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# LABOR LEADERS CONDEMN THE McNAMARA BROTHERS

## Gompers Does Not Believe in Capital Punishment But Wants Investigation Con- tinued—Who was Behind Them?

### OTHER OPINIONS FAVOR THE EXTREME PENALTY.

#### Movement on Foot in Some Quarters to Have Defence Fund Given Families of the Victims.

New York, Dec. 2.—"I am not a  
hound, I am not a hound. I do not  
seek human life in punishment for any  
crime."  
This was the angry exclamation of  
Samuel Gompers tonight on his return  
from Troy, when he showed a despatch  
from Spokane stating that the Central  
Union of that city is planning a coun-  
try-wide canvass to obtain the maxi-  
mum punishment for the Los Angeles  
dynamiters. Mr. Gompers made an  
impatient gesture as he finished read-  
ing the despatch and vigorously shook  
his head.

"I do not believe in capital punish-  
ment under any circumstances," he  
continued. "I do not believe that the  
state has a right to take human life.  
This is a very unwise movement. I  
am against it."  
Mr. Gompers was also shown the  
despatches stating that the Federation  
in Indianapolis is planning a similar  
canvass. He said that the Federation  
would proceed in spite of the fact that  
the McNamaras had pleaded guilty and  
was asked if he thought there was any  
possibility of the American Federa-  
tion of Labor being involved.

"Let them go ahead. Let them go  
as high as they can," he exclaimed.  
"If there are other men above and  
below in this case, the federal investi-  
gation ought to disclose them. Let the  
federal investigation go on. If there  
was anybody behind these men their  
identity ought to be known. Person-  
ally, I cannot understand who they are,  
go money to perpetrate outrages, I  
cannot dream of who was behind  
them."

#### Want Full Penalty.

Indianapolis, Dec. 2.—That the Mc-  
Namara Brothers should be hanged  
not imprisoned, was the conviction ex-  
pressed today in statements made by  
officials of three national labor organi-  
zations that have headquarters in  
this city.

"The McNamaras took human life  
and just as in any other case the pen-  
alty should be life for life," they de-  
clared.

Frank Duffy, national secretary of  
the carpenters and joiners union, said:  
"They deluded us, and we went down  
in our pockets for them. We don't  
want such men in organized labor."  
"It is awful," said J. W. Dougherty,  
international secretary of the book-  
binders union, "but I am glad they  
are in prison. They are not humani-  
tarian, they cannot hang them up too  
high to suit me."

W. J. Spores, secretary to James  
M. Lynch, president of the interna-  
tional typographical union, who is out  
of the city, said he would speak for  
Mr. Lynch, when he said that, "Hang-  
ing was none too good for anarchists  
such as the McNamaras are."

#### Traitors to Unionism.

New York, N. Y., Dec. 2.—"They are  
traitors to the cause of union labor,"  
said Calvin Wynn, right hand man of  
Samuel Gompers in New York today,  
in discussing the case of the McNama-  
ras. Wynn, who is organizer in charge  
of the local office of the American  
Federation of Labor, was bitter in his  
denunciation of the brothers.

"They are traitors to humanity.  
There is no place in the world for  
such men. As for that, you will find  
traitors everywhere. Why, there was  
one even in Christ's chosen twelve,  
but beside the McNamaras, Judas Is-  
cariot and Benedict Arnold pale into  
insignificance."

"I do not believe in capital punish-  
ment, but if I did, I would gladly pull  
the rope about the neck of the McNamara  
myself. I hope they get the limit of the  
penalty. We believed these men were  
honest, we believed they were being  
persecuted. We now realize we made  
a very serious mistake."

#### Desire Full Penalty.

Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 2.—J. A.  
Franklin, international president of  
the Brotherhood of Boiler Makers, said  
tonight regarding the McNamara case:  
"Men who are guilty of such a  
crime, whether they are members of  
organized labor or not, deserve the  
full penalty of the law."

While he could not speak officially,  
Mr. Franklin said he favored giving  
the funds raised to defend the Mc-  
Namaras, to the widows of the men  
killed in the explosion.

Spokane, Wash., Dec. 2.—The Cen-  
tral Labor Union of Spokane is repre-  
senting 45,000 union men, is shaping  
plans for a country-wide movement  
to obtain the maximum punishment  
for the Los Angeles dynamiters. The  
program is to have every labor union  
organization in the United States tele-  
graph to the California authorities  
before next Tuesday morning, urging  
that the full sentence allowed by the  
laws of the state be imposed on the  
McNamara brothers for the crimes  
they have confessed.

Portland, Ore., Dec. 2.—William H.  
Daly, president of the Federation of  
Labor, said today:  
"As trade unions we ask only the  
same justice for the McNamaras now  
as we did when we believed them in-  
nocent. If they are guilty, as evi-  
dent from their confessions, every  
laboring man wants the proper pun-  
ishment meted out to them."

# LATE DEVELOPMENTS ARE UNFAVORABLE TO MANCHUS

## Manchuria Likely to Break Out Into Open Revolt, and Jap- anese There Are Helping the Cause—Premier Yuan Doubt- ful of Next Step—May Become Regent.

Peking, Dec. 2.—Late develop-  
ments are all unfavorable to the imperialists  
whose hopes rise and fall with every  
change. Today they were dejected be-  
cause Urga, the capital of Mongolia,  
which like Lhasa heretofore has been  
held by force, has now taken occasion  
to declare its independence and has  
expelled the Chinese officials.

Various reports reaching Peking  
indicate that Manchuria, which up to  
the present has been only passively  
rebellious is likely soon to become an  
active factor in the revolution. Gen-  
eral Chao Erh-Huan, viceroy of Man-  
churia, reports to the government  
that Japanese are assisting the rev-  
olutionaries, that they are importing  
dynamite for the rebels and even join-  
ing the rebel ranks. The newspapers  
are beginning to voice the popular  
idea that Premier Yuan intends soon  
to declare himself regent, because of  
his inability to prevent the intrigues  
of the Manchian princes with the throne  
but among foreigners there is abso-  
lutely no knowledge or idea of Yuan's  
programme.

The foreign ministers even doubt  
whether he himself knows what policy  
tomorrow's developments may cause  
him to follow. Evidently the premier,  
not being able to bring the rebels to  
terms, which would be acceptable to  
himself, is inclined to favor the  
fighting. Heavy movements of troops  
through Pao-Ting-Fu indicate that an  
attack on the Shan-Si rebels is not  
far distant.

Nanking, Dec. 2.—The Tartar city  
was sacked and burned today by the  
permission of the authorities. Busi-  
ness has been resumed and trains are  
running between Shanghai and Nan-  
king. The imperialists have evacuated  
Pukow.

London, Dec. 2.—A despatch from  
Shanghai says that the capture of  
Nanking is now complete. The im-  
perialists did not resist; hence there  
was no bloodshed. Their last strong-  
hold on the river, their last strategic  
condition that the lives of its defenders  
be spared. Destitution prevails, but  
the railway service has been resumed.  
Nine thousand revolutionaries crossed  
the river to Pukow, but were driven  
back with a loss of two guns.

Hong Kong, Dec. 2.—The British  
gunboats with the assistance of the  
American gunboat Calao are effec-  
tively policing the West river. Steam-  
ers bound for Wu Chow are escorted  
by a warship while others are travel-  
ing in pairs for their mutual protec-  
tion. Their warehouses enclosed in  
steel. Chinese war vessels are rou-  
ted out the pirates and a desperate  
fight has taken place at Shihing. The  
robbers were driven back but are ex-  
pected to make another stand. A  
mass meeting will be held at the  
clubhouse on Tuesday to discuss the  
situation and receive suggestions regard-  
ing the administration of the republic.

