the St. Croix, died at his home in this city this morning, having lived but two days of ninety years of age. He was a native of the League, N. B., and built many vessels here, and his schooner, the "Practical," for some years associated in business with his brother, the late William Hinds.

CAMPBELLTON FIRE

Benjamin Underhill's Home Destroyed During the Night

(Special to Times)

Campbellton, N. B., Dec. 18.—The home of Benjamin Underhill was destroyed by fire this morning. Practically nothing was saved. The alarm was rung in at 1:30 o'clock, and though the fire department responded immediately, the home being fully three-quarters of a mile from the engine house, the fire was gained too much headway. Mr. Underhill was away in the lumber woods. The family escaped in their night apparel.

BRITISH COURT CHANGES

Abolish Grand Jury One of Recommendations of Royal Commission

London, Dec. 18.—A royal commission appointed some time ago to investigate delay in the progress of cases in the law courts has made a report, in which it recommends among other things a strict adherence to daily hours, the curtailment of the long vacation by twelve days, and the establishment of arrangements for trying pressing cases during the vacation.

Further recommendations are that the judges shall be retired at the age of seventy-two, or if they have been absent from the bench for six months. The abolition of grand juries is also recommended.

LOCAL MOVES INEVITABLE

Lesson of New Zealand is Not Being Lost in Old Country

London, Dec. 18.—English naval experts are rapidly recognizing the inevitability of the policy of local Dominion navies. New Zealand's decision has had a profound effect here. New Zealand visitors to London emphasize the fact that the decision is not the result of temporary political conditions, but is the matured opinion of the country, which is highly dissatisfied with the arrangements for the defence of the Pacific made by the British admiralty.

Naval experts are now trying to form a system for close working between imperial and Dominion navies.

Evict Larkin's Family

Street Cars To Coldbrook

Petition for Extension to be Presented to County Council This Week

A petition asking for extension of the St. John Railway Company's trolley line from the One Mile House to Coldbrook will be presented to the city council at a special meeting at two o'clock on Friday afternoon. The petition has been largely signed by residents of the district through which the tracks would pass and by representatives of the industries established and being established at Coldbrook.

MAYOR HAS PLANS FOR TWO NEW PIERS ON EAST SIDE OF HARBOR

Working Out Details For Presentation to Council—Site is That Originally Given to Mr. Durant For Refinery

A valuable suggestion for the improvement of the harbor facilities on the eastern side of the harbor has been made by Mayor Fyfe, and His Worship is busy working out the details of the plan. If the proposal is in sufficiently definite form, he may present it to the council at a special meeting this afternoon.

The mayor's suggestion is that the area to the north of the old Ballast wharf, on which the sugar refinery is now being erected, and which is now lying practically unused, would provide room for at least two piers capable of accommodating large steamers. The chief barrier to this plan of development is the L. C. R. tracks which cross the harbor carrying the railway line to the harbor front. It would be possible to shift the railway track to the head of the wharf, and thus leave this way open for the construction of wharves.

TEACHERS' INSTITUTE IN SESSION

Inspector McLean Speaks of Reasons Why Many Have Gone to West—Technical Education and Social Centres

A very satisfactory attendance and interesting addresses marked the opening of the convention of the St. John County Teachers' Institute this morning in the assembly hall of the High School. The president, Inspector McLean, occupied the chair, and on the platform with him were Chief Superintendent W. S. Carter and Superintendent E. S. Bridges of St. John. The High school orchestra played several pleasing selections.

As regards the introduction of social centres in the schools, he felt that there might be some reason for the demand, but how was the scheme to be carried out? The buildings were built by the public and belonged to the public, but would the public be willing to provide more teachers for this line of work? It could hardly be expected that the teachers who labored in school all day would be required to take charge of the social centres at night. It was surprising that in all these movements towards social centres the teachers were not consulted. Surely they should be, for they were in direct touch with education, and they had devoted much of their lives to teaching the young, and he felt their opinions should carry weight.

Inspector McLean in his address made reference to the early history of the institute, and the many changes that had taken place in the membership. He missed many of the familiar faces of the earlier years, and said that one feature which was particularly noticeable was that the women were greatly in the majority, while the men could be gathered in one small corner of the assembly hall, while the female teachers occupied more than three-quarters of the space upon the membership roll. Large numbers of the teachers were leaving each year, he regretted to say, and that seemed no chances of promotion. Many of them had told him that there was no inducement to remain at teaching. He was now glad that a change was being made and that the board of school trustees had decided upon an increase in salary.

MORE IMMIGRANTS BUT MOST OF THEM FROM FOREIGN LANDS

Increase from Britain But Slight and There is Falling Off in Number from States

Ottawa, Dec. 18.—Figures issued today show that during the first eight months of the fiscal year immigration to Canada totalled 849,899, as compared with 821,038 for the corresponding months last year. There is a particularly big increase in foreign immigrants, a small increase in British and slight falling off in American. The total increase is six per cent.

MOTHER AND BABIES DIE IN NEW YORK TENEMENT FIRE

New York, Dec. 18.—A mother and her two small children were burned to death and three other persons slightly injured in a fire which swept through an East Side tenement house last night.

The fire started on the second floor. Following the alarm, the occupants of the building fled to the fire escapes and hallways but found escape difficult. The prompt arrival of the firemen prevented a larger number of casualties. Twenty men, women and children were carried to safety by them.

THOUGHT HE DID ENOUGH FOR CHARITY DURING LIFE

Millionaire Harvester Leaves His \$12,000,000 or \$13,000,000 to Family

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 18.—The entire estate of William Dearing the Harvester manufacturer, estimated at from \$12,000,000 to \$13,000,000 is left to his immediate family, according to the terms of the will, which will be offered for probate today.

WEST SIDE DELEGATION WANT SPECIAL WORK IN LANCASTER STREET

Between Guilford and Rodney Rock and Hollow Prevent Traffic and Building

A delegation from West St. John called on City Hall today to ask Commissioner Agar to open up Lancaster street between Guilford and Rodney streets. At present these two blocks are affected by a large overcropping of rock in one place and a hollow in another and the street cannot be used for either traffic or building purposes.

The rock excavation would be an expensive piece of work, but it was urged that the material excavated in one place could be used to make the filling in the other and thus reduce the total cost. It was also urged that the city would benefit by the increased revenue from water and sewerage as a result of the street being opened. Another argument was made that the improvement would be desirable in order to provide a thoroughfare for this part of the city.

MARRIED HERE; BRIDE AND MOTHER SEEKING HUSBAND IN MONCTON

(Special to Times)

Moncton, N. B., Dec. 18.—Mrs. Nickolas Robichaud, accompanied by her son, arrived in Moncton from St. John, seeking the help of the local police in locating her husband, who is thought to have gone to the house of the bride is about nineteen, while the husband is said to be hardly eighteen. They were married in St. John two weeks ago. The girl's father came to Moncton a few nights ago, and was advised to return to St. John to secure a warrant. This he did, but Magistrate Ritchie declined to issue the warrant. Robichaud is said to have gone to the house of relative here. The St. John woman went to this house announcing their mission, and when a policeman went this morning to summon the young man to court he was not there.

THE STEAMERS

The Donaldson Liner Saturnia sailing this afternoon for Glasgow direct, took about 100 cabin and 600 steerage passengers. She also took a fair cargo of general freight.

The Steamer Frankrig arrived this morning from Apalachicola with a cargo of hard pine for J. A. Lacey & Co. She is consigned to Wm. Thomson & Co.

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NO POOL TABLE FOR ALBERTA FIREMEN

Mayor of Wainwright Resigns Rather Than Sign Check For It

Wainwright, Alb., Dec. 18.—Mayor Lally Wainwright has resigned rather than sign a check in payment for a pool table for the local fire brigade of eight men.

RESOLUTION OF A. O. H. IN ONTARIO RESCINDED

York County Board Meeting Draws Large Number

PEACE AND GOOD WILL

A Resolution Embodying This Sentiment Adopted in Place of That One Which Condemned Speech of Bishop Fallon

(Canadian Press)

Toronto, Dec. 18.—Rescinding the resolution passed last week condemning the imperialistic speech of Bishop Fallon of London, the York County Board of the Ancient Order of Hibernians last night adopted another resolution declaring peace and good will toward all men. Andrew T. Heron, president of the board, introduced the motion.

The meeting was held in St. Mary's Hall, which was packed to the doors by members of the order. The resolution was as follows:—

"Resolved that in this day and age, when the noblest and brightest minds in all civilized nations are engaging in a crusade for the redemption and elevation of the human race, and when the nations of the world are engaged in a struggle for the right of self-determination, it is the duty of all true patriots to stand for peace and good will toward all men."

"In pursuing this course they were not living up to the exalted traditions and noble example of their illustrious ancestors who, in the golden era of Ireland's history when Armagh and Dunrow were universally recognized as the greatest seats of learning, piety and culture, and whose motto was 'Friendship, Unity, and True Christian Charity,' sought to perpetuate and fan fires of racial hatred."

"This is the spirit that should actuate us at this holy Christmas season, and that we hold and extend to our fellow Canadians, French, British, and of our other origin. We fully recognize that our first allegiance is to our beloved Canada, and manifestly that duty is not to encourage and smile upon racial animosity and dissension."

"And it is further resolved, that we confidently assert that the great majority of Irishmen do not look upon the British people as the oppressors and shedders of blood and crushers of liberty. The Irish people, through long and bitter experience, have learned the value of union, harmony, and co-operation with the British government in ameliorating the condition of the oppressed and in breaking the shackles of feudalism and plutocracy and in a general elevation of all of God's creatures whose destinies they control."

DARING THEFT OF JEWELS

Thief in Early Morn Cuts Hole in Shop Window and Steals Gems

Pittsburg, Pa., Dec. 18.—One of the most daring robberies known in the Pittsburg police was committed this morning between six and seven o'clock when a thief cut a hole in the window of a jewelry store and stole several valuable pieces of jewelry.

MRS. NEILL OF FREDERICTON IS SEVERELY INJURED

Eye Burned With Curling Tongs—Was About Leaving For Florida

Fredericton, Dec. 18.—Mrs. J. Stewart Neill burned one of her eyes quite badly last evening with curling tongs. Fortunately the sight was not destroyed. She was planning to leave in a few days for Florida to spend the winter.

F. B. Carvell, M. P., of Woodstock, is here today on professional business. Sir Thomas Tait and E. V. Johnson, superintendent of engineering for the Dominion government, are here today to go over the Gibson and Minto railway.

WANT LOADING PLATFORM AT FOOT OF CHARLOTTE STREET

A request for permission to erect a 20-foot loading platform on the southern side of Charlotte street in connection with the extension of the L. C. R. siding has been received at City Hall. The usefulness of the platform for those who will use the siding was recognized but the city commissioners are not anxious to take anything more from the width of the street. It has been suggested that there might be room for the platform on the harbor side of the siding and this may be adopted as a solution. The matter will probably come before the council this afternoon.

FATAL SHOOTING OVER LIQUOR

Bonner Springs, Kansas, Dec. 18.—Rolla Harvey, an alleged "boot-legger," was killed and two other men wounded here today in a fight that ensued when a posse of fifteen men surrounded the city hall building, on the second floor of which Harvey was suspected of conducting a "joint."

More than fifty shots were fired.

CAN HE BLOCK THE PARLIAMENT ACT?

Unionist M. P. Says He Has Found a Flaw

EFFECT ON HOME RULE

Contents That By Adjourning Consideration From Month to Month Lords Can Defeat Irish Measure—Prayers For Peace by Anglican Ministers

(Canadian Press)

London, Dec. 18.—William Joynson-Hicks, a Unionist member of the House of Commons, believes he has discovered a flaw in the parliament act which will enable the house of lords to prevent the home rule bill from being made law. He says that this discovery will give the upper chamber full power to prevent passing into law any legislation distasteful to the lords.

The gist of the contention of Mr. Joynson-Hicks, who is a lawyer, is that the lords can defeat any measure by simply adjourning consideration of the bill from month to month and that in this way the parliament act which ruled that any bill which is passed by the commons in three successive sessions automatically becomes law with the royal assent, without the consent of the upper house, would be of no avail, because it provides that the bill must be rejected three times by the lords.

The Bishop of London has received from 400 clergymen this diocese a request to be authorized to have public prayers in British churches for a peaceful settlement of the issue between part of Ulster and the rest of Ireland over the home rule question. It is expected that the bishop will consent and that the last Sunday of the year will be chosen.

WHY C. P. R. PUT CHINESE TO WORK ON THEIR STEAMSHIPS

Vancouver, B. C., Dec. 18.—Officials of the C. P. R. explain that the reason why some Chinese have been substituted for white men as deck hands on the Empress of India is that Chinese are much more reliable. On a recent voyage thirty-four white sailors were signed, but when they turned up only four were fit for duty. All the others were intoxicated or otherwise incapacitated. Driven to desperation, the company arranged for Chinese to do the rough work, but retained the able seamen. Almost all the white men available were merely coastguards who do not seriously follow the sea for a living.

