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LONGSHOREMEN THREATEN ANOTHER GENERAL STRIKE.

At Present They Only Refuse to Work for Allan Line—Claim Steamship Men Broke Faith—Allans Have No Trouble Getting Laborers.

The longshoremen labor difficulties for the year are not yet over. Trouble has again arisen between the association and the Allan line, who are regarded, whether rightly or wrongly, by most of the union men as the leaders in the last trouble. Michael Kelly stated this morning that the result of the present trouble might be another general strike. The cause of the present trouble is Foreman Edward McLeod, who in the recent strike was believed to have made arrangements to return to work previous to the time the strike was declared off and whose action, no doubt, had considerable effect in causing the termination of the strike at that time. On Monday night last the executive met and had McLeod before them when he denied having made the statements in regard to breaking the strike attributed to him by Foreman Robert McClafferty.

RUSSIAN STRIKE STILL CONTINUES; BUSINESS CONDITIONS ARE DESPERATE.

MOSCOW, Dec. 14.—Via Eydtkuhnen, Dec. 14.—The leaders of the postal telegraph strike declare they will never surrender until Interior Minister Duranov and M. Sevast'yanov, sult. of ports and telegraphs, are dismissed and their demands satisfied. Over a thousand men have been dismissed from the post office service, which continues to be blocked. A single telegraph wire is working out of Moscow and the telephone lines which are badly crippled are the only means of communication. ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 14, via Eydtkuhnen, Dec. 14.—The emperor's name day, Dec. 15, will be signified by an important peasant manifesto and the publication of the election law. Dmitri Shipov, president of the Moscow Zemstvo, the most commanding figure among the moderate liberals, who has been consulted in the preparation of the election law is out with a strong appeal to all who have the welfare of their country at heart without regard to party affiliation to unite in the restoration of order and thus insure peaceful elections and the convocation of the national assembly which is the only legal place in which to settle political differences. Under the leadership of the law and order party an attempt is making to organize a counter-peasant party in opposition to the Moscow peasant congress. The Post-Telegraph congress at Moscow is still holding out, insisting that the strikers can be victorious, although unless a new development enters into the situation their cause apparently is lost. The ranks of the strikers are being deserted, and those returning to work are compelled to sign a declaration to the effect that they were entitled into the union under false pretenses and agreeing not to meddle with politics in the future. Nevertheless the strikers can cripple the postal service for an indefinite period and without the striking operators it is impossible for the government to secure a resumption of telegraphic communication. There are no signs of a break on the Siberian line, and business men everywhere are in despair at the outlook. Runs on savings banks are reported at many places in the provinces. The desperate strikers here continue their attacks on mail wagons, and the robbery of letter boxes.

CASTRO GIVES IN; WAR DANGER PAST.

Franco-Venezuelan Trouble Is About Over.

South American President Has Withdrawn From His Objectionable Position—Amicable Settlement Probable

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—A Caracas despatch to the Tribune, dated Dec. 12, and delayed in transmission, says: "Clyde Ross, treasurer of the Asphalt Trust, who came here from Philadelphia with Captain Robert K. Wright, local manager of the New York & Bermuda Co., to effect a settlement with the Venezuelan government in the latter's suit against the company, called yesterday for New York on the Philadelphia without having accomplished his mission. President Castro refused to interfere with the \$1,000,000 damage suit, now proceeding in the court against the company or with the decision in a previous action annulling its concession."

JOHANN HOCH MUST HANG. CHICAGO, Dec. 15.—A telephone message was received today by States Attorney Healy from Springfield, Ill., to the effect that the Supreme Court has affirmed the verdict in the case of Johann Hoch, now under sentence of death for wife murder. Hoch will hang February 23rd.

POETIC. He—"I told the editor that it was the only poem I had ever written." She—"And what did he say to that?" He—"Oh, he told me I needn't be alarmed, as nobody was going to take it away from me."

PAINT HEARTS. She—"Well, you know, faint heart never won fair lady." Mr. Doog—"Oh, I don't know, you know, there's lots of Johnnies get married merely because they haven't got the nerve to back out."

John W. Cunningham, of Summerside, and a sailor on the schooner Comrade, morning that he had been relieved of his duty in the court against the company, called at the Star office this morning and said that Cunningham was not at home.

The wedding took place on Nov. 30 at Ponkapog, Mass., of Miss Rose Parry, daughter of Mrs. L. P. Parry, Elm street in this city, and Ernest Hunt, of Ponkapog. Mr. Hunt is a member of the firm of Hunt Bros.

LIBERALS NOW HOLD SIXTEEN SEATS.

Further Returns Increase Saskatchewan Victory.

Back Districts Pile in Liberal Votes—Other Seats are Still in Doubt and May Go Liberal

(Special to the Star.) REGINA, Dec. 15.—All belated returns continue favorable to the Liberals and from returns early this morning it is probable that the government will hold sixteen seats, Kingston being likely in the Liberal column. Returns from North Qu'Appelle are incomplete but enough is known to insure Motherwell's election. In Yorkton, Garry (Liberal), had 318 majority, with five polls to hear from, which will likely increase it. Brown's majority in Souris is 320, with four polls to hear from. Grants (Lib.) majority in Batoche is 532, with five polls missing. The vote in these is small and will give Liberal majorities. Hon. Mr. Haultain's majority in Qu'Appelle is 400. All but two polls heard from in Lumsden give Scott a majority of 199. The two remaining polls are expected to increase the majority by fifty. Moosehorn—All polls heard from give Ellis a majority of 86. There are one hundred contested ballots. Rosters—Ems (Lib.) final majority is 310. Wolsley—Elliot has a majority of 28 on final counts. Salt Coats—McNutt (Lib.) leads by 137 with sixteen polls to hear from. Thompson will lose his deposit. Liberals claim Regina City and Moosejaw City should be in the doubtful column, as final scrutiny will assuredly award the seat to the government. In Regina (South), Calder's (Lib.) majority is now 64, with six polls to hear from which will increase to 80. Carleton and Prince Albert districts are safe for the government.

HARRIMAN GIVES THOS. RYAN THE LIE.

Contradicts Statement Made to Insurance Committee.

Says Ryan Applied to Him for Help to Swing the Control of the Equitable.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—E. N. Harriman was called to the stand when the insurance investigating committee opened its session today.

Mr. Harriman said he learned of the sale of the Hyde stock on the day that Mr. Ryan bought it. He telephoned to Mr. Ryan and asked him if he had bought it. Ryan said the purchase was conditional, said Mr. Harriman, and that he wanted to see me and that he wanted my help. I criticized his plan and wanted to know what he meant by it. Ten or fifteen minutes later I went to Mr. Ryan's office. He told me he had decided to buy the stock and asked if he had bought it. He told me he had decided to buy the stock and asked if he had bought it. He told me he had decided to buy the stock and asked if he had bought it.

He had told me he wanted my help. I told him that I was not a party to the transaction. He said that I was the one man in New York who could help him. I told him that I was not a party to the transaction.

"What kind of a party?" asked Mr. Hughes, counsel to the investigating committee. "To help him get his nominee elected Chairman of the Board," replied Mr. Harriman.

Asked upon what ground he had criticized Mr. Ryan's plan, Mr. Harriman replied: "Well, it was rather staggering to anybody that Ryan wanted to control the Equitable or should have control of it."

"I told him," continued Mr. Harriman, "that if I was satisfied that he was acting from a purely selfish motive in the interest of the Equitable I would help him. He told me his plan. I did not tell him then that I assisted him to get his nominee elected."

"Why did you, if you are not satisfied as to the purity of his motives?" asked Mr. Hughes.

"I became satisfied that with Mr. Morton in charge and if Mr. Ryan were sincere the affairs of the Equitable would be safe. I was not convinced that Mr. Ryan was sincere. I did not think Mr. Ryan would share the stock with me."

INDEPENDENT HOCKEY TEAM. An effort is being made to form an independent hockey team in this city and the outlook is very promising for a good year. Among the men that will form the line-up are Hainnie, formerly of Sackville, Shaffer, of last year's Sackville and Moncton teams. The independent team will be made of good men that expect to make the game go here.

The advertisement carries immediately to the remotest regions information formerly only obtainable by the few and near—N. Y. Sun.

H. D. CAMP REFUSES TO GIVE EVIDENCE.

His Counsel Claims He Can't Be Compelled to Testify in Preston Case—Magistrate Decides Differently.

The police court room was crowded this morning when the preliminary hearing was resumed in the case of Dr. Edward Preston, charged with the murder of Edith Froyd Clark.

Dr. Roberts and Dr. Scammell were recalled and when an attempt was made by the crown to place Howard Camp (a prisoner in the case) on the stand it was met with a strong objection by Dr. Macrae, Camp's counsel, who, in his remarks, intimated that Dr. Scammell and Dr. Roberts were guilty of concealing a crime.

The witness told of how he had prepared for the operation using the usual methods and precautions. He first found that septicemia had set in on Saturday night about eleven o'clock. The symptoms of pneumonia are similar to septicemia. It was about twelve hours after the blood poisoning had set in that he performed the operation, as the patient had to be gotten ready for the operation. The preparatory work was going on all night. The operation could have been performed at once on the discovery of the blood poisoning, but he did not do so. During the day time it would take about eight hours to get ready. He did not leave town the night before the operation.

Mr. Grew here asked the witness about the death certificate and the solicitor general objected on the ground that the paper was Doctor Roberts' own paper and that the public have no right to it and that the counsel had no right to ask about it.

Mr. Morrell said that he agreed the death certificate is the property of Dr. Roberts.

Solicitor General Jones said that he did not notice anything unfair in the reading of the papers but the reading in the Sun to the effect that Dr. Roberts "had used an instrument and a needle" was a different inference than what was brought out by the evidence. The evidence has been fairly reported by the reporters, but the headlines of the Sun were misleading.

Mr. Scammell was recalled, and in answer to the solicitor general said that the first conversation between the patient and himself was on Sunday, when she said Howard Camp was responsible for her condition, and that she had endeavored to perform an abortion, but was unsuccessful. He then wrote out the conversation on a piece of paper and read it to her, and she signed it. The paper was again put in evidence and Dr. Scammell recognized it.

The next conversation was on Monday morning, the next day after the operation, when she said that she had been seen by another doctor, but did not want to get any person in trouble. When told that in case she lived she would not get any person in trouble she said it was Dr. Preston who had seen her, he had used an instrument on her and medicine had been brought to her by Dr. Preston. She also made a remark as to the serious nature of the operation.

Mr. Morrell objected to the way the question was being given, and said the witness should give the exact words. Continuing the witness said the patient remarked that Dr. Preston had told her that the operation was a serious one. The operation Dr. Roberts performed was curing it. It is a difficult operation under any condition, but it depends greatly on the condition of the patient. The recognition of Dr. Roberts and Dr. Scammell were then taken for their appearance at the supreme court on January 2nd.

The solicitor general then asked that the court gave an order for Howard Camp to be brought from the jail to give evidence. When Camp was brought in he was given a seat near his counsel, A. W. Macrae.

Dr. Macrae addressed the court, and objected to his being called as a witness. He was arrested on the same day as Dr. Preston. He claims he is not a competent witness while resting in prison as being connected with the death of Edith Clark, and is not a compellable witness. He then quoted the law that the statement of one prisoner is not good either for or against another prisoner, notwithstanding the fact that his evidence might incriminate himself and that the law protects him.

"Supposing the two doctors in court," he continued, pointing to Drs. Roberts and Scammell, "are trying to conceal a crime, and I think the evidence shows they are, they could ask for the protection of the section."

Dr. Morrell also said that on behalf of Dr. Preston he objected to the evidence of Camp or any other prisoner. Dr. Macrae said that Camp would decline to give any evidence in the case.

Rev. F. S. Bamford, of the west side, will go to Wolfville, N. S., tomorrow, where on Sunday afternoon he will address the students in College hall, on "Rationalism, Its Attitude Toward Christianity," and on Sunday evening he will occupy the pulpit of the Wolfville Baptist church. The pulpit of the Ludlow street Baptist church will be filled on Sunday by J. N. Shortliffe, of Acadia.

The steamer Lake Champlain, which sailed on Monday for Liverpool and Glasgow. Her freight is valued at \$28,074. The foreign freight value amounted to \$23,386, and the Canadian freight was valued at \$2,674.

The steamer Athena, which also sailed on Sunday for Liverpool and Glasgow. Her freight is valued at \$28,074. The foreign freight value amounted to \$23,386, and the Canadian freight was valued at \$2,674.

A countryman, named McDermott, this morning made a complaint at the police station that he had been robbed of \$38 while staying at a house on Pond street. The man is about sixty years of age.

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION. FOR SALE—One black gelding, about 1200 lbs., one bay mare, 1200 lbs., also one bay mare about 1200 lbs.; all sound. Apply to PERCY BARNETT, Springfield, N. B.

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ST. JOHN STAR, FRIDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1905.

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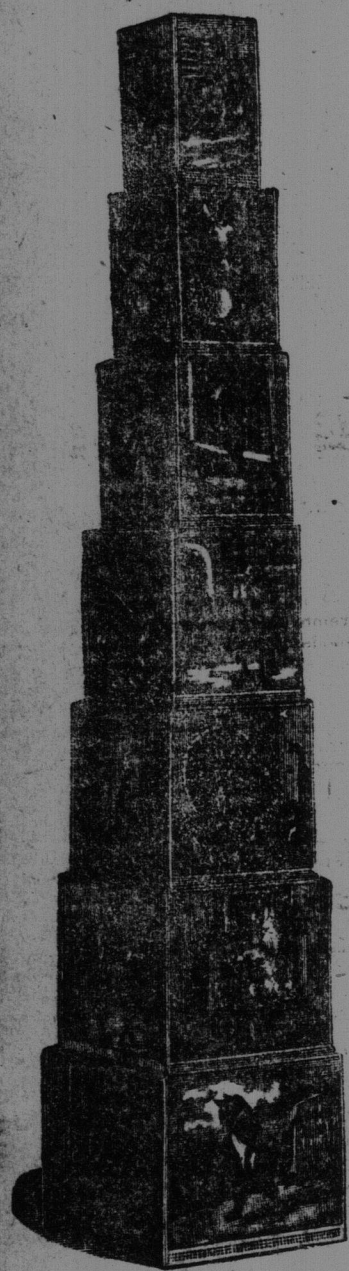
Fancy Cloth Skirts, brown or navy, were \$2.65; reduced to \$2.26.  
Skirts of Navy Flannel material, were \$3.50; reduced to \$2.98.  
Dark Grey Melton Skirts, were \$3.65; reduced to \$3.11.  
Skirts of Plain Brown Cloth, were \$3.95; reduced to \$3.37.  
Skirts of Mixed Brown Tweed, were \$3.95; reduced to \$3.37.