# N. B. WEDDING MAY BE ANNULLED AT RENO

## Helen G. Hagerman Formerly of Fredericton is After a Ne- vada Divorce—If Granted Will Not be Recognized here.

Special to The Standard.  
Reno, Nevada, Dec. 2.—A divorce  
case of considerable interest will  
shortly come before the second ju-  
dicial district court of the State of Ne-  
vada in and for the County of Washoe  
at Reno. Helen G. Hagerman is the  
plaintiff and James A. Hagerman, the  
respondent. Both formerly resided  
in Fredericton, N. B., where they  
were married in 1905. Shortly after  
they were married the plaintiff al-  
leged that the defendant became an  
habitual drunkard. His reason became  
affected, necessitating his removal  
to the Provincial Hospital for the In-  
sane at Fairville, N. B., where he still  
is. The plaintiff further alleges that  
such neglect was not the result of  
poorly on his part, and she failed  
to contribute his share towards the  
support of his family. There are  
three children by the marriage.

The place where the wedding was  
performed is in Reno for six months,  
the time required to enable her to  
obtain a divorce under the laws of  
this state. The defendant was served  
with a copy of the summons and com-  
plaint at St. John, N. B., on Nov. 16th  
last by the American Vice and Depu-  
ty Consul, Lawyer W. A. Massey, of  
Reno, is acting for the plaintiff. This  
case will be unduly long.

This divorce will not be recogniz-  
ed by the laws of New Brunswick, as  
the husband resides in that province.

# GLEN CAMPBELL TO HAVE CHARGE OF INDIAN AGENCIES

Special to The Standard.  
Ottawa, Dec. 2.—It is understood  
that Glen Campbell, ex-M. P. for Dan-  
forth, and one of the most picturesque  
figures in the last parliament, will be  
offered the post of superintendent of  
Indian agencies. For this position he  
would be well qualified being as he is,  
the son of a Hudson Bay factor, and  
intimately acquainted with the In-  
dians of the northwest.

A development in provincial politics  
will take place tomorrow and it is un-  
derstood a Liberal candidate will be  
nominated in South Renfrew. Arrange-  
ments which both Liberals and Con-  
servatives rejected was that the Lib-  
erals would give the provincial Con-  
servative acclamation in the constitu-  
ency in return for the proposed elec-  
tion of Graham on Low, the sitting  
federal member retiring.

#### PLAN AERIAL CRUISER.

Cologne, Germany, Dec. 2.—The mili-  
tary authorities are planning to build  
an aerial cruiser, with a carrying cap-  
acity of 300 persons and a speed of 50  
miles an hour. Its gas capacity will  
be 10,000 cubic metres. The plan is  
the outcome of the aerial manoeuvres  
just ended which were unusually satis-  
factory.

# QUEEN AND KING ARRIVE IN INDIA

## King-Emperor and Queen-Em- press Are the Names Given Them in the Eastern Em- pire.

### British Opinion Shows Anxiety For Welfare of Sovereigns and Their Property.

Bombay, Dec. 2.—King-Emperor  
George and Queen-Empress Mary, as  
they are officially styled, since their  
arrival in the great eastern empire,  
landed from the steamer Modra to-  
day at the quay at the Apollo Bunder  
at 4 o'clock.

They were met by the governor of  
Bombay and a large gathering of high  
officials belonging to the civil and mil-  
itary services. They at once proceeded  
to a high amphitheatre which had been  
erected opposite the landing stage, and  
which was filled to its utmost capacity  
by many thousands who had come to  
welcome their majesties.

The scene was a remarkably bril-  
liant one. The handsome levee dress  
of the officials and the uniforms of the  
naval and military officers, to-  
gether with the bright colors of the  
women who served to emphasize the  
gorgeousness of the ceremonial attire  
of the Indian chieftains.

Behind these were massed an im-  
mense throng composed of Hindus,  
Mohammedans, Parsees and Arabs all  
attired in richly colored festival cos-  
tumes.

Addresses of welcome were read to  
the King-Emperor and the Queen-Em-  
press by the municipality and other  
bodies to which his majesty replied. A  
royal procession was subsequently  
formed. It was a mile in length and  
comprised representatives of all  
branches of the European and native  
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plied.

Malcolm McLaren, representative of  
the special agency that brought about  
the arrest of the trio, said today that  
he did not cost much, but preparation  
for the handling of witnesses and evi-  
dence exhausted much of the funds. A  
greater part already has been spent  
and an accounting will be rendered  
as to every detail. We have been up  
against it for funds right along. We  
have been wondering for some time  
how we could ever get very far with  
the means at our disposal."

He declared furthermore that he  
originally did not want to defend the  
McNamara brothers, but that they  
did so by labor leaders. Even on  
learning of their guilt later, he said,  
he felt he was right in saving human  
life. Attorney Darrow does not be-  
lieve in capital punishment.

Attorney Darrow confirmed the fact  
that \$100,000 had been raised for the  
defense of the two brothers and had  
been at his disposal.

Confronted with the statement that  
labor leaders expected that much of  
this would be refunded, he answered  
that he could not see how it could  
be.

"Money flies fast, very fast," he  
said, "and in a case like this it has  
wings. Of course, the trial to date  
did not cost much, but preparation  
for the handling of witnesses and evi-  
dence exhausted much of the funds. A  
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dynamite accidents that have happen-  
ed in this section in the last 20 years  
took place yesterday afternoon at 2  
o'clock, when three sticks of dynamite  
exploded, owing to a defective  
fuse, and seriously hurt two men, six-  
teen others narrowly escaped the  
same fate.

The accident took place at Pokiook  
Bluffs, six miles from Perth, on the  
Tobermore branch line of the C. P.  
R. where Foreman William Estey and  
his gang were employed in blasting  
the rock in the cut at this place, and  
slotted drilled three holes and put three  
sticks of dynamite in each. The blast  
was then fired and after waiting a  
reasonable time, Foreman Estey and  
Benjamin De Merchant, started to re-  
turn to the cut. When they were 15  
feet distance from the holes the three  
sticks had not gone off, exploded.

De Merchant, a native of Tilly, who  
is only 18 years of age, was thrown  
15 feet by the concussion and sustain-  
ed from the flying rocks, severe cuts  
about the head and face, and one of  
his eyes was so badly injured that his  
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and another back of the ear. His  
face and body were severely bruised.

# CAMERON IS GOING TO ENGLAND

## Amherst Runner Accompanied by His Trainer Will Compete in Marathon at Edinburgh— Chances are Good.

### Special to The Standard.

Amherst, Dec. 2.—A committee has  
been canvassing for funds to send  
Fred S. Cameron and his trainer, T. T.  
Trenholm, to take part in the Powder  
Hill Marathon race in Edinburgh on  
January 2. Over \$400 was subscribed.  
President Curry of the car works, con-  
tributed fifty dollars. E. E. Rhodes,  
M. P., twenty-five, and the rest was  
made up of smaller subscriptions.  
Cameron and Trenholm will sail for  
Great Britain on December 9th.

# AMHERST MAN THROWS LIGHTED LAMP AT HIS WIFE'S HEAD

Special to The Standard.  
Amherst, Dec. 2.—What may de-  
velop into a serious tragedy occurred  
here on Saturday night. A man by  
the name of Jack Weir, with his wife  
and two children, board at a house  
on Melrose street. Weir returned  
home rather late, got into an alterca-  
tion with his wife and threw a lighted  
lamp at her striking her on the temple  
and inflicting a serious wound, crush-  
ing in the frontal bone.

The injured woman was removed to  
Highland View hospital where she now  
lies in a precarious condition. Weir  
was placed under arrest. He belongs  
to Moncton, but has been working in  
Amherst for some months. A few  
weeks ago he figured in an assault  
case of rather a serious nature, but  
secured his discharge. His wife is a  
woman that is highly respected here.

# MAY UNDERTAKE TO REFORM PROCEDURE OF PARLIAMENT

Special to The Standard.  
Ottawa, Dec. 2.—Reform in proce-  
dure which it is understood will be  
undertaken this year is to re-organize  
the work of the public accounts com-  
mittee. So far this committee has  
been purely occupied with inquisi-  
tory work.

Probably when the new govern-  
ment comes into its stride, estimates  
will be laid before the public ac-  
counts committee and examined  
there. Permanent officials casti-  
gative of the policy of the govern-  
ment and department and contentious  
cases will be weeded out from non-contentious  
items. There will, of course, be much  
of the older sort for the com-  
mittee to do this session in investi-  
gating numerous suspicious transac-  
tions of the late government.

