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ST. JOHN, N. B., TUESDAY, MARCH 18, 1924

Waterfront At West St. John Is Busier Than Last Year

MAN DELEGATES MEET AT CAPITAL

CARGOES AT PORT ARE HEAVIER

February Figures Show an Increased Tonnage at West Side Docks.

FEWER VESSELS

Passenger Lists Also Show Increase Over Last Year to Date.

Despite the fact that reports have been received that business along the harbor front was not as good as last year figures recently compiled show that at West St. John during the month of February a total of 26,900 tons more freight were handled than in corresponding month last year.

There were 2,100 tons more of grain sent forward in the ocean liners, 21,200 more tons of general cargo, and 3,600 tons more of import cargo received. That this month will also compare favorably if not surpass March in 1923 may be judged from a fact that over the week-end alone 11,000 tons of import freight were handled.

The figures this year are greatly in excess of last year but there were fewer steamers handling the cargo. In February of this year 44 steamers arrived at Sand Point and discharged cargo, while during the corresponding month in 1923 there were 47 steamers.

Officials Optimistic

Not only have the freight figures shown an increase, but the passenger figures from the opening of the winter season until the present date show that over 2,000 more passengers were landed at this port to date than during the corresponding period in 1923-24. A local official commenting on this said this is undoubtedly an indication that conditions in Europe are slowly but surely righting themselves and that we have successfully weathered the hardest period of the depression and from now on everything points to a greater volume of business. He predicts that before the end of the season business at this port will be comparing with that transacted prior to the great war, the aftermath of which caused such havoc in the industrial world.

Montlaur Due Sunday

A report received at the local headquarters of the C. P. R. this morning said that the Canadian Pacific steamer Montlaur will arrive here Sunday from Liverpool with 262 cabin and 818 third-class passengers, mail and a large general cargo. The cabin passengers comprise 233 adults, 27 children and two infants, and the third class 754 adults, 51 children and 18 infants. As other freight steamers are due this week indications are that activities along the entire harbor front will be unusually brisk.

3 Are Burned To Death In Quebec

Three Rivers, Que., March 18.—Eugene Demarchi, Francesco Calucci and Luigi Managatti were burned to death early today at La Gabelle during a fire which destroyed the boarding house kept by one of their compatriots, Ferraris.

The victims were Italians, employed by the St. Maurice Power Development Company.

Y. M. C. A. Official Gets Bad News

Bellefleur, Ont., March 17.—H. C. Sidenius, general secretary of the Y. M. C. A., today received a telegram which informed him that his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Sidenius, had been in a motor accident in Chicago, their home. His mother was killed and his father is badly but not fatally injured.

Spain Joins Postal Union

Madrid, March 17.—Spain today became a member of the Pan-American Union under a decree signed by King Alfonso.

Mah-Jongg Dress Is In Three Sections

Paris, March 18.—The mah-jongg dress made its initial bow to the Parisian public at the Auteuil race track. It consists of three distinct frocks, entirely independent, one from another, but worn all at the same time and presenting a delightful "fused color" effect. Over the inner dress of yellow crepe is placed a similar dress of gray, and over that one of black. Other colors blend with less success. Some designers presented a rather rainbow effect. The three dresses can be worn singly, separately or jointly and severally.

FIRPO SAYS HE WILL QUIT RING

"Wild Bull of Pampus," Announces Determination to Stop After April 5.

Buenos Aires, March 18.—"Fed up" with boxing and wearied of the notoriety that goes with pugilistic fame, Luis Firpo, "Wild Bull of Pampus," has announced his determination to quit the ring after his bout with Al Reich, U. S. heavyweight, here on April 5.

While some of his friends expressed skepticism, the South America champion, emphasized the sincerity of his announcement and declared he had just turned down an offer from Tex Rickard, \$100,000 for matches with Harry Wills and Jack Dempsey.

PLEADS GUILTY TO BEATING HIS WIFE

Newcastle Man Bound Over to Keep Peace—Returns to His Home.

(Special to The Times.) Newcastle, March 18.—In the police court here this morning Joseph Napke pleaded guilty to charge of beating his wife Mable Napke, before sitting police magistrate Demers.