Navy Melton Skirts, were \$4.00; reduced to \$3.38.  
Dark Grey Cloth Skirts, were \$4.25; reduced to \$3.62.  
Black Cloth Skirts, that were \$3.25; reduced to \$2.77.

3.50; " " 2.98  
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4.75; " " 3.98

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At 28 King Street

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See our great value in Dressed Dolls, at 15, 25, 35 and 50c.

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### 2nd Hand Show Cases.

- 1 Nickel Frame Show Case 7 ft. oval front, \$14.00.
- 1 " " " 10 ft. " " " 20.00.
- 1 Wood Frame, Square, 6 ft. with metal corners 14.00.
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## Watch Our Prices.

### COMPLAINT OF MILLING COMPANY BEFORE RAILWAY COMMISSION

MONTREAL, Dec. 14.—The railway commission met here this morning and heard a complaint made by the R. W. Oliver Milling Company, Montreal, against the Grand Trunk with regard to rates on grain products from Montreal and points west of Montreal in the province of Ontario to points in the maritime provinces.

R. W. Oliver, who appeared on behalf of the milling companies, complained that the mill was being practically crushed out of the business by the fact that through rates were given from Chicago and Detroit to the port of St. John and other points east, that Montreal millers who shipped their products east could not compete against.

The rate against them was as much as seventeen and a half cents. These through rates were given, he knew, so that the railway might compete on equal terms with American railways for the traffic, but he submitted that a local miller ought to have the advantage of a proportionate rate in respect to cornmeal produced here.

An interesting point arising out of this case was the position of the Intercolonial, which, it appears, gives a different rate for cornmeal when it has the fixing of the rate in its own hands to that given when the rate is fixed by the Grand Trunk. It was explained in respect of the meal shipped by the Grand Trunk to go over the Intercolonial that the Grand Trunk had the fixing of the freight charge west of Montreal and was governed by the tariff that was subject to an agreement between the companies, while the Intercolonial's hands were free as regards the rate over its own line.

The commission reserved judgment.

### SHOOTING ACCIDENTS IN MAINE DURING BIG GAME SEASON

PORTLAND, Me., Dec. 14.—An unofficial record of shooting accidents in Maine during the big game season which began October 15 and closes at midnight tomorrow night, shows there have been seven fatal accidents and 12 minor casualties. One fatality and four accidents were assigned to the persons being mistaken for deer and four accidents were due to the careless passing of guns in canoes and boats. The dead are:

Paul Edwards, aged 8, instantly killed by his twelve-year-old brother at Oakfield, Sept. 23.

Ralph Todd, 25, shot October 10 at Norcross.

Warren G. Lidden, 16, Burlington, killed Oct. 2 by passing of gun from a canoe.

Enall Reid, 15, West Tremont, killed Oct. 9, accidental discharge of gun in hands of companion in boat.

Daniel Durgin, The Forks Plantation, accidentally shot Nov. 8, died in a few hours.

Wm. Greene, Perham, killed by being mistaken for a deer, Oct. 20.

Arthur Frost, 18, Charlotte, killed by accidental discharge of his shot gun while hunting rabbits today.

### MISSIONARY APPOINTED.

HALIFAX, Dec. 14.—Rev. William Jamieson of Oak Springs, Ont., has been appointed to succeed Rev. W. L. McRae as missionary in Princetown, Trinidad. The appointment was made today at a meeting of the Presbyterian board of foreign missions.

### ATTEMPTED SUICIDE WITH RAZOR

Maine Man Had Worried Over Recent Murder at Kesar Falls.

KESAR FALLS, Me., Dec. 14.—After dwelling upon the murder and robbery eight days ago of his friend and neighbor, David Varney, and brooding over his testimony at the coroner's inquest, at which he identified a shot gun and dinner pail found back of Varney's barn as the property of Wesley Chick, who is confined in the South Paris jail awaiting a trial on the charge of murder, Melvin Douglas, aged about 50 years, tonight attempted suicide with a razor.

He was found by Mrs. Douglas just after dark lying in a pool of blood on his barn floor.

An artery was severed half-way between the elbow and wrist, on one arm, and an opening was cut in his windpipe. He had lost much blood, and a physician stated that internal bleeding probably would cause death within 12 hours.

Douglas was in a semi-conscious state when found, and when asked if there had been any one about the place shook his head to indicate a negative answer. A razor, identified as used by Douglas, was found between a wagon at one side of the barn, where he is supposed to have done his work. From there he crawled to the centre of the barn floor and became exhausted.

Special interest attaches to this case because of its following so closely upon the murder; in fact, the villagers here to the first inquest reports, that there had been a second murder.

### BRITISH CONSUL WAS DROWNED.

SAN JOSE, Costa Rica, Dec. 13.—The schooner Florence, while on her voyage from Bluefields to Port Limon, Costa Rica, was wrecked.

Among those lost were Frederick M. H. Wood, British consul at Port Limon; two Americans, John Tibbitt and W. M. Rather, the latter from Texas, and three sailors.

One passenger and two sailors were rescued.

### The TERRIBLE PANGS OF DYSPESIA CAN BE CURED

To be dyspeptic is to be miserable, hopeless, confused and depressed in mind, forgetful, irresolute, drowsy, languid and useless.

Constipation, headache, heartburn, sour stomach, distress after eating, belching of wind, faintness, and fullness and distention of the stomach are a few of the many distressing symptoms of the poor, weary dyspeptic.

Dyspepsia is a disease that in one way or another resembles nearly every other disease, and the only way to get rid of it is to tone up the stomach, liver, bowels and blood. This will be quickly done by the use of

### BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS

It regulates the stomach, stimulates the secretion of the saliva and gastric juice to facilitate digestion, removes acidity, purifies the blood, and tones up the entire system.

Mrs. M. A. McNeil, Brook Village, N.B., writes: "Last winter I was very thin and was fast losing flesh owing to the run down state of my system. I suffered from dyspepsia, loss of appetite and bad blood. I tried everything I could get but to no purpose. I finally started to use Burdock Blood Bitters, and from the first day I felt the good effects of the medicine and am strong and well again. I can eat anything now without any ill after effects. It gives me great pleasure to recommend Burdock Blood Bitters, for I feel it saved my life."

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A Store full of Interest.  
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CHRISTMAS GOODS.

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  - Children's Lamb Boas, .... 19, 25 42c.
  - Special Value in Pillow Shams 22c. each
  - Children's Wool Hoods .... 25, 35, 45c.
  - Men's Pure Linen Hdkfs. .... 19c.
  - Men's Silk Hdkfs. .... 25, 39, 50c.
  - Ladies' Lawn Aprons—See our 49c. Quality.
  - Men's Fancy Mufflers .... 49c. each
  - Men's Fancy Braces in Nice Box 75c.
  - Men's Princely Braces .... 25c.
  - Ladies' Wool Gloves, Best Quality, .... 25 and 35c.
  - Apron Lawn, Fancy Border, .. 19, 25c.
- Be here tonight and Saturday.

Cor. Duke and Charlotte Sts.

### DELIBERATE ATTEMPT AT MURDER IN PORTLAND.

PORTLAND, Me., Dec. 14.—A deliberate attempt at murder was made on Fore street this morning, when Thomas Doherty, aged about 30 years, walked up to Frank Sangie, his brother-in-law, and discharged two shots from a 32 calibre revolver at him. One of the shots grazed Sangie's ear, and the other penetrated the body below the right shoulder. It is not believed it touched the lung. Sangie was taken to the Maine General Hospital, where his condition is critical.

No attempt has been made to find the bullets. Doherty fled after the shooting and has not been apprehended.

When fired upon, Sangie, who is an Italian, was walking with his wife, who is Doherty's sister, and it is believed that the cause of the crime was Doherty's anger because his sister married an Italian.

### A GUARANTEED CURE FOR PILES.

Itching, Blind, Bleeding, Protruding Piles. Druggists are authorized to refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure in 5 to 14 days. 50c.

### CHASED BY WOLVES

IN CHARLOTTE COUNTY.

Alexander Little, a travelling salesman of Harvey, and delivering cooking stoves in Charlotte county, has related a thrilling story to the Baillie correspondent of the St. Croix Courier, in which he states that while driving from the northern portion of the parish of St. James to the home of John Gilmore, at Baillie, Charlotte county, on Saturday last he was chased and surrounded by wolves. The vicious animals tore part of the canvas covering on his sled and would have made a meal of him if it had not been that he fought them hard with a sled stake, and they only retired to the forest when he neared a farm house and the barking of the farmer's dogs caused them to retire to the forest. He says he will never again doubt the stories told as to wolves in Charlotte county. It is already evident that these animals are the same animals seen by parties first at Bocahe and then at Elmsville and that they are headed in a northerly direction and may never again be seen in this section of our province.

### STANDING ARMY OF STRIKE BREAKERS

CHICAGO, Dec. 14.—The Chicago Employers' Association at a meeting today formulated plans for the establishment of a standing army of workmen, both skilled and unskilled, and representing every branch of trade, to be prepared to go to any city in the United States to fill the places of strikers when necessary. The scope of the association will be extended so as to include every city in the United States with a population of 5,000 or more. Employment bureaus will be maintained in all cities of this class where non-union men can register. When an occasion arises, these men will be used to take the places of strikers.

### FREE KINDERGARTEN XMAS.

The 42 children in the free kindergarten, Waterloo street, are busily making gifts for their parents and friends. They in turn expect a visit from Santa Claus to their school soon. In this connection the management of the kindergarten would be pleased to accept any donations of toys, candy, etc., on Monday or Tuesday next. Closing exercises of the school will take place on Wednesday.

### WITH ADVERTISERS.

Waterbury & Ring's shoe stores will be open every evening during next week, commencing Monday, Dec. 18. The public are strongly urged to, when at all possible, try morning shopping. The store is sure to close during the afternoon taking away much of the pleasure of Christmas shopping.

### BUCKWHEAT.

New Western Grey Buckwheat.  
New Yellow Buckwheat.  
Self-Rising Buckwheat.  
**MEGARITY & KELLEY**  
Hay Market Square.  
Telephone 820.

### THE ANNUAL

### Public Meeting

OF THE NEW BRUNSWICK TOURIST ASSOCIATION will be held in the Board of Trade Rooms, 55 Prince William street, THURSDAY EVENING DEC. 14, at 8 o'clock, when the reports of the Executive Committee and Treasurer will be submitted. All persons interested in the work are cordially invited to attend.

M. ST. C. OLIVE, Secretary.

### Opera House!

St. John, N. B.

FOR A LIMITED ENGAGEMENT, COMMENCING

**Monday Dec. 25**

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Lowest One-Way First-Class Fare

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Going Dec. 23, 1905, to Jan. 1, 1906, inclusive, good to return until Jan. 3, 1906.

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Feb. 12, LAKE CHAMPLAIN... Mar. 3

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ST. JOHN TO LONDON. S. S. MOUNT TEMPLE... Dec. 19 Third Cabin only.



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## Useful Gifts for Men.

Why not combine usefulness with your Christmas generosity, and give "him" a Smoking Jacket or a fancy Vest. We have a good stock to select from. Nothing is more acceptable to a man as a Christmas gift than a comfortable house coat or a smart waistcoat. If you are in doubt about the size bring along one of his vests and we can tell you the exact size he requires.

Smoking Jackets, \$2.50, \$4, \$4.50, \$5 to \$9.50.  
White, knitted and fancy Vests, \$1.65 to \$5.  
Suit Hangers, 15 cents, two for a quarter; Pant Hangers, 10 cents—useful accessories.

**A. GILMOUR, FINE TAILORING.**  
Ready-to-Wear Clothing.  
68 King Street.

**A Choice Lot of Gravenstein Apples Cheap.**

**Also Western Grey Buckwheat Flour at**  
**H. R. COLEMAN, Cor. Spring & Winter Sts**  
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**Sweet Potatoes, Oyster Plant, Celery, Lettuce, Radishes, Parsley, Watercress.**

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**Christmas Presents for Men and Boys.**  
of Silk Scarfs and Bows, Braces, Cardigans, Silk Hdk'fs, Mufflers, Warm Gloves, &c.

**A. B. WETMORE, 59 Garden Street.**

**FURS—Ladies' and Children's, in great variety.**  
**Man's Visor Hood and Muffler—See it.**  
**Ladies' Knitted Shawls. Hosiery.**

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## Mink Ties.

About one dozen of beautiful Mink Ties At the prices asked, quality considered, they are bargains.

**J. B. BARDLEY, 179 Union Street.**

## The Winter Port Grocery and Crockery Store

The best goods, kept clean and at low prices.  
Christie's Biscuits, including Macaroons, Ratifias, Salt Wafers, Ice Wafers, &c.  
Northern Spy Apples, Florida Oranges, Tangerine Oranges, Golden Fall Bananas.

**FRED BURRIDGE, 255 King Street.**  
West St. John.  
Phone 449—O.  
Store open every Evening till Xmas.

## 300 Doz. Dolls.

Dressed Dolls, 10c to 25c each.  
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Dolls Heads, Shoes and Stockings.  
Toys, 1c to \$4.00, in Tin Toys, Iron Toys, Wood Toys, Musical Toys, Mechanical Toys.  
Cups and Saucers, 5c to \$1.00 each.  
Plates, Shaving Mugs, Vases, Statues, etc., 5c up.  
Picture Books, 1c to \$1.00 each.  
Games, 4c to 80c each; Tree Ornaments, 1c up.