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# ALFONSO AND HIS WIFE ROYAL ROW

## Later Publishes Book and Be- comes Highly Indignant upon Her Nephew's Criticism of the Work.

### INCLINED TO HOLD UNCONVENTIONAL VIEWS

#### Says She Will Consider Her Private Life Free From Royal Interference — "The Thread of Life."

Paris, Dec. 3.—The Temps prints  
particulars of a royal row between  
King Alfonso, of Spain, and his aunt,  
Infanta Eulalia, a princess with bold  
and unconventional views. The In-  
fanta, who resides in Paris today, re-  
ceived the following telegram from  
King Alfonso:

"I am astonished to learn that you  
have published a book under the  
name of Countess Avila. I suppose  
this will cause a great sensation. I  
order you to suspend publication until  
I have taken cognizance of its con-  
tents, and give my permission to  
publish."

"I am greatly astonished that my  
book should be judged without being  
read. It is a thing that can only  
happen in Spain. Never having a lik-  
ing for court life, from which I have  
always held myself aloof, I take this  
opportunity to send you my adieu,  
for, after this proceeding, which is  
worthy of the inquisition, I consid-  
er myself so far as my private life  
is concerned, free to act as I deem  
fit."

While the book, to which King Al-  
fonso takes exception and which bears  
the title "The Thread of Life," has  
the name of Countess Avila, on the  
title page the author, in which the  
author takes the responsibility for  
the views expressed, is signed Eulalia,  
Infanta of Spain. The work is a sort  
of discursive independent treatise on  
morality.

# MILITARY COLLEGE IS HONORED BY VISIT OF DUKE AND DUCHESS

Kingston, Ont., Dec. 3.—Kingston  
had a royal visit for a short time  
yesterday morning, the Duke and Duch-  
ess of Cornwall, with a couple of  
hours here on their way back to  
Ottawa. Their Highnesses came for  
the purpose of visiting the Royal  
Military College. Col. Crowe, com-  
mandant of the college, served under  
the Duke when the latter was com-  
mandant of a division in India. At the  
college they inspected all the build-  
ings and saw the cadets at work.

An interesting event was a presen-  
tation made to Cadet J. O. Leach, of  
Toronto, who was presented with a  
medal from His Highness, on behalf  
of the Royal Canadian Humane Soci-  
ety, for bravery. Leach saved the  
lives of six people in Georgian Bay,  
a few months ago, when he swam a  
distance of about 200 yards. His  
Highness congratulated Leach and ex-  
pressed the hope that cadets would  
follow his example, if they were  
confronted with such an opportunity.

The Duke, who himself has served  
as a cadet, was very much interested  
in the practical work of the college  
and Her Royal Highness was also in-  
terested, especially with work of the  
cadets in the gymnasium. Members  
of the college staff were individually  
presented to His Highness. The party  
left for Ottawa at 11 a. m.

# TWO MEN ARRESTED FOR STEALING FROM INTERCOLONIAL CARS

Special to The Standard.  
Campbellton, Dec. 3.—Within the  
last four weeks some cases of  
through freight have been entered at  
the Intercolonial yard at Campbellton  
and the robbers baffled the local po-  
lice who were evidently watched, and  
the crimes committed while they were  
on duty at a distance. To trap the  
guilty parties Chief Detective Tinley  
of the I. C. R., sent Officer Dunphy  
to Campbellton on Tuesday last, as  
a plain clothes man.

Officer Dunphy on Thursday night  
caught two men stealing coal, and on  
Friday night while concealed under a  
car caught Joseph and William Cyr  
in the act of breaking seals on cars.  
He arrested them and on searching  
their houses both being married men,  
discovered barrels of flour, bags of  
sugar and tubs of butter, apparently  
taken from the cars. The men were ar-  
raigned before Justice Matheson and  
remanded to Dalhousie jail without  
bail for further examination.





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ST. JOHN, N. B., MONDAY, DECEMBER 4, 1911.

## AGRICULTURE IN NEW BRUNSWICK.

The advance made by New Brunswick in the past three years in fruit culture has directed attention to the possibilities of other branches of agriculture which it is possible to produce potatoes of a quality that is not excelled anywhere in the world. For five or six years farmers along the line of the Canadian Pacific Railway, particularly in Carleton and Victoria counties, have been doing a profitable trade in potatoes with Western Canada. Owing to large crops raised in that section of the country two years ago, the market for New Brunswick potatoes was greatly interfered with. As a consequence the farmers of the two counties mentioned had large quantities left on their hands, and determined to try the markets of the West Indies. Thousands of bushels of New Brunswick potatoes were shipped to Cuba and there disposed of. This year the West has taken all the potatoes New Brunswick has produced. To such an extent have these shipments gone forward that there is now a possibility of a short supply for the home market. The crop has been fairly up to an average one, but the demand has been greater than usual.

The land of Carleton, Victoria and Madawaska counties is very similar to that of Aroostook county in Maine where the farmers have found potato culture very profitable; but even there they have not gone into the cultivation of potatoes for export they must not only do so on a more extensive scale than heretofore, but better facilities will have to be provided either by the transportation companies or those who deal in produce for handling the trade. Success cannot be expected unless the supply in all the markets they are attempting to serve is constant. The steady demand for New Brunswick potatoes for export is having a healthy effect on the farmers and the acreage under cultivation is increasing every year. The completion of the St. John Valley Railway will open up some of the best potato lands in the Province and further stimulate the industry in districts where it is bound to be found a source of profit to the farmers.

The agricultural grant has been increased \$22,000 in the last three years, but the amount is still too small to effectively cover the various fields of labor in the agricultural department. The policy of the present Dominion Government is to give financial assistance to the Provincial Governments for the development of agriculture within their boundaries, and what form this assistance will take, and how it will be applied, has not yet been decided, but the public will not be kept long in suspense, as an announcement is expected soon after Parliament re-assembles in January. In the meantime the Government of New Brunswick has made decided progress along several new lines, which include the raising of poultry and in stock raising generally. There have already been several importations of horses, cattle and sheep, and it will have beneficial results. Poultry raising is an industry which is largely carried on by the farmers' wives and with a very small effort could be easily increased. The expert engaged by the Government has gone all over the Province and given instructions as to the best methods to be pursued by those who keep a comparatively small number of hens as well as those who derive their principal income from poultry raising and egg production. Fattening stations have been established at two or three places and there has been considerable new interest developed which is resulting in an increased supply of all classes of poultry. There is no question as to demand. The local market is not yet fully supplied, while our nearness to Great Britain, particularly during the winter season, will enable us to find a profitable market for any surplus we may have.

Every effort has been made to re-awaken interest in the dairy industry, but outside one or two localities it cannot be said that New Brunswick is making any considerable strides in dairying, which is perhaps the most strenuous of any branch of agriculture. Farmers continue to complain of the difficulties of obtaining help on dairy farms, as the employment necessitates labor on seven days of the week. The production of butter and cheese continues about the same as for the last five years, but it is not nearly so great as it ought to be in a country possessing such magnificent pasture lands as New Brunswick. There is also still room for improvement in cattle raising.

One of the remarkable things the census returns show is that the Province of New Brunswick is the only one of the Eastern Provinces which has had an increase in its rural population. Ontario which spends upwards of a million dollars annually for the development of agriculture has been unable to keep its people on the farm. The increase in population in that Province is confined to the cities. In view of the fact that the rural population is increasing it is worthy of note that at the last meeting of the Provincial Government the announcement was made that a large block of settlement land in the county of Madawaska had been purchased from the New Brunswick Company and would immediately be made available for settlers. Madawaska has made good progress both in population and agriculture during the last ten years, and there are assurances that the entire block of land referred to will be immediately settled by natives of the Province.

The Government is doing everything in its power to direct attention to the agricultural possibilities of New Brunswick and is meeting with a fair degree of success both in obtaining immigrants and in inducing young men who are natives of the Province to settle on new lands within its boundaries.