Mrs. Napke who has since returned to her home, says she was withdrawn. Magistrate Demers after hearing defendant a good lecture had him bound over to keep the peace for two years.

Wire Briefs

Brussels, March 18.—The output of the Belgian coal mines for January was the greatest since the armistice, it is announced, exceeding 2,000,000 tons.

Niagara Falls, N. Y., March 18.—An unidentified man leaped 200 feet from the lower steel arch bridge into the whirlpool rapids at midnight last night.

London, March 18.—An earthquake was felt at Batna, Algeria, Monday morning, says an Algiers despatch to the Daily Mail. A girl was killed by the collapse of a house, and several buildings were damaged.

Paris, March 18.—Official confirmation has been received by the French foreign office through diplomatic channels of the reports of a permanent movement in Persia was assuming a serious aspect for the dynasty.

London, March 18.—The support of the French franc by J. P. Morgan & Co., "dealt a sore blow to at least two other big American financial houses which were bearing franc," the Daily Telegraph asserts today.

Ottawa, March 18.—St. Henry Drayton intends to ask in the House what deposits the Canadian National Railways had in the Home Bank on May 29, 1923, whether the amount was still on deposit on June 1 of the same year, when it was withdrawn, and who signed the check.

SUCCESSION DUTIES ARE ANNOUNCED

Amounts Paid to Provincial Government Last Year Totalled \$152,608.

REPORT IS TABLED

Joseph A. Tilton Estate Heads the Long List at \$19,006.28.

Fredericton, March 18.—The amount of succession duties paid to the Provincial Government last year was \$152,608, according to the Auditor-General's report tabled in the House this afternoon, which was contributed from the following estates:

Table listing names and amounts of succession duties: C. W. Whippley, Thomas Henry Wilson, Ralph A. Steeves, etc.

Foreign Shippers Receive Good News

Veracruz, March 18.—Foreign shippers here have been advised officially that customs duties paid in good faith to the revolutionary Government would not be collected again. As a result indications of the restoration of normal conditions at Veracruz, 40,000 bunches of bananas arrived yesterday for shipment to New Orleans. This is the first important shipment from the interior since the federal occupation and the largest single shipment ever received in this port. Banana growers report that their plantations have been little damaged through recent illness.

Refuse Passengers From Germany

Berlin, March 18.—Steamship lines having sailings from Germany to the U. S. are refusing to sell third-class tickets for use during July and August. They say their passengers who obtained emigration visas before January 1 but who could not get into the U. S. under the quota for the last fiscal year, are more than 60,000 persons desirous of emigrating to the U. S. have registered in Poland.

Uncle Sam Gets Bit Of Change

Washington, March 17.—The people of the United States in filing their income tax returns this month poured \$377,848,840 into the federal treasury, and nearly \$100,000,000 additional is expected before the end of the month.

Hoists House Until Tenant Gets Out

New York, March 18.—Edward Phipps, a Yonkers landlord, was charged with recovering the use of his property at 20 Ritters lane, Yonkers, by hoisting his building and the tenants and leaving them up in the air.

Nathaniel Epstein, who has a six months' lease on the house, said he returned one day to the British building riding high in the air on wooden planks, while the landlord and workmen were busy clearing the site below. Water, gas and electricity were cut off. Epstein refused to live in this style and has started suit under the health laws to compel the landlord to bring the house back to earth.

BRITISH PLAN TO DEFEAT YANKEES

Aviators of Great Britain to Pursue Americans Around The World.

London, March 18.—Stirred by the start of American airplanes on a world flight Great Britain is rushing plans to enter the race and beat the Americans around the world, the Evening News declares today.

Nova Scotia Gets Some Scandinavians

Halifax, N. S., March 18.—Three hundred Scandinavian farmers and fishermen landed here yesterday on the Scandinavian-American liner Oscar II, and of this number 98 have been placed in Nova Scotia through the activities of the local immigration and colonization officials. The remainder will go to Upper Canadian points and west.