PROBING GRAFT IN CROTON AQUEDUCT CONTRACT

New York, N. Y., Dec. 18.—The grand jury planned to hear further evidence today in connection with the awarding of contracts for the construction of the Croton aqueduct, a new phase of District Attorney Whitman's inquiry into political graft. Witnesses were expected to supplement a story told yesterday by Anthony C. Douglas, a tunnel builder, that although he was lowest bidder, he failed to get the contract for the construction of the Hudson River siphon. Mr. Douglas had refused to contribute to a certain political fund.

Among the witnesses, it was said, would be a representative of the firm of Winston and Company, and Breuchard, who likewise failed to get the contract, although their bid was lower than the price at which it was finally awarded.

MONCTON POLICE CASE

(Special to Times)

Moncton, N. B., Dec. 18.—George Waite was arrested last evening on a charge of doing a junk business without a license. He is about sixty years of age, and has done several terms in jail. He is being held pending medical advice.

A local merchant recently notified the police that he was missing coal from his fuel yards, and a policeman was detainer on the case. About six o'clock this morning the policeman caught a man getting away with a sack of coal. The accused implicated an employe of the fuel yard, who, he said, was selling the fuel at a reduced rate for three months. The case will come up this afternoon.

Fixing Up the Shopping List

These are the days when it saves time and money to go shopping with definite ideas. Make out a list in advance of just what you want to get and then consult the advertising columns of "The Telegraph and Times" for further help.

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**Daily Hints For the Cook**

White Nut Cake

Boll 2 cups sugar, 1 cup milk, 1 tablespoon butter until it forms a soft ball when dropped in cold water. Add 1 teaspoon vanilla and 3-4 cup of broken walnuts. Stir until white and creamy, then turn into buttered pan and when cool cut in squares like fudge.

Fruit Filling

Take boiled icing, mix the following ingredients and spread between layers of the dark cake. Four tablespoons citron chopped very fine, four tablespoons finely chopped seeded raisins, half cup almonds that have been blanched and chopped fine, or finely chopped walnuts, a quarter of a pound of figs chopped fine, half teaspoon orange extract.

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Sun Rises... 8.00 Sun Sets... 4.38  
Time used Atlantic standard.

**PORT OF ST JOHN**

Steamer Yesterday  
Star Montfort, Davidson, London and Antwerp (at 2.40 p.m.)  
Star Calvin Austin, Mitchell, Boston via Maine ports.

**CANADIAN PORTS**

Digby, N. S. Dec 17—Sid, barkentine Calburga, Buenos Ayres. She was towed to sea.  
Yarmouth, Dec 16—Ard, Norwegian bark Papose, Burke, Bugge, Las Palmas, to load lumber for South America; schr Glindon, Sabin, Liverpool, for Boston and cid.  
Schr Helen, of Portland, will be laid up here for the winter.

**BRITISH PORTS**

Belfast, Dec 14—Ard, star Howth Head, Moore, New Orleans.

**FOREIGN PORTS**

Port Reading, N. J., Dec 15—Cla, schr Ann Louisa Lockwood, Swenson, St John.  
Calbarien, Dec 6—Ard, schr Wilena Gertrude, Kingsport (N. S.), later discharging proceeds to Gulfport to load for Mananilla.  
Mobile, Ala, Dec 14—Ard, schr Cella F, Clentuegos; Albert D Mills, Neurtuan.

**MARINE NOTES**

Furness liner Kanawha left Halifax yesterday afternoon at 3.15 for this port to discharge London cargo. The Kanawha will load grain and deals here. Manchester Importer shifted to No. 5 at midnight last night.

A new feature has been learned regarding the arrival at the Azores of the Nova Scotia, term schooner Waegwolt, as reported in the Halifax Herald. The Waegwolt went from Halifax to St John's and there loaded a cargo of codfish for Brazil, but in three weeks she was driven clear across the Atlantic by storms and now lies leading and otherwise damaged at Fayal.

The London Times states that it is confidently anticipated that the new Alcan liner Alaskan, which has been scheduled to sail on her maiden trip on Jan. 17, will create a new Canadian record. The Alaskan will not sail until Feb. 28. Both vessels are alike externally. It will be remembered that the liners will be the pioneers of the cruiser stern in the North Atlantic trade. They will be propelled by four screws of the latest type of Parsons engines. It is officially believed that the claims made on behalf of the cruiser stern will prove correct, and, in any case, there will be ample opportunity, before next summer, of testing the suitability of this form of construction.

The St. John (N. B.) people are congratulating themselves over the fact that the steamer Teutonic, of the White Star-Dominion line, is to make a call here in February, believing that other sailings of the same line will follow. As understood here, the Teutonic will make a special trip to St. John, sailing from

**How to care for baby's delicate skin**

Many mothers seem to forget that a baby's skin is much more sensitive, much more readily injured than that of an adult. They bathe the baby with soaps never meant for a skin of such delicate texture and then wonder why the skin becomes raw and irritated.

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Liverpool on Jan. 28, and leaving the port on Feb. 11, carrying the Canadian mails both ways, and also taking freight at the latter port, she not coming to Portland on that trip. Whether or not other boats of the White Star-Dominion line will call at St. John during the winter is uncertain, but it is considered very unlikely. In any event, it will not interfere with the regular weekly schedule of sailings from this port. The Teutonic is booked for two more sailings from Portland during the winter, leaving here on March 21 and April 18—Portland Argus.

**VESSELS IN PORT.**

Steamers.  
Ella, 897, Jacksonville, Robt Reford Co, Kennedy's.  
Indram, 2389, Glasgow, Robt Reford Co, No 5.  
Kwara, 2304, South Africa, J T Knight Co, No 7.  
Manchester Importer, 2388, Manchester, Wm Thomson Co, I C R, west of St. John.  
Satarina, 2494, Glasgow, Robert Reford Co, No 4.  
Victoria, 4747, Liverpool, Wm Thomson Co, No 6.

**STEAMERS BOUND FOR ST JOHN**

Jeserik, 3114, Newport, Dec 2.  
Bray Head, 11, Androssan, Nov 25.  
Kanawha, 2492, London via Halifax, Dec 2.  
Oranien, 2780, Glasgow, Dec 6.  
Manchester Shipper, 2342, Manchester, Dec 6.  
Tyrolia, 4846, Naples, Dec 11.  
Montrose, 3402, Antwerp, Dec 10.  
Chaleur, London, Dec 2.  
Continental, 4046, Herra, Dec 13.  
Manchester Corporation, 3466, Manchester, Dec 13.  
Monmouth, 2289, Liverpool, Dec 10.  
Inishowen Head, 1988, coalport, Dec 16.

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New York, Dec. 17—Four doctors who examined Miss Elizabeth Donnelly after she fainted on the steps of the Lincoln Hospital, the Bronx, are convinced that she was the victim of a real attempt at poisoning by needle jabbing, although no traces of any poison were discovered.

If there was any poison in the instrument used by a well-dressed young man who followed Miss Donnelly on and off an elevated train and two trolley cars before accosting her, the fact that she had on a heavy chinchilla coat over her dress saved her from worse effects.

Whatever it was that the man used three pin-point pricks were made through the skin on the outer side of the right forearm above the wrist so that the wounds bled.

The pricks were an eighth of an inch apart, the three forming an obtuse triangle and apparently made at one jab.

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RECENT WEDDINGS

The home of the Rev. A. J. Archibald, St. John West, last evening, Ollis Jewell, of Lepreau, and Susan A. Merz, daughter of William Donner, of St. John West, were united in marriage.

THE EMPIRE'S ARMED FORCES

From tables that have been prepared at home and abroad (says the London Morning Post) the establishment for the forces of the empire is now set down at 1,287,261, with 156,040 horses.

BRACELET WATCHES

are very popular this year, and OUR ASSORTMENT is large enough for anyone.

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A few great bargains in slightly used Pianos. Easy terms to pay. Call early and get your choice.

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LOCAL NEWS

The woman who was arrested yesterday afternoon on charges of stealing from Arnold's department store, where she was employed, was allowed by Magistrate Ritchie to go with her husband on condition that he make good the amount taken.

LOCKSMITH

Phone 1217, locks repaired—V. S. Thorne, 105 1/2 Princess street, opposite garage.

Ungar's Laundry.

Turkey supper at Wanamaker's every night until Christmas, from 5 p. m. till 7 p. m.

ALL 10c CIGARS 4 FOR 25c

La. Africanos, being led by Pharah, and Grand Master, at Burpee E. Brown's drug store, Princess street, corner Sydney.

BAD WEATHER.

Brindle for gloves of every kind, waterproof, wading boots for city or country, boots repaired while you wait, 227 Union, phone 161-21.

YOUR CREDIT IS GOOD.

It is not necessary to put up with the inconvenience you experience with your old stove, because you are not in a position to buy a new one. I will install a New Empress steel range, or Standard Sovereign cast range in your home at a low price and easy monthly payments. Drop me a card at 140 Main Street, or call. (I will pay car fare).

FOR "HIM."

Mullers and Shields. We want to talk to you about mullers. Perhaps you have heard men say that it is unwise to wrap up the neck in sog weather. Well, take our word for it, all wise men wrap up in cold weather, unwrapped in warm weather. A muller is a very sensible thing to wear. It protects against cold and severe illness, besides keeping the overcoat collar from soiling one's linen collar. \$1.50 to \$2.50, all new—Gilmour's, 48 King Street.

THE EMPRESS CARGO

The schooner "Empress" has agreed with that special cargo of American Hard-Coal for The Consumers Coal Co., and is now discharging at their dock.

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Fine Mid-Week Programme at Cory Theatre — "The Special Officer" is a Leading Feature

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One rub with Old Dutch Cleanser

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SUCH A VARIETY! 5c to 40c each

Gilbert's Grocery

Special Prices By The Dozen Store open every evening until Christmas.

LOCAL NEWS

At a meeting of the Masters and Mates of the City of St. John, which was held in their hall on Simonds street last evening, it was decided to hold a smoker on New Year's eve when officers would be elected for the coming year.

STILL IN TIME

You are still time to have your old black silverware made bright in time for Christmas. Bring it in now—34 Waterloo street is the place to get old things brightened up.

McBeth's Grocery will be open every evening until Christmas—346-12-29

M. R. A. Limited will not be open

on Saturday, but next week, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday nights the store and this firm will be open until ten o'clock.

At a general meeting of the Trust Company of North America, held in Montreal on December 16, Norman L. McLean was elected general manager.

TRADES AND LABOR COUNCIL

Regular meeting tonight, at 8 o'clock; nomination of officers; Oddfellows' hall, Union street; all delegates to attend.

FREE GIFTS

Christmas cigars in boxes, worth \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00, \$4.50, \$5.00, \$5.50, \$6.00, \$6.50, \$7.00, \$7.50, \$8.00, \$8.50, \$9.00, \$9.50, \$10.00, \$10.50, \$11.00, \$11.50, \$12.00, \$12.50, \$13.00, \$13.50, \$14.00, \$14.50, \$15.00, \$15.50, \$16.00, \$16.50, \$17.00, \$17.50, \$18.00, \$18.50, \$19.00, \$19.50, \$20.00, \$20.50, \$21.00, \$21.50, \$22.00, \$22.50, \$23.00, \$23.50, \$24.00, \$24.50, \$25.00, \$25.50, \$26.00, \$26.50, \$27.00, \$27.50, \$28.00, \$28.50, \$29.00, \$29.50, \$30.00, \$30.50, \$31.00, \$31.50, \$32.00, \$32.50, \$33.00, \$33.50, \$34.00, \$34.50, \$35.00, \$35.50, \$36.00, \$36.50, \$37.00, \$37.50, \$38.00, \$38.50, \$39.00, \$39.50, \$40.00, \$40.50, \$41.00, \$41.50, \$42.00, \$42.50, \$43.00, \$43.50, \$44.00, \$44.50, \$45.00, \$45.50, \$46.00, \$46.50, \$47.00, \$47.50, \$48.00, \$48.50, \$49.00, \$49.50, \$50.00, \$50.50, \$51.00, \$51.50, \$52.00, \$52.50, \$53.00, \$53.50, \$54.00, \$54.50, \$55.00, \$55.50, 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REVISE THE TARIFF

It is very evident from what one reads in the press, and especially the Tory press, and realize that they must do their best to break the force of the arguments of Sir Wilfrid Laurier and his plea for a reduced cost of living, as well as the demand of the western farmers for a lower tariff. Protectionists everywhere are now asserting that tariff reduction will not lower the cost of living, and that to remove the food taxes would greatly injure the farmer. The farmers in New Brunswick who are now selling their products in the United States market at higher prices than they could obtain in the Canadian market, are not at all worried over this matter; while the local consumer, seeing local prices advance, is very naturally asking in what direction he may look for some compensating advantage, so that he may not suffer so much from a jag-handled reciprocity. The Standard is somewhat worried over the sad case of the fruit growers, if they were compelled to meet competition from the United States; but the fruit growers themselves know that they have absolutely nothing to fear in that quarter.