We have a good assortment of Metal Novelties, also Glass and Handkerchief Sets, Shaving Cases, Mirrors, Toilet Cases, etc.  
All our Christmas goods come to us direct from the manufacturers and our customers get the benefit of the best values in town. Store open every evening until Christmas.

**Arnold's Department Store, 11-15 Charlotte St.**

## THE ORDER OF THE DAY.

Is the order renowned throughout the world, the one that has paid in stock benefits and funeral expenses \$80,000,000 in 25 years, the one that has today a membership total of 1,250,000 throughout the English-speaking world. If you join No. 766, I. O. O. F.

"MANCHESTER UNITY"  
you will at once feel a sense of security. Here are good reasons:—  
BENEFITS.  
\$50 per week in case of sickness, with free doctor and medicine.  
\$50.00 on death of member's wife.  
\$100.00 on death of member. Particulars can be obtained from H. NOAKES, Secretary, 154 Charlotte street.

## MONEY TO LOAN.

MONEY TO LOAN on city freehold security at low rate of interest. J. H. PICKETT, Canadian Life Building, Prince Wm. St., 5th floor. Take elevator.

INVESTMENTS MADE AND MONEY LOANED on mortgages. TILLEY & SMITH, Barristers, Canada Life Building, Prince William street. 24.1.17

**FRAMERS, SLEDS, SKATES.**  
Also balance of TOYS Selling at Cost Price to clear.

**BOY'S SNOW SHOVELS, 10, 15, and 20 Cents.**

**Addison's Hardware Store,**  
44 Germain Street.

## CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

TO LET—Rooms to let, single and double. Well furnished and newly renovated. All conveniences.

**The single man who is not comfortably housed for the winter should watch this page for such ads as the above. There is nothing in the paper that more directly concerns him than news of this sort of better accommodations.**

### FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—A low pung, new. Can be seen at David Watson's stable, Duke street. Apply there or to W. A. Gibson, 54 Prince Wm. street.

FOR SALE—CHAD—One double-seated sleigh; also one double-seated covered carriage. Apply 27 Golding street.

FOR SALE—Flat, three rooms, warm and convenient. Also for sale small quantity household effects. Apply at 218 Princess street.

FOR SALE—Freehold property, three storey wooden house, stone foundation, good central locality. Suitable for two tenants. In good repair. Address E. A. P. Star Office.

FOR SALE—Hob-bled, with pole. Apply to J. O. RODRICK & SON, Britain street.

FOR SALE—A marine boiler and 14 p marine engine (new). A bargain. Call at 470 Main street.

FOR SALE—First class up-to-date driving or speed sleigh. A bargain. Apply to F. A. REDD, 25 Germain street.

FOR SALE—Two second-hand hot air furnaces, in good condition. Can be seen by applying to J. F. TRIPPS, Sexton of St. Paul's (Valley) Church.

FOR SALE—First class grocery store; well established in central part of city; well adapted for wholesale commission. Also horse, harness and sled. Will sell very low for cash. Address "WEST" care of Star Office.

FOR SALE—One set driving harness, one much ox robe, large size; one single sleigh. Enquire M. COWAN, 18 Cedar street.

FOR SALE—House on Douglas ave. No. 302, two story, eight rooms and bath; possession about the middle of April. Apply F. L. FLEWELLING.

FOR SALE—House—eight rooms—on Howe's Road. Apply V. care Star Office.

FOR SALE—At Real Estate Pool Room, 143 Mill street, large Cook Stove, Show Case and Counter. Given away, one large Photograph, ten One-Dollar Cash Prizes. Call and see about it. Twenty-five cents spent at this room gives you one chance.

**BARGAINS IN LADIES' JACKETS.**  
Serviceable, trimmed Beaver Cloth Jackets for \$5.00 and \$10.00. \$10.00 and \$15.00 Jackets to be sold for \$2.50 and \$3.50. Hatty, Lahood & Hatty, 23-25 Brussels street and 226 Waterloo.

FOR SALE—One Book Case, 5-1-1 ft. high 3 ft. 4 inches wide, one drawer, two glass doors. Apply at Star Office.

FOR SALE—About twenty new and second-hand hand delivery wagons, 2 coaches and 3 horses, carriages, different styles, ready for use, glass front coach, new trimmings, well painted; a first class coach very cheap. Also 3 cut-under carriages, best place in the city for painting and greatest facilities for repairs. Apply to A. G. EDWARDS, 125 and 129 City Road. 24.1.17

**LEGAL PRACTITIONERS.**

CLARENCE H. FERGUSON, Barrister, etc., Clerk County Court, 42 Princess street. Office Telephone 634; home telephone 1292; money to loan.

AMON A. WILSON, K. C., Barrister, Notary, Conveyancer, Chubb's Corner. Tel. 526.

E. R. CHAPMAN, B. A., Barrister, Notary, etc., Loans negotiated and money invested. 49 Canterbury street. Telephone: Office 685; house 975.

W. H. HARRISON, LL. B., Barrister, Solicitor, Notary, etc., Office Canada Life Building. Office telephone, 529; house telephone, 1554.

J. KING KELLEY, B. C. L., Barrister, Solicitor, etc., 105 Prince Wm. street.

BEVERLEY R. ARMSTRONG, B. C. L., Barrister, Solicitor, etc., Office, Rich Building, 50 Princess street. Telephone: Office 746; house 745.

HAZEN & RAYMOND, Barristers, Solicitors, etc., 105 Prince Wm. street. J. D. Hazen, K. C., E. P. Raymond, B. A. Money to loan.

### MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS

BARGAINS in Pianos, Organs and Piano Stools that must be sold or hired, as I am going out of the piano business. WILLIAM CRAWFORD, 105 Princess street.

**Carson Coal Co.**  
Best American and Scotch Hard Coal. All kinds of Soft Coal. Prompt delivery. Best quality guaranteed. Phone 1803. 110 Water St.

## CIDER!

Sweet Nova Scotia Cider remains sweet with me. I have a way of keeping it so that the flavor is retained. Try a barrel.

**J. G. WILLETTE, FRUIT AND PRODUCE,**  
3 North Wharf.

**Mrs. J. G. Armstrong**  
Will begin her Annual Sale of **ART WORK**  
at her home, 128 St. James street on Wednesday, Nov. 30th, continuing until Christmas. Tel. 1483

**Bell's Piano Store,**  
79 GERMAIN ST.

**OLD EXCHANGES**  
Old newspapers, exchanges, etc., for sale in bundles of 100 copies at 25c each.

Call at STAR Office, Canterbury St.

### SITUATIONS VACANT—FEMALE

WANTED—Good girl as assistant in cooking and kitchen work. MRS. LOUIS NELSON, 49 Lenister St.

WANTED—Printer—A young lady compositor. Also one or two boys to learn the printing business. Address W. H. care Star Office.

WANTED—A female cook; good wages. Apply to WATKINS HOUSE, Digby, N. S. W. J. Agate, Proprietor.

WANTED—A competent woman for housekeeper in family of three. Apply 19 Richmond street.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply WINDSOR HOTEL, 29 King Square.

WANTED—Girl for general housework and help care for baby. Apply 75 Hazen street, left door.

WANTED—A girl for general housework by 3rd January, 1906; small family; small eat. Apply after 7 p. m. to MRS. C. W. HOPE GRANT, No. 2 St. James street.

WANTED—Girl for general housework in small family. Must go home at nights. Apply 129 Orange street.

WANTED—At once one chambermaid and one kitchen maid. Apply CLIFTON HOUSE.

WANTED—A capable woman for plain cooking. Apply to the Rothery College, Rothery, N. B. Only an experienced person need apply.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply 63 St. James street.

WANTED—A young girl for light housework. Apply at King's Daughters' Guild, Chipman's Hill.

### LOST.

LOST—On Thursday, Dec. 7th, a Fox Terrier Bitch, answering to the name of Fan. Finder will be rewarded by leaving same at P. KEEPS, Clarence street. Anyone harboring the same will be prosecuted.

LOST—A purse, between Hawker's Drug Store and Estabrooks' Tea House. Finder please leave at Star Office.

LOST—On Sunday last, gold locket and chain. Finder will be rewarded by leaving same at 73 Elliott Row.

LOST—Strayed from Castle street, a white kitten with spot on back and black ears. Finder will be rewarded by leaving at 20 Castle street.

LOST—On evening of Friday, Oct. 20th, gold locket and chain in street near Duke and King streets. Finder will kindly leave same at this office.

LOST—Sunday afternoon, from St. Luke's church to Trinity, by the way, Main, Hill and King streets, back by the way of Charlotte and Union streets, a child's twisted gold chain and heart shaped locket with setting. Finder will confer a great favor by leaving at this office.

LOST, STRAYED OR STOLEN—From Duke street, a large Persian cat. Finder rewarded by leaving at above address.

LOST—On Carmarthen street, near Duke, a pair of Gold Mounted Eyes, glasses with chain attached. Finder please leave at Star Office.

LOST, STRAYED OR STOLEN from Duke street, a large Persian Cat. Finder rewarded by leaving at above address.

### BOARDING.

BOARDING—A few boarders can be accommodated at corner Charles and Garden street.

WANTED—Gentlemen lodgers to occupy front room, 29 Horfield street.

BOARDING—Large furnished room, gentlemen or ladies, also single room, bath floor. Hot water. 20 Dorchester street.

BOARDERS WANTED—Young men accommodated with first class board, very reasonable rates. At 22 Queen street, near corner Prince William.

BOARDING—Two gentlemen can be accommodated with two large furnished rooms at MRS. J. C. MACK, 223 Main street.

BOARDING—BOSTON HOUSE, 14 Chipman Hill. Terms 75c to \$1.50 per day. Best table in the city for the price.

LODGINGS TO LET—Warm, comfortable, sunny rooms. Terms moderate. Apply at 30 Cliff street.

BOARDING—For young men a number of rooms with board in the most pleasant part of the city. All modern improvements. Fine view of harbor. J. G. Hayes, 7 St. James street.

### FOUND

FOUND—On Union street, a sum of money. Owner can secure same at H. P. and W. F. Starr's.

### PERSONAL

WOULD YOU MARRY IF SUITED?—Matrimonial paper containing hundreds advertisements, marriageable people, many rich; mailed free. The Correspondent, Toledo, Ohio.

YOUR FORTUNE TOLD FROM THE CRADLE TO GRAVE; matters of business, love and marriage made clear. What I tell comes true. Send birthdate and the PROP. LAYAS, Box 10, Ste. Cunegonde P. O., Montreal, Que.

CHARACTER FROM HANDWRITING—Send for an expert's written chart. Your character and health accurately told for 25c. "GRAPHO," 727 Sherbrooke st., Montreal.

The impression seems to prevail that advertised goods cost more than those not advertised. The very opposite of this is true. Why? Because the larger the quantity of goods produced, the cheaper they can be produced.—Hon. E. H. A. Morse, "Rising Sun Store" Polish.

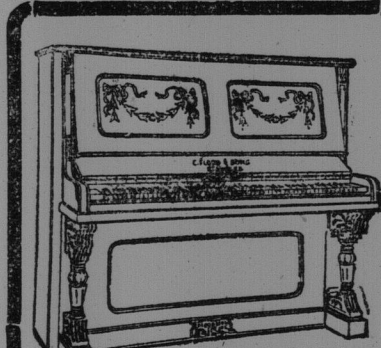
## CHRISTMAS GIFTS!

Nothing is more appropriate or more acceptable for a Christmas gift than some article of FURNITURE. Our stock is large and varied and comprises everything in the furniture line.



Cut 1—RATTAN ROCKERS, from..... \$3.75  
Cut 2—CENTRE TABLES, 24 in. top, from..... \$2.75  
Cut 3—COBBLER SEAT ROCKERS, from..... \$2.75

**George E. Smith, 18 King St.**  
Furniture, Carpets and Oilcloths.



**BEING** about to begin extensive improvements in our present store, we are obliged to offer our entire stock of

## Pianos and Organs

AT SUCH PRICES AND ON SUCH TERMS AS WILL INSURE THEIR IMMEDIATE SALE

Contracts have been made for these improvements which will require the stock to be either sold or removed before the 23rd inst. We have therefore decided to offer the goods at very low prices. This will probably be the most important forced sale of pianos ever offered in this city. Our stock is a large and varied one, and as nearly all the pianos have been personally selected we can confidently assure buyers of the high quality of the goods. Anyone thinking of purchasing a musical instrument in the near future should embrace this opportunity to see our prices and examine our stock. It may be a long time before such another chance offers.

**FLOOD Piano and Organ Co.,**  
32 Dock Street.

### FLATS TO LET.

TO LET—Flat corner Lenister and Sydney streets, facing King Square. Possession at once. Enquire of A. A. WILSON, Barrister, Chubb's Corner. Phone 526.

### BARGAINS.

FOR SALE—Western Steel Saddle, in good condition. Apply Star Office.

FOR SALE—Combination table vice, capital tool for either amateur or practical mechanic. No reasonable offer refused. Apply Star Office.

FOR SALE—Pressure gauge with brass connections for testing steam boilers or water pipes up to 140 lbs. Price \$3.00. Apply Star Office.

FOR SALE—Steam fitters pipe-cutter. Apply Star Office.

FOR SALE—A revolving metal piano stool—a bargain. Apply Star Office.

FOR SALE—Brass blue flame lamp. Price \$1.00. Apply Star Office.

### ROOMS TO LET.

TO LET—Large furnished rooms at Tremont House for fall and winter at very reasonable prices. Hot water heating.

TO LET—Rooms to let, single and double. Well furnished and newly renovated. All conveniences. Transient. Central locality, 211 Elliott Row. 1-8-47.

TO LET—Two furnished rooms in central part of the city on line of street railway. Ladies preferred. Apply to M. B., care Star Office.

The business of advertising deserves to be counted among the many modern wonders.—Overland Monthly.

## CENTRAL STORE.

Large assortment of Fish this week. Everything fresh cleaned. Delivered to any part of City.

**No. 9 Sydney St. Phone 450.**

## Our Motto!

**Good Work. Reasonable Prices. Material Guaranteed.**  
**W. H. TURNER, MERCHANT TAILOR,**  
440 Main Street.

## Presents For Men.

What is more acceptable for a man than a pair of HOUSE SLIPPERS? When he comes home tired at night and slips on a pair of Slippers it makes him feel like a new man. We have them ranging in price from 25c to \$1.50. Call and see them it is a pleasure to show goods.