Big Celebration In New York City

New York, March 17.—Cheered by scores of thousands of men and women in holiday mood, who lined the sidewalks for blocks, 25,000 marchers today paraded up Fifth Avenue in the annual St. Patrick's Day procession. In the line of march were large detachments of police and war veterans and representatives of many Irish patriotic and social organizations.

Would Cross Sea On New Aircraft

Friedrichshafen, March 17.—More than 700 Germans who desire to immigrate to the United States have applied for passage on the ZR-3 which is being built here at the Zeppelin works for the United States Navy and which is to make a flight across the Atlantic upon completion. The trial trip in Germany will probably take place in May.

To Patrol Sea For Ice Floes

Washington, March 17.—The navy hydrographer office ordered the coast guard cutter Tampa, at Boston, to begin tomorrow the work of patrolling North Atlantic steamship lanes for ice floes and other dangers to shipping.

Receiver For Chicoutimi Co.

Montreal, March 17.—The Crown Trust was named today interim receiver of the Chicoutimi Pulp Company, Limited, by judgment of the registrar in bankruptcy.

Tonight's Night At The Arena

Tonight is the big sport night at the Arena—hockey match, half-mile handicap, mile race and introductory of St. John's Olympic candidates, including Bilyea and Gorman.

PROBE AT VICTORIA IS CONTINUED

Third Week of Inquiry Into the Pacific Great Eastern Starts.

SESSION HEATED

Provincial Income Tax Returns are Under Fire in Quiz.

(By Canadian Press.)

Victoria, B. C., March 18.—The third week of the inquiry by the Royal Commission into the conduct of the construction and administration of the Pacific Great Eastern Railway began yesterday before Mr. Justice Gallieher with the case of the provincial party, sponsor of charges of corruption and maladministration against the Oliver government, still uncompleted.

The session was marked by the severe cross-examination to which P. J. Finerty, one of the witnesses for the provincial party, was subjected by S. S. Taylor, K. C., senior government counsel.

One Case In Kings Co. Circuit Court

(Special to The Times.) Hampton, March 18.—The King's County circuit court met here this morning but on account of the fact that the grand jury was not all present, owing to road conditions, business was suspended until this afternoon. There is only one case on the docket of the court, a charge of larceny, arising out of a matter involving the trading of horses. Judge Crockett presided.

British Ambassador To Speak Tonight

New York, March 18.—Sir Esme Howard, British ambassador, will make his first speech since his arrival in the U. S. tonight at the dinner of the Pilgrims' Society of New York in the Waldorf Astoria.

Protests Against C. N. R. Dismissals

Ottawa, March 17.—In the Commons Chamber, (Liberal, Col. Chester, N. S.), protested against the dismissal of certain conductors dismissed from the C. N. R. in Nova Scotia, he claimed had been found guilty without being confronted with actual witnesses.

Seven Killed In Fight Over Sugar

Manila, March 18.—Seven Filipinos were killed in a clash between landlords and tenants on a sugar plantation near Candaba, Pampanga province, said a despatch reaching here yesterday.

U. S. Their Refuge!



No more Russia for Baron or Baroness Michael Royce Garrett. They have arrived in this country, practically penniless, to attempt to recuperate their shattered fortunes.

The witness under close pressure from the lawyer admitted that over the cost of filling and charges for construction and maintenance of camps, roads, etc., might amount to \$20,000 to \$30,000, besides the 17 cents a head fee for cribbing paid to Finerty and the Murdoch Company, sub-contractors, for the same work.

Boy Bandit Puts Palm Beach Colony Into State of Terror Evades Arrest

West Palm Beach, March 18.—Harford Mobley, boy leader of the Ashley gang, is at large, and has the Palm Beach colony well-nigh terrorized. Harford is wanted as a fugitive from justice, for bank robbery, highway robbery and murder, by both American and British governments for piracy on the high seas and robbery and minor counts, besides the hold-up of 60 guests of The Plantation, a road house, north of Miami.

Two years ago about this time he held up and robbed the saloon "bank" at West End, in the Bahamas, 80 miles on the coast. The next day he coolly walked into the Bank of Stuart and cashed a cashier's check for \$1,400, part of the loot.