So long as manufacturers are concerned, they have had a long period of high protection, and should now be in a position as to enable them to carry on their business with success even if some reductions in the tariff were made, especially along the line of an increase in the British preference. When the people are sorely pressed by the increasing cost of living, and find also that there is an increase of unemployment, they will not contentedly accept the assurances of protected interests that everything is satisfactory, and that the existing conditions should not be disturbed lest worse befall. The conditions must be disturbed and improved, and tariff revision downward is one of the means to be employed; if not by the Borden government, then by a government led by Sir Wilfrid Laurier.

THE BURDEN-BEARERS

A recent issue of the Amherst News told the pathetic story of a hard working mechanic who had a wife and six children, and who lived in what was intended to be the kitchen of a larger house, to be erected as he might be able to do the work from year to year. This kitchen he had built himself, covering the bare boards with tar-paper to shut out the wind. There was one room downstairs and a divided apartment above. One night last week he came home from work and went to bed. A little later, hearing him moaning, his wife went to his side and found him dead. There was not a dollar in the house, and but a limited supply of provisions, while the children were scantily clad.

THE LAND QUESTION

While opinions appear to differ with regard to the policy of enabling small farmers in the mother country to become land owners, it is said that among the farmers themselves there is a desire to attain an independent position and to live on and cultivate small holdings of their own. A correspondent of the Manchester Guardian quotes the following statement from an old man who has taken a holding with his son in Yorkshire, and who was for thirty-six years a foreman on the big farm before it was broken up. "All I can say is this. It's a pity this sort of thing wasn't done years ago. It's a fine thing to think you're your own master and that all the work you do is really for yourself. It makes you feel you've summed to live for."

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Commenting on the whole subject, a representative of the Guardian adds the following interesting testimony: "This new spirit of hope and an agreeable sense of independence is to be found in nearly all the colonies of small holders. The work is hard, and in many cases it will be two or three years before financial stability can be secured, but the horizon of the men has widened. This is especially noticeable in conversation with those who have been farm laborers, and who have saved a modest amount of capital after years of hard toil and more than Spartan frugality. It is true that some of the holders have failed, that there are potential failures among the existing tenants, and that the measure of success which has been achieved might have been far greater if some of the holders had known better how to adopt a more intensive system of culture, or had realized the wisdom of buying the best-class milking cows, instead of applying ordinary farm methods to small areas. But when this has been allowed for, my inquiries among all classes of tenants, on holdings of widely different size and character, prove at least that sufficient experience has been gained to justify a forward movement on national lines, such as the Chancellor of the Exchequer has fore-shadowed."

ONE ON THE MAGISTRATE

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BIRTHDAYS OF NOTABILITIES

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 18 William Sanford Evans, one of Winnipeg's principal citizens and an ex-mayor of the city, was born in Spencerville, Ontario, forty-four years ago today. He started life as a newspaper man and held important positions on the editorial staffs of newspapers in New York, Toronto and Winnipeg, retiring from the press in 1906 to go in for finance.

Right Rev. Joseph Lothhouse of Keonora, the first bishop of Kewatin, was born in Yorkshire, England, on December 18, 1855. He came out as a missionary to Western Canada in 1884 and after being stationed at Fort York and Churchill on Hudson's Bay was elected bishop in 1902.

Hon. C. H. LaBille, who was for a long time a member of the New Brunswick legislature and from 1891 to 1908 a member of the government, was born in Dalhousie, N. B., on Dec. 18, 1856.

LIGHTER VEIN

Frozen Out I courted a maid. She said I must work And earn the needful gold. But my job was in a cold-storage house, And, alas! my love grew cold.

Like a Little Lady

"Why Ruth!" exclaimed the little girl's mother, "you came downstairs so noisily that I heard you way back in the kitchen. Now try it over again and come downstairs properly."

The little girl went upstairs and a moment later entered the room where her mother was waiting. "Didn't I come down quietly that time, mamma?" she asked. "Yes, dear, you came down like a little lady."

Charming.

"He has a charming address." "Has he?" "Yes, it's the Millondust Apartments."

Count 'Em

"I see that twenty-seven lives were lost in a shipwreck." "Gradson! How did it happen?" "Three cats fell overboard."

Now He Knows

"Really," began Mrs. Nagg, "the inquisitiveness of those people next door has driven me crazy!" "Oh," replied her husband, "is that what did it?"

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ITS ARISTOCRATIC CUSTOMERS FORSAKE TURF CLUB.

(Times Special Correspondence) London, Dec. 6.—A generation ago the "man-about-town" was one of the most distinct and at the same time one of the most characteristic types of London. Today he is practically non-existent. And the latest to bemoan his disappearance is "Nightie," an attendant at the "Junior Turf Club," in Piccadilly, who has seen the day break there every morning for more than twenty years. The "Junior Turf Club," despite its swagger name, is not a club at all, merely a clubmen's shelter, but for years it was the favorite gathering place of the London man-about-town, for bacon and eggs after a night of gaiety. One of its best known frequenters was Sir Robert Peel, whose breakfast parties at its little counter became famous. It was a popular place for an early morning snack, with parliamentarians, who, after a long all night sitting in the house, made their way across St. James' park into Regent street and Piccadilly. There are no such things as all-night restaurants in London and a clubmen's shelter or worse still, a coffee stall, is the only salvation of these hungry lawmakers. Nowadays the "Junior Turf" is given over entirely to the cabmen. In the old days a stray mistress, dropping in for a cup of coffee and a plate of bacon and eggs, could be certain of meeting a few of the picturesque horse cabmen, with tongue and wit fitted to cope with the brightest sallies of the aristocrat. The taxi-driver of today, an entirely different class, is a poor substitute and offers no attraction. Consumers Coal Company's coal burns as well as its loafs.

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SEAMEN GIVE CONCERT

A very successful concert was for the sailors in the Seamen's Inst last evening when the rooms and gym were both crowded to their utmost capacity. Lionel Harrison gave a Dickens monologue which was much appreciated by the audience. The remainder of the programme was as follows: Comic song by H. Smith; song, 'The Flight of Ages,' by R. G. McDonald; song, 'The Truth of a Lie,' by S. Cole; comic song, 'I Rang My Little Bell and Ran Away,' by S. Hughes; 'The Story of a Tin Tack,' humorous monologue by the same; comic song, 'Bob Down, You're Spotted!' by A. Austin; song, 'Thora,' by G. Lawson; dance, 'Jack Langley,' comic song, 'Just as the Sun Goes Down,' by A. Austin; song and dance, 'Sullivan,' by C. Hogan. John S. Charlton acted as chairman and E. Oswald Benn was accompanist. The profits of the concert will be spent in aid of the Seamen's mission. Daily refreshments were served during the evening.

ANOTHER TEACHER GOES WEST

Arthur Floyd, a recent graduate of N. B., who is now on the staff of Bathurst N. B. Grammar School, has accepted a position in the schools at Saskatoon at a salary of \$2,200 per annum.

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### NOTE THROWN FROM WINDOW PUTS POLICE ON TRACK OF SLAVER

Russian Girl, Held Captive in New York Flat, is Rescued

New York, Dec. 18.—Irving Markoff, who rents a flat at No. 178 Osborne street, was held without bail in the New York avenue police court, East New York on a charge of white slavery. He was arraigned before Magistrate Walsh, charged at the age of nineteen with the blackest of deeds and at the end of his arraignment went jauntily and delicately to jail.

The case furnished concrete evidence of the traffic in white slaves in this city. The victim is Sarah Ruffack, twenty years old, who was conveyed from the flat near the river. She had come from her home in Russia only five months ago.

As Louis Burstein was going to his work he had to pass through Osborne street. Just outside No. 178 he picked up a piece of paper on which was written a message in Yiddish. After reading it Burstein hastened to the Liberty avenue police station. The note read "save me. I am a slave. Second floor."

Two detectives were soon on the spot. They broke down the door. Markoff was just lifting a chair over his head as a weapon but their revolvers calmed him. In the inner room the girl, dressed in a gaudy kimono, lay huddled on the floor. She sobbed that she had just been beaten by Markoff. She said he often beat her.

"I came from Russia five years ago," she said. "My uncle lives in the Bronx. His name is Ruffack, but I do not know the number of the house now. He took me from the immigration place. I say he was very poor and I went away to make my own living. I got a room in a house near the river. I worked as a hat maker in Eldridge street."

I went to a picture theatre in First avenue when I could spare the money. A month ago I saw Markoff outside the building. He spoke to me. He saw me home. He was handsome and seemed to like me. I saw nothing wrong. I did nothing wrong. He called and took me to the moving pictures several times. Two weeks ago he asked me to marry him, and I was happy.

"He said, 'Come to Brooklyn and see my people.' He brought me to this place and then locked the door. He brought them here. He beat me and was always cruel. I wrote at last the note, and threw it from the window."

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Canadian Trade Commissioner Makes Charge About Caviare Supply

Ottawa, Dec. 18.—That Canadian caviare is bought by an American firm from Canadian fishermen, shipped to Hamburg, re-exported and repacked, and shipped back to Canada and the United States as the best Russian product, is a charge made by Harrison Watson, Canadian Trade Commissioner in London, who has made a report on the subject to the department, after a thorough inquiry.

However one of the London firms is still anxious to get the Canadian product and Mr. Watson reports that having satisfied himself as to the quality of Canadian caviare, are anxious to make arrangements for obtaining regular supplies from Canada and are desirous of getting into correspondence with some regular Canadian organization or individual who is in a position to enter into a contract immediately. The firm regard the matter of such importance that they suggest that any one prepared to go into the matter should forward to them at once a barrel each of the best and second qualities for which they are prepared to pay the current price in London.

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**MEN'S COLORED SHIRTS**—Values never before equalled; every shirt guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction. Reliable makes offered in soft fronts and starched bosoms, stiff cuffs attached; also soft, double cuffs. Designs and colorings are all this season's. Cloths are good, reliable shirtings—a good variety to select from—sizes 14 to 17. Morning Sale price, each.....\$1.10

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**NECKTIES**—A lot consisting of odd ones which might make a considerable accumulation if left in the boxes, but we don't intend to keep them longer. All are this season's ties and, in quality, design and coloring, are really good. Morning Sale price, each.....35c.

**KNITTED MOTOR SCARFS**—The popular neck wrap, in mercerized and fibre silk, latest colors and newest designs. Morning Sale price, each.....65c and 90c.

**SCOTCH WOOL GLOVES**—Dark heather greys, one of the best makes, worth 50c., 3 sizes. Morning Sale price, pair.....35c.

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### CUTS EXPRESS CHARGES

Ottawa, Dec. 17.—The railway commission today issued an order reducing express charges for the handling of freight bills of lading and collection of moneys thereunder.

At present the express companies forward bills of lading for freight shipments, they, however, charging for the collection and return of money under the bill of lading one per cent.

By the order signed today a change in the express classification has been made. Under this a new rule provides for the charge of one-eighth of one per cent, with a minimum of one per cent on one company's line and one and one-half per cent when carried by more than one company.

In practice the present and proposed rules will work out as follows: On \$100, present \$5, proposed one line, \$1, two line, \$1.50; on \$500, present \$5, proposed one line \$1, two line \$1.50; on \$500, present \$5, proposed one line \$1, two line \$1.50; on \$1,000, present \$10, proposed one line \$1.25, two line \$1.50; on \$2,000, present \$20, proposed one line \$2.50, two lines, \$2.50.

### FEW TARIFF CHANGES

Ottawa, Dec. 17.—That there will be no tariff changes of importance this session is indicated by several things which have occurred recently.

It is now practically admitted that the delegation of fruit growers and breeders which asked that there should be a change in the tariff was brought down deliberately by the government to offset the demands of the grain growers for tariff reduction. This is taken as an indication that there will be no tariff changes of moment announced by the finance minister in his next budget speech. The government decision that there is to be no commission on the high cost of living is another.

Finally, it is claimed that with the revenue falling the government could not cut the tariff if it wanted to because it needs the money, and cannot get on without it.

### ST. JOHN PROTESTANT ORPHANS' HOME.

The fifty-ninth annual report and financial statement of the St. John Protestant Orphans' Home for the year ending April 30 last, just printed, shows total receipts of \$5,919.08, expenditures of \$5,920.98 and a balance in the bank of \$223.60. There were twenty girls and eighteen boys in the home on that date. One death occurred during the year, the first for more than eight years.

Dr. Inches and Dr. McIntosh rendered gratuitous medical service throughout the year and Dr. A. D. Smith and Dr. Godsoe gratuitously attended to the dental requirements of the children.

Two bequests were received, \$500 from the estate of Edward Callaghan and \$100 from Mrs. L. C. Dearborn's estate. The contributions, including church collections, amounted to \$2,215.40, being \$375.58 less than the previous year.