**Central Shoe Store,** 122 Mill St., next I.O.R. Depot



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ST. JOHN STAR, FRIDAY, DECEMBER 18, 1906

**LATEST STYLES**  
OF  
**ENGLISH and**  
**American Walking Sticks.**  
For Ladies and Gentlemen; Gold  
and Silver Mounted, with or with-  
out Ice Brads.

**Royal Pharmacy**  
13 KING ST.

**SUNBURSTS!**  
And Every  
Other Popular  
Shape in  
**BROOCHES**  
for the Hol-  
iday season,  
now on.

In Silver, Gold and other  
precious metals. Every novelty,  
every standard quality. Good  
strong fastenings. All nicely  
boxed for presentation.

From 25c to \$30.

**A. POYAS, JEWELLER,**  
545 MAIN ST., NEAR FORT HENRY.

Dec. 25 **PERFUME IS**  
**A PRESENT**  
That Always Pleases.  
See the Latest,  
Daintiest  
Odors,

**W. J. McMILLIN**  
DRUGGIST,  
625 Main St.  
Phone 980.

Dec. 25 **CALL AND SEE**  
**FRED. H. DUNHAM,**  
UPHOLSTERER,  
for Xmas Novelties in Furniture,  
Chairs, Lobby Houses, Fancy  
Tables, Etc.  
Regalading Done Promptly.

**HOLIDAY PHOTOGRAPHS.**  
SPECIALS—Vice Roy, a dainty half  
cabinet, oval or square, \$1.00 per dozen;  
well-dressed Large Cabinet, \$2.00 per  
dozen; Extra Fine Large Cabinet, oval,  
white or black card, \$2.50 per dozen.

**LUCIAN PHOTO STUDIO,**  
625 Charlotte St.

**Fancy Sale.**  
MRS. HERBERT D. EVERETT an-  
nounces her annual sale of paintings,  
needle work and other novelties at her  
home, 77 Brunswick street, commencing  
MONDAY, Dec. 18th, continuing till  
Xmas.

**After The Theatre**  
The place to go for  
Refreshments is  
**THE ORIENTAL CAFE,**  
19 Charlotte St.

**LAUNDRIES.**  
**Chinese Laundry!**  
**KWONG LONG, 8 Portland Street.**  
Goods called for and delivered. But-  
tons sewed on free.  
1 shirt laundered 8c. 2 collars laun-  
dered 5c.

**HAM LEE,**  
21 Waterloo, Corner of Paddock St.,  
St. John, N. B.

**FIRST-CLASS HAND LAUNDRY.**  
Family washing 20, 50 and 75 cents per  
dozen.  
Goods called for and delivered.

**I don't wear out your**  
**clothes.**  
**W. SAM WAH,**  
159 MILL STREET

**\*\*\*\*\***  
**XMAS CIGARS.**  
Choice smokes that will win the heart  
of any smoker packed in neat Xmas  
boxes from 25c to \$1.

**GEO. E. PRICE, Druggist.**  
127 Queen street. Phone 677.  
303 Union street. Phone 1459.

There are some things which cannot  
be advertised in other mediums, but  
there is nothing which cannot be ad-  
vertised in dailies—Advertiser.

**Delicate**  
**Children**  
The children cannot possibly have good health  
unless the bowels are in proper condition. A  
stagnant liver gives a coated tongue, bad breath,  
constipated bowels. Correct all these by giving  
small doses of Ayer's Pills. Genuine liver pills,  
gently laxative, all vegetable, sugar-coated.

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**ST. JOHN STAR.**  
ST. JOHN, N. B., DEC. 15, 1906.

THE LIBERALS AND HOME RULE.

Greatly as the British Liberals fear  
the question—and with good reason—  
it is apparent that Home Rule for Ire-  
land will be one of the most prominent  
issues of the coming election and if the  
Balfour wing of the Unionists succeed  
in making it the dominant issue, as  
they are cunningly manoeuvring to do,  
all the calculations of Liberal suc-  
cess, which have been based upon bye-  
elections where the question did not  
arise, may be decidedly upset.

It is apparent that Campbell-Bannerman  
made a grave tactical mistake  
when he delivered that speech favor-  
able to Home Rule on November 24th,  
probably before he anticipated any  
early change of government. Strenu-  
ously as his supporting newspapers are  
striving to emasculate that speech it  
contained too many quotable para-  
graphs to be treated generally and  
lightly. For instance it takes a lot of  
hedgehog explanation to get around a  
paragraph like this:

"The question of Ireland undoubtedly  
remained with us. He was addressing  
him freely, and he was going to speak  
his mind on the subject. The subject  
was not new nor was his opinion new.  
His opinion had long been known to  
them. It was that the only way of  
healing the evils of Ireland, the dif-  
ficulties of her administration, of giving  
content and prosperity to her people,  
and of making her a strength instead  
of a weakness of the empire, was that  
the Irish people should have the man-  
agement of their own domestic affairs."

Few will find fault with Lord Rose-  
bery's interpretation of this that, "the  
responsible leader of the Liberal party  
has, if I have not misread his utter-  
ances—and I do not conceive it possible  
to have misread his utterances because  
it is so careful, so strenuous, and so  
reiterated—he has hoisted once more in  
its most pronounced form the flag of  
Irish Home Rule."

Certain it is that the Irish National-  
ist party have made this interpretation  
and that they have quoted it freely dur-  
ing the campaign to the nullification of  
the anti-Home Rule Liberals' effort to  
convey the impression that the pre-  
mier was speaking in a Pickwickian  
sense. That such efforts will be made  
is apparent from the utterances of that  
influential Liberal journal, "The West-  
minster Gazette," which contends that  
"What Sir Henry says to the Irish  
members we have all in various degrees  
been saying to the temperance party,  
the labor party, and extremists of all  
kinds, and it is probable that we shall  
not refuse an installment which does not  
give you all you want, unless it actual-  
ly conflicts with your 'larger policy'."

To carry the Irish people with us in  
this moderate advance towards the  
ideal of managing Irish affairs accord-  
ing to Irish ideas must be the aim of  
the Liberal party; and it will also, we  
hope, be the aim of a great many pro-  
fessing Unionists, who have supported  
their own party in the policy of instal-  
ments.

But in the face of Lord Rosebery's  
open condemnation and of his omission  
from the cabinet or refusal to act  
thereon, it is improbable that these at-  
tempts will be successful. Even if the  
Balfour administration should be  
successful in the elections this speech  
of the premier's ensures it a short and  
stormy career. Should he live up to it  
he will antagonize an element which  
will certainly destroy him and if he at-  
tempts to escape from it, the National-  
ists and their allies, who are increas-  
ing in strength, will unite with the  
Unionists against him, and it is very  
doubtful if the Liberals will come out  
of the elections with a majority large  
enough to overcome such a combina-  
tion.

THE RESULT IN SASKATCHEWAN.

The result of the Saskatchewan elec-  
tions, if the final returns confirm the  
Liberal victory, definitely fixes a  
system of separate and sectarian  
schools upon the new province.

It has been the Liberal plea during  
the campaign that federal interference  
in the school affairs of the new pro-  
vince only goes far enough to confirm  
the educational ordinances in force be-  
fore the provinces were formed which  
ordinances were established by Mr.  
Haultain himself. But the opposition  
leader destroys that position by show-  
ing that his system was practically a  
national school system and if perpetu-  
ated together with the regulations as to  
uniform text books, uniform school  
inspections would be unobjectionable.  
But the Liberals have expressed no in-  
tention to preserve these regulations and  
without these, the ordinances  
which simply provide for separate  
schools, could be stretched to cover the  
pronounced type of ecclesiastical in-  
struction. That the Liberals intend to  
stretch them in this direction is indi-  
cated by the fact that the whole power  
of the Catholic church was used in  
their support. If Premier Scott really  
intends, as he says, to continue the  
system inaugurated by Mr. Haultain,

why should the Catholic archbishop of  
the west order his followers to vote for  
Scott and against Haultain?  
Clearly the west is saddled for long  
with the heavy handicap of a  
separate school system with all the  
perpetuation of race and religious ex-  
clusiveness and strife it implies. The  
children of the men whose ballots made  
this possible will live to feel the folly  
of their sires.

BELOW THE SURFACE.

Mayor White spoke words of truth  
and soberness last evening at the  
Tourist Association meeting, when he  
advocated attractions not wholly super-  
ficial, but suggestive of character, and  
appealing to the intellectual interests. A  
French actress who intimated that  
Canada is not making the same pro-  
gress in art, literature and other things  
of the mind as in agriculture and ma-  
terial wealth, was nearer right than  
the young men who in the name and in  
defense of Canadian culture threw bad  
eggs at her. The criticism of Sarah  
Bernhardt would not call for eggs in  
St. John, for we of this town are not  
sensitive on the point.

Our mayor  
points out that we have a good natural  
history museum which we keep out of  
sight. If we have good pictures they  
are in private houses. There is no pub-  
lic place for them. We have a historic  
cemetery where the forefathers of the  
hamlet sleep, and the children sit on  
broken tombstones to eat peanuts. We  
make a creditable and rather costly  
display to celebrate the anniversary of  
the arrival of Champlain and de  
Monts, but do not erect even a modest  
statue in any public place as a per-  
manent recognition of these explorers.  
If we have historic houses we tear  
them down when they no longer bring  
in a fair rental. The mayor's appeal to  
civil self-respect may well cause a lit-  
tle searching of hearts.—Sun.

THE SECRET OF SUCCESS.

The Amherst Telegraph hits the se-  
cret of a city's success when, in discus-  
ing the talk in St. John about attract-  
ing new industries, it points to the fact  
that the success of Amherst has been  
in a large measure due to the confidence  
manifested in the undertakings by the  
investment of local capital. "Thus," it  
says, "have the leading industries of  
our town been started and carried suc-  
cessfully forward, until, in some cases,  
the business has grown to such dimen-  
sions that outside capital was accepted  
to aid in its expansion. Our motied  
men, with faith in our towns as an in-  
dustrial centre, still stand ready to  
manifest it by investment in other ac-  
tivities which, by employing large num-  
bers of citizens, will contribute to  
its growth and prosperity."

If St. John could tell a story like this  
there would be little need to talk of  
bonuses and advertisements.

THE VALLEY OF OUR DREAMS.

Down in the valley  
Ain't the place to stop  
While a star can light you  
Up the ladder to the top.  
Not after all the climbing  
Where far-off glory gleams,  
We yearn towards the valley—  
The valley of our dreams!

Down in that valley  
We saw the golden years;  
Ain't know not that Pomer's starlight  
Streams through a storm of tears!  
With the bright, unfurrowed faces  
We met the mornin's beams—  
Led onward by the lilies  
In the valley of our dreams.

An' weary of the tollin',  
An' weary of the strife,  
If you ask us where we're goin'  
In the winter-time of life:  
Forever comes the answer  
Where glory's sunbeams stream:  
"We're travellers to the valley—  
The valley of our dreams!"  
—Frank L. Stanton.

NEW SWIMMING RECORD

CHICAGO, Dec. 15.—In the monthly  
handicap meet of the Central Y. M. C.  
A. Swimming Club, held in the associa-  
tion tank last night, H. J. Handy bet-  
tered two American records. The new  
marks were made in the 660 yard swim,  
and records lowered were the 660 yard,  
from 8:15 to 7:31.34, and the 660 yard  
from 9:41 to 9:40.5. Neither of these  
will stand as records, as they were  
made in a closed meet. Six new Y. M.  
C. A. records were also made in the  
same race. The medal for the highest  
number of points also was won by  
Handy, with a total of ten.

To cure Headache in ten minutes use  
Kumfont Headache Powder, 10 cents.

**TIGER**  
**TEA**  
**IS PURE.**

All notices of Births, Marriages and  
Deaths must be enclosed with the  
names and addresses of the persons  
sending same.

**BIRTHS.**

ROURKE—On Dec. 7th, at 555 Mc-  
Laren street, Ottawa, to the wife of  
J. E. Rourke, a son; still-born.

**DEATHS.**

SHORT—At St. John, Dec. 14, Charles  
K., eldest son of Charles K. and the  
late Harriet C. Short, in the 13th  
year of his age.  
Funeral on Saturday, 18th inst., from  
his late residence, No. 28 Paddock  
street. Service at 2.30. Funeral at 3.

CANADA WANTS IMPERIAL DOCKS

MONTREAL, Dec. 14.—A special Lon-  
don cable says: Hon. Raymond Pre-  
fontaine and Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux  
were the principal guests at a dinner  
given by the Canada Club last night.  
Mr. Prefontaine, responding to the toast  
of The Dominion, said what Canada had  
done for the navy was yet in its in-  
fancy. His government thought they  
should establish a naval reserve organ-  
ization which, little by little, should be-  
come part of the British navy.

He was at present in England negoti-  
ating with the admiralty with a view of  
taking over the docks at Halifax and  
Esquimaux, which had cost the Brit-  
ish government \$1,000,000, and which  
would be the nucleus of the Canadian  
navy.

His negotiations would, he hoped,  
have been finished by now, but the  
change of government still kept him  
in London. He was pleased, however,  
that the new government seemed favor-  
ably disposed towards his plans.

**SURE.**  
Man in the Big Hat—T've always  
made money out of politics.  
Man in Small Hat—Are you a politi-  
cal orator?  
Man in Big Hat—No; I'm the leader  
of the brass band. The musicians al-  
ways get paid, but the orators are  
expected to talk for nothing.

**THE REPAIRING SHOP.**  
In Household Repairs, Electric Bells,  
Curt Stands, Fendercases, Silverware,  
Lamps, Rubber Articles, Gramo-  
phones, Phonographs, Clarinets, Musi-  
cal Instruments, Snap-shot Camer-  
as, Pipes and all small articles. Jewel-  
ry repaired or recolorated, etc., etc.  
Repairing Carpet Sweepers a Spec-  
ialty.