## THE VALLEY RAILWAY.

The Fredericton correspondent of the Times is responsible for one of the most ridiculous statements yet published regarding the Valley Railway. On Saturday evening it was stated in a Fredericton despatch that a hitch has arisen regarding the construction of the Valley Railway. While Premier Fleming at the close of a meeting of the Executive on Saturday announced that there was nothing further to be given out regarding the Valley Railway than had already appeared in the newspapers, it may be taken as a fact that there is no hitch whatever in the arrangements. The contract for the construction of such an important work is not one to be lightly entered upon and involves a large amount of detail. The season for railroad construction has closed and nothing can be done until spring in actual road making. There will also have to be legislation, both Federal and Provincial, before the present plan, as agreed upon between the two governments can be put into execution.

In the meantime, it can be said that the St. John Valley Railway is now assured to the people and that perfect harmony exists regarding its construction between all the interested parties, which includes the Dominion and Provincial Governments and the gentlemen who made the offer to build the railway.

## MR. PUGSLEY AND COURTENAY BAY.

The Times is deeply interested in Dr. Pugsley's Courtenay Bay scheme. If the Times which is now anxious to have the present Government immediately take up this very important work had displayed the same anxiety regarding the scheme during Mr. Pugsley's term of office, a larger number of people would be convinced of the honesty of its intentions. It was in 1908 that Mr. Pugsley promised that immediate steps would be taken to secure the erection of wharves for the Grand Trunk terminal in Courtenay Bay. In 1911 Mr. Pugsley made his first move in this direction. During the three years that elapsed the Times said nothing to urge Mr. Pugsley to carry out his election promises. Now that Mr. Pugsley is no longer Minister of Public Works, the Times is seeking to make political capital out of his failure to carry out these pledges he made by attempting to lay the responsibility for delay on the present Administration. The present Government has not yet had time to give this matter the consideration that is its proper due, but anything that has been said by any member of the Government since Parliament opened has been in favor of providing terminals for the Grand Trunk Pacific and Intercolonial railways at Courtenay Bay. The best that can be made of Mr. Pugsley's statements in the House of Commons is that nearly one-half of the \$500,000, which he states was intended to be used for Courtenay Bay dredging, has been expended in dredging in other parts of the harbor. Mr. Pugsley has not yet explained why he used a portion of the parliamentary vote placed in his hands by Parliament for dredging Courtenay Bay for other purposes. The money was at his disposal and why did he not use it when he had the opportunity? Courtenay Bay improvement was of great importance to him in the election campaign of 1908. His failure to make good the promise that that year was the leading cause of his reduced majority in 1911. Mr. Pugsley's public utterances on Courtenay Bay during the campaign and since Parliament met are somewhat confused and look very much as if he were suppressing important information as to his reason for not pushing the work more energetically while he was Minister of Public Works.

## THE McNAMARA TRIAL.

The sensational ending of the trial of the McNamaras at Los Angeles, California, cannot help but set the people thinking. One of these men has confessed to being guilty of one of the most dastardly outrages that ever startled this continent, and the other to a lesser outrage. The blowing up of the Times building in Los Angeles, by which twenty-one lives were lost, was the last of a long chain of dynamiting outrages perpetrated in various states of the Union, all supposed to have emanated from the one source. Just how far the Structural Iron Workers' Union is responsible for this series of crimes is not known, but it is highly improbable that the secrets of the criminals who took part in them were generally shared among the rank and file of its membership. It would hardly have been safe to have permitted any general knowledge of such things to have leaked out, as the majority of those who are connected with labor unions are peace loving respectable men and not inclined to take up the trade of murder, or who would punctuate their arguments with dynamite. Nothing could be more disastrous to the cause of organized labor than that the McNamaras, the working men of the world have been greatly benefited and their condition vastly improved by forming themselves into unions. The right of labor to organize for its own protection has never been denied, but it is an altogether different matter when labor unions fall under the control of a band of criminals, who seek to enforce demands whether just or unjust by murderous outrages. The effects of such methods on honest unionism are detrimental and will be strongly resented by union men themselves, as they will be condemned by all who desire to see the laws of the country observed.

A rather unusual law suit has been commenced in Montreal. The plaintiff in the case is Joseph Elzear Lapointe, a resident of North Bay, Ontario, who is attempting to break a deed of sale whereby a large and valuable block of property was transferred to the Dominion Park Company, by the Fabrique of Longue Pointe parish. The plaintiff claims that in 1841, Joseph Elzear Lapointe, an ancestor of the plaintiff, transferred a property, which includes Dominion Park and a large block adjacent thereto, to the parish church corporation on the understanding that the latter would see that the monument over his grave was properly cared for and that a certain number of regulum masses should be said each year in the church, in consideration of the gift of land. The plaintiff's contention is that the defendants have not observed these conditions. The value of the property he seeks to recover is placed at \$400,000.

The revenue of Canada continues to grow. The total customs receipts for the month of November were \$7,232,085, an increase of \$1,207,209 as compared with the same month last year. For the eight months of the fiscal year the customs revenue has been \$56,326,707, an increase of \$8,939,500 as compared with the corresponding period last year.

Nova Scotia is doing a large coal trade with the St. Lawrence. During the open season of navigation 750 coal laden vessels entered the St. Lawrence from Nova Scotia ports, carrying nearly two million tons of coal, or about \$200,000 more than last year.

The announcement that in future the St. John Railway Company will build their own cars, in their new car barns now under construction on Wentworth street, is gratifying, as the new industry will give employment to a considerable number of men.

## Current Comment

(Calgary Herald.)

A man in Massachusetts has been presented with a gold watch for good behavior. He never used a profane word, never smoked or chewed, and has never taken a drink of liquor, nor kissed a girl outside his sister. Such a man shouldn't be presented with a gold watch—he should be put under a glass case.

(Washington Star.)

Are women winning out in their fight? Does the assertion of their "equal rights" lift them into a higher and better plane? It may well be doubted. Woman is not man's equal. She is more. She, by nature and by order, is the being who embellishes man with graces not his own.

(Toronto Star.)

The man who shot the author of Quo Vadis in the leg claims it was an accident. But he is suspected of being a realistic critic.

# To Formulate Bye-Laws For Fire Department

### Safety Board Appoints Committee for That Purpose - Some Doubt as to Extent of Lot Recommended for Sale at \$1,500 - Many Applications Received at Saturday's Session.

That the city fathers are disposing of the city's lands in a rather haphazard way was shown at the meeting of the Safety Board Saturday afternoon, when the chairman said that he had proposed to sell to W. F. Barnhill for \$1,500 a lot of 4 1/2 acres, and Director Wisely said 6 acres, and when on investigation at the instance of Mayor Frink it was found that the lot consisted of 12 acres. However, the Board recommended that the lot be sold for \$1,500. Much other business was transacted. The committee appointed some time ago to draw up building by-laws was discharged. A committee was also appointed to draw up by-laws governing the fire department. C. H. Peters and Sons were given the contract for stable supplies for the fire department and C. B. Pidgeon for police clothing. It was decided to put another policeman on the West Side. Mr. Russell presided and there were present Ald. Green, Wignmore, J. B. Jones, McLeod, Wilson, C. T. Jones, Scully, with the Comm. Clerk, Director Wisely and Chief Kerr. Tenders for stable supplies for the fire department were received as follows: C. H. Peters & Sons, oats, 52 3/4; straw, \$6.90; bran, \$36.50; hay, \$13.90; W. H. Quinton, oats, 52 7/8; straw, 7.00; bran, \$28.00; hay, \$13.93. Ald. Green moved that C. H. Peters' tenders be accepted for the whole lot. Some discussion took place upon the question of making the veterinary surgeon responsible for the delivery of oats equal to the samples submitted with tenders. Ald. C. T. Jones said the director should have called for tenders a month ago before oats started to go up in price.

**Usual Customs.**  
The director said that he was following the usual custom. If tenders were called before contractors would want payment this year, whereas they would wait until next year. Ald. Green's motion to accept the tenders of C. H. Peters for all supplies was adopted. Ald. J. B. Jones moved that the veterinary surgeon be instructed to take charge of the samples and be on hand when the supplies were delivered. This was adopted.

Tenders were also received for cloth for the policemen's coats from Scovill Bros. & Co. Campbell & Sons, C. B. Pidgeon, Vassie & Co. Each firm submitted samples, but only Scovill Bros. and C. B. Pidgeon sent samples marked with the weights. A telephone message was sent to Vassie & Co. and Mr. Campbell. The latter had never had such a fine display of dolls. Dolls from Germany, France, Japan, England and America. We bring the markets of the world to your door.