The report of the ladies' committee showed the general health of the children to be good until March, when there were cases of measles, all of which were successfully treated. Numerous treats and outings were had by the children. There were three adoptions and gratifying reports were received from many of those who had left the home. The school examinations were satisfactory.

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### GOOD AND BAD GOVERNMENT.

St. Andrew's Beacon.—A weak and vacillating government assuredly has an evil effect upon the business interests of a country, just as a strong and progressive government exercises an influence for good. In the one case, a lack of

### LEG AND WRIST BROKEN

Cadet Robin FitzRandolph, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert FitzRandolph, of Fredericton, was the victim of an accident recently in the gymnasium at the Royal Military College, Kingston, Ont. His leg was broken. He had only recently recovered from a fractured wrist.

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- New "Hug-me-tights" - - - \$1.98, \$2.25
- New shipments dainty Neckwear, Silver Mesh Bags, good lines
- 104 dozen Men's 50c Ties, as special, 35c each, boxed
- Irish Hand Embroidered Handkerchiefs - - - 25c
- White Doeskin Gloves - - - \$1.00 pair
- Silk lined Mocha Gloves - - - \$1.50 pair
- New Sterling tipped Umbrellas, [ladies]
- New Embroidered Pillow Slips
- Initial Linen Cloths and Napkins
- 2x2 1-2 Damask Table Cloths - - - \$1.65 each
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MADE into folding Feather Mattresses. Most modern system of cleaning, completely destroying all germs. Canadian Feather Mattress Co., 247 Brussels.

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MISS MCGRATH, 134 Charlotte street. Hairdressing, Facial Massage, Scalp Treatment, Electrical, Shampooing, Hair Work a Specialty. Graduate Robber school. Phone 144-31.

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HEADQUARTERS for Harness, Horse Blankets, Fur Robes, and a general line of horse furnishing goods, all at reasonable prices. H. Horton & Son, Ltd., 9 and 11 Market Square.

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FLAT TO LET—119 King street, East. 5074-12-20

TO LET—A flat of seven rooms at 123 Rodney street; possession at once. Apply 530 Union street. 1807-L

TO LET—Furnished flat until May, 1st, 7 rooms, modern conveniences, particulars on application. Address "P", Times office. 1776-L.

ROOMS WANTED

WANTED—Furnished room with kitchen privileges for married couple in vicinity of Haymarket Square. Address E. V. B., Times office. 5260-12-20

ROOM WANTED—Business man requires comfortable bedroom for winter months; central location; no children. State terms with and without board. Box 59 Times Office, City. 5196-12-22

TO LET

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USE THE WANT AD. WAY

Help Wanted Columns

HELP WANTED—MALE

WANTED—Men for Lumber Woods, Grant's Agency, 209 Charlotte St. West. 5218-12-24

WANTED—Small Boy light work, 7 King Square. 5228-12-24

WANTED—Boy to learn barber business, one with experience preferred. Apply Charles E. Barlow, Main Street. 12-23

WANTED—Good steady honest barber. Permanent employment. Apply "Barber," care Times. 5000-12-19

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LOST AND FOUND

WILL THE PARTY who took the glove in the Imperial Theatre, Monday evening please return to Times office and receive reward. 5288-12-23

LOST—On Dec. 16th, four Raccoon traps in vicinity of Exmouth street. These animals are all marked. Anyone found harboring same shall be prosecuted according to law. Finder please communicate with Orland A. Colwell. Phone 1878-11 or 1938-11. 5222-12-20

LOST—On Tuesday in one of the city streets, a watch, nickel metal. Finder will be suitably rewarded on leaving at room 7, Globe-Atlantic Building. 1894-L

FOR SALE—GENERAL

PRIVATE SALE household furniture. Apply in evening, No. 82 Exmouth street. 1800-L

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WANTED—Order Cook. Apply Pittsford's Restaurant, 7 Mill street. 1812-L

WANTED—A maid for general house work; no washing. Apply Mrs. C. H. Kelly, 188 City Line, or telephone West 19. 12-19

WANTED—A good capable girl for housework, 188 Prince St. 5184-12-23

WANTED—A cook, general references required. Apply to 196 German. 1897-L

WANTED—Capable girl for general housework. Apply Mrs. Will. Haywood, 82 Queen Square. 5124-12-22

WANTED—Nurse, household. Apply Mrs. R. D. Paterson, 43 Carleton street. 4621-11-31

WANTED—A capable cook or general girl. Apply 55 Waterloo street. 1846-L

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FOR SALE—Desirable location, 40 x 100, three minutes walk from King street, two tenants, separate entrances, front and rear, hot water heating, separate furnaces, light on four sides. Shows 15 per cent on investment. Phone Main 2274. 12-27

FOR SALE—Valuable freehold property, 40 x 100, centrally located. Stationery free if scholarship is purchased now. Enter any time. Currie Commercial Institute, Oddfellows' hall, 47 Union street. 5045-12-22

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WANTED—Girl at once, good wages, 58 Brussels street. 5176-12-23

WANTED—Dining Room Girl. Apply 109 Charlotte street. 5183-12-19

WAITRESS WANTED at once. Edward Buffetta. 1820-L

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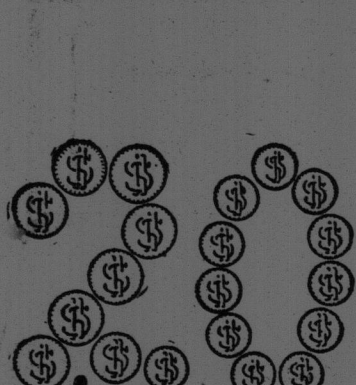
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WANTED-Kitchen Girl, Mrs. McAfee, 160 Princess. 1832-14.
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WANTED-Middle aged woman for general housework in United States two in family, good home, 89 Union street. Good references required. 5254-12-22

FOR SALE-200 ranges and one stove and one feeder, nearly new. Mitchell "The Stove Man," 204 Union street. Opposite Opera House. 5262-12-22

FOR SALE-3 1/2 H. P. Fairbanks-Morse Marine Engine, with all fittings necessary to install. Run one season, good as new. \$5500. H. E. case "Lins Office. 5263-12-22

FOR SALE-Singing Canaries, suitable for Xmas presents, 108 Union street. 5259-12-22
YOUNG MAN wanted. Apply J. Marcus, 30 Dock. 5255-12-20

THINKS POWERS CAN NOT INTERFERE IN INTEREST OF JEWS
Vienna, Dec. 18.-Count Von Berchtold, Austro-Hungarian minister of foreign affairs, replying to the suggestion that the powers who were parties to the Berlin treaty take joint action to secure equality of treatment for the Jews in Roumania, said that he did not believe the powers could be induced to take such action.

Working Horse, 1400 lbs.
By Auction
on Market Square, Saturday Morning, Dec. 20, at 11 O'clock.
F. L. POTTS, Auctioneer.
5276-12-20

COMMERCIAL
NEW YORK STOCK MARKET

Quotations furnished by private wires of J. C. Mackintosh & Co. (members Montreal Stock Exchange), 88-90 Prince William street, St. John, N. B.
Thursday, Dec. 18, 1913

Table with columns: Yesterday's Closing, Opening, Noon. Rows include Am. Copper, Am. Beet Sugar, Am. Can and Pdy., Am. Can pfd x. d., Am. Loco, Am. Sm and Ref., Am. Tele and Tele, An. Copper, Atchison, Ches and Ohio, Chic and St. Paul, Chic and N. West., China Copper, Con Gas, Erie, General Electric, Gr. Nor pfd., Gr. Nor Ore, Ill. Central, Lehigh Valley, Nevada Con., Kansas City So., N. Y. Central, Nor Pacific, Nor and West., New Haven, Pacific Mail, People's Gas, Reading, Rep. Ir and Steel, Rock Island, Southern Pacific, Sou. Railway, Utah Copper, U. S. Steel, U. S. Steel pfd., Westinghouse Elec., Sales 15 1/2, 85,000 shares.

New York Cotton Market
December ... 12.23 12.50
January ... 12.27 12.41
March ... 12.30 12.35
May ... 12.32 12.35
July ... 12.34 12.37
August ... 12.35 12.37

Chicago Grain and Produce Market
Wheat: May ... 92 91 1/2, 91 1/2 88 1/2
Corn: May ... 70 70 1/2, 69 1/2 69 1/2
Oats: May ... 42 42 1/2, 41 1/2 41 1/2
Pork: May ... 20.90 21.00 21.00

Montreal Morning Transactions
(Bid. Asked)
Bell Telephone ... 142 142 1/2
Brazil ... 63 63
C. P. Ry ... 216 217
Can Cottons ... 82 82 1/2
Cement ... 28 28 1/2
Crown Paper ... 10 10 1/2
Car Foundry ... 60 60
Detroit ... 69 69 1/2
Don Iron ... 87 87 1/2
Laurentide ... 168 168 1/2
McDonald ... 147 147 1/2
Minerva Power ... 166 166 1/2
Pennana ... 49 49
Montreal Power ... 214 215
Quebec Railway ... 10 10 1/2
Richelle ... 11 11 1/2
Ame ... 7 7 1/2
Shawinigan ... 129 130
Sherwin Williams ... 129 130
Tuckering ... 8 8 1/2
Spanish River ... 9 9 1/2
Textile ... 81 81 1/2
Tooke ... 24 24
Toronto Ry ... 85 85 1/2
Lake of the Woods ... 128 128 1/2
Windsor Elec ... 194 194
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Tuckets pfd ... 84 84
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CALVIN AUSTIN TELLS OF EASTERN S. S. MERGER
Washington, Dec. 17.-Calvin Austin of Boston, president of the Eastern Steamship Co. a witness on the seaman's bill on Tuesday, before the house committee told how the Eastern had absorbed other steamship lines along the New England coast. He said that when the Maine and Metropolitan Companies sold their ships to the Eastern they were paid \$7,125,000 for property which he did not regard as worth more than \$5,000,000. The remainder was credited to goodwill. He said his company bought the Yarmouth steamship line from the Canadian Pacific Railway for \$600,000 in stock and \$300,000 in bonds of a new corporation organized for the purpose.

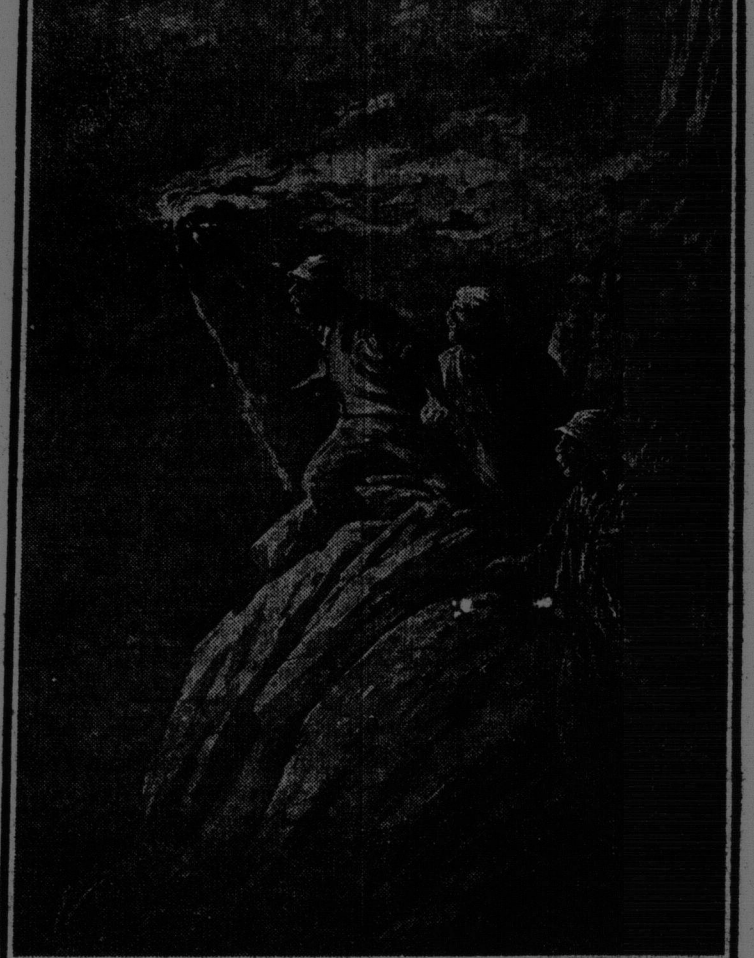
ENGLISH POLO CAPTAIN LIKELY OUT OF GAME
New York, Dec. 18.-Captain R. G. Ritson, who was leader of the English polo team last year in their attempt to lift the International Cup, will probably be an absentee in next year's matches. A serious indisposition will prevent him from taking part in any international matches.

The Mona Lisa Case
Florence, Italy, Dec. 18.-Counsel for Vincenzo Perugia, charged with abstracting the "Mona Lisa" from the Louvre, has asked that Perugia be given his liberty on the ground that Perugia, but declared that she never saw or heard anything of the "Mona Lisa."