**E. P. JELICOE,**  
20 WATERLOO ST., ST. JOHN, N. B.

**ELECTRIC**  
**WIRING**  
—IN—  
**ALL BRANCHES.**

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Electrical Engineer  
and Contractor,  
5 Mill St. - - Phone 319.

**BEST QUALITY**  
Seeded Raisins, Cleaned Currants,  
Pure Spices, Citron, Oranges  
and Lemons Spices.

**CHAS. A. CLARK,**  
49 Charlotte St., Market Building  
Telephone 803.

Rich and Rare were the Gems also wore.

**Who Wants a Diamond Ring?**

Who?  
Don't all speak at once for the supply  
is limited and becomes lower every day  
and higher in price, but I have quite  
a stock and am anxious to sell at prices  
ranging from \$10.00 to \$150. All choice  
Finest GEMS of Antwerp and Am-  
sterdam cut and mounted in the very  
best styles and all warranted as re-  
presented by

**W. TREMINE CARD,**  
Diamond Dealer and Jeweller,  
77 CHARLOTTE STREET.

**Lowney's Products.**  
Ice Cream Drops.  
Maple Cream Drops.  
Fig Confection.  
Chocolate Assorted Nuts.  
Chocolate Nut Bar.

For Sale by  
**E. M. MANNING,**  
Phone 113, 101 Charlotte St.

**Fruit Cake Pans**  
and Pastry Cutters always in  
stock. Pans for Christmas  
cooking in variety at

**H. S. COSMAN,**  
211 UNION ST.

All kinds Snow Shovels.

**Barbadoes Sugar**  
For Fruit Cake.

New Cider. New Dates and  
Figs. Candied Peels and Pure  
Spices. Ground Almonds for  
Almond Paste.

**W. L. McELWAINES,**  
Cor. Leinster and Sydney.

**CHRISTMAS SALE OF HANDKERCHIEFS**

3c to 30c each.

WHITE SWISS EMBROIDERED HANDKERCHIEFS, 10c each up.  
WHITE LAWN HANDKERCHIEFS, Lace Edge, 8c. to 15c. each.  
WHITE SWISS HANDKERCHIEFS, Scallop Edge, 8c. to 25c. each.  
WHITE LAWN HANDKERCHIEFS, Narrow and Wide Hem, 3c. and 5c. each.

Special Sample Lot of Ladies' Handkerchiefs, 25 per cent. off regular  
prices.

Buy Early and Get First Choice.

**I. CHESTER BROWN, 32 and 36 King Square.**

**JEWELRY**  
FOR THE HOLIDAYS.

Our stock this season will far  
surpass any previously shown in  
this city, for variety and choice  
designs.

We invite an early inspection  
by all our customers.

**FERGUSON & FGE,**  
41 King Street.

**Reduction**  
**Sale of**  
**FURS**

Beginning on Tuesday, Dec. 12, I will  
reduce the prices of the ENTIRE  
STOCK of ladies' and children's neck-  
furs, Fur-lined Capes, Coats, etc., etc.  
Space will not allow me to enumerate  
the different articles or prices. A visit  
will convince you that you can save  
money in buying your furs now.

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17 Charlotte St.

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phones, Phonographs, Clarinets, Musi-  
cal Instruments, Snap-shot Camer-  
as, Pipes and all small articles. Jewel-  
ry repaired or recolorated, etc., etc.  
Repairing Carpet Sweepers a Spec-  
ialty.

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**CONFECTIONERY!**

Christmas shoppers will do well to  
call here and see my stock of Con-  
fectionery. Showroom upstairs. Bar-  
ley toys and popcorn balls for children.  
Christmas stockings filled. Bon-Bon  
crackers; all kinds of novelties; Choice  
Confectionery; beautiful basket-  
filled and empty milk-lined boxes. Come  
early and select your basket to be filled  
and set aside for you. All orders  
promptly attended to.

**SCAMMELL'S, 63 Charlotte St.**  
Tel. 1113.

**GENEVERA STICKNEY,**  
Public Stenographer.

OFFICE:  
13 Prince William St.  
Phone 1120.

**Best Hardwood**  
Sawed \$2.25 per Load.  
and Split \$2.50 per Load.  
Broad Gove Coal delivered in bags or  
bulk.

**JOHN WATTERS,**  
Phone 612, Walzer's Wharf

**GOOD BREAD**  
Eaters are asking for "ROB-  
INSON'S SPECIAL."  
See stamp R.S. on every loaf

**ROBINSON'S,**  
Phone 1161, 173 Union St.

Fencing Fois from \$1.75 to \$2.50  
per pair.

Fencing Masks—genuine steel  
masks, well finished \$8.50  
per pair.

Sporting Goods, of all kinds, a  
specialty.

**KEE & BURGESS,**  
195 Union Street.

**Why Do We Sell**  
**"Granby" Rubbers?**

Because we believe "Granby's" to be  
the best rubber footwear. Only fresh,  
pure rubber is used in their manu-  
facture, and enough is used to give the  
shoe flexibility and lasting qualities.

The season 1906-1906 "Granby" are  
stylish, close fitting, handsome and  
durable. Men's, Women's and Chil-  
dren's sizes in various modes. Priced  
at 40c. to \$2.00. Sold only in St. John  
by

**M. L. SAVAGE, MODERN SHOEWEAR**  
110 King Street.

**YOU**  
**can't be**  
**HAPPY**

if your feet are cramped in  
a pair of shoes that pinch  
or burn.

There is no need of  
wearing such shoes if you  
consult us and let us fit on  
a pair of our \$3.50 Box  
or Velour Calf Bals. for  
men. We have them in a  
nice variety of styles, and they're the best value  
in the city.

**SANBORN'S SHOE STORE, 339 Main St.**

**WE ARE SHOWING EXTRA VALUE**  
**In Men's Winter Caps!**

Heavy Warm Blue, Black Caps, at ..... 45c  
Our Special Double Cap, at ..... 50c  
Extra Fleece Auto Caps, at ..... 65c  
A Job Line of Heavy Grey Caps, at ..... 25c

A full range of the famous "Bronko" Gloves and  
Mitts, lined and unlined.

Cor. of Waterloo and  
Brussels Sts. **CARLETON'S,**  
Hay Market Square.

**The Royal Bank of Canada.**  
Paid Up Capital, \$3,000,000. Reserve Funds, \$3,300,000  
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**NORTH END BRANCH,**  
COR. MAIN AND SIMONDS STS.

**GENERAL BANKING BUSINESS TRANSACTED.**

**Savings Bank Department**

Deposits of \$1.00 and upwards received, and interest  
allowed at the current rate, compounded half yearly.

**OPEN ON SATURDAY EVENINGS** from 7 to 9 o'clock to  
accommodate depositors who cannot get to the Bank during  
the day.

**P. G. HALL, Manager.**

**Make My Store Your Store for**  
**Xmas Presents**

for your Father, Brother and Gentlemen friends.

**FLEWELLING'S, Furnishers to Men, 311 Main St**

**IRON TOYS.**  
Fire Engines, H. & L. Trucks, Patrol Wag-  
ons and Railroad Trains, from  
35c to \$1.50 each.

**C. F. BROWN. CROCKERY AND**  
**HARDWARE.**  
501--503 MAIN ST.

**HOW AMUNDSEN MADE**  
**THE NORTHWEST PASSAGE.**

SEATTLE, Dec. 15.—The information  
that the Norwegian explorer, Captain  
R. Amundsen, who discovered the  
Northwest passage while working un-  
der Nansen, was assisted by King Os-  
car, the London Royal Geographical  
Society and many men of prominence  
in both Norway and Sweden, was con-  
veyed to this city in a cablegram ad-  
dressed to Major W. A. Glasford,  
from Captain Hartman, of the Signal  
Corps at Valdez under the date of Dec.  
12. The dispatch also states that an  
observation station has been main-  
tained for two years in latitude 88 degrees  
and 20 minutes north and 90 degrees  
west, and that the data acquired cor-  
roborates the magnetic observations  
of Sir Charles Ross. These observa-  
tions are expected to be of the utmost  
importance to scientific men and  
mariners navigating northern waters. The  
cable also stated that many narrow  
passages, some impossible for the ship  
to enter, were met on the trip, and  
that the auxiliary oil power in the Gjøa  
was of the greatest possible value to  
the little craft in making the trip. No  
dynamite whatever was used by the  
explorers in making the passage.

The man who can't use advertising in  
his business has no business to be in  
business and generally isn't.—Nathl C.

**TURKEY HAS FORMALLY**  
**SURRENDERED TO POWERS.**

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 15.—Tur-  
key last night formally surrendered to  
the demands of the powers and ac-  
cepted the scheme providing for the  
control of Macedonia. A com-  
munication to this effect was handed  
by the port to the Austrian ambas-  
sador, and the question which has been  
the subject of negotiations for eleven  
months was closed. The international  
fleet will be promptly withdrawn.

**RUSSIANS ARMING ARMENIANS**  
**AGAINST THE TURKS.**

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 15.—The  
Turkish ambassador to St. Petersburg  
has been instructed to draw Russia's  
attention to the serious situation of af-  
fairs at Tiflis, Caucasus, where it is al-  
leged the Russian authorities are dis-  
tributing arms to the Armenians and  
inciting them to massacre the Tartars.  
The Armenians are alleged with the  
assistance of the troops to have in-  
vaded Mussulman residences, including  
those of Turkish subjects, slaughtering  
the women and children as well as the  
men. The appeals of the Turkish con-  
sul to the local authorities at Tiflis  
were unavailing.



ST. JOHN STAR, FRIDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1905.

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## Men's Trousers!

EXCELLENT VALUES

"Your money back if you are not satisfied." is our standing offer. We are prepared to stick to it, but we are never asked to refund. This seems to indicate that our goods give satisfaction.

MEN'S TWEED TROUSERS, in Dark Stripe, special value ..... \$1.00  
 MEN'S HEAVY ALL-WOOL TWEED TROUSERS ..... \$1.25, \$1.50  
 MEN'S OXFORD HOMESPUN TROUSERS ..... \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.25  
 MEN'S ENGLISH HATLINEN TROUSERS ..... \$2.50  
 MEN'S STRIPPED WORSTED TROUSERS ..... \$3.00, \$3.50  
 MEN'S BLACK DRESS TROUSERS ..... \$2.75, \$3.00

Have you had a guess on the number of seeds in the pumpkin? A coupon with every purchase amounting to fifty cents. Five prizes given away.

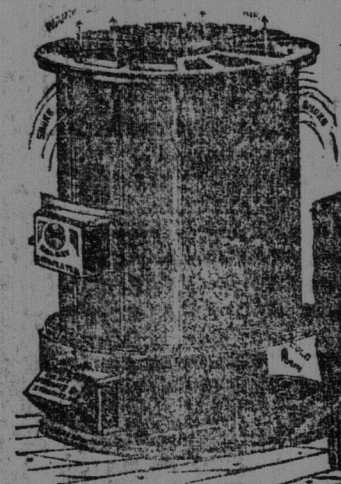
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DON'T accept SAUSAGE as SLIPP & FLEWELLING'S unless wrapped in parchment paper with our name in red ink.

## Special Sale of Ladies' Fancy Collars

From 5c to \$1.75, no two alike at almost half regular prices.

E. O. Parsons, West End



## HEAT YOUR HOME

Your home will never be really comfortable during the winter months until it is heated with a

**KELSEY**  
WARM AIR GENERATOR.

Let us call and give you estimates

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'Phone 784 21 WATERLOO ST

## NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.

Due to the increased patronage which advertisers are giving to the Star, we are compelled to request those who require changes in their advertisements to have their copy in the Star Office before 9 o'clock in the morning, to insure insertion Same Evening.

## LOCAL NEWS

Waterproof shoe, 10c. Makes boots absolutely waterproof. John de Angust, 100 Union street and 4 Water street. Dr. Raymond will speak at Leinster street church tonight. Subject: Indian Tales and Legends.

Joshua E. Cowan, John Johnston, Louisa Wilson, Turnbull Estate, James McConnell, Alexander McMillan, Mission Church, Trueman Thorne and Michael McMillan have been reported for not removing the snow from the sidewalks in front of their premises.

D. G. Smith, fishery commissioner for the province, is in the city. Today he will inspect the fishway in the new Loch Lomond dam, to see if the conditions imposed by the government have been complied with. After completing his inspection of this work, Mr. Smith will go to Queens county to investigate a complaint that has been made, to the effect that sawdust is being put into a certain lake there, the same being contrary to law.

The many friends of Rev. G. R. E. MacDonald, curate of Trinity church, will learn with regret that he has decided to sever his connection with Trinity. Mr. MacDonald has found the climate of St. John in the winter season rather rigorous, and will spend the coming winter in California. He has not decided yet whether he will engage in pastoral work there or not. It is understood that Mr. MacDonald will leave St. John about the first of the year.

Court Loyalist, No. 121, I. O. F., at its meeting last night elected the following officers for the ensuing year: W. J. S. Miles, court deputy; Dr. J. H. Gray, court physician; S. A. Morrell, chief ranger; David Oram, vice-chief ranger; W. A. Erb, recording secretary; W. W. Hawker, financial secretary; M. J. Doney, treasurer; T. C. Hastings, senior woodward; Robert Scott, junior woodward; Daniel Oram, senior beadle; Fred Hunter, junior beadle; H. Cunningham, J. Daly, trustees; David Oram, H. Cunningham, auditors; W. Erb, W. J. S. Miles, J. W. Husick, M. J. Doney, S. A. Morrell, representatives to central committee.

The death took place early yesterday morning of James A. Starr, at the residence of his son-in-law, John Mitchell, Rothbury. The deceased was eighty-eight years of age, and had been suffering for a considerable time. He was formerly a resident of this city. Funeral on Saturday. Interment in Springhill.

The dredge Beaver is temporarily out of commission. About four or five days ago, while engaged in digging, a large boulder was encountered, and in trying to raise it, one of the big spuds that holds the mud-digging machine in place broke and operations had to be suspended. Mr. Mayes is building a large permanent derrick in order to place the spud in position. It is probable that in a few days everything will be all right again, and the process of deepening the West Side berth will be proceeded with.