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Montreal, Dec. 2.—OATS—Canadian Western No. 2, 48 1/2 to 48 3/4; Canadian Western No. 3, 47 to 47 1/2; extra No. 1 feed, 46 to 46 1/2; No. 2 local white, 47 1/2; No. 3 local white, 46 1/2; No. 4 local white, 45 1/2. FLOUR—Manitoba spring wheat, No. 1, 5.00; No. 2, 4.90; No. 3, 4.80; No. 4, 4.70; No. 5, 4.60; No. 6, 4.50; No. 7, 4.40; No. 8, 4.30; No. 9, 4.20; No. 10, 4.10; No. 11, 4.00; No. 12, 3.90; No. 13, 3.80; No. 14, 3.70; No. 15, 3.60; No. 16, 3.50; No. 17, 3.40; No. 18, 3.30; No. 19, 3.20; No. 20, 3.10; No. 21, 3.00; No. 22, 2.90; No. 23, 2.80; No. 24, 2.70; No. 25, 2.60; No. 26, 2.50; No. 27, 2.40; No. 28, 2.30; No. 29, 2.20; No. 30, 2.10; No. 31, 2.00; No. 32, 1.90; No. 33, 1.80; No. 34, 1.70; No. 35, 1.60; No. 36, 1.50; No. 37, 1.40; No. 38, 1.30; No. 39, 1.20; No. 40, 1.10; No. 41, 1.00; No. 42, 0.90; No. 43, 0.80; No. 44, 0.70; No. 45, 0.60; No. 46, 0.50; No. 47, 0.40; No. 48, 0.30; No. 49, 0.20; No. 50, 0.10.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET

Am Copper, 62 1/2, 63 1/2, 62 1/2, 63 1/2; Am B. St. S. 53 1/2, 54 1/2, 54 1/2, 54 1/2; Am C. & P. 53 1/2, 54 1/2, 54 1/2, 54 1/2; Am Cot. Oil, 44 1/2, 45 1/2, 45 1/2, 45 1/2; Am Loco, 32 1/2, 33 1/2, 33 1/2, 33 1/2; Am S. & W. 72 1/2, 73 1/2, 73 1/2, 73 1/2; Am T. & T. 138 1/2, 139 1/2, 139 1/2, 139 1/2; Am Sug., 118 1/2, 119 1/2, 119 1/2, 119 1/2; An. Cop., 38 1/2, 39 1/2, 39 1/2, 39 1/2; Aichson, 105 1/2, 106 1/2, 106 1/2, 106 1/2; B. and O., 102 1/2, 103 1/2, 103 1/2, 103 1/2; B. R. T., 70 1/2, 71 1/2, 71 1/2, 71 1/2; Erie, 21 1/2, 22 1/2, 22 1/2, 22 1/2; C. and O., 74 1/2, 75 1/2, 75 1/2, 75 1/2; Chi. and N. W., 110 1/2, 111 1/2, 111 1/2, 111 1/2; Col. P. and W., 37 1/2, 38 1/2, 38 1/2, 38 1/2; Con. Gas., 138 1/2, 139 1/2, 139 1/2, 139 1/2; D. and H., 167 1/2, 168 1/2, 168 1/2, 168 1/2; Erie, 21 1/2, 22 1/2, 22 1/2, 22 1/2; Erie Is. Pld., 52 1/2, 53 1/2, 53 1/2, 53 1/2; Gen. Elec., 153 1/2, 154 1/2, 154 1/2, 154 1/2; Gr. Nor. Pac., 127 1/2, 128 1/2, 128 1/2, 128 1/2; Ill. Cent., 142 1/2, 143 1/2, 143 1/2, 143 1/2; Int. Met., 15 1/2, 16 1/2, 16 1/2, 16 1/2; L. and N., 154 1/2, 155 1/2, 155 1/2, 155 1/2; Lehigh Val., 176 1/2, 177 1/2, 177 1/2, 177 1/2; N. Y. C., 18 1/2, 19 1/2, 19 1/2, 19 1/2; Kas. City So., 29 1/2, 30 1/2, 30 1/2, 30 1/2; M. & K. T., 21 1/2, 22 1/2, 22 1/2, 22 1/2; Miss. Pac., 40 1/2, 41 1/2, 41 1/2, 41 1/2; Nat. Lead., 50 1/2, 51 1/2, 51 1/2, 51 1/2; N. Y. Cent., 106 1/2, 107 1/2, 107 1/2, 107 1/2; N. Y. O. and W., 40 1/2, 41 1/2, 41 1/2, 41 1/2; Nor. Pac., 116 1/2, 117 1/2, 117 1/2, 117 1/2; N. and W., 108 1/2, 109 1/2, 109 1/2, 109 1/2; Pac. Mail., 12 1/2, 13 1/2, 13 1/2, 13 1/2; Pe. St. Car., 32 1/2, 33 1/2, 33 1/2, 33 1/2; Pac. T. and T., 47 1/2, 48 1/2, 48 1/2, 48 1/2; Ry. St. P., 21 1/2, 22 1/2, 22 1/2, 22 1/2; Reading, 149 1/2, 150 1/2, 150 1/2, 150 1/2; Rep. I. and S., 25 1/2, 26 1/2, 26 1/2, 26 1/2; Rock Island, 21 1/2, 22 1/2, 22 1/2, 22 1/2; So. Pac., 134 1/2, 135 1/2, 135 1/2, 135 1/2; So. Ry., 29 1/2, 30 1/2, 30 1/2, 30 1/2; Utah Cop., 17 1/2, 18 1/2, 18 1/2, 18 1/2; Un. Pac., 17 1/2, 18 1/2, 18 1/2, 18 1/2; U. S. Rub., 45 1/2, 46 1/2, 46 1/2, 46 1/2; U. S. S. I., 62 1/2, 63 1/2, 63 1/2, 63 1/2; U. S. S. P., 49 1/2, 50 1/2, 50 1/2, 50 1/2; Vir. Chem., 53 1/2, 54 1/2, 54 1/2, 54 1/2; Total Sales—220,100 shares.

MARKET SHOWS SIGNS OF A CHANGE

New York, Dec. 2.—At the end of a week of bear selling and heavy markets the character of trading changed, and stocks rose. The demand was proportionately larger, and stocks were not in plentiful supply, with the result that there were many gains of 1 to 2 points among the prominent issues. Several factors, such as favorable trade reviews, an optimistic statement by the head of one of the Steel Corporation's largest rivals, and a sharp rise in gold securities, helped to bring about a more cheerful speculative sentiment. It is probable, however, that the short interest showed signs of nervousness. Covering was carried on heavily during the last hour of trading, especially in the favorite speculative issues. The rise in the Wabash securities was thought to be in anticipation of developments next week in connection with the reorganization plan of Wabash-Pittsburg terminal, under which it is expected that the position of the Wabash will be strengthened. The four per cent. bonds at one time showed a gain of nearly four points, and the preferred stock of 2 1/2. The Northern Pacific report for October showed a gain in net earnings of \$552,000, was a factor in strengthening the stocks of the West. For some months earnings of Northern Pacific, like those of other Northwestern roads, have not made favorable exhibits. Louisville and Nashville reported a gain in net earnings of \$250,000, and Missouri, Kansas and Texas, a decline of about \$100,000. Unexpectedly large changes were disclosed in the bank statement. The loss of cash of \$19,500,000, as shown in the actual statement, far exceeded preliminary estimates. This change, as well as the falling off of nearly \$50,000,000 in net deposits and the increase in loans, decreases, probably was the primary cause of the shifting of accounts in connection with December first interest and dividend payments. The week's payments all but consumed the surplus reserve. The bond market was active and firm. Total sales, par value, \$3,801,000. United States fours registered last 1/8 on call on the week.

MONTREAL

Saturday's Sales

Bell Telephone, 100 @ 145; Canadian Pacific, 50 @ 240 3/4, 25 @ 241, 150 @ 241 1/2, 20 @ 241 1/4, 100 @ 241 1/2, 50 @ 241 1/8, 25 @ 241 3/4; Cement Pld., 12 @ 90, 4 @ 99 1/4, 50 @ 97 1/2, 37 @ 90; Cement Bonds, 1,000 @ 100 3/4, 2,000 @ 101, 500 @ 100 1/4; Col. Tel. Pld., 2 @ 71; Canadian Leobovite Pld., 35 @ 90 3/4; Detroit United, 75 @ 70 1/2; Dominion Iron, 200 @ 56 1/2, 90 @ 57 1/2; Iron Pld., 20 @ 101 1/2; Dominion Tex., 25 @ 70; Dominion Col. Bonds, 7,000 @ 102; Crown Reserve, 175 @ 282; Iron Bonds, 1,000 @ 94 1/2; Halifax Bonds, 8,000 @ 101; Laurendeide, 135 @ 155; Montreal Street, 50 @ 225, 1 @ 225, 2 @ 226; Montreal Power, 10 @ 184 1/2, 60 @ 184 1/2, 25 @ 185 1/2, 20 @ 185 1/2; Scotia, 25 @ 94 1/2; Penman Pld., 100 @ 85; Rich. and Ontario, 100 @ 121 1/2; Shawinigan, 25 @ 121 1/2; Steel Co., 50 @ 27 1/4; Steel Co. Pld., 10 @ 80; Sherwin, 110 @ 32, 2 @ 32; Toronto Railway, 50 @ 156 1/2; Tooke Pld., 25 @ 88; Winnipeg Bonds, 2,000 @ 103 1/2; Bank of Montreal, 25 @ 249; Bank of Commerce, 7 @ 207 1/2; Montreal Bank, 25 @ 205; Bank of Nova Scotia, 2 @ 280; Total sales, N. Y., 220,100 shares.

CLOSING STOCK LETTER.

By Direct Private Wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co.

New York, Dec. 2.—The professional character of recent selling in the market was clearly shown today when an attempt to even up speculative commitments prior to the weekend sent the general list from 1 to 2 points higher. There was no feature either in the way of news or transactions, but it was clear that the technical position had been vastly improved by the reaction. It is unlikely that the large interest early in the spring. Following the sale of Mr. Durland in Boston, Earle brought an action to Mrs. Durland from his property, charging non-compliance with the terms of the lease. Justice Gilbert (carpenter) issued a writ of ejectment and thereupon Earle had the furniture and other belongings stored in the barn upon his premises. Here it was attached by village merchants for debts aggregating \$700. Parmlee and Mrs. Durland appeared in Montreal this week and demanded admission to the house. A wordy discussion followed between Parmlee, Earle and Mrs. Durland, during which Parmlee attempted to force his way into Tremblay. Earle called lustily for help and his outcries brought Casper Hoffman, a caretaker, and Mrs. Earle to the rescue. Outnumbered, Parmlee and Mrs. Durland retreated. As a result of the encounter it is reported that Mrs. Earle is in a hysterical condition.

CHILDREN'S CHEST TROUBLES

Nurse Carrington Says Her Long Experience Proves the Safest Remedy is to Rub on Nerviline!

Every mother knows how difficult it is to get a young child to take a cough mixture. Seldom will one help unless given in large doses, and the result is to completely upset the stomach and make the child sick. Speaking of the simplest cure for chest troubles and children's colds, Nurse Carrington says: "In all my experience in nursing I haven't met any preparation so dependable as Nerviline. It is the ideal liniment. Every drop you rub on is absorbed quickly, sinks through the pores to the congested muscles, eases, relieves and cures quickly. Especially for chest colds, pain in the side, stiff neck, earache, toothache, I have found Nerviline invaluable. In treating the minor ills of children Nerviline has no equal. I think Nerviline should be in every home." A million bottles of Nerviline used every year; this is itself a burden of proof that it is the ideal liniment for the home. Refuse anything your dealer may offer instead of Nerviline. Large size bottle 50c, or sample size 10c. Sold everywhere, and by The Catarrhozone Co., Kingston, Ont.

NEW YORK COTTON RANGE.

By Direct Private Wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co.

Dec. ... 9.60 8.92 97-98; Mar. ... 8.75 8.02 82-83; May ... 8.86 7.75 82-83; July ... 8.94 8.88 91-92; Sept. ... 8.97 8.97 92-97; Oct. ... 9.07 9.04 95-97.

NOVELIST'S WIDOW IN SCRAP WITH EARLE

Monroe, N. Y., Dec. 1.—Ferdinand Pinney Earle cried for help and it arrived in time to prevent an attack upon him by W. D. Parmlee, a brother-in-law of Mrs. Earle's, at Tremblay, Earle's residence, yesterday. The Durlands leased the Earle property early in the spring. Following the sale of Mr. Durland in Boston, Earle brought an action to Mrs. Durland from his property, charging non-compliance with the terms of the lease. Justice Gilbert (carpenter) issued a writ of ejectment and thereupon Earle had the furniture and other belongings stored in the barn upon his premises. Here it was attached by village merchants for debts aggregating \$700. Parmlee and Mrs. Durland appeared in Montreal this week and demanded admission to the house. A wordy discussion followed between Parmlee, Earle and Mrs. Durland, during which Parmlee attempted to force his way into Tremblay. Earle called lustily for help and his outcries brought Casper Hoffman, a caretaker, and Mrs. Earle to the rescue. Outnumbered, Parmlee and Mrs. Durland retreated. As a result of the encounter it is reported that Mrs. Earle is in a hysterical condition.

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Milford Haven, Da., Dec. 4.—Every one in this neighborhood knows of the long suffering from influenza and catarrh endured by Mrs. D. Garney. Today she is well. Her recovery is due entirely to Catarrhozone. This is her own statement: "I was a great sufferer from catarrh in the head, throat and nose, and endured the manifold tortures of influenza for five years. My life was despaired of, and before I had given up hope of ever being well. Then I read of a wonderful cure made by Catarrhozone. Immediately I sent for Catarrhozone, and before I had used one bottle I was greatly relieved. Today I am cured. We would not be without Catarrhozone in our homes. It is sure in colds, coughs, bronchial and throat trouble. I feel it is my duty to publicly recommend Catarrhozone." Get the large dollar size of Catarrhozone. It contains a beautiful hard rubber inhaler, and medicine that lasts two months. Smaller sizes, 25c and 50c each. Beware of imitations—accept only Catarrhozone, sold by all reliable dealers or by mail from The Catarrhozone Company, Kingston, Ont., and Buffalo, N. Y.

Concerts Planned.

Two concerts will be given in the Seaman's Mission this week, the first on Tuesday by the crew of the Donaldson liner Saturnia, and the second on Wednesday evening by the crew of the Allan liner Victorian. Both concerts begin at eight o'clock.

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THOUSANDS OF SETTLERS from England, Scotland, Wales, United States and Eastern Canada, also the Prairie West, are seeking agricultural land in British Columbia. However, it is a well known fact that because of its mountainous formation this great province has none too much good land to spare. It is in the Bulkley and Necheco Valleys—the Fort Fraser district—the choicest of it lies, but as before explained, this has not been opened up yet by the railroads. This is YOUR chance.

BE ON THE INSIDE WHEN THE RUSH STARTS

ACCESS TO FORT FRASER at present is difficult—a roundabout and expensive steamboat journey, just like pioneering. However, hundreds of land grants and pre-emption holders have journeyed there and are farming most successfully. Great sales of land in the locality indicate what the boom will be when transportation by rail is established. It will surely out-rival the wild dash into Southern British Columbia in 1858, when the C. P. R. broke through the Mountains.

The title to Fort Fraser Property is Guaranteed by the British Columbia Government and Deposited in trust with the Dominion Stock and Bond Corporation, Ltd., of Vancouver, B. C. Capital \$2,000,000. Reference to this corporation can be made at the Commercial Agencies or at the Imperial Bank of Canada, Vancouver. The British Columbia Government holds one-third of the property, as designated on the plans.

Sale Commenced in Vancouver August 28th Last Tremendous Success in All Large Centres Lots from \$100 to \$600 on Easy Terms (10 per cent. Cash, Balance in Monthly Payments of 5 per cent.)