Paris, Dec. 18.-The police have found the thief who signed the name Mathilde to letters discovered in the room of Vincenzo Perugia. She has been unable, however, to throw any light on the theft of the painting. She remembered seeing a woman box in Perugia's room, but declared that she never saw or heard anything of the "Mona Lisa."

IN MEMORIAM
CAREY-In loving memory of our darling Elmina May Carey, who departed this life on Dec. 18, 1901.
Twelve years have passed and o'er how quickly time has flown.
But a few more years will hasten us to that Bright and Shining Shore,
Where Jesus reigns in glory, our Home for ever more.
We will meet our darling Mina to part from her no more.
MOTHER.

CANADA CAN SUPPLY THE MEN FOR HOME-BUILT BATTLESHIPS



When addressing the Canadian Club recently, Hon. P. J. McGrath of Newfoundland could provide the sailors for Canada's ships if they were needed. The illustration, showing the rugged fishermen of Newfoundland land signaling from the crags to some ship in distress off their coast, shows the reason for Mr. McGrath's assertion. Few sea coasts are more full of peril than the precipitous crags of Newfoundland.

W. T. WHITEHEAD FAIL TO RAISE LEFT \$88,350 MONEY FOR MEXICO

Paris, Dec. 1.-The efforts of the Mexican government to raise money in Europe to meet the interest on its obligations falling due in January have failed. The Paris and London banks, which took \$800,000 of the loan authorized by the Mexican congress in the balance given to Man Whitehead, a failed and Mexican agent, have refused to advance the money for the present, even for a few million.

Bequests to Each of Two Daughters and the Balance to His Wife
Frederick, N. B., Dec. 18.-The will of the late Wm. T. Whitehead was admitted to probate this afternoon before Judge Bliss. The estate was probated at \$88,350, which \$80,000 is personal property. Small bequests are made to each of the two daughters and the balance goes to Man Whitehead, who is named as executor. F. B. Carvell is solicitor.

It was a street-car conductor's duties in the church of which was a member to take up the collection one day, and as it happened, his first experience of such duties. He has a little nervousness about the matter, but he is sure to feel about as usual.

There were several children in the front row. Each put in a penny. The person in the next seat also contributed something each.

A big, glib fellow sat alone in the front row. He had a little nervousness about the matter, but he is sure to feel about as usual.

Thereupon our friend, the conductor, stepped, put up his hand as if to jerk the bell cord and said: "Well, you'll have to get off." - National Monthly.

MARRIAGES
COGGSWELL-DONNER - At St. John West on Wednesday evening, December 17, by Rev. A. J. Archibald, B. S. Coggswell, in the presence of Miss M. P. Lawlor, daughter of William Doner of West St. John.

DEATHS
HARRINGTON-In this city on the 17th inst., Daniel Harrington, in the 80th year of his age.
Funeral on Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the residence of his niece, Miss M. P. Lawlor, 88 St. Patrick street. Friends invited to attend.

GORHAM-In this city on the 17th inst., Milton S. Gorham, aged 28 years, leaving father, mother, one sister and four brothers to mourn.
Funeral Saturday at Brown's Place. SLIPP - At Central Hamperstead on December 17, William W. Slipp, in the 55th year of his age, leaving a wife, two sons and two daughters to mourn the loss of a loving husband and devoted father.

Funeral on Friday afternoon at two o'clock from his late residence, Central Hamperstead, Friends and acquaintances invited to attend.
MCKEE-At Mispe, on the 16th inst., Margaret McKee, widow of the late Thos. McKee, leaving four sons and one daughter to mourn.
Funeral Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence of her son-in-law, Joseph Stanley, Mispe. Friends and acquaintances invited to attend.

IN MEMORIAM
CAREY-In loving memory of our darling Elmina May Carey, who departed this life on Dec. 18, 1901.
Twelve years have passed and o'er how quickly time has flown.
But a few more years will hasten us to that Bright and Shining Shore,
Where Jesus reigns in glory, our Home for ever more.
We will meet our darling Mina to part from her no more.
MOTHER.

LOCAL NEWS

Turkey supper at Wanamaker's tonight.
W. H. Hayward Co. will be open every evening until Christmas.

Our show rooms will be open every night from now till Christmas.-St. John Railway Company.
Our boys' velocipedes have arrived.-W. H. Thorne & Co.

Old Folks' concert at St. Philip's church, 8 1/2 p.m.; admission 10c.
Two lbs. Candy, 15c; 5 lbs. chocolates and creams, 50c.-Phillips' store.

QUEENS RINK OPENING
Will take place on Saturday afternoon. Phone the rink and season tickets will be sent to any address.-Main 720.

HATS FOR XMAS AT BARGAIN
The Model Millinery week-end stock-taking sale continues Friday morning all day closing prices.-27 Canterbury street.

KEEPING IT UP
The Halifax Chronicle continues to assert that actual tests have shown the superiority of Halifax over St. John as a mail port, although no such fair test has yet been made.

Lobsters at Wanamaker's tonight.
COMING TO ST. JOHN
Charlottetown Patriot.-Nine of the carpenters employed here in the reconstruction of St. Dunstan's cathedral with Messrs. John Metcalf Company, left this morning for St. John, N. B., where the boys are erecting granite conveyors.

Gift umbrellas; why not? Davala's Umbrella Shop. We have others 25c up. 5265-12-20

THE PRICE OF HOGS
Charlottetown Patriot.-The price of hogs in Charlottetown today fell to 10 1/2 cents, a drop of one quarter of a cent since last market day. The decline it is understood, is due to a large offering of Western Canada hogs to the packers in Nova Scotia and New Brunswick, at a lower price than island hogs.

Turkey supper at Wanamaker's every evening 6 to 7.
THE GIFT STORE FOR MEN
If You Buy It Here, He Will Surely Like It.
Our store is full of helpful suggestions and you will find you can buy more for your money when you buy here than you can elsewhere. Come in and let us solve the Xmas problem. Shop with Mr. Henderson, Hunt, 17-19 Charlotte street.

Lobsters at Wanamaker's tonight.
DANIEL HARRINGTON DEAD
The death of Daniel Harrington occurred last evening. He was eighty years of age and was a native of Kent who had spent most of his life in St. John. He lived with his niece, Miss J. P. Lawlor, 88 St. Patrick street. Mrs. Thomas McEwen of this city also is a niece and Michael Lawlor and James Russell of this city are nephews. The funeral will be held at 2:30 tomorrow afternoon.

SOUTH AFRICA SAILINGS
J. T. Knight & Company, local agents for the Dundee Steamship Line, announced this morning the winter sailings of their South African steamers, beginning with the Osceola, which will leave on Monday. The sailings will be as follows:-
Osceola ... Dec. 20
Falls of Nith ... Dec. 20
Kaduna ... Feb. 20
Benin ... Apr. 20

DEATH OF YOUNG MAN
The death of Milton S. Gorham occurred last night at the General Public Hospital. He was about 28 years of age and had been engaged in stammering on the river, having been an engineer on a tug. He contracted typhoid fever and after an illness of three weeks passed away last night. His parents, Captain Alfred J. and Mrs. Gorham survived, with one sister and four brothers, all residing at Brown's Place where burial will take place on Saturday.

PERSONALS
Miss Audrey Ross arrived home last evening from the University of Mount Allison, to spend the Christmas vacation with her father, L. R. Ross, terminal agent for the C. P. in Canada.
Dr. W. S. Carter, chief superintendent of education for New Brunswick, is a passenger on the West coast steamer, express last evening.
Central Herald.-F. A. Stephens of this city is in St. John, N. B., Apr. 20.
Mrs. John H. Owen of Eastport, Maine, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Jane Proctor, 284 Brussels street.
Miss Alice Campbell, of Seckville, is a guest of Miss Wheaton, Duke street.

DEMOCRATS TO TALK OVER OWNERSHIP OF TELEGRAPHS AND PHONES
Washington, D. C., Dec. 18.-Postmaster-General Burleson's declaration for the principle of government ownership of telegraphs and telephones, as outlined in his annual report just made public, undoubtedly will be followed by a democratic caucus in the house in January, which will decide how far the project is to be made an administration policy in congress.
President Wilson is giving the project careful study, and administration supporters say he has not pressed it upon congress at this time because of the enormous expense involved. A preliminary move is the congressional authorization to the postmaster-general to make report on the feasibility of acquiring the lines for a government monopoly.
Representative Lewis, who was foremost among the congressional leaders who worked out the parcel post, had prepared a bill on the new subject, but will give way to an administration measure backed by Chairman Moon of the house postoffice committee.

GRAND DUKE ON STAND
Denies Charges in Magazine and Apology Was Presented
London, Dec. 18.-The Grand Duke Boris of Russia, a cousin of the Emperor of Russia, took the witness stand today to rebut allegations of misconduct and cowardice brought against him in a magazine article in connection with which he had brought suit for libel against the Frank A. Munsey Company. The suit has been settled out of court but the grand duke wished to clear his character publicly. He swore that there was no foundation for the libel. He denied he had been guilty of misconduct and testified that he had been constantly under fire for a fortnight in the war with Japan and had been decorated by General Kurupakin with the order of St. Anne for his courage and had since been repeatedly honored.

CUSTOMS HOUSE ELEVATOR
The work of installing an up-to-date electric elevator in the Customs House was begun this morning. It will connect all six floors from the basement to Water street to the roof. The need of an apparatus of this kind has long been felt.

Art Candle Shades And Decorated Candles

We are showing a complete line of Shades in a variety of designs and colors.
Price 15 Cts. to \$1.25 Each
See our display of Miniature Candle Sticks, Rosebud Holders, Tapers, etc. for decoration purposes.
Our store will be open evenings until Xmas beginning Thursday.

O. H. WARWICK CO., LIMITED
78-82 KING STREET

NOT YET AGREED ON TERMS OF VOTE

Liquor Men and Antis Have Differing Propositions For Saskatchewan Plebiscite

Regina, Sask., Dec. 18.-The terms of the plebiscite on liquor are not yet decided. The licensed victuallers demand that the minimum affirmative vote necessary to provide for abolition of the bar should be not less than 60,000 and that compensation for license holders be provided in the event of the bill passing or a period of several years allowed to elapse before the bringing of the bill into effect.

The anti-liquor men say that if the minimum affirmative vote be placed at 20,000 they will agree to poll a ten per cent larger vote than the supporters of the liquor interests. Their alternative proposition was to secure a bare majority and place the minimum affirmative vote at 40,000.

The government has suggested 50,000 as the minimum vote.
Power of proclamation to prohibit the importation of liquor into the settlements of the northern hinterland will be vested in the lieutenant governor-in-council, under the terms of an amendment to the liquor license act, carried in the legislature on Monday. The act will not apply to the north country as a whole, but it will be left to the discretion of the government, wherever prohibition is considered necessary in the interest of the community, to issue a proclamation defining the exact limits of prohibition.

IS REMEMBERED HERE
The following item clipped from the Boston Globe of December 16, 1913, is read with interest by people in St. John:
Salmon, Dec. 15.-A successful flight of a lander hydro-biplane made today by C. F. Montague Chambers. The machine was made by Mr. Montague Chambers from patterns designed by R. B. Andrews of Boston and constructed for a syndicate of Boston men, which includes Professor A. A. Merrill of the Institute of Technology. It is designed for scientific research and demonstrations in aeronautics.

FOODER AND PASTURE PLANTS
While wheat is peopling the prairies, the success of farming in the other portions of the west depends upon fodder crops. Without live stock no agricultural country can long hope to succeed, and the success of the farmer depends upon the more prosperous will the industry become. Even the sections that are famous for their stock raising are feeling the need of live stock and suitable fodders from which to make meat and milk. According to the report of the United States Department of Agriculture, the total of the improved land of Canada is under fodder and forage crops. This once rendered valuable reliable information bearing on these necessary adjuncts to successful farming. Requiring for wheat the seed commissionaire, by direction of Hon. Martin Burrell, minister of agriculture, has with the assistance of Mr. Oscar Walle, dominion agronomist, prepared a companion book to "Farm Weeds of Canada," entitled "Fodder and Pasture Plants." This admirable work, which will undoubtedly occupy the position of an authority for wheat seed dividers, fodder plants into grasses and leguminous plants, and describes the characteristics of each. It then takes up the practical work of growing these crops before entering upon a study of the various fodders grown in Canada, and concluding with the way to supply live stock with such a way as to supply authentic information that may prove interesting and helpful to farmers, students of agriculture, and others who may be interested in the subject.

CONGRESSMEN DEBATE QUESTION OF A NEW RAILWAY IN ALASKA
Washington, Dec. 18.-Spirited debate in the house yesterday marked the consideration of a bill for a government owned railway in Alaska. Advocates of the measure described the project to build 700 miles of railroad from the southern coast of Alaska to the rich coal fields in the interior, while its opponents argue that the cost would be much greater than the committee had estimated, and "the game was not worth the candle."

The debate is to be resumed on next Wednesday, unless congress has adjourned for the Christmas holidays in the meantime.