## The Celebrated QUALITY Chocolate

A full assortment for Xmas. I have already booked large orders. Store open every evening.

Walter Gilbert, 143 Charlotte St.

## LONGSHOREMEN THREATEN ANOTHER GENERAL STRIKE.

(Continued from page 1.)

McLeod, however, managed to get enough men to go to work, these consisting principally of non-union men, about fifty out of the seventy men. This morning about ninety men were at work in six gangs, and the work seems to be getting on fairly well. Mr. Kelly said this morning that the steamship people were not keeping faith with the association. He said that he called on Supt. Wm. Powrie, of the C. P. R., and reminded him that he was a party to the agreement. Mr. Kelly further said that there was a meeting of the executive on Monday and that it might be decided to demand of the other shipping houses that they make the Alians keep their agreement and if they would not do this there would probably be another general strike.

Mr. Kelly explained the fact that the Alians could get more men to work for them now was because so many of the fishermen are now laid off and the mills closed. The men working are principally from the West End. Members of the association will be allowed to work with the Alians till McLeod is dismissed. Mr. Kelly pointed out that if the trouble should continue through the winter, the fishermen and millmen would desert and that none of the longshoremen would then work for the Alians for \$100 an hour. Mr. Kelly claims that many now at work are unskilled boys and that accidents are sure to happen. Mr. Kelly blames the trouble on the Alians and thinks they are trying to get a good excuse to lay before the government that the mail service should be taken from this port.

President Moore, when seen this morning, said that while no association men would work for the Alians he very much doubted that there would be another strike.

Edward McLeod, when seen refused to discuss the matter and would not say whether it was likely that the John Ship Laborers' Society would be revived as is hinted in some quarters. Superintendent McLeod claims that as the association has refused to supply them with men they are not breaking their agreement by engaging outside labor. Mr. McLeod says that he has been employing a large number of non-union men right along as many of the longshoremen refuse to work for the Alians. He claims that he will have no difficulty in getting plenty of men. Edwin Thomas, vice-president of the Longshoremen's Union, stated to the Star this morning that he was not out of the wharf and out of the warehouses used by the Alians Line people. The men that ordered him away were Messrs. McEwen and Wren. He protested claiming that as a laborer he had a perfect right there. He left under protest claiming that if Mr. Hugh Allan was in the city he would not or insist upon such an unreasonable request. The union will take the matter up and it is just possible a police court case may come out of it.



## HE WAS WISE

Conductor (crowded street car)—Move forward, please.

Passenger—Not on your life. This lady sitting here is my wife, and if anyone sits in her lap it's going to be me. I'm wise to this road's curve, all right.

## A MATTER OF TASTE

Mistress—"Jane, that tobacco that the sweep was smoking this morning was dreadful."

Jane—"Yes, m'm. 'e says 'e can't make out 'ow the master can smoke such stuff."

## WEARY DAYS AND SLEEPLESS NIGHTS

Many men and women toss night after night upon sleepless beds until near dawn. Their eyes do not close in the sweet and refreshing repose that comes to those whose heart and nerves are right. Worry or disease has so debilitated and irritated the nervous system that it cannot be quieted. Or, again, you have heart palpitation and sensation of sinking, a feeling you are going to die, or perhaps you wake up from your sleep feeling as though you were about to choke or smother, and rest comes only after a long and weary wait.

It is the nerves and heart that are not acting properly.

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## THREE CHILDREN BURNED TO DEATH IN QUEBEC.

(Special to the Star.) SCOTSTOWN, Que., Dec. 15.—Three children were burned to death in a fire which destroyed their home located over the tannery, early this morning. Their parents Mr. and Mrs. Parent escaped with their three younger children. The victims were aged eleven, eight and five. They were overcome by smoke while trying to escape.

## NEW SHOOTING CHAMPION

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—J. H. Hendrickson, of Long Island City, one of the best amateur shots in Greater New York, won the championship of America at clay-birds yesterday, with a score of 94 out of a possible 100. In many respects the competition was one of the best that has been seen in this vicinity for a long time. Only one point behind Hendrickson came J. W. Garrett of Colorado Springs, one of the crack amateur shots of the west. Garrett last season made the best average score of all contestants who took part in the leading events of the year. The shoot was held on the Travers Island grounds of the New York Athletic Club, near Pelham Manor and brought out the excellent number of 48 contestants.

As a counter attraction there was a special shoot for professionals in which eight men took part. Wm. Herr, of Kansas, was the winner. He made the admirable record of 86 out of a possible 100. He was the only professional who beat the best amateurs.

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## FROZEN AND MANGLED BODY FOUND.

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## INDIAN MURDERER HANGED.

(Special to the Star.) BRANTFORD, Ont., Dec. 15.—Joseph Bennett, an Indian, was hanged here at 2.15 this morning for the murder of a squaw, named Betty Jacobs.

## ROYAL FOLK OF OTHER DAYS.

Charles I. is generally accepted as a gentleman as well as a martyr, because he was most fortunate in the artists commissioned to execute his portraits in real life he was by no means the mild and polished individual he looked on canvas. His queen, Henrietta Maria, gave it as one reason for her wish that her husband should be taught courtesy that her husband was so harsh mannered that he had made many enemies through it.

The only Stuarts who shone by civil speech and ways were those who had been well drilled in France—Mary Queen of Scots, for one, and Charles II. for another. James I. of England was an awkward creature—undignified, familiar, sometimes grotesque. The real Charles I. lacked graciousness as well as guignon, and was little believed outside his own family circle. James II. was never popular; and as for his daughters, Queen Mary II. and Anne, they were heavy women with but little of the reputed Stuart elegance about them.

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## JAPAN WILL MAINTAIN KOREAN PROTECTORATE.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 15.—That Japan will insist on maintaining a protectorate over Korea in spite of any efforts to oust her from that position is the declaration of Kogoro Takahira, the Japanese minister to the United States, who arrived in San Francisco last evening on his way to Japan. Minister Takahira was very emphatic in his statement that Korea was not fit to act as an independent country and that until it was so strengthened and stable that its policy could not be swayed by every breeze of popular opinion, it would remain practically a subject country to Japan.



## SWEET SOUBRIETTES.

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# THOROUGHBRES

By W. A. FRASER.

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"He'll win on a tight rein," confided Langdon to Jockey Westley, "he's the greatest Hanover in the lot. There's a down race bottled up in that carcass"—and he slapped the big Bay lovingly on the rump—"but if you've put to it, Bill, you can call on him for the full dozen to-day. There's nothing to it but yourself and White Mocha!"

Carleously he stepped to the back of the stall, touching Westley as he passed. Kicking the loose dirt with his toes, and bending his head to bury his voice, Langdon continued in a subdued tone: "The Indian'll cut out the pace so fast that it'll choke off Lausanne. The Chestnut's a plunger and ain't no good when it comes to galloping. If you was to loaf around he might hang on an' finish in front; but the pace'll kill him—it'll break his heart; the fast goin'll lay out White Mocha, too, for she'll go to the front an' die away after a mile an' a quarter. Just nurse the Bay, an' let the others fight the Indian. But don't loaf an' let Lausanne get near you, for he can keep up a puddin' all day. There ain't nothin' else in the race I'm afraid of; there ain't one of them can last a mile an' a half." Then he added, with a disagreeable chuckle—it was like the blooming laugh of a hyena—"I miss my guess if the boy on Lausanne kills himself tryin' to win anyway. He seems a fair lad, but you can ride rings round him, Bill."

"I'll put up a good ride on the Dutchman, an' I think we'll catch the judge's eye," replied Westley. "It doesn't seem to stand for it that a stable-boy on a bad horse like Lausanne is goin' to beat me out."

"The boss says you're to have two thousand for winnin', Westley; so don't make no mistake. I want you to tell us afore you went out, for fear it'd make you too eager. Many a race's been thrown away by a boy bein' too keen, an' makin' his run his run too early in the game; but you've a good head an' might as well know what you're to have. There's the bugle; get up."

Eager hands stripped the blanket that had been thrown over the Dutchman; Westley was lifted into the saddle, and the gallant Bay led out by Langdon.

In front rode White Mocha; one by one the others, and last, seventh, Lausanne, easily leading along as though he regretted leaving the stall.

As the horse passed to the course, Crane, who had followed The Dutchman to the gate, raised his eyes from scanning Lausanne to the rider on his back. It was just a look of languid interest in the appearance of the boy. Dixon had put up instead of such a good jockey as Redpath. The fact riveted his attention; something in the line of the cheek, recalled a face he had constantly in view.

"For an instant I thought that was Alan Porter on Lausanne," he said to Langdon, who was at his elbow. "A strange fancy—I'm going up to the stand to watch the race."

"It's all right but the win now," said Mike to Dixon. "I'm goin' in the Judge's box to watch the finish. You'll be helpin' the b'y past the scales, Andy."

As Lausanne passed the Judge's Stand in the parade she cast a quick, furtive look toward the people on the lawn. She seemed puzzled on an epaulet, lifted up in pitiless prominence; would anyone detect her at the last moment? Hanging over the rail in the very front she saw a pale face that struck a chill of fear to her heart—it was Mortimer's. She had not even thought of his being there. She had eluded the close scrutiny of all the others who were likely to recognize her, but there, within ten yards were eyes almost certain to penetrate her disguise. The girl turned her face away; she knew Mortimer well enough to think that if he did recognize her he would make no sign.

"That's our horse," declared Old Bill, as Lausanne passed. "He's all right, bet yer life; he's fit ter go all day. De greaser as trains him ain't no mug. Let's go up in de at the post, where we can see de whole show, den we'll come down an' cash in. Say, pard, if dis goes through I'll bid you ten dollars de best; who ain't none too good fer dis coop."

Altogether it was as though Destiny had found pleasant domicile in the ancient clothing of Old Bill, and was using their unique wear as a protective agent to ward off evil from both Mortimer and the girl. As they jogged toward the starting post Lausanne allowed Lausanne to lag; she wished to avoid Redpath. But the Indian was a horse of uncertain temperament, and presently, with a footstep side rush, she cantered fair into Lausanne. In the melee Redpath looked full into Lausanne's eyes at short range. His face went white in an instant.

"You!" he cried, pulling hard at his horse's mouth; it's you Misa—"He stopped suddenly. "Good! I'm glad I know this," he jerked between set teeth, as he fought the Indian, who was nearly pulling him out of the saddle.

"It's because he'll gallop for you, isn't it? You didn't think I was a wrong one—it wasn't because you couldn't trust me you took the mount away was it?"

The Indian, quitted by the sleepy Chestnut, was going staidly.

"No; it's because Lausanne won't give his running for anyone but me," the girl answered.

The boy remained silent, thinking over why he was on the Indian. There was a moral obliquity about his present position; the new light of his discovery showed him this strongly. His feelings had been played upon by the owner of the Indian, at Langdon's instigation. He had been told that the Porters had given him the mount on Lausanne because they distrusted him. He had been put on the horse to make running for The Dutchman. There was nothing really patently dishonest about this arrangement, and Redpath's mind had been dulled to fine discrimination by the idea that he was falsely distrusted. Presently the boy spoke with sharp decision, in quick broken sentences, for they were nearing the Starter.

"I'm in to make the running; this crock's got no license to win. Don't you bother about him—he'll come back to the others fast enough when he's done. When you want an opening, give the word to start at, and he'll be below to mend when he tackles 'em."

Up in the stand Old Bill was expressing in florid race-track speech to Mortimer his deductions.

"Dat's a good kid on Larcen. See what he's doin'; he's trailin' 'em, dat's where our horse got it; he's a stretch runner, he is. De'y'll have bellows to mend when he tackles 'em."

To Mortimer it appeared very much as though the other horses were too fast for Lausanne. "Isn't he losing?" he asked of his exuberant friend.

"Larcen ain't no De kid ain't no on him yet. De others is gallopin' der heads off; de'y're chasin der crazy skate in front. De're only two jocks in de race worth a damn—Bill Westley an' de kid on our horse. He knows he's got to beat Dutchman, an' he's got to by. When you see Dutchy move up Larcen'll come away, or I'm a goat."

Mike Gaylor had taken his place on the little platform at the top of the steps leading to the stand. He was watching the race with intense interest. Would Lausanne do his best for the girl—or would he sulk? He saw the terrific pace that the Indian had set the others. He saw the Dutchman could gallop as he was going from end to end of the mile and a half; even faster if he so wished. Would his rider have the patient steadiness of nerve to wait for this fulfillment of the inevitable—or would he become rattled and urge the horse. Mike set his teeth, and his nails were driven hard into his rough palms as he strained in sympathy with the girl's quietude.

How long the Indian held on in his lead! Perhaps even he might get set all clever calculation and last long enough to win. Already the gray, White Mocha, had drawn out from the bunch and was second; the other three were dropping back in straggling order. Would Lausanne do his best for the girl—or would he sulk? That was at the mile. At the mile and an eighth, Mocha was at the Indian's heels; the Dutchman had moved up into third place, two lengths away; and Lausanne had become merged in the three that were already beaten. At the mile and a quarter a half trill of hope came to Lausanne, for Lausanne was clear of the race, and surely gaining on the leaders. And still his rider was lying low on the withers, just a blue blur on the dark gold of the Chestnut.

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(To be continued.)

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New Prosecuting Officer Rushing Things in Boston—Hotel Touraine Interfered With.

BOSTON, Dec. 14.—The efforts of District Attorney John B. Moran, the new prosecuting officer of Suffolk county, to obtain more rigid enforcement of the liquor law in this city, resulted today in the closing of eight saloons and the surrender of the liquor license issued to John R. Coleman, connected with the Hotel Touraine, and from whom the guests of that hotel have obtained liquor for the past seven or eight years.

The saloons, which were closed by order of the board of police commissioners on the ground that they were within 400 feet of a school house, were situated on Columbus avenue near Roxbury Crossing, and on Cambridge street in the west end.

The license of the Hotel Touraine was surrendered, according to J. Reid Whipple, the lessee of the property, but with the order received last night from the district attorney, to the satisfaction of the police officers. The commissioners will keep the license, which they renewed last May pending an investigation on their own part as to whether the method employed by the hotel in obtaining liquor for its guests was a violation of the law, relative to the proximity to schools. A part of the liquor in the Coleman saloon was placed in storage today, and the guests at the hotel were unable to obtain any intoxicating beverages.

The dining room of the hotel, which a few weeks ago was crowded with a brilliant throng of football enthusiasts, was nearly deserted.

Counsel for Mr. Whipple stated that every effort would be made to comply with the order received last night from the district attorney, but he refused to say whether the closing of the hotel would result in the shutting of the doors of one of Boston's leading hosteleries. The police commissioners held a long session today, but they made no effort to comply with the request received yesterday afternoon from the district attorney to visit him in his office and respond to interrogations relative to the alleged violation of the law in the issuance of liquor licenses, and by those already holding such documents. It also developed today that the school house, which is situated on Tremont street, within 400 feet of the Hotel Touraine, has two annexes, which it considered part of the main institution will bring ten additional saloons within the restricted radius.

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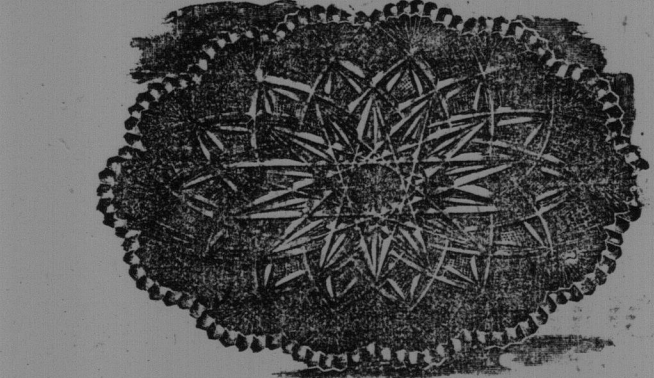
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The fire originated from a small roll of paper which had been lighted at a gas jet by Major John M. Gould, the cashier, and used to illuminate the vault. Afterwards the burned paper was thrown upon the floor and it ignited papers stored in the room.



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## CONVENTION OF NOVA SCOTIA CONSERVATIVES.

**HALIFAX, N. S., Dec. 14.**—A convention of the liberal-conservative party of Nova Scotia was held in Halifax today. Delegates were present from almost every county in the province. William Cameron, ex-M. P. for Pictou, was appointed to the chair. Most of the time was spent in consideration of a platform in provincial politics which was agreed upon and placed in the hands of a special committee to put in final shape. The following resolution was among those adopted:

"That this convention views with approval the declaration of R. L. Borden at Westworth in the course of the complete reconsideration of the legislation of the last session of the parliament of Canada on the subjects of salaries, indemnities and pensions, and is of the opinion that nothing short of a total repeal of such legislation will be satisfactory to the country. That any future legislation on the same subjects should be after the country has had an opportunity to canvass the matter in all its details and should only be enacted with the publicity and deliberation that is due a matter involving so great a sum of the public money of Canada."

A communication was read from R. L. Borden calling attention to the dominion convention, proposed to be held next summer, and suggesting that two representatives be appointed to the provincial central committee to make arrangements for the convention.

B. Ross, K. C., and A. C. Bell were named. The matter of the delegates to represent Nova Scotia at the convention was referred to the provincial executive.

The convention will resume tomorrow morning.

### SMALLPOX INTERFERED WITH CENTRAL TRAFFIC

But the Epidemic Is Now Under Control in Queens County.

Sensor and Mrs. King of Chipman arrived in the city yesterday, and are at the Royal. They came down to meet their son, Dr. King, M. P. F., who has been spending a few weeks in New York and other United States cities, and who will leave for the west again on Saturday.

Last evening the senator and his colleague, George McAvity, had a conference concerning Central Railway matters, but there was nothing given out for publication.

Sensor King says the smallpox epidemic, which has been raging at several points in Queens county, is now pretty well under control. The places principally affected were Waterloo and Cole's Island. The type was not a malignant one, and has not greatly alarmed the Queens county people. It has, however, had quite an effect on the passenger receipts of the Central Railway, the senator says, and has interfered with business in Chipman to some extent, although no cases have developed in that town.

### ELECTED DIRECTORS.

**FREDERICTON, N. B., Dec. 14.**—At a meeting of the Glenora corporation, held this afternoon, the following were elected: S. O. S. Crockett, Geo. J. Colter, Geo. W. Fowler, Robert Maxwell, H. P. McLeod, C. H. Oles. James H. Crockett was elected managing director. It was decided to hold the meeting of the directors at some future date as all the directors found it impossible to be present today.

### A NEW CHARITABLE ORGANIZATION FORMED

There was formed in St. John yesterday a society which promises to become an important factor in the charitable work of the city. This is the Needlework Guild, a branch of the Canadian Needlework Guild, and it was organized by request of the central executive through the local Council of Women. The meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Robert Thomson, and Lady Tilley was elected president. The vice-presidents are Mrs. Thomson, Mrs. McCallan, Mrs. Ellis and another lady whose name was by mischance omitted from the report given to the Sun. Miss Fuddington was chosen secretary. Mrs. E. A. Smith, treasurer, and fourteen directors were appointed. The plans of the organization have not yet been considered in detail, but meetings will be held regularly at which garments will be made for the less fortunate of the women and girls in St. John and district and will be distributed by committees who shall look into each case brought before the directors. The guild is undenominational, and it is the intention of the central executive to have branches established in every Canadian city. Each branch will act independently, though in accord with the system of the national guild.

### WHEATON-ESTABROOKS.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Estabrooks, Middle Sackville, was the scene of a pleasing event last evening, when their daughter, Miss Phoebe, was united in marriage to Milton Wheaton of Midic. The ceremony was performed by Rev. E. L. Steeves in the presence of a company of over a hundred. The bride was becomingly gowned in white silk, with trimmings of silk ribbon. She was attended by Miss Eliza Wheaton, sister of the groom, while the groom was supported by Elmer Finney. The presents were very numerous and valuable, the groom's gift to the bride being a gold watch and chain. *Sackville Tribune.*

### SHIPPING NEWS.

**British Ports.**  
**PRESTON,** Dec 13—Ard, bark August Letter, from Dalhousie.  
**LIVERPOOL,** Dec 13—Ard, strs Sicilian, from St John, NB, and Halifax via Moville; 14th, Sagamore, from Boston.  
**BRISTOL,** Dec 14—Sid, str Montcalm, for St John, NB.  
**QUEBEC TOWN,** Dec 14—Sid, str Oceanic, from Liverpool, for New York.  
**Foreign Ports.**  
**PORTLAND,** Me, Dec 14—Sid, bark Lehigh, Petersen, for Bahia Blanca.  
**Sid, str Hilda,** for Parramora, NS; sch James B Stetson, for Red Beach, and the wind-bound fleet.  
**CITY ISLAND,** Dec 14—Bound south, schs Edyth, from Halifax, NS; Hugh John, from Jordan Bay, NS.  
**CHEBROURG,** Dec 14—Sid, str Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, from Bremen and Southampton for New York.  
**CHATHAM,** Mass, Dec 14—Light north wind, clear at sunset.  
**Passed south,** str Rosalind, from Halifax and St John, NB, for New York; sch Gypsum Emperor, from Windsor, NS, for do.  
**Off here this afternoon,** ten schooners passing south.  
**NEW LONDON,** Conn, Dec 14—Sid, sch J. N. Parker (from Dorchester, NB), for Huntington, LI.  
**HULL,** Mass, Dec 14—Str Canadian, from Liverpool, for Boston, passed light at 3:45 p.m.  
**MACHIAS,** Me, Dec 14—Ard, sch Lizzie Cochran, from Lubec.  
**Sid, schs Addie P. McFadden,** for New York; Manual R. Cuzo (from St John, NB), for Bridgeport; Charles Lawrence (from do), for New York; Alice Maud (from do), for Boston; Shafter Bros (from Fall River, Mass), for Gloucester; Frank and Ira (from St John, NB), for Stockton, Me; Clayola, for St John, NB; Ida May, for do; John J. Ward, for do; Erie (from Fall River, Mass), for St John, NB.  
**FALL RIVER,** Mass, Dec 14—Ard, str Lady Ellen, from Gaspe, Que.  
**BOSTON,** Dec 14—Ard, battleship Louisiana, from her trial trip off the Maine coast; strs Mystic, from Louisville, CB; Boston, from Yarmouth, NS; schs Loyal, from Bay of Islands, NF; Elm City, James Rothwell, from Plymouth (to load for Norfolk).  
**Cid, strs Cambrian,** for London; Mystic, for Louisville, CB; bark Verdi, for Buenos Ayres; schs Kimberley, for Mahone Bay, NS; Emulor, for La Have, NS.  
**Sid, battleship Louisiana,** for Newport News.  
**GLOUCESTER,** Mass, Dec 14—Sid, sch Aldine, for La Have, NS.  
**ROCKLAND,** Me, Dec 14—Ard, sch Mira B, from St John, NB.  
**BATH,** Me, Dec 14—Ard, barge Burnside, from Philadelphia (in tow).  
**VINEYARD HAVEN,** Mass, Dec 14—Ard, bark Onaway, from East Harbor, Turks Island; schs Charles Woolsey, from South Amboy for Rockland; Otawantak, from do for do.  
**CIENFUEGOS,** Dec 4—Ard, barkta Peewee, from Yarmouth.  
**CHARLESTON,** Dec 4—Ard, bark Hattie G. Dixon, Shanklin, from Promised Land.  
**HAVANA,** Nov 23—Ard, sch Bessie Parker, Grandmark, from Kingsport, NS; Dec 2, sch E. M. Roberts, Knowlton, from Canning, NS.  
**Cid Dec 2,** sch Florence R. Hewson, Saunders, for Moose Point.  
**BUENOS AYRES,** Dec 4—Ard, bark Dalston, from Campbellton, NB.

### Miscellaneous.

**VINEYARD HAVEN,** Dec 14—Bark Onway, Capt. Goff, from East Harbor, Turks Island for Portland, arrived here last night after a passage of 14 days, with continuous northeast gales, but the vessel had sustained no material damage. On the 10th instant, when 33 miles southeast from Winton Quarry Lightship, she experienced a violent gale from northeast, veering to northwest, during which one seaman was thrown to the deck by a heavy sea and had knee injured, confining him to his berth.

### A WOMAN TRAVELER.

Among the guests at the Dufferin hotel last evening was Miss Doring, of Hamburg, who is accompanied by her brother, L. P. A. Doring, of Clarence, N. B. Miss Doring left Germany about a year ago and has travelled through Cuba, Mexico and part of the United States, and for the past four months has been visiting her brother at Clarence, N. B. She will spend the winter in Boston, will return to Nova Scotia in the spring, and after that will return to Germany.

### RE-ELECTED PRESIDENT.

**NEW YORK,** Dec. 13.—Henry C. Pulliam today was re-elected president, secretary and treasurer of the National League of baseball clubs. After the constitution had been amended so as to provide for five directors instead of four, the following directors were chosen: A. H. Soda of Boston, Harry Drexler of Pittsburgh, Charles Ebbets of Brooklyn, T. G. Sheffelin of Philadelphia, and Chas. W. Murphy of Chicago.

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### HAZING OF ALL KINDS TO BE STAMPED OUT.

**WASHINGTON,** Dec. 14.—Hazing of every kind, it was announced today, will be stamped out of the naval academy, regardless of the number of dismissals from the brigade of midshipmen necessary to bring about this result. Two midshipmen will be dismissed from the academy within a few days by the secretary of the navy, the one for hazing and the other for countenancing it by failure while on duty to report its occurrence. Other dismissals will follow as often as midshipmen are found guilty of hazing or countenancing it.

Aroused by the condition of the affairs which reports show to exist at the academy so far as the treatment of fourth class men are concerned, Secretary Bonaparte late this afternoon telephoned to Rear Admiral Sands, superintendent of the academy, a request to come to Washington as soon as possible for a conference. This conference will be held tomorrow morning. It will be the initial step in a campaign to guarantee Annapolis Academy against hazing.

### FRENCH NOBLES MORE PLENTIFUL AND RICHER THAN BEFORE REVOLUTION

**PARIS,** Dec. 13.—A bewildering condition of affairs has been proved to exist in the statistics of the aristocracy in France. The nobility is exactly twice as numerous now as it was before the great revolution of 185 years ago, which was aimed at the aristocracy, and by which all titles of nobility were abolished.

Previous to that time there were not more than 238 French princes and dukes; today there are 460. At the beginning of the nineteenth century there were in all 8,000 titled persons in France, among whom less than 20,000 had a legal right to a coat-of-arms. There are now, in the thirty-third year of the third republic, 200,000 individuals duly possessed of patents of nobility.

What is almost as curious is the fact that at the time when the nobility was all powerful in France the aggregate fortunes of the aristocracy amounted to only one-tenth of the wealth possessed by nobility today.

### SIR HENRY IRVING'S EFFECTS SOLD

**LONDON,** Dec. 14.—The sale of the late Sir Henry Irving's theatrical relics, and works and library was begun at Christie's today. The actor's benevolent fund for the benefit of which the sale is being held, is likely to profit largely from the strong interest displayed. The bidding was of the keenest, both on the part of dealers and of private buyers, and a total sum of \$12,750 was realized.

A Malacca cane, which had belonged to Garrick, fetched \$210, and a plain gold ring, worn by Garrick, was sold for \$215. The sword Irving wore as Richard III. went for \$155, and a flintlock pistol used in the character of Peter the Great was knocked down at the same figure.

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A Few of the Articles That Are Reduced--Be on Hand Tomorrow Early.