INDIANS TRIED

Trial Opens Against Redskins Who Are Accused as Bolshevik Agents. Cawnpore, British India, March 18.—Trial opened here yesterday of eight Indians, alleged Bolshevik agents, charged with conspiring to establish a communist international organization throughout India. Four of the accused men were absent.

Tokio Says Several Injured In Quake

Tokio, March 18.—Many houses were demolished Saturday evening by a severe earthquake which rocked the southern section of Saghalien Island, off the east coast of Asia. Several persons were injured, but none were killed.

TEMPERANCE FOLKS WILL SEE VENIOT

New Plan Which Will be Workable in Province is Sought.

CHURCH UNION BILL

Labor Conference to be Held—Lumbermen to Meet Soon.

(Special to The Times.)

Fredericton, March 18.—The Capital is alive today with representatives from several organizations of a provincial character. First among these is the New Brunswick Temperance Alliance, of which Donald Fraser of Plaster Rock is president, and Rev. Thos. Marshall, the secretary, so far as active work goes. It is not quite clear yet what the Temperance Alliance wishes to interview the government about, but no doubt that will be made clear this evening, when it is very probable that arrangements will be completed for a conference between the delegates and the members of the Legislature.

Even the more prominent members of the Alliance this morning, when interrogated as to what requests or demands would be made in the interests of temperance upon the government, were unable to reply definitely, but it was evident from their statements that there was a feeling, even though prohibition was not referred to in the speech from the throne, that an attempt would be made at this session to take authority to hold another plebiscite upon the advisability of substituting another law more workable than the present one.

Weather Report

Synopsis—The disturbance which was in the Mississippi Valley yesterday is now approaching Lake Erie as a very shallow depression, while north and west of the Great Lakes the barometer is high. Light snowfalls have occurred in Quebec. Elsewhere the weather has been fair.

Weather Report

The answer of the Premier to the delegation is not possible, of course, to indicate, but it is known that quite recently he has taken very strong ground upon the issuing of beer licenses, and that these will not be permitted to continue if enforced in public places where any condition might arise indicating a return of the open bar. In a recent statement to a representative of the Times-Star, the Premier said he had issued instructions that any beer licenses convicted of violating the law would have their license cancelled at five days' notice.

Another Men Gathers

Another organization representing a large number of industrial workers is the N. B. Federation of Labor, which met in an annual session this morning. J. E. Tigue, of St. John, is the president. There are several labor leaders from outside of the province in attendance already and others are expected to arrive. Among them is Tom Moore, of Upper Canada. The federation will discuss many matters which they consider to be in the interests of labor in this province and before they disperse, will meet the government as usual and place their recommendations before them. The meeting is likely to have a personal touch because it has already been announced that Mr. Labelle of the International Pulp and Sulphite Workers proposes to answer the statement made by Premier Veniot when presiding at the investigation into Work.

Table with weather data: Highest during day, Lowest during night, Victoria, Calgary, Edmonton, Winnipeg, Toronto, Montreal, St. John, Halifax, New York.

RECORD ASSEMBLY OF N. B. PHYSICIANS

Doctors Study Insulin Treatment—Plan Campaign Against Diphtheria.

When Dr. G. G. Melvin, chief medical officer, described as the largest assemblage of physicians of the province he had ever seen, gathered this morning at the opening meeting of the diabetic clinic at the General Public Hospital.

Mr. Agar extended a welcome in behalf of the Hospital Board to the visitors. Hon. Dr. Roberts also welcomed them, and gave an explanation of the method of distributing insulin.

CLINIC THIS AFTERNOON.

At 2:30 this afternoon Dr. Hipwell will hold a ward clinic in the Hospital and at 3:30 Dr. Abramson, chief of laboratories, will give a laboratory demonstration.

At 10:30 a.m.—The Laboratory control of the Insulin Treatment of Diabetes, H. L. Abramson, M.D.

11:30 a.m.—Preparation of Diabetic Diet, Miss E. E. Bonnell, dietitian, General Public Hospital.