DIRECT COMMUNICATION ON HOME RULE MATTER
London, Dec. 18.-Premier Asquith opened direct communication this week with Lord Lansdowne and Andrew Bonar Law on the subject of home rule. Hereofore the tentative of a settlement have been between others, notably Winston Spencer Churchill and Austen Chamberlain.

Nothing so far has been effected in the way of an agreement but the prime minister's direct invitation for suggestions marks another step in the negotiations.

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25 Charlotte St., 283 Main St.;
Liverpool Street, Toronto;
109 Union St., West.

LATE SHIPPING

Arrived Today
Star Franking, 876, Kjobenhavn, Apalachicola, Fla., Wm Thomson & Co., lumber, J. A. Likely & Co.
Star Kanawha, 2492, Kellman, London, Wm Thomson & Co., gen cargo.
Star Scotia Queen, 108, Maritimes, New York, A. W. Adams, 202 tons coal for T. McAvity & Sons.
Coastwise-Star John L. Cann, 77, MacKinnon, Westport; Connors Bros, 64, Warrack, Chace Harbor; schr Ruby, 18, O'Donnell, Musquash.

Cleared Today
Star Saturnus, 5404, Taylor, Glasgow, Robert Reid Co., pass and mail.
Schr Rebecca M Walls, 576, Ward, City Island, I. O., C. M. Kerrison, 2,600, 100 bbls for Wm Thomson & Co.
Coastwise-Star John L. Cann, 77, MacKinnon, Westport; schr Ruby, 15, O'Donnell, Musquash.

Imports
Imports per star Chlotilde Cunon, from New York, arrived this morning. C. B. Allan, 1 c glassware; G. Barbour, 60 c canned oysters; G. Bent & Son, 15 c currants; Baird & Peters, 100 c currants; Brock & Paterson, 1 bale lat net; Can Fairbanks Co, 2 iron pulleys, 4 pigs machinery; H. W. Cole, 25 pigs currants, 25 pigs dates; Concan & Sheehan, 10 c whiskey; J. P. Estabrook & Co, 28 box dates; Montreal News Co, 19 pigs magazines; Nat Drug Co, 2 c dental cream, 1 c bottles, 1 bag drugs, 8 box Dr. Fry's Cream; Fort Co, 400 pigs nitrate soda; P. W. Morrison, 25 box dates, 10 box minims; Robertson, F. S., 6 c balsam black; A. O. Skinner, 1 c bay beds; O. H. Warwick, 3 pigs glass; F. E. Williams & Co, 20 box currants.

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LOCAL BASEBALL

The Plan to Get St. John Into New England League

WOULD BE BIG THING

Fred Lake Secures New Bedford Purchase and if we Can Get in at All it Would Be By That Route

A few weeks ago, it will be remembered, the Times announced that the matter of putting St. John on a higher baseball plane was being considered...

Success in the project can not be attained merely by expressing the wish and submitting the proposal to the league powers. Much more has to be done and at that the question will still be in doubt...

If the plan worked and St. John secured the franchise, it would mean some four visits here during the season by each of the seven other clubs and four trips away for the home team...

One thing seems assured, that St. John will have good baseball next season and it is expected that early arrangements will be made for a conference on the matter of a maritime league with this city, Fredericton, Moncton, New Glasgow, Amherst and Halifax...

TAKING OFF THE DUTY (Summerside Pioneer) Amongst other items, the Journal respectfully asks our prayerful consideration of the following:

What earthly difference would it make to wipe out Canada's duty on wheat when she exports ten times as much of this foodstuff as she consumes?

The farmers of the West know well enough what difference it would make to them; but, for the purposes of Prince Edward Island, let us substitute the word "potatoes" for "wheat".

Too much stress cannot be laid upon the admission to all persons affected by the earlier stages of throat and lung trouble, as failure to take hold at once will cause many years of suffering, and in the end that terrible scourge "Consumption."

Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup is without an equal for all affections of the Throat and Lungs.

Price, 25 and 50 cents. Manufactured only by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

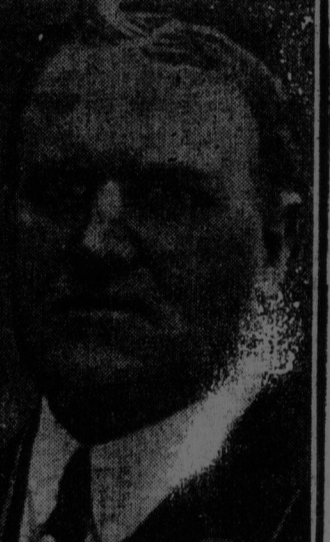
CAUSE AND EFFECT (St. Andrews Beacon) This is the third winter under the new government of Canada, and the Montreal Mail (Ind.) says it is "the worst winter in years."

A SKI-JORING OUTFIT



Consisting of a pure cashmere pull-over-head sweater, Engadine waterproof cloth skirt, and cap in a billiard green shade, the puttees and the knickerbocker of the same color, the scheme completed with waterproof cape, gloves and black ash.

NEW HEAD OF NATIONAL LEAGUE



Governor J. K. Tester, chief executive of Pennsylvania, and now head of the National Baseball League at a salary of \$25,000 a year.

Two Doctors Said He Had Consumption.

DR. WOOD'S NORWAY PINE SYRUP CURED HIM.

Mrs. John Ellis, St. John's West, Ont., writes: "My little boy was very bad with whooping cough and severe cold. I went to two doctors with him, and they said he had Consumption. I could get no relief for him, he would cough all night long, with a dry hacking cough."

I was persuaded to try Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup, and was surprised to see the first bottle did him good. I have had five bottles, and they cured him, he rests well at night now, and is well and hearty. If he gets a cold we always give him Pine Syrup and he is soon better. I did not think I could raise him, but I am thankful to say Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup saved him from being a consumptive."

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- Ladies' - - - From 25c to \$2.25
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Girls' - - - From 20c to \$1.50
Boys' - - - From 25c to \$1.50
Children's - - - From 15c to \$1.00
Infants' - - - From 25c to 75c

Come In and See Our Large Assortment. Open Every Evening Until Christmas. Francis & Vaughan 19 KING STREET

HAD TO STOP WORK FROM THE PAIN

Suffered Ten Years Until "Fruit-tives" Cured Him

St. Thomas, Ont., May 22nd, 1914. "I was troubled for ten years with the most distressing Constipation and Indigestion of the worst form. No one could have been worse with this trouble than I was for this long time. The pain from Indigestion was so severe that many times, I have had to stop work and lie down until the acute spasms passed away."

I took a lot of medicine—in fact, I guess I took about everything that was advertised—and gave them all a fair test—but got no relief. About a year ago, however, I was advised to try "Fruit-tives" I am mighty glad I did so for they seem to be made exactly for me.

They gave results in a very short time and I am now free from these diseases and enjoying perfect health. My wife also used "Fruit-tives" and we both think they are the best medicine ever made.

Z. J. EDGEWORTH. 50c. a box, 6 for \$2.50, trial size, 25c. At all druggists or sent on receipt of price by Fruit-tives, Limited, Ottawa.

BIG ENGLISH GRAND OPERA COMPANY FOR CANADIAN TOUR

A cable has been received to the effect that the Quinton English Grand Opera Company sailed on Monday, December 15, on the S. S. Makara from Sydney en route for Vancouver, where they will commence their first Canadian tour.

This colossal organization consists of 200 members, including their own special orchestra of sixty instrumentalists, and 500 tons of scenery and baggage. The Quinton Company will be seen in this city early in the New Year.

YOUTHFUL APPEARANCE An Asset to Every Woman

Gray Hairs a Source of Discontent Every woman wishes to look young always. Gray hairs mean the passing of youth's charm. They are the source of many a heartache to many and many a woman. But they can be kept away by Hair Health restorer gray hair to its natural color. It is not a dye.

By its tonic qualities, by promoting a new vigorous healthy growth of the hair, by removing dandruff, by furnishing to the scalp and the hair-roots a new life it brings back the real color and lustre of the hair.

It offers a fair trial according to directions. It fails to do this we will refund your money \$10, 20c. Get it at our store.

NEW BRIDGE ON MIRAMICHI

A Newcastle despatch says:—The Incorporated authorities have decided to erect a bridge over the Miramichi between Chathamford and Millerton, and surveys are being made. The bridge will be a great convenience to the people in the Chathamford section, and will entirely do away with any inconvenience they may have experienced by the railway at Millerton, from which they can reach both Newcastle and Chatham, whereas the old service took them to Chatham only and that at most inconvenient hours.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

By local applications, as they cannot reach the cause of deafness, and that by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by the condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian tube, and the inflammation of the middle ear. It is not a cure, but a relief. We will give One Hundred Dollars to any person who can cure deafness. Send for prospectus.

G. T. P. SEEKS LOAN OF \$10,000,000 IN LONDON MARKET

London, Dec. 15.—A further big call for investment funds is announced in the shape of an issue of £2,000,000 seven-year five per cent secured notes of the Grand Trunk Pacific, issued at 97, dated March 2, 1914, and due March 2, 1921.

The notes are guaranteed by the Grand Trunk and also further secured by a deposit of trustee £3,000,000 Grand Trunk Pacific 4 per cent debenture stock, the value of which at the present market price is £2,520,000.

BIG FARES OF FISH AT YARMOUTH

(Halifax Chronicle) Yarmouth, Dec. 15.—The fish exports from Yarmouth last week did not reach the high figure of several weeks before that. They totalled in value about \$25,000.

The principal items were 381 boxes bonneted cod, 1223 packages salt fish, 88 barrels mackerel, 120 barrels salt herring, 58 cases pickled fish, 6 barrels cod oil, 40 packages mussels, 16 barrels oysters, 188 cases fresh fish, 46 boxes haddies, 108 barrels clams.

Never since the Consumers' Fish Company started operations here has there been so much fish afloat as there is today. The arrivals have been the Dobby schooner Loran B. Snow, Dorothy G. Snow and Myrtle L., with 15,000, 20,000 and 10,000 respectively, and the American fishing schooner Morning Star Ruth and Pontiac, with 12,000, 5,000 and 6,000 pounds. The Dobby and Loran sold to the Consumers' The Myrtle has not sold yet, and the American vessel will transship. In addition to these 25,000 pounds have arrived by schooner from the south shore all for the Consumers.

Halifax, Dec. 16.—More than 100,000 pounds of cod and haddock are being received daily at the plant of the North Atlantic Fisheries at Port Hawkesbury, C. B. The steamer trawler St. Leonard arrived at Port Hawkesbury, C. B. one day last week with 175,000 pounds of cod and haddock. This trawler is high line of the Nova Scotia fleet.

MORNING NEWS OVER THE WIRES

Dominion contracts have been awarded to S. R. Gaudy & O. Dupont for construction building and platform at College Bridge, N. B., to cost \$4,500; to McLeod & Sumner for freight shed at Westville, N. S., \$1,750 and to J. Sumner Co. for water heating, Oxford, N. S., \$800.

The marine and fisheries department has received a report on the fisheries in the St. Lawrence estuary. The salmon fishery is especially valuable and may rival that of British Columbia.

The North Vancouver branch of the Bank of B. N. A. is short \$11,000. Suspicion rests upon a clerk who secured leave to get married and has overstayed his leave.

The new Allan liner Albatross, in her second trip on the Clyde service, opened of 24.8 knots over a measured mile; this is 1.7 knots over the contract stipulation.

The Co-operative Oystermen's Association of Prince Edward Island was organized yesterday. The membership includes both fishermen and representatives of the companies. The object of the association is to eliminate the conflict between the fishermen and the producing companies, one of the causes of trouble being the rule that private companies could commence work on September 1, while fishermen on public beds could not begin until October 1.

A commission has been appointed in New Hampshire to examine into the sanity of Henry Thaw and to determine whether his liberty, under bail, would be dangerous to public safety.

TRAIN FACILITIES FOR EMPRESSES WERE NOT SATISFACTORY TO C. P. R.

The C. P. R. has found it necessary to complain to the I. C. R. regarding the train facilities provided at Halifax for the Empress steamers. The Halifax surveyor board work taking a telegram from Mr. Bosworth announcing that the I. C. R. authorities have promised to remove the cause of dissatisfaction.

SCHOONER DAMAGED IN COLLISION WITH STREAMER

City Island, N. Y., Dec. 15.—Schooner Nechawic from Northington, Maine, via New London for New York, was in collision with Execution Rock on Tuesday night. The steamer Nechawic was in the Province Line and had bowsprit, jib-boom and all head gear carried away. The schooner was damaged and yesterday morning in tow of tug John Fuller.

The Police Investigation

Commissioner McLellan's report on the police investigation will be discussed at a special meeting of the common council this afternoon. The proposed by-law with reference to the exclusive use of lip rolls in the city for street cleaning will be brought up later. Negotiations in regard to the Dominion Coal Co. pocket have not progressed since the last meeting, although the coal company is making arrangements for the protection of the ferry passengers from the dust nuisance.