Men's Overcoats.		Youths' Overcoats.		Boys' Overcoats.		Boys' Overcoats.		Boys' D. B. Reefers		Men's Suits	
SALE PRICE		Size 32 to 35		Age 12 to 16 years		Age 6 to 11		Age 4 to 11		Regular \$5 to \$10.00.	
\$6 Overcoats,	\$3.95		FOR	\$4 Overcoats,	\$2.75		FOR	\$2 Reefers,	\$1.49	for	\$3.95, \$5.75
\$5 Overcoats,				\$6 Overcoats,	\$4.49			\$6 Overcoats,			
\$7.50 Overcoats,	5.40	\$4.50 Overcoats,	\$2.75	\$5.50 Overcoats,	\$4.49	\$4.50 Overcoats,	3.49	\$2.25 Reefers,	1.98		and 6.98
\$12 Overcoats,	7.50	\$6.50 Overcoats,	5.25	\$8 Overcoats,	\$5.49	Boys' Overcoats, age 4 to 8		\$2.50 Reefers,	2.49		
\$10 Overcoats,		\$6.00 Overcoats,		\$7 Overcoats,		\$3.85 Overcoats,	2.98				
\$15 Overcoats,	11.75	\$10.00 Overcoats,	6.98					\$3.50 Reefers,			
\$13.50 Overcoats,		\$9.50 Overcoats,									
SALE PRICE				Boys' Short Pants,		SALE PRICE		Boys' Sailor Suits,		SALE PRICE	
Our D. B. Reef	\$2.98	3.98, 5.98		Regular 45 to 75c.	25c, 35c, 39c and 50c.			Regular \$1 to \$3.75	75c, \$1.49, 1.98 and 2.49		
Regular, \$3.50 to \$8.00											
		Boys' 2 Piece Suits,		98c, \$1.49, 1.98, 2.49		Boys' 3 Piece Suits,		\$1.98, 2.49, 2.98, 3.49			
		Regular \$1.75 to 3.50				Regular \$3 to 5.50					
Regular 1.50 and \$2.00		98c.		75c. and \$1.00		50c.				25c Ties	
Gloves Sale price				Gloves for						Sale price	
										2 for 25c.	



# THE ADVENTURES OF CAPTAIN KETTLE

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## NEWS OF SPORT.

New Zealand Football Team  
May Play in Canada

The Curling Outlook

Jack O'Brien's Splendid  
Record

### FOOTBALL.

WILL NEW ZEALAND TEAM PLAY  
IN CANADA?

VANCOUVER, B. C., Dec. 13.—A cablegram was despatched to the old country yesterday to the victorious New Zealand team asking them to play a game in Vancouver in their way home to the land down under. The local rugby enthusiasts think they have as fast an aggregation in this city as can be found anywhere in England and they want a try out with the world champions just to see what happens. There is no doubt that better football has never been seen in British Columbia than is being put up by the three inter-city teams this winter and a picked team with thirty days' practice should be able to make things interesting for the fastest aggregation on earth.

### NEW ZEALAND AROUSED OVER TEAMS' VICTORIES.

New Zealanders have elevated the triumphant progress of their Rugby football through the United Kingdom to such a height of patriotism that the house of representatives, now sitting at Wellington (the London Mail's correspondent writes) receives special reports of the matches. There debates on political questions are temporarily suspended while the premier (Mr. Seddon) reads to the house the result, with details, of each contest, which are cabled at the public expense. The newspapers print leading articles of contemptuous extravagance over the details of the home team. "If things in the football field go on much longer as they have been doing ever since in New Zealand team kicked off in England," says the New Zealand Times, "the tour will become almost absurd. The question inevitably arises can they play football in England, or should their national game be ping-pong or marbles?"

### THE MAT.

TREMBLAY TO MEET LADUE.

Eugene Tremblay will be seen on the mat at Sohmer Park, Montreal, for the first time this season on Friday night when he will go against Ladue, of Lowell. The Canadian champion is said to be in his true form and promises to show speed and ability against the visitor. The match is at catch-as-catch-can, best two falls out of three, and is expected to prove of interest. Another feature of the programme will be the appearance of Dan McLeod, winner of the second international tournament, who has agreed to throw Belle in fifteen minutes. Belle is a local heavyweight of whom great things are predicted. He is a newcomer to the game, but looks good and the wise people seem to see in him a probable champion.

### HACKENSCHMIDT DEFEATED

DES MOINES, Iowa, Dec. 14.—Farmer Burns last night defeated Charles Hackenschmidt in a mixed style match. Burns won the first and the third falls at catch-as-catch-can. Hackenschmidt defeated Burns last week.

### HOCKEY

COLUMBIA'S HOCKEY PLANS.

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—Columbia hockey players are planning to take a trip to Canada during the Christmas holidays. The squad expects to leave on December 28 and return on the 29th. The most important game of the trip will be played against the Queen's College seven of Toronto. Besides this trip K. M. Spence, the manager, has arranged the following schedule of games:

December 12, Squadron A; 13th, Company K, Seventh Regiment; January 4, Princeton; 13th, Harvard; 20th, West Point; 27th, Yale; February 3, Brown. In addition to these games there will

be eight or nine other contests, but the dates have not been definitely arranged as yet. Among the additional opponents will be the Brooklyn Skating Club, the St. Nicholas Hockey Club, New York Athletic Club and Crescent A. C.

### TONIGHT'S MEETING.

All teams interested in intermediate hockey are requested to send representatives to a meeting to be held in the Y. M. C. A. rooms tonight at 8 o'clock. It is specially desired the representatives be present from the north end.

### CURLING

THE LOCAL SITUATION.

Curling prospects are opening brightly for St. John widders of the broom, and several interesting departures from the traditional lines are on the books. One that will do a great deal for the game in the maritime provinces is the revival of the competition for the McEllen cup. This cup was given some fifteen years ago by the late Hon. David McEllen, for years the representative of this city in the local legislature, for competition between the champions of Nova Scotia and New Brunswick.

The last competition was held at Moncton 1886 or 1887 between Truro and the Thistles of this city, when in the play off Truro won the cup. For some reason competition lapsed after this, until two years back, when the Thistles during their Nova Scotian trip notified the Truro club of their intention to compete for the trophy. Their astonishment may be judged when the Truro club said the cup, which had been given by a member of the Thistles, would be no longer placed in competition, and that Truro claimed permanent possession.

This incident reached the meeting of the Nova Scotia branch of the Royal Caledonia Club, and as a result of what was voiced there, Truro is said to have changed its policy respecting the cup, and the Thistles are expected to compete for it.

The Thistles are consoled by all New Brunswick clubs to be the proper representatives of this province, owing to their victorious career during last season.

Another whetstone for curling interests is the proposal to send two or three rinks from this city to take part

in the big meets held during the winter at Montreal, Toronto and Quebec. These are under the auspices of the Canadian branch of the Royal Caledonia Club, and there is not a bit of doubt that this city has curlers which can rival the best of bigger clubs in the big fellows in this country.

### THE RING

O'BRIEN'S GOOD RECORD.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 14.—One of the most interesting fighters now before the public is Joseph Francis Hagan, known to the followers of the ring as "Philadelphia Jack O'Brien." In private life Hagan is a real estate dealer, clubman and man of the world. His home is in this city, where he owns considerable real estate.

His habits are good and his private life exemplary. Hagan assumed the name of O'Brien because of the notoriety that attaches to a prize-fighter, and he wished to spare the feelings of his mother and six sisters. O'Brien's next fight, that is attracting attention from one coast to the other, will be with Robert Fitzsimmons in San Francisco, in December. Several days ago, O'Brien, talking to a group of friends said:

"I have taken me nearly seven years to fight my way as far as I've got on the pugilistic ladder of fame. I am now in the prime of life and will celebrate my twenty-seventh birthday on January 27.

"My first match was with George Russell in 1886, in which I beat him in six rounds. It was an amateurish affair, but when it was over I decided to become a pugilist. My first appearance as a professional was against Fred Strauss, of Philadelphia, in a six-round bout, the result of which was a draw. This gave me some confidence in my ability, and that feeling has never left me.

"I have taken part in 147 bouts as a professional, in which only one has gone against me. On May 20, 1891, I defeated George Crisp, then the heavyweight champion of England, in eleven rounds, and secured the heavyweight title.

"English fighters are slow in comparison with Americans. Our ideas of training are much more modern. I doubt if they will ever produce another Charlie Mitchell. It was by going out of my class in England and winning from men much heavier than myself that I got the courage to fight

the big fellows in this country. "I have never had a manager, although I have representatives to look after my interests. I make my own matches and believe in the saying, 'A match well made is half won.'"

"I attribute my success to leading an exemplary life and good match-making. I don't have to train much, as I do not drink. I believe in taking daily exercise. In this way, one does not lose his ambition. Outdoor exercise such as walking and jogging is preferable.

"In indoor work I use dumbbells and chest machines. I have plenty of boxing, but always with men smaller than myself, as it enables one to become quick in his movements. A smaller and lighter man than yourself keeps you busy warding off blows, and you have to move around much faster.

"I eat anything in the line of vegetables and meat, and consider tea and coffee as excellent, but I taboo pastry. "Extreme caution in the use of the hands is most essential—that is, to be accurate with your punches and not land them on your opponent's head or on any spot where you are apt to be injured. I once broke a knuckle through my eagerness to put out an opponent. I piled my punches into Weiss during the last two rounds of one of my battles, but it was the blow on his chin that sent him down and out and cracked my knuckle.

"I am not a slugger. I depend for victory upon speed, science and footwork. I have never taken any pleasure in punishing a man. With me boxing is a business. I am in it because I can make more money in that way than in any other.

"There are no physical dangers to boxing in boxing if a man is in good physical condition—and he should never enter the ring unless he is. The danger comes in leisure moments. Then it is simply a question of strength of mind and will-power to resist temptation. The more a man is tempted, of course, the greater the temptation and the greater the amount of courage it takes to resist."

### TO PUT A STOP TO RAILWAY REBATES.

Federal Grand Jury Indicts Several Railroads Who Gave and Shippers Who Accepted This Discrimination.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 14.—Eight indictments were returned by the Federal Grand Jury today against shippers, freight agents and common carriers, in the rebate cases brought to the attention of the Grand Jury yesterday by United States District Attorney Thompson. The indictments returned are as follows:

Great Northern Railway Company for offering a rebate to B. D. Wood and Company, of this city, on a shipment of 1500 tons of iron piping to Winnipeg.

C. E. Campbell, local freight agent of the Great Northern same charge.

L. W. Lake, General Eastern Agent of the Mutual Transit Company, granting and giving a rebate to the Wood Company, Walter Wood, Geo. Wood, Stuart Wood and Richard Wood, members of the company.

Paul Diver, local agent of the Mutual Transit Co., offering rebate to the National Essence For Coffee Company on this city on a shipment of the Philadelphia to Minneapolis, August 4, 1905.

Mutual Transit Company offering rebate in the same transaction.

Paul Diver, offering and giving rebate (two counts) to the National Essence For Coffee Company on a shipment from Philadelphia to Winnipeg, April 17, 1905.

Mutual Transit Company offering and giving rebates (two counts) in the same transaction.

A large number of witnesses were summoned to give testimony in the two cases. Immunity from punishment was granted those principals who appeared before the jury and gave evidence. For instance P. H. Heald, of Buffalo, President and General Manager of the Mutual Transit Company, who was summoned in the Wood case was not indicted, but a true bill was returned against an agent of the company who was not asked to appear. In the case of the National Essence For Coffee Co. the indictments were brought against the carrier and its agent, the shipping company having furnished the evidence.

The rebate in the Wood case was given on a shipment made Oct. 1904. District Attorney Thompson expressed satisfaction with the progress of the prosecution and said he would push the cases for trial.

### INSURANCE REBATES FORBIDDEN.

HARRISBURG, Pa., Dec. 13.—Insurance commissioner Martin today notified all the life insurance companies doing business in Pennsylvania that they must file written agreements abolishing giving of rebates, dismissing agents who do so and refusing to employ such agents for three years after dismissal.

### "FIONA MACLEOD" DEAD.

LONDON, Dec. 14.—The death is announced from Sidney of William Sharp, the author. Concurrently with the announcement Sharp's friend, Richard Whiting reveals the interesting fact that Sharp was the author of the works published under the pseudonym of "Miss Fiona MacLeod."

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In Louisiana, Taffeta and Japanese Silks—Sizes 34 to 44—Popular Special Prices, \$2.99, \$3.49, \$3.99, \$4.79 and \$5.99.

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### THE TREATMENT OF TUBERCULOSIS

Will Be Title of New Work—Ventilation of House of Commons.

AUGUSTA, Me., Dec. 12.—At the meeting of the board of trustees of the Maine State Sanatorium Association, held at the State House today, the medical director, Dr. Estes Nichols, made some interesting statements in regard to the results of the sanatorium treatment for his tuberculosis patients during the past year. The number of patients discharged from the sanatorium the past year is 28. Of these, the disease has been arrested in seven, nine have been very much improved, and if they carry out the method, the disease has been arrested. In nine discharged patients the disease was too far advanced for sanatorium treatment. The average gain was 14.15 pounds. The applicants for treatment now far exceed the accommodations for the patients.

### INSPECTOR MERSEREAU GOING WEST.

The Sackville Tribune says: G. W. Mersereau, school inspector of the district which includes parts of Northumberland, Restigouche and York counties, has asked for and obtained a year's leave of absence, and intends going west. P. A. Dixon of this town received word on Tuesday that he had been appointed to take charge of Mr. Mersereau's work in the latter's absence. Mr. Dixon will leave early in the year to assume his new duties.

### ROOSEVELT INSTITUTES INSURANCE REFORMS.

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—The Times today says: "Information reached New York yesterday that President Roosevelt will probably send a special message to congress asking for legislation designed to cover illicit transactions in the insurance business."

"The message according to the present programme will deal only with insurance matters, the district of Columbia over which congress has jurisdiction. The president is said desiring to set an object lesson by recommending legislation for the District of Columbia which may be considered by the state legislatures."

"Closely related to this subject will be a meeting of governors, state insurance commissioners and attorney generals of the various states in Chicago on February 1st, to formulate recommendations to be made to the president."

### COUNT REPORTED ARRESTED.

LONDON, Dec. 13.—The correspondent of the Times at St. Petersburg says a wild story is in circulation there that Grand Count Ippolitoff has been arrested by order of the emperor for plotting to establish a dictatorship. Inquiry at Count Ippolitoff's house, the correspondent says, failed to elicit either confirmation or denial of the story.

### APPOINTMENTS CONFIRMED.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—The senate in session confirmed the following appointments: Charles A. Stillings, Massachusetts; Henry W. Burness, Indiana, envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary to Hayti.

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