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FIRST DIVISION IN HOUSE SHOWS MR. BORDEN HAS SOLD PARTY BEHIND HIM

Standard's Ottawa Correspondent Reviews Closing Days of Debate Aptly Termed the Funeral Rites of Reciprocity - Hon. A. T. White Makes Fine Showing in Able Address.

Ottawa, Nov. 30.—The obsequies, the last sad rites of Reciprocity, as Mr. White, the minister of finance, aptly termed the proceedings in the House for the last ten days, have been brought to a close.

Government Party United. But the debate was not without its uses to the government and their supporters. It afforded Mr. Borden an opportunity to state that the future naval policy would be carefully considered with the British Admiralty.

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alleged. The people of Canada are well aware of the circumstances of my entry into the country. They are well aware of the circumstances of my judgment in the cabinet, and I am quite content to leave the matter to the judgment of my countrymen.

Hearty Applause. No more hearty and spontaneous outburst of applause has greeted any speaker in the present Parliament, than was accorded to this statement.

The First Division. The debate on Wednesday only lasted two hours and then at 4 p. m. the division was taken.

McGILL HOCKEY PROSPECTS. Montreal, Dec. 2.—The McGill hockey team is forming for the season.

PETROLEA TRIMS WANDERERS. Hamilton, Ont., Dec. 3.—Petrolea and Hamilton Wanderers met here yesterday for the junior Rugby championship of Canada.

CURLERS TO MEET. A meeting was held on Friday evening of a special committee representing members of the three local curling clubs to consider the entertainment of the Scotch curlers who will visit St. John early in January.

BIG WRESTLING FIXTURE. Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 2.—Alex. Murray, the British wrestling champion today accepted the offer of Frank Gutch, international title holder, for a match for the world's championship, to be held here on December 27.

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WITH THE BOWLING LEAGUES

In the Commercial bowling league fixture Saturday evening on Black's alleys, the S. Hayward Co. team downed the C.P.R. three points to one.

BRITISH FOOTBALL RESULTS

London, Dec. 2.—The following are the results of today's football matches: First League. Aston Villa 5, Liverpool 0. Bolton 1, Middlesbrough 0.

A Suggestion

The season of the year is fast approaching when "Peace on Earth, and Good Will Toward Men" should be the motto of everybody, but this feeling is often marred by the difficult and perplexing question of what to give, rendering the few days before Christmas hours of continual worry.

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### AROUND THE CITY PLANN TO BEAUTIFY THE CATHEDRAL

**Mrs. Jack's Condition.**  
Inquiries at the Hospital last evening elicited the fact that Mrs. Andrew Jack is progressing favorably.

**Disturbance in Meeting.**  
Policeman Gossline was summoned to the Salvation Army Metropole Saturday night to quell a disturbance.

**Defective Gutter.**  
Policeman Briggs has reported Geo. H. Waterbury for having two defective roof gutters and a defective water gutter in his house 66 Brunson street.

**At The Seaman's Institute.**  
The ladies' auxiliary of the Seaman's Institute will hold a special meeting in the institute this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock and a full attendance is requested.

**Nail Drawer Found.**  
Yesterday morning Deputy Chief Jenkins and Detective Killen found a nail drawer in an alley off Church street and took it to the Police station where it can be obtained by the owner.

**Pulpits Exchanged.**  
Last evening the Rev. George A. Ross, of the Patriotic Methodist church, occupied the pulpit in Centenary church and Rev. Charles R. Flaherty, D. D., of Centenary, preached in the Patriotic church.

**Mill Purchased.**  
F. D. MacMillan has bought the mill formerly owned and operated by the late J. P. Yeomans, at Newmarket Creek, Queens Co., N. B., and will be ready for operations after Dec. 5, 1911.

**Crusade to Horse.**  
Policeman McCollum has reported William J. Peterson for ill treating a horse and beating it, on Charlotte street. Messrs. Campbell, James Cook, Frank Coleman and Burton Mayes are mentioned by the officers as witnesses.

**Loyalist Division Met.**  
The Loyalist Division of the Sons of Temperance was addressed last evening by the Rev. L. A. McLean, R. H. Addison, president and a musical programme that consisted of the following was rendered: Solo, C. B. Wetmore; solo, Rev. J. D. Wetmore; chorus by the choir.

**Holy Name Meeting.**  
The monthly meeting of the Holy Name Society was held last evening in the cathedral. The meeting was largely attended, several hundred men being present. Rev. A. F. Belding, minister, presided. His interesting address on "The History of the Church After the Reformation Period."

**Successful Meetings.**  
The Saturday evening temperance meeting in the Seaman's Mission was very enjoyable. Mrs. Seymour was in the chair and the Rev. Mr. Thomas, of Carleton, gave a short address. The song service was conducted by the manager, and the Rev. Mr. Cook dressed the most. The singing was bright and greatly enjoyed by the men of the sea.

**Thorne Lodge.**  
The Rev. J. H. Anderson spoke before a large gathering of the Thorne Lodge I. O. G. T. in their hall on Haymarket Square, yesterday afternoon. The meeting was presided over by L. DeWolfe and a musical programme, which consisted of the following was given: quartette, Mrs. B. Patterson, Mrs. R. D. Cogan, A. H. Patterson and H. J. McEachern; solo, H. D. Cogan, J. P. D. Tilley will address the meeting next Sunday afternoon.

**Every Day Club.**  
The Every Day Club hall on Union street was crowded last night when Rev. David Long in an able address made a special appeal to the young people on several grounds. He urged them to make the most of the opportunities to care for their health and avoid dissipation, especially the drink habit. In whatever work they were engaged, they should devote themselves faithfully to it. Solo were rendered by Mrs. R. T. Worden, L. H. Potter, and A. F. Belding. Miss Worden was the accompanist.

**Y. M. C. A. Notes.**  
A. R. Pixley addressed the meeting in the Association building yesterday morning. He spoke from the 13th chapter of Hosea, and took for his text: "The night is far spent, let us awake, put off the seekers of darkness, put on armor of light." This evening the group leaders will meet for supper and Bible study. Thursday evening the intermediate group leaders will meet for Bible study and supper. On Wednesday the senior Bible study class will meet, and the intermediates will continue their bowling contest. On Monday evening two boys of the intermediate class will go to the Industrial Home to conduct athletic work.

**Supper and Smoker.**  
The members of St. James' Athletic club and a few guests had a most enjoyable time in the school room of St. James' church on Saturday evening. After an excellent supper had been served by the young men, there was a smoker and entertainment. A fine programme was given. The president of the club, William J. Kee, gave an opening address in which he spoke of the work which the club has done during its existence, and heartily thanked those who had assisted the members in various ways. The honorary president, Rev. H. A. Coady, gave an address on the work of the club, and congratulated the members on their successful work during the year. Other addresses were given by members of the club.

**Reciprocity Again Defeated.**  
An interesting debate was held on Saturday evening by the students of the St. John Law school, when they debated the subject "Resolved that in the Rejection of Reciprocity as proposed by the late government, the Maritime Provinces incurred a loss." The affirmative of the subject was put forth by W. M. Ryan, R. P. L. Hartley and U. Swenson, who brought forth strong arguments in favor of their side. The negative, however, went a few stronger, their arguments being forcible and aided moreover by one more speaker than their opponents. The negative side which was composed of E. Carr, K. Wilson, M. B. Innis and L. O'Brien were awarded the decision by J. Max Treuman who officiated as judge.

Bond's new confectionery has arrived.

### Bishop Casey's Silver Jubilee to be Marked by Unveiling of Valuable Paintings Next Friday.

In the course of an eloquent sermon at high mass in the cathedral yesterday morning His Lordship Bishop Casey announced that three important religious paintings would be unveiled in the cathedral at the Feast of the Immaculate Conception, on Friday, and that as means permitted, steps would be taken to adorn the walls of the cathedral with pictures representing scenes of religious subjects, and thus make the interior of the edifice correspond with the beauty of its exterior.

His Lordship observed that many celebrated artists, men of learning and travelers of note, came to St. John from time to time, and one and all were greatly impressed with the wonderful beauty of the cathedral, especially of its exterior. Competent critics had pronounced the cathedral one of the finest, if not the finest, examples of church architecture in Canada, and equal to most in the United States—a fact which was probably not sufficiently appreciated by the citizens of St. John to whom the sight of the cathedral was so familiar that its beauties did not impress them properly. Continued by his Lordship said that while visitors were always struck by the architectural beauty of the exterior of the edifice it was frequently remarked that the interior presented a rather a bare appearance, and provided a disappointment to those who expected to harmonize with the exterior. But happily providential circumstances had brought about the discovery of several important paintings which had been brought to this country by Abbe DeJardins, vicar general of Paris at the time of the French revolution, and sold to Bishop Dollard of St. John, and which having fallen into a dilapidated condition had been discarded and hidden from view until quite recently. These paintings had been restored, and to mark his jubilee which he had intended to let pass unnoticed, but which his friends had pressed him to observe, he had determined to have the paintings installed in the cathedral, and making it correspond with its beautiful exterior, so that it might become more like the famous cathedrals in Europe, to which pilgrimages were regularly made from all parts of the earth mainly to see the beautiful works of religious art contained in them.

Continuing his Lordship referred to the splendid conceptions of religious subjects originated by the great popes especially Nicholas the Fifth, Leo the Tenth and the warrior pope Julius the Second, to whose patronage of painting the world owes an incalculable debt of gratitude for the creation and dissemination of the greatest in art as we know it. But for them the genius of Michael Angelo, Raphael and other great painters, would probably have never been kindled with such divine enthusiasm, and the world would never have known their immortal works which stand as a lasting and increasing source of inspiration and reverent wonder.

Before printing was discovered, he added, painting had a special value as a source of instruction and the great fathers of the church recognized this by encouraging the pictorial representation of religious subjects. Even today painting has a special value, as a pictorial representation is more impressive than any written or verbal description can be. And no doubt it would be a good thing for the people of St. John who do not have access to works of great art, to be able to view the rare and historical works which had been recently rescued from oblivion, since none could gaze upon such pictures without a quickening of the love of art, the good and beautiful and a deepening of religious awe and reverence.

The three paintings which will be installed in the cathedral, were discovered some time ago by J. Purvis Carter, who has spent some time cleaning them. One is a striking picture of Our Lord, Another is an old copy after Leonardo DeVinci's painting of the Last Supper, and the other is an oil painting of a famous picture at Antwerp, representing the Saviour being taken down from the cross. The Crucifixion which Mr. Carter declares is one of the finest paintings of the continent, will be hung on the great column on the south side of the edifice and in the centre.

**Ten Arrests.**  
There was one arrest yesterday afternoon on the north side of the King Square and no less than nine men were arrested Saturday night, one of the latter was John Terrio, who was arrested by Officer Silas Perry on Waterloo street, and is charged with wandering about and not giving a satisfactory account of himself.

**Charles Brown.**  
The death took place yesterday of Charles Brown at his residence, Main street, North End. Mr. Brown, who was a well known teamster, had only been ill but one week, having taken a stroke of paralysis. Besides his wife, he leaves three brothers and four sisters. The funeral will take place tomorrow morning.

**Found by The Police.**  
Hardly a day passes without the police officers finding some articles on the street and the following were found on Saturday: A bundle of clothes and mitts were found by Officer Clarke hanging outside of Charles Belyea's store, on Union street, West End, last Thursday night. This store was robbed about a week ago. A glove found on Main street awaits the owner at the Central Police station. A pair of slippers found on Union street were left in the North End Police station. On Saturday afternoon, Sergeant Beate found a bundle of books on the Market Square and as they were addressed and had postage stamps on them, the officer mailed them.

**Continue Growth.**  
Continued increase of attendance at the St. John Business College has compelled the engagement of another teacher, making a staff of nine teachers and the purchase of eleven new typewriting machines.

### CITY COUNCIL WILL HAVE BUSY SESSION

Reports of Boards and Committees, as well as Private Communications, are slated for Consideration.

There will be a deal of business before the meeting of the city council this afternoon. In addition to the reports of the regular committees, providing there will be a report from the committee which conducted the investigation into the administration of the public works department and a report from the committee on the land tax to be considered.

The land tax committee will recommend that the city secure power from the legislature at its next session to amend the assessment system: (1) By providing that after Jan. 1, 1912, the tax on improvements including all buildings and superstructures, be reduced 50 per cent and after that by resolution of the common council as rapidly as possible until the tax on said improvements has disappeared altogether, and providing that land exclusive of buildings shall be assessed twice the true value thereof to provide for the revenue lost on account of the decrease in taxation on improvements.

By providing that personal property be exempt from taxation as soon as conditions will warrant. The committee will also recommend that a bill be prepared giving the city power to expropriate lands or portions of lands which may be required for industrial purposes, and that another bill be prepared providing for the appointment of a commission which shall become a permanent court, the duties of which shall be to adjust as equitably as possible, all difficulties that may arise in account of change in the assessment law, having reference especially to long renewal leases.

A communication will be received from Percy Thomson objecting to the resolution passed by the common council regarding the hydroelectric company's charter, providing that the common council is to be given the right of buying out the company's property at any time.

Another communication will be received from the trustees of the Mission church, calling attention to sewerage conditions in the neighborhood of the church.

### ARRIVAL OF ALLAN LINER VIRGINIAN

Ship Reached here from Liverpool via Halifax Saturday Night - Had Little Rough Weather on Trip.

The Allan Line steamship Victorian arrived from Liverpool, via Halifax Saturday night, in command of Captain Edmund Outram, who is well known at this port. The Victorian left Liverpool Nov. 25, and met with rough weather, but taken all in all, the passage was fairly good.

Up to Halifax the Victorian made the following daily runs, Saturday, 25 miles; Sunday, 400; Monday, 574; Tuesday, 204; Wednesday, 401; Thursday, 574; Friday to Halifax, 375. At Halifax the Victorian landed 19 passengers, 53 second cabin, and 251 steerage passengers. The remainder of her 506 passengers came around in the steamer to St. John. They consisted of 5 saloon, 109 second cabin, and 39 steerage and were landed on the West Side yesterday and went west by special train yesterday.

The following is the full list of the Victorian's saloon passengers: G. A. Leadley, D. Budge, Mrs. Budge, Gustav Casner, W. Bundy Cole, George Corbett, C. Cotton, Mrs. Cotton, Francis Hankin, J. Hair, Miss Hilton Green, Miss Jessie E. Mackenzie, Thomas Atway, John W. P. Ritchie, Mrs. Ritchie, C. T. F. Ritchie, George T. Smith, Miss Dorothy H. Blair, Miss Mary Townsend, H. H. Vaughan, Mrs. Vaughan, H. P. Vaughan, H. Lee Warner.

The big ship made a good run around from Halifax in 18 hours, and St. John pilot, Mr. Henry Spears, who stated that on the trip here from Halifax the weather was clear with occasional rain storms, but no snow fell until off this port last Saturday night.

The steamer was in touch with Marconi wireless all along the coast. When off Partridge Island the pilot found that one of the lighted buoys was not burning, which was reported to the Marine Department here. The Victorian has on board a large cargo for this port and the west, which is being landed at No. 2 and 3 berths, West Side.

**Pleasant Evening Promised.**  
The Doorkeepers' Circle of the King's Daughters have arranged a rare treat for those attending the Evening With Longfellow, to be provided by Mrs. E. A. Smith, on Tuesday in St. David's church. Besides Mrs. Smith's lecture the programme will include a violin duet by Mrs. Dempster and Mrs. Gung, Mrs. Curran, Mrs. Fred McNeil and Mr. Chapel will render solos, while a quartette consisting of Horace Black, Miss Holder, Miss Dickson and Mrs. A. P. Crockett will give vocal selections.

**Glove the Lovely.**  
In selecting gloves for a Christmas present it must be remembered that there are gloves and gloves. A glove manufacturer that can retain one customer continuously for 20 years, must make good gloves. F. A. Dykeman and Co. have been handling one maker's gloves for the above period, and if you want to present to your friends a pair of gloves that can be relied on, you could not do better than select from their stock. Each pair of gloves will be placed in a handsome gift box and a written guarantee found in the wrist of the glove. Did you hear that the price was a great sale of fancy hand work ed linens now going on at Dykeman's?



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