Prof. MacKinnon Improving

The condition of Prof. Clarence MacKinnon, of Pine Hill College, who was operated upon several weeks ago, continues to improve. Mr. MacKinnon is still at the hospital, but it is expected he will have recovered sufficiently to be removed to his home before Christmas.

Nerves Were So Bad THOUGHT SHE WOULD GO OUT OF HER MIND.

Diseases of the nervous system are very common. All the organs of the body may be sound while the nerve centers may be affected. Many women become run down and worn out by household cares and duties never ending, and sooner or later find themselves with the nerves shattered, and the heart action weakened. On the first sign of any weakness of either the heart or nerves, flagging energy, or physical breakdown, do not wait until your case becomes hopeless. Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills will quieten the nerves, strengthen the heart and build up the entire system. Mrs. Archie Goodine, Tilley, N.B., writes:—"When I was troubled with my heart two years ago, I was very bad. My nerves were so unstrung that sometimes I would almost go out of my mind. I doctored myself with everything I could get, until at last I got four boxes of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, and they have cured me. I cannot express too highly of this wonderful remedy, and will recommend it to all sufferers."

Price, 50 cents per box, or 3 boxes for \$1.25, at all dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

Wolgast to Try Again This Week

(FROM T. S. ANDREWS)



Milwaukee, Dec. 16.—Ad Wolgast is still tough, even though his hands were battered to pieces. While he has been doing exceptional work of late, his opponent being with Johnny Dundee in New Orleans, but it was merely one of those no-decision arguments and soon forgotten. On form Wolgast should have it on White, but from the improvement shown by the Chicago lad of late, I look for him to give Ad the hardest kind of a fight. Unless Ad can land some of those famous left hand hooks he is liable to find himself out-pointed at the end of ten rounds.

A victory for White over Wolgast would mean that the Chicago boy would bring him into the big money. It would bring him into the big money. In his match with Leach Cross, Joe Rivara and such boys would be in order. It is a pretty good bet that John Kilbane, the feather weight champion, would be willing to match with him at the light weight limit. White and Kilbane would make a swell match and would attract a lot of attention. John Kilbane may be a little better than the other boys.

TAKE SALTS TO FLUSH KIDNEYS

Eat Less Meat if You Feel Back-ache or Have Bladder Trouble

Meat forms uric acid which excites and overworks the kidneys in their efforts to filter it from the system. Regular eaters of meat must flush the kidneys occasionally. You must relieve them like you relieve your bowels; removing all the acids, waste and poison, else you feel a dull misery in the kidney region, sharp pains in the back or sick headache, dizziness, your stomach sour, tongue is coated and when the weather is bad you have rheumatic twinges. The uric is cloudy, full of sediments, the channels often get irritated, obliging you to get up two or three times during the night.

To neutralize these irritating acids and flush off the body's urinous waste get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any pharmacy; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before each meal for a few days and your kidneys will act fine and bladder disorders disappear. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to clean and stimulate sluggish kidneys and stop bladder irritation. Jad Salts is inexpensive, harmless and makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which millions of men and women take now and then, thus avoiding serious kidney and bladder diseases.

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It is guaranteed to grow hair or your money back.

The time to take care of your hair is when you have hair to take care of. If your hair is getting thin, gradually falling out, it cannot be long before the spot appears. The greatest remedy to stop the hair from falling is SALVIA, the Great American Hair Grower, first discovered in England. SALVIA furnishes an anesthetic to the hair roots and acts quickly that people are amazed. And remember, it destroys the dandruff germ, the little pest that saps life that should go to the hair from its roots.

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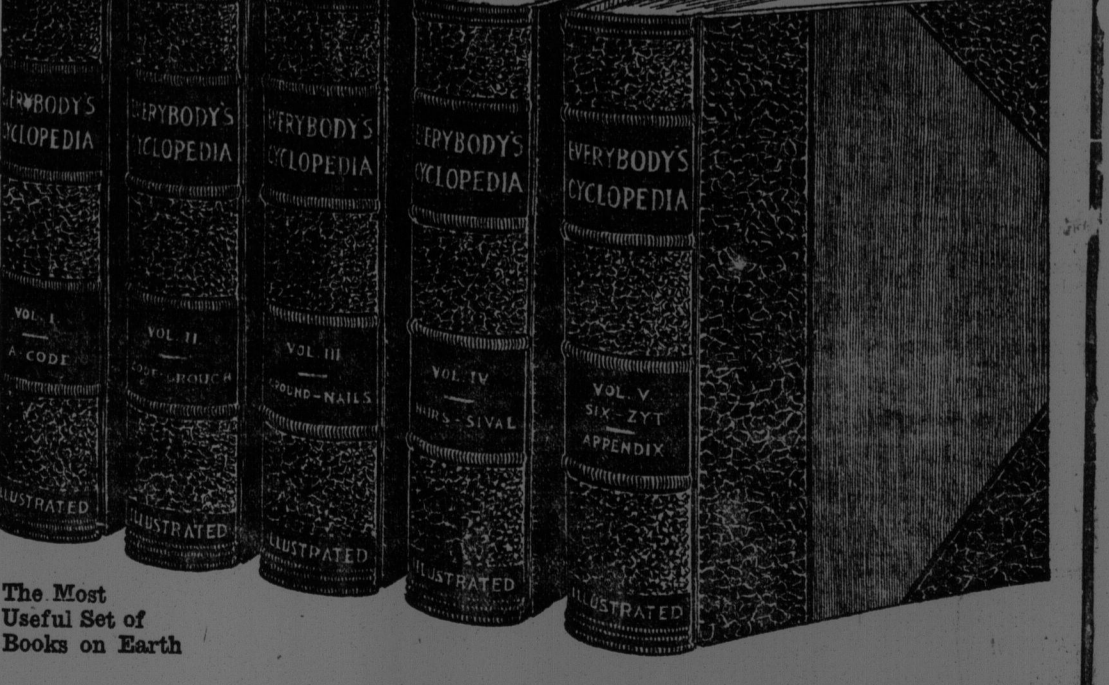
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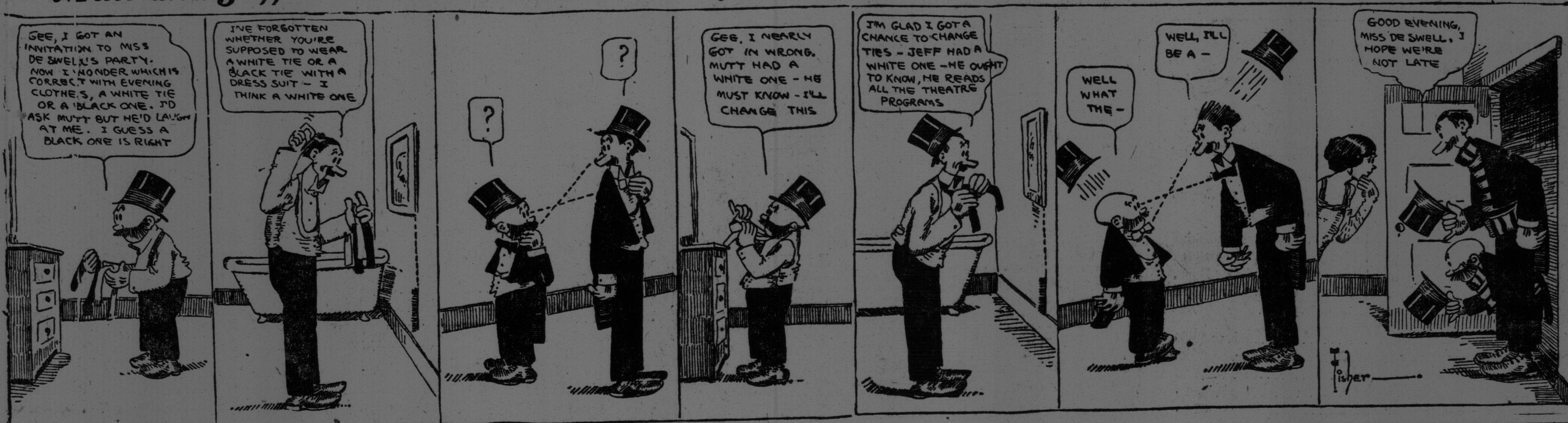
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TODAY BY THE TELEGRAPH AND TIMES

USE THE WANT AD WAY



Mutt and Jeff Get an Invitation to a Very Swell Affair .. .. . By "Bud" Fisher



SPORT NEWS OF A DAY, HOME AND ABROAD

Commercial League. McAvity & Sons took three points in Emerson & Fisher in the Commercial League on Black's alley last night, the score being 1241 to 1234.

Wanders Down Nationals. The City League on Black's last night. Wanderers took all four points in the Nationals, scoring 1277 to their opponents' 1244.

Two-Min Tournament. Stevens and McDonald took the whole points from Labbe and Featherstone in the two-min tournament on the Victoria alley last evening.

Kelly Wins Roll Off. With a score of 104 Vincent Kelly won roll off on the Victoria alley last night.

RESTLING. For Christmas Afternoon. Following a letter published in one of yesterday morning's papers, Dan McDonald yesterday wired Champion Samerson offering him a match on Christmas afternoon, which Anderson promptly accepted.

NEW BRUNSWICK LEAGUE. Fredericton, N. B., Dec. 17.—(Special.) A new Brunswick hockey league was held here this afternoon, and is composed of the following teams: Fredericton, Chatham and Campbell.

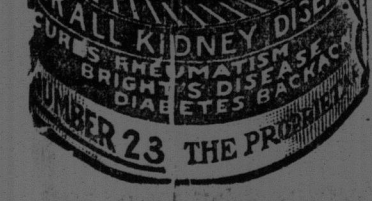
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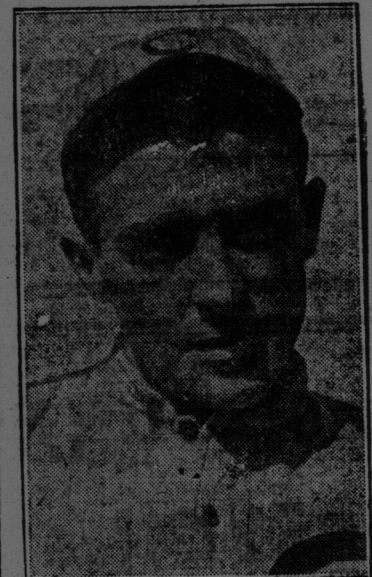
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Pocket Knives. Every one likes a good Pocket Knife. We have over 200 patterns for you to select from, in every size, style and quality.

Pearl Handle Knives from \$2.00 to \$7.00. Stag Handle Knives \$2.50 to \$2.00. Celluloid Handle Knives \$2.50 to \$1.00. McAvity Jack Knives \$3.50, 50c, and \$1.00.

Razors. An "old style" razor is preferred by many shavers; and, if "he" is an adept at the shaving game, you cannot go wrong in choosing a gift of this sort.

McAvity's Special Razor: Black Handle \$1.25. White Handle \$1.50. Golden Dispatch Razor \$1.50 and \$1.75.

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Day, on Robinson Field, the National League baseball park. THE RING. Ritchie and Murphy. San Francisco, Dec. 17.—Willie Ritchie and Harlem Tommy Murphy were matched to fight for the lightweight championship Friday, January 23.

WE ARE AMBITIOUS. St. Andrews Beacon.—If the harbor of St. John were only half as big as the ambitions of the people of that fine old city, what a magnificent national port it would make!

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LATIN WITH THE ACCENT OF A LONDON COCKNEY

"Spirits" at London Seance Remarkable For Same Quality of Voice. The London correspondent of the New York Sun was permitted to attend a seance of Sir Alfred Turner's "wonderful medium" Cecil Husk, at Peckham on Dec. 14.

A circle of ten persons, including Sir Alfred and Lady Duff Gordon, one of the passengers saved from the Titanic, sat in a darkened room in Husk's house and clasped hands around a table. Four loose his hair and touch anything, the seance as interpreted. The seance lasted three hours.

The voice announced that the spirit of the Cardinal Newman was about to appear. A phosphorescent cross was visible within the circle. A deep voice was heard exclaiming "God bless you!" Then came a Latin benediction, intoned in an accent far removed from the scholarly Oxford Latin used by Cardinal Newman. The classic tongue as pronounced by the spirit, bore a remarkable resemblance to the coterie dialect of Whitechapel, especially in the management of the aspirants. The supposed acolyte then sang. It was thought that he was singing a Latin or Greek hymn.

Mr. Hearst certainly like to send you his regards. Stead seemed to be almost baffled. What surprised the correspondent most was the fact that he drew in his breath and exclaimed it for a minute. As he faded away his "God bless you," was as fervent as that of Cardinal Newman, but it was uttered in a volcanic voice.