2:30 p.m.—Laboratory Demonstration, Laboratory, General Public Hospital, Dr. Abramson, M.D.

8:30 p.m.—Diet Demonstration, Diet Kitchen, General Public Hospital, Miss Bonnell.

Physicians Registered. The following physicians registered this morning:

- F. H. Wetmore, Hampton; Geo. G. Melvin, Fredericton; W. Daniel, M. A. Curry, St. John; V. Connor, Harcourt; H. C. B. Allen, Port Elgin; J. A. Wade, Fredericton; J. E. Teel, Dorchester; M. Delaney, B. A. Marven, Chatham; A. T. Leatherbarrow, Hampton; H. A. Wheaton, Sussex; E. A. King, G. W. Fleming, Petticoe; E. Bonnell, Harcourt; J. I. Nugent, Chipman; J. Newton Smith, Hampton; F. J. Desmond, Newcastle; Fred A. Richard, Moncton; M. Jewell, O. Hill, W. Bailey, Woodstock; J. D. Coffin, Plaster Rock; E. J. Ryan, St. John; H. C. LeBlanc, H. E. Britton, St. John; M. L. Hanington, St. John; E. J. Veniot, Bathurst; C. E. Oulmont, Campbellton; W. O. Chestnut, St. John; H. M. Jewell, Corner Glacie; F. E. Gilchrist, Norton; D. H. McAllister, Sussex; G. B. Peat, D. C. Malcolm, S. H. McDonald, F. W. Stevenson, A. E. Logan, L. M. Curran, W. B. McVey, W. D. Davidson, A. S. Kirkland, J. S. Bentley, T. E. Bishop, J. W. Barry, H. A. Farris, G. C. Davis, P. Heinbecker, E. J. Bruders, S. Clark, O. B. Evans, A. E. Baxter, E. W. Lunney, E. S. Bridges, C. M. Kelly, F. T. Dunlop, A. F. Emery, C. L. Emerson, W. F. Roberts, H. L. Abramson, St. John; E. W. L. Earle, Perth; A. L. Gerow, G. P. Holden, Fredericton; T. A. Kirwan, Rogersville; P. M. Kirwan, Harcourt; J. D. Lawson, St. Stephen; L. M. Murray, Sussex; W. S. Loggie, Chatham.

Victoria Rink—Band and good ice tonight. 3-19

NOTICES OF BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS, 50 CENTS.

BIRTHS

STEVENS—Born to the wife of Jas. P. Stevens, March 17, 1924, a daughter; 125 Robeson Ave., City.

DEATHS

BREEN—In this city, on March 18, 1924, Annie, wife of John Breen, aged 78, daughter of Mary A. and the late Michael Walton, of St. John, leaving behind her husband, seven children, mother, six brothers and two sisters.

ROSS—In this city, on March 18, 1924, Maurice Charles, age one year one month, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Ross.

RYDER—Suddenly at his home 44 Somerset street, Jacob D. Ryder raised away, leaving to mourn a sorrowing wife, two daughters, one son and a stepson.

Funeral service from his late residence, Wednesday afternoon at half past three. Friends invited.

BARRETT—In this city on March 17, 1924, Mary E., daughter of James and the late Mary A. Barrett, leaving her father, step-mother, five brothers and two sisters to mourn.

Funeral will take place on Thursday morning at 9:30 o'clock from her father's residence, East St. John, to the Catholic Chapel at East St. John for funeral mass. Friends invited.

SMITH—Suddenly in this city on March 17th, Francis W. Smith, leaving a wife, six daughters and three sons to mourn.

Funeral will be held from his late residence, Wednesday at two o'clock.

IN MEMORIAM

NELSON—In loving memory of our dear baby, Edward Fraser Nelson, who died suddenly March 18, 1923. Gone but not forgotten.

FATHER AND MOTHER.

GREEN'S DINING HALL

BREAKFAST 60c. DINNER 60c. SUPPER 60c. Noon, 12-2:30 P. M., 5-8 12-27-1924

St. John Hockey Club Team



Above is a photograph of the St. John Hockey Club team, taken outside the Arena this week. The names are as follows: Back row, left to right—Phil. Halliday, defense; Dr. Sancton, vice-pres.; H.G. Ellis, Pres.; Fred Richard, defense; M. Rathburn, wing.

Front row, left to right—J. Mourlain, wing; H. Short, center; J. Nicholson, goal; H. B. Gilbert, defense (Capt.); Charlie Gorman, wing; J. Gilbert, center; F. Kiley, wing; R. Gregg, wing.

CREW RESCUED FALKNER GIVES CLEVER EXHIBITION

Seven Men of U. S. Schooner Spindrift Are Taken to Jamaica.

Kingston, Ja., March 18.—Captain Jose Acosta and seven men of the crew of the U. S. schooner Spindrift, were brought here yesterday by the steamer Carrillo, which picked them up after they had been drifting for six and a half days aboard the schooner which was dismantled during a heavy storm.

Church Union Bill Met With Approval

Edmonton, March 18.—The church union bill, with the exception of a few clauses, was approved by the committee of the whole in the legislature yesterday in spite of the vigorous opposition which was offered to the proposed measure by Donald Cameron, Farmer, Innisfail, the Hon. J. R. Boyle, leader of the opposition, and the Hon. C. W. Cross, Liberal, Edson, who urged that the bill be held up until it had been determined what action would be taken by the Dominion Parliament.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Brydone-Jack, who has been visiting Dr. and Mrs. J. O. Calkin, St. John, left last week en route to her home in Glacie, B. C.

Mrs. G. V. McInerney and daughter, Miss Grace, of Charlottetown, who are guests of Mrs. John O'Brien, Nelson, spent Saturday with Mrs. J. D. O'Leary, Newcastle.

Rev. George A. Grant, late of Blackville, and formerly of St. Stephen's church, Black River, Northumberland county, has accepted a call to the pastorate of Orwell congregation in the Presbytery of Prince Edward Island, and will be inducted to that charge on April 2.

His Honor the Lieut. Governor and Mrs. Todd will not receive this week, says the Fredericton Mail.

Mathew Lodge returned to Moncton Saturday from Toronto and other points in the upper provinces. He attended the annual meeting of the Canadian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy.

Mrs. John Edey and her young son Jack, who have been making an extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Bass, in Moncton, left Friday on her return to Weyburn, Saskatchewan.

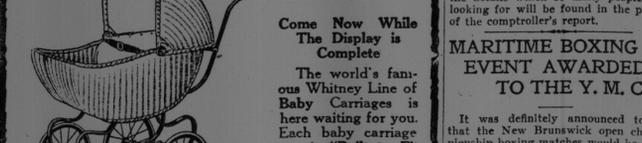
Miss Helen Jones of Aponahual, was a week end visitor in Moncton, the guest of Miss K. Jefferson.

A Word About Credit to Young Couples.

For 34 years Amland Bros. has been helping young couples furnish homes complete with furniture and carpets of the best type, not only providing it at prices that are down to rock bottom, but in addition offering a liberal credit plan that enables them to own and enjoy the best furniture and carpets without making any large cash expenditure. A visit incurs no obligation to purchase.

Come Now While the Display is Complete

The world's famous Whitney Line of Baby Carriages is here waiting for you. Each baby carriage too is "Built to Fit the Baby." The prices are marked very low. Easy terms



AMLAND BROS., LIMITED 19 Waterloo Street

DIES SUDDENLY ON HIS BIRTHDAY

J. D. Ryder Passes Away Here Yesterday—Born in Queens Co.

At his home, 44 Somerset street, Jacob Ryder passed away suddenly last night, leaving to mourn a sorrowing wife, two daughters, one son and a stepson, two brothers and one sister.

LOCAL NEWS

FINED IN TRAFFIC CASE Edgar D. Fairweather was fined \$10 in the police court this morning on a charge of driving his automobile on the left side of a standing street near the intersection of Market Square and King street on March 16.

STEAMERS REPORTED. At 8:15 this morning the S. S. Manchester Port was reported 230 miles southeast of Cape Race, bound for St. