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# IRELAND UNDER A SEPARATE TARIFF.

In discussing Home Rule for Ireland, public interest has been centred for the most part on the sentimental side of the question. The financial proposals of the Bill are a fitting subject for careful investigation. The ob-jections which have been noted are worth considering. A memorandum dealing with this phase of the question has been issued by the Tariff Commission, a private or-ganization in Great Britain. It exhibits the present economic position of Ireland and submits much reliable data upon which conclusions can be formed. In industry covers a far wider range than is gen-erally supposed. The memorandum referred to gives a list of thirty-five different industries besides agriculture. Comparing the census figures of 1841 with those of 1901 is found that in most of these manufacturing industries being spreader of persons employed. This decline has been much greater proportionately than the decline in the population. The population fell from \$175,000 in 1841 In discussing Home Rule for Ireland, public interest

much greater proportionately than the decline in the population. The population fell from \$175,000 in 1841 to 4,443,000 in 1901, or 46 per cent, while the number of work-people employed in manufacturing industries fell from \$89,000 to 329,000 or 66 per cent. There still exist many important Irish industries, such as linen manufac-turing, brewing, engineering, bleaching and dyeing, mill-ing, woolten and worsted manufacturing, flax seutching, and so overking, distilling, mineral water manufacturing, and acon curing. There is also, of course, the Irish ship-ailding industry, which is such an important factor in the

and output. That result, it is maintained, might east in be attained by a reversal of the fiscal policy which is responsible for so much of the decline of irish agricul-ture and industry, and the adoption of a same and sensible the state of the canadian people. Minneapolis milling in-terests have not been slow to realize that if Canadian wheat cannot be brought to them they must go to the the state of the same and sensible wheat. They are starting an establishment of the ariff system which would give direct encouragement to United Kingdom.

Evidence placed before the Tariff Commission goes £52,600,000 of her products annually, while all other  $\pm$  £2,600,600 of her products annually, while all other countries combined take only £10,800,000 worth. Ire-land, therefore, is largely dependent upon the market of Great Britain for the disposal of her products, while Great Britain, on the other hand, is dependent on Ireland. Great Britain, on the other hand, is dependent on Ireland for a large proportion of her foodstuffs, such as cattle and beef, pork and bacon, potatoes, butter, eggs and poultry as well as linen goods, rope and cordage. The two countries being thus commercially interdependent, the object of whe statesmanship ought sitely to be to craw them more closely together for mutual advantage rather than to encourage the forces of disintegration. To give a tariff preference to trish products in the British markets would do more to resuscitate and stimulate Irish to describe the encourage the theorem of the statement of the stat industries than anything else which the wit of man could

se. Coming now to the fiscal provisions of the Home Rule is the defined by the Tariff Commission memorandum bill, it is claimed by the Tariff Commission memorandum that they are fraught with grave dangers, and are so that they are fraught with grave dangers, and are so complicated that they will almost certainly prove unwork-ble. Under Clause 15 of the Bill the Irish Parliament onous mushrooms are proving almost as fatal in France this year as an epidemic of the plague. This undoubted would have power to vary by way of "addition, reduction,

bout have power to vary by way of "addition, reduction, or discontinuance." any customs duty upon an article in cluded in the Imperial tariff. But an elaborate system of drawbacks is applied with the apparent object of placing the British exporter on the same footing in the Irish market as his Irish competitor, and vice versa. Should, therefore, the Irish Parliament exercise its power to poring into force a scale of duties differing from those provailing in Great Britain, an intricate reorganization of the Customs arrangements will be necessary both at British and Irish ports. British and Irish ports. For instance, should the Irish excise duty on whiskey

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### THE RESPONSE OF THE WEST.

To the confusion of the "wider market" propagan-dists, instances are constantly being recorded in the press of benefits derived from the defeat of Reciprocity. t will be difficult for advocates of the Pact to make much headway, for instance, against the facts set forth in the following paragraph from the Welland Telegraph:

"A cheque received at the Customs office, Port Colborne, a few days ago, covering a single Customs entry amounted to \$4,513. That was the duty on a shipment of American wheat from Duluth for the Maple Leaf Milling Company. Since the rate of duy is 123<sub>5</sub> cents it will be seen that the shipment was of considerable size. While this paragraph is being written the big steamer Mathewson is unloading a cargo of 202,000 bushels of Dulath wheat at the Government elevator, Port Colborne. But this sort of thing is of regular occurrence. American wheat is being unloaded at Port Colborne every day. The wharves of Duluth are thick with Canadian boats. These beautiful facts should be conveyed at once to the Toronto Globe, as it might help to assuage the grief of the Reciprocity organ's troubled breast."

building industry, which is such an important network of the second seco the regeneration of not poptunities for restoring for in progress must provide opportunities for restoring for mer industries and increasing the variety and range of benefit to the Canadian people. Minneapolis milling in

tariff system which would give direct encouragement to Trish industries as well as to those of the rest of the facilities for which there would have been no demand if Canadian grain had been sent across the border to American elevators. A recent report states that a large greatly hampered in European and other countries by the past year a meat-packing plant has greatly developed the past year a meat-packing plant has greatly developed the past year a meat-packing plant has greatly developed what is true of Port Colborne and of Moose Jaw is true of many cities and towns in Canada's great and grow etc. For such give above of a tariff is lacking. Great ing West. Sir Wilfrid Laurier professes to have a great re Britain is, of course. Ireland's best customer, taking interesting facts in any of his speeches. "The people d

Railway as another Canadian outlet for Western grain and in the rapid development of the national ports, in expediting the completion of the Transcontinental, in the retwo countries being thus commercially interdependent, the object of wise statesmanship ought surely to be to deered the many dependent are meeting the needs

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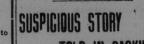
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Black and Tan Kip, Elk. Prices \$2.00, 2.25, 2.40, 2.50, 2.75, 3.00, 3.25 3.50, 3.75, 3.85, 4.00. (Sackville Tribune.) A remarkable natural occurrence is reported from near Middle Sackville, which happened during one of the re-cent numerous freshets. At a place called Leg Lake cand, on one of the many streams in this part of the coun-try, the canal was crossed by a bridge used jointly by the owners of the surrounding marshes. One of two owners, who had to travel a quarter of a mile out of his way to get across the stream about twenty-five feet in which at this point, decided to build a bridge on his own property and be had the stringers in their place and the floor of the bridge partly laid, when a heavy rain set in. The old priote, a quarter of a mile further down the stream was wept awy and hend de grecisely on the abutments of theold structure, just as neatly as an engineer could have built it. It was difficult to convince some of the resi-dents that this had occurred untu-tor streat was High Cut Working Boots from 7 inch to 16 inches, \$3.00, 3.50, 3.75, 4.00, 4.50, 5.00, 5.25, 5.75, 6.00, 7.00. We carry these lines in stock Sewed Nailed and Pegged. A boot for every purpose and the greatest possible value for your money. IS VAUCHA ISKINGST

TOLD IN SACKVILLE (Sackville Tribune.)

be reduced to 11s, per gallon, while the British duty re-mained at 14s. 9d. per gallon, the Irish merchant sending whiskey to England would claim a drawback of 11s, at the frish port and would pay an import duty of 14s. 9d. on arrival at the English port: while on the exportation of Scotch whiskey to Ireland the Scotch spirit merchant of Scotch whiskey to Ireland the Scotch spirit merchant Would claim 14s. 9d. as drawback and pay an Irish import duty equal to the frish excise duty, namely. 11s. per gal-ion. Similar arrangements would apply to beer, wine, focca, sugar, iea, and tobacco, as soon as the Irish Parilia-ment varied the duties on any of these articles. The duty equal to the Irish excise duty, namely, 11s. per gal-fon. Similar arrangements would apply to beer, wine, cocoa, sugar, tea, and tobacco, as soon as the Irish Parlia-ment varied the duties on any of these articles. The memorandum states on this point that "the difficulties of the Government of Ireland Bill would seem to arise from the effort to safeguard the 'Free Trade' system while in fact setting up a tariff system in different parts of the United Kingdom."

Inter Kingdom. There is a touch of grim humor in these provisions to give Ireland a tariff when we reflect that they have been framed by a Government to whom Protection is a mightmare. A writer in the Protectionist makes the fol-lowing caustic comment:

The power with which the Irish Parliament is to be endowed to increase to any extent all excise duties, the rates of Customs duties on beer and spirits, and, dommodities, is ministerially defended as enabling again etc. But nothing is said about the fact that this infromess all differential Customs rate operating spinst English, Scotch and Welsh, who, under the Bill, will have to provide large annual subsidies for spoke maintenance of purely Irish services. Not only spoke the increase of Customs duty on spirits and beer would operate as a protective impost, tending to due to Irish market." "The power with which the Irish Parliament is to

The fram market. Protests in the British press against these tariff mions have not been confined to Unionist journals. London Spectator, which in season and out of season orts "Frée Trade," has been moved to protest in the possibility of handleapping English trade un-the provisions of the Bill. It points out this result follow by the indirect method of reducing the excise on tobacco by half, thus enabling hish manufactur-or marchants to retail tobacco in England through

wife and five children were poisoned by a meal of most-rooms. Two of the children died and the remaining members of the family were in a critical condition. It is stated in the despatch that deaths from the same cause have been recorded daily during the past fortnight. Edible mushrooms which go to waste at this season of the year would form a grateful addition to the food

Current Comment

Tribute to Wilson. (Providence Journal.) . It is not too much to say, indeed, that in these few brief weeks Governor Wilson has given a new tone to our public life. He has never lost his temper, never depart-ed from principles to personalities, never assumed infal-libility, never disputed the right of any man to differ with him. Even in defeat there would be no bitterness for such a man for such a man.

A Handy Weapon. (Hamilton Spectator.) When the millennium arrives, it is fit that man's na-ture will be changed at the same time, else swords would need to be beaten into something less capable of harm than pruning-hooks. History furnishes startling; evi-dence of the mischief done by such-like implements when a rural mob got "het up."

Where it Comes in. (Syracuse Standard.) The cost of living fuctuates more rapidly than the norme of the man who works for wages or salary, and hat is where the problem of the cost of living comes in.

Wheat, For Instance. (Winnipeg Telegram.) The notion that one can sell at a profit to a neighbo that which be is trying his best to get rid of himself i one which will not stand analysis.

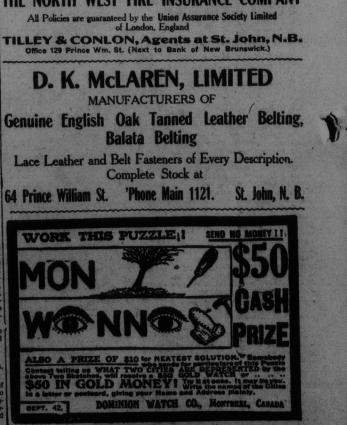
rion Land and Development ny. The potatoes in question nited between the trees of an i that had been set out in ring. The usual result of so r t weather is to bring on rust, a tops die before the tubers ance to ripen. By persistent s g, however, with Bordeaux mix e tops in this case are quite g t. The hills which have been ah g show a remarkable absence L. L. Sharpe & Son, English and American. All sizes and prices. JEWELERS AND OPTICIANS, **BARNES & CO.** 21 King Street, St. John, N. B. Stationers, 84 Prince William Street yet. The hills which have been alread dug show a remarkable absence of the smail potatoes which are usuall observed, one of them containing m fewar than thirty-two tubers of goo metchantable size. The estimate yield in this case is nearly 114 bar rels to the acre, and shows what can be done in this province by the intelli-gent use of advanced agricultural methods. THE NORTH WEST FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY A POSITION GUARANTEED To every student who enters for a course in Shorthand or Book-keeping. GUARANTEE BACKED UP. We do not require a cent of the tuition fee until our Employment Bureau has placed the student. THE J. R. CURRIE COMMERCIAL OUR TURN NOW! INSTITUTE, (Charlottetown Examiner.) Premier Mathieson says that the West has great opportunities of which the fullest advantage has been taken On the other hand we have greater op portunities than the West; but these we have so far failed to appreciate of realize. 85 Union Street. 'Phones: Office 959; Res., 2233. EVENING CLASSES ealize. The Premier says, further, tha thile it is pleasant and beneficial to ake a trip to the West, occasionally the returns in the full belief that as place in which to live comfortably an o prosper honestly and reasonably oy adopting the right methods to hose ends, Prince Edward Island has no superior Reopen for Winter Term Monday, September 30th. Hours, 7.30 to 9.30. IONDAY, WEDNESDAY & FRIDAY. Send for Catalogue giving Tuition THE STATUTE S. KERR, he abroad, Premier Mathleson comes de appreciating the natural advan-tes and beauties of this "fair Isle the sea," as he never did before, d determined to do what he can to-trds the development of its farms, work up an interest in its unrival i attractions for tourists, and it toe it upon the high road to a great prosperity "than has been." In this patriotic work he will, we el sure, have the co-operation and pport of all patriotic Islanders. Principal mpt Attention Will be Given Your Orders for ENGRAVING PRINTING

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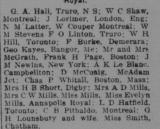
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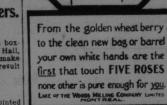
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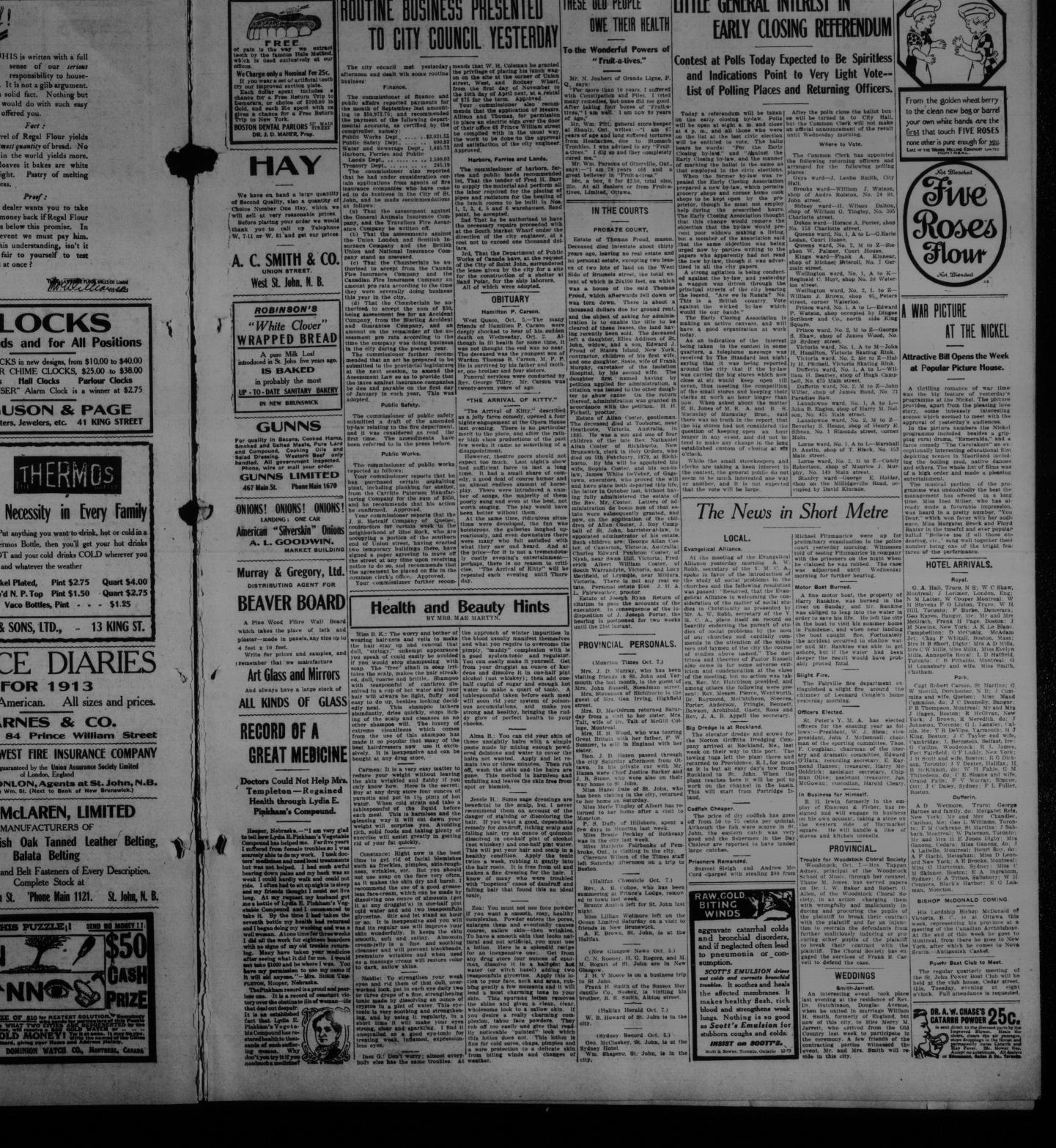
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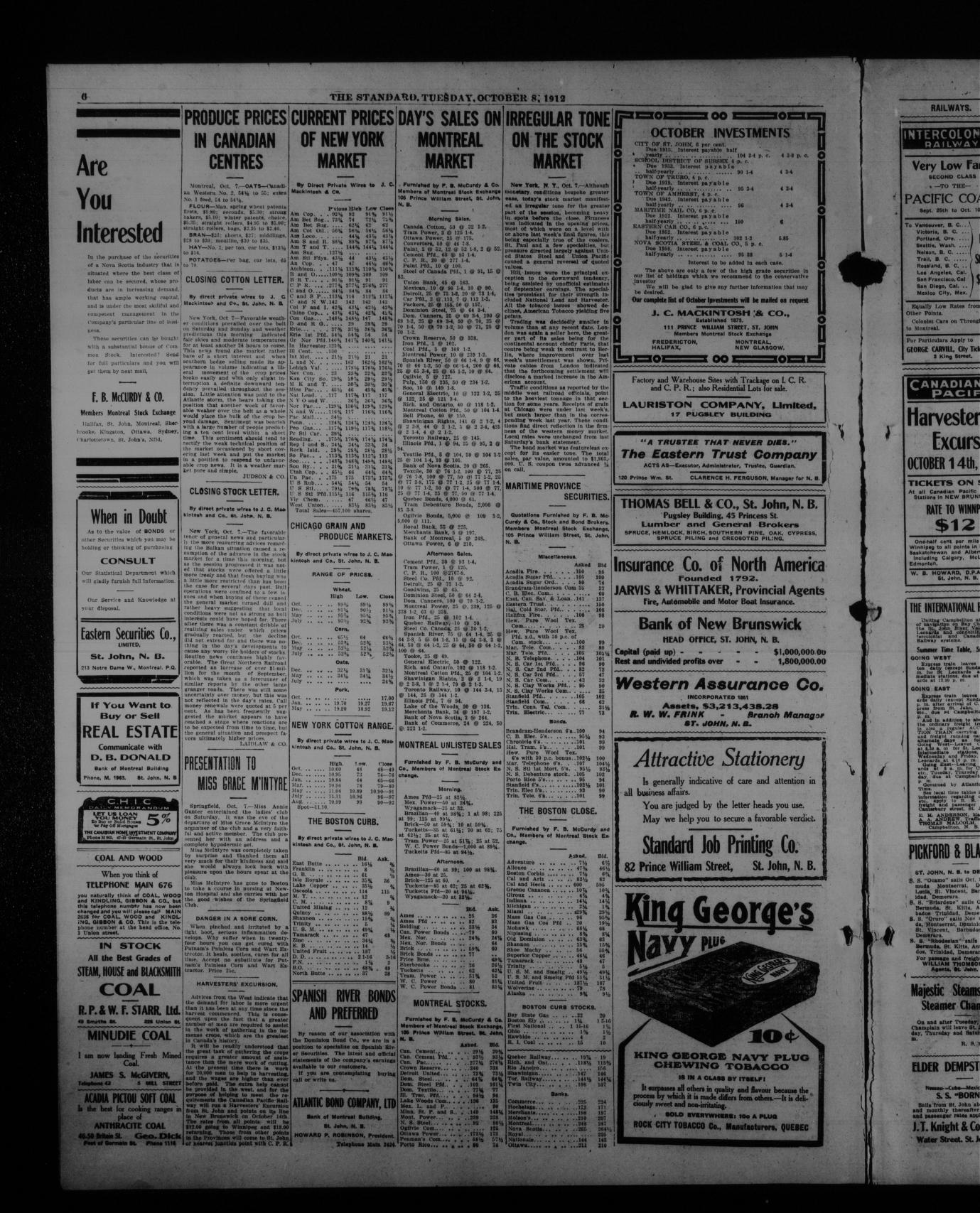




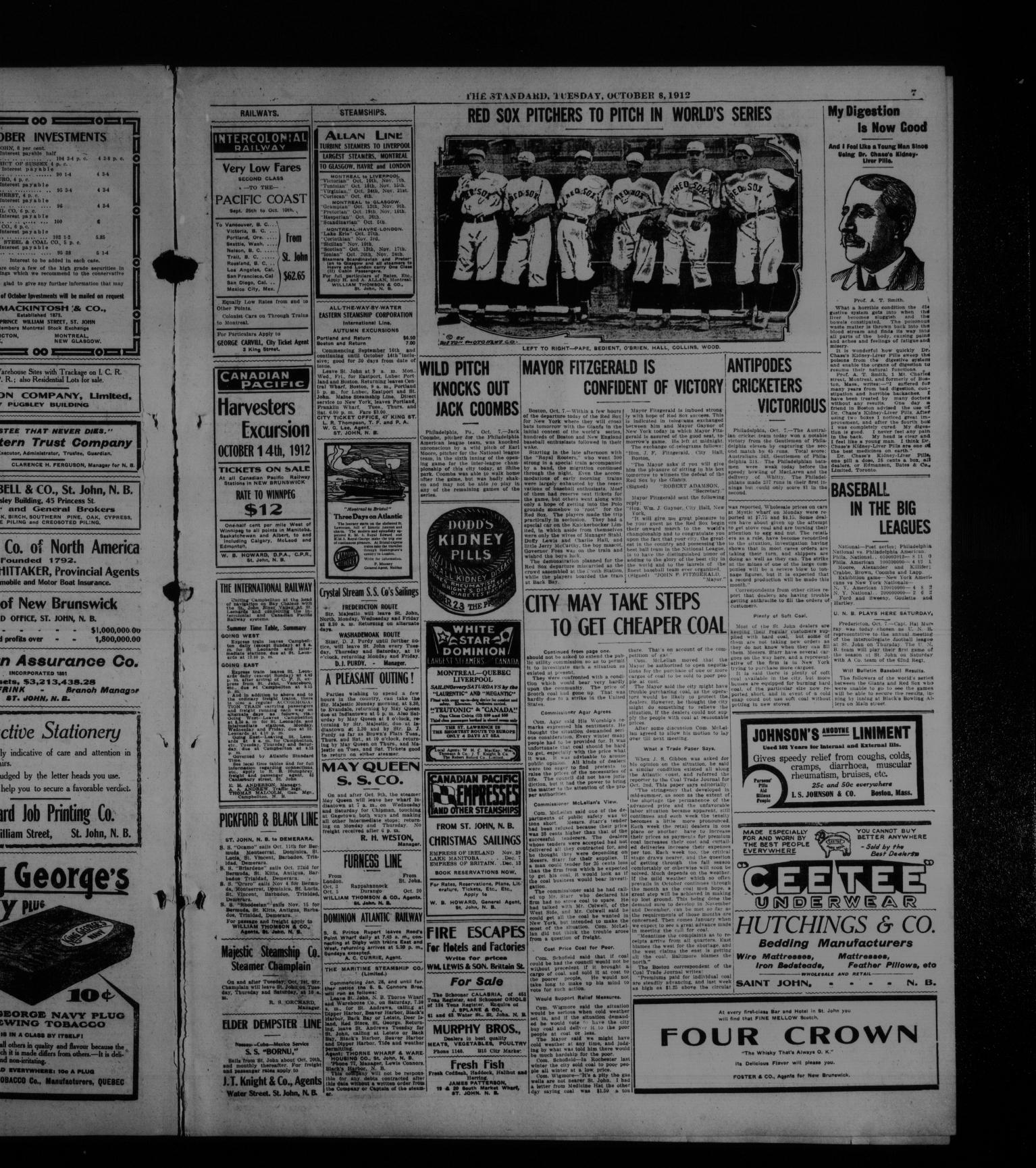








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