William T. Stead was then announced. A form appeared. It had a beard. To the correspondent of the Sun who knew Stead intimately, this was the only point of resemblance between the man and the materialization. The voice was much like Stead's as chalk is like cheese. A person who was sitting next to the correspondent said:

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A man one day became the proud father of twins. The christening ceremony arrangements were made and he was instructed by his wife that the babies' names were "Kate" and "Sidney". While making his way to the church, repeating the names "Kate" and "Sidney" he was met by several friends, who wished to drink to the babies' health. By the time all paid for a round the proud father was a wee bit mixed. He arrived at the church in good time, but when the clergyman asked for the names of the children: Daddy replied: "Steak and Kidney." Charles W. Chamberlain who went into bankruptcy twenty years ago in St. Louis, Mo. has returned from Arizona and paid off \$25,000 in debts which were many years ago outlawed and declared uncollectible.

AMUSEMENTS

Santa Claus and the Funny Animals at 3.45 Daily. ANOTHER HANDSOME CHAP SAVES MARY. Captain Bradford Not the Only Toad in This Love-Puddle.

IMPERIAL. "OH YOU SPLIT SKIRT!" A Biograph Police Farce. "PRONEY SHERLOCK HOLMES" In Another Biograph Hoax.

AT 3.45--"SANTA CLAUS IN JUNGLELAND" A Magnificent Scene! Pastimes for Old and Young Delight For Children. Big Laugh For Adults.

THE FAMOUS TROUPE OF ANIMAL IMITATORS SHOWS--THE TROPICAL TRIO. PATHE WEEKLY. Native Fetes in Far-off India. Some Big European Events. News of This Continent in Film. Some Unique Events in South.

OPERA HOUSE. Will Be Closed For Repairs Dec. 22-23-24.

Thompson-Woods Stock Co. Dec. 25, 26 and 27th With Christmas and Saturday Matinees. THE CHARITY BALL. By David Belasco.

See "THE DAWN OF A TOMORROW" This Week. Big Production at Small Prices. 10-25-35-50c. Evenings at 8.15. Sat. Matinee at 2.30.

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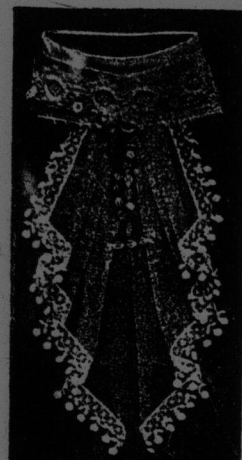
GUS CARNEY in Esquasy Western Comedy "SOPHIE'S NEW FOREMAN". H. W. Burnham Leading Gem Orchestra in New Hits.

Santa Claus Next Week!! Special Holiday Pictures Each Afternoon Until Wednesday--Big Christmas Programme. Free Gifts To The Kiddies!! Jolly Old St. Nich will be at the door himself to greet you with a present. A gay time for the youngsters.

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The following items will give you an idea of the moderate prices we are quoting on suitable Xmas gift-things:

- Lamb's Wool Slipper Socks, Pair 25c, 28c, 30c.
Stamped Linens, 10c, 20c, 25c, 28c, 30c, 35c, 40c, 50c, 55c.
Cushion Forms, 60c, 75c.
Cushion Covers, 25c, 50c.
Neck Chains, Bar Pins, Collar Pins—Pearl and Enamel and Gift, 15c, 20c, 25c, 35c, 45c, 50c.
Fancy Tea Aprons, 25c. to 75c.
White Lawn Aprons (with bib), 25c. to 60c.
Overall Aprons (in light and dark colors), 65c, 75c, 85c.
Black Satene Aprons, 85c.
Children's Fur Sets (Collar and Muff), \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50.
Women's Imitation Persian Lamb Sets—(Stole and Muff), Set \$3.75, \$4.50, \$6.50.

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IN THE COURTS

Charles McNeil, Before Judge Forbes, Is Discharged

COURTENAY BAY MATTER

May Settle Bank Case—Proceedings in Matter Under Absconding Debtors' Act—Florence Breaden Estate

The case of the King vs. Charles McNeil came up before Judge Forbes this morning under the Speedy Trials Act. The prisoner pleaded not guilty to a charge of stealing from Bulgarians at Courtenay Bay. The evidence taken in the police court was quite lengthy, and it was agreed that the depositions should be read instead of going into the evidence again. This was done and the prisoner then took the stand in his own defence. He denied absolutely having any connection with the thefts complained of. His Honor said that he believed the prisoner's story and acquitted him of the charge. McNeil was then discharged. C. H. Ferguson appeared for the prosecution and J. A. Barry for the defence.

Chancery Division The case of the Bank of Nova Scotia vs. Harris came up this morning before Mr. Justice McLeod, and was adjourned until this afternoon at three o'clock, with the hope of a settlement being made in the meantime.

Absconding Debtor Act. Proceedings have been commenced against John Pitavich, under the act respecting absconding debtors. It was said that this man, who formerly kept a candy and fruit store in Brussels street, left the city on the 6th instant, and on the same day, an hour or so before he left, made an absolute transfer of his business to his brother, Vladis Pitavich, who has since been conducting the business. The store has been closed and the stock seized by the sheriff, on a warrant of Judge Forbes. Dr. W. B. Wallace, K. C., is acting for the creditors. It is understood that Vladis Pitavich upholds the validity of the transfer, and will resist the effort to make the stock in the store form part of the alleged absconding debtor's estate.

Probate Court The court today took up the matter of the estate of Florence Breaden, widow of Robert Breaden, carpenter. She died last fall, leaving a daughter, Fanny Breaden, residing here; another daughter, Minnie, residing in Calgary, and one son, Joseph, of Philadelphia, a street railway conductor. On the petition of the first named, she being a resident, she was appointed administratrix. The estate was valued at \$800. J. MacMillan Treisman is executor.

PITY IF CITY LOSES IT

Unless a purchaser can be secured soon, one of St. John's industries, which has been in existence for the last twenty years—the knitting establishment of the late W. J. Parks in Colebrook, will go out of existence. The mill was established by Mr. Parks twenty years ago and was operated by him until the time of his death and from time to time he added modern machinery and other improvements, so that when the mill closed it was up-to-date in every particular.

After Mr. Parks' death the establishment was put into the hands of J. Willard Smith to dispose of for the estate and to complete several orders that were then on hand. Sufficient goods were turned out to fill the orders and the mill has since been closed. The business is a good one and was kept by Mr. Parks on a paying basis all the year round and it would be a shame to see the industry go from the city. The machinery is in perfect condition and ready for operation at a minute's notice.

ANOTHER STATEMENT OF COLONEL McLEAN'S VIEWS

(Montreal Herald) "If a reduced tariff is to give a free breakfast table then the government should put that policy into force," states Col. H. H. McLean, M. P. for St. John, who is staying at the Ritz-Carlton. Col. McLean dissents from the appointment of a commission to investigate the high cost of living. He explains that the government officials should supply the necessary information, and that the government should introduce the remedy. "Any action of the government towards a remedy will meet with the approval of the people," says Colonel McLean, "but a parliamentary committee or a committee of economists or public men will only waste time in telling us that living is higher today, but they could not give us a remedy, that is for the government to do." The Montreal Mail had a similar interview, quoting Colonel McLean as saying the situation is one for the government to deal with.

I. O. FORESTERS

Companion Court Hetherington Elects Officers for 1914. On Wednesday evening the members of Companion Court Hetherington met in regular session and the following officers were elected for the ensuing term: Mrs. D. T. Starkey, C. H. Mrs. E. M. Brooks, V. C. R. Miss Edith Barker, recording secretary. Mrs. M. A. McLeod, financial secretary. Mrs. K. Outhouse, treasurer. Miss Linnie Outhouse, orator. Miss Mabel Starkey, organist. Miss Gertrude Brown, S. W. Miss Mabel Scott, J. W. Mrs. R. Brittain, S. B. Mrs. H. Bell, J. B. Mrs. F. Miller and Mrs. R. Christie, finance committee. Mrs. E. Crabbe and Mrs. E. L. Dakin, trustees. Dr. W. F. Roberts, court physician. Arrangements are being made for the installation in January. The installing officers will be from the Royal Foresters and the high court. The court is in a splendid condition, both in membership and finances, and a successful year is predicted.

OBSERVE JUBILEE

A Big Day For Mater Misericordiae Home

HIS LORDSHIP PRESENT

Celebrates Mass and Gives Address on the Anniversary—Banquet For All at Noon and Reception in Afternoon

Many friends paid a visit today to the Mater Misericordiae Home in Sydney street when the celebration of the silver jubilee of the institution was in progress. The event was observed most appropriately and will be remembered well by the Sisters of Charity in charge of the home and those who dwell within its walls, as well as their friends amongst the Sisters who have their interest and welfare at heart.

This morning His Lordship Bishop LeBlanc celebrated mass in the pretty little chapel and afterwards was entertained at breakfast in the home. At noon banquet was held for those making their home there, and this afternoon a reception for the public was given.

At the mass this morning His Lordship was assisted by Rev. D. S. O'Keefe and Rev. M. O'Brien. There was a large gathering present, including all those residing in the institution and representatives of other religious communities. The sanctuary was prettily decorated in silver and white while the corridors and other rooms were also decorated. In the reception and dining rooms red and white, the episcopal colors, predominated.

A salient feature of the celebration was the banquet held at noon which was especially blessed by the chaplain of the institution. The public reception in the afternoon was attended by many. The visitors were received most cordially by Mother Beatrice, Mother Cecilia, and the other sisters of the home. A large electric sign over the entrance blazed forth a hearty welcome.

The mass this morning, His Lordship delivered a very pleasing discourse with reference to the festival and the interesting event commemorated. He dwelt upon the advantages of those who had their home there, and said they should be very well pleased to know that such good and kind persons as the Sisters of Charity were caring for their welfare in such an institution as the Mater Misericordiae Home, where they could obtain peace, rest and consolation. The good sisters devoted their lives entirely to those in their care, even as parents look after their children, and his successiveness having after twenty-five years was evidence of the results of their faithful and efficient labors.

The home was well kept and as capably managed as any institution of the kind in Canada. It was a home in a home, and the ordinary since in the chapel downstairs, was the Macmillan abode of God in the Blessed Sacrament and their spiritual welfare was particularly safe-guarded. In conclusion His Lordship expressed the wish that for the future the institution would prosper satisfactorily and that its progress would be as marked as was the case during the last twenty-five years. His discourse made a profound impression upon all present and was followed closely and with appreciation.

LOCAL NEWS

BANK CLEARINGS The St. John bank clearings for the week ending today were \$1,680,416; corresponding week last year, \$2,124,714.

POLICE COURT In the police court this morning one prisoner charged with drunkenness was remanded.

FOR THE POOR St. Vincent de Paul Society's annual distribution of baskets to the poor will be on next Tuesday. Ladies Auxiliary members will be in the hall, Waterloo street, all day Monday to receive donations of food stuffs, etc., from the charitable.

HARBOR DREDGING. The dredge Beacon Bar was at work in the harbor this morning operating on the Navy Island bar, near the west side ferry float.

I. C. R. ECONOMY HITS MEN. Forty junior sectionmen on the P. E. Railway have been discharged. The Charlottetown Patriot says that this piece of economy is something new, and will be very hard on the men. They are offered work on the construction of the Carleton branch, but that would take them away from their homes. The Patriot says that thirty more men are to be laid off and it vigorously denounces this phase of the Gutelius railway policy.

CARD TOURNAMENT In St. Peter's Y. M. C. A. set-back tournament last evening H. Gillen and F. McMurray won two out of three games from Joe McBratley and James McCurdy, and lost two out of three to Frank O'Donnell and Ed. O'Hara. The latter pair lost three games to Wm. Kelly and Frank Howard, while these two players in turn took three more from Ed. Hansen and H. McCarthy. Frank O'Donnell and Ed. O'Hara lost two out of three games to Joe McBratley and Jas. McCurdy, while the latter lost two out of three to H. Cleary and A. Howard.

FUNERAL OF JAMES E. WHITE The funeral of James E. White was held this afternoon and was attended by many friends. The procession formed at half-past two and proceeded from his late residence, 68 Garden street to Centenary church, where the services were conducted by Rev. W. H. Barracough, assisted by Rev. J. C. Berrie. The choir sang, O God thy Servant Depart in Peace." He made a few fitting remarks on the life of Mr. White, his untiring faith and his work as a member of Centenary church, in which he had held office for a number of years.

The body was taken to Fernhill for interment. Relatives acted as pall bearers. The floral offerings were beautiful and numerous.

The funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth J. Logan was held at 2:30 this afternoon from her late residence, 120 Chesley street, to Cedar Hill. The services were conducted by Rev. D. Hatchinson.

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Men's Suspender Sets, .75 to 2.00
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Men's Negligee Shirts, .75 to 3.00
Men's Pyjamas, 1.25 to 5.00
Men's Night Shirts, 1.00 to 2.00
Men's Lounging Robes, 3.50 to 15.00
Linen Handkerchiefs, 15 to 50
Silk Handkerchiefs, .25 to 1.00
Men's Underwear, .50 to 3.25
Men's Fancy Vests, 1.50 to 7.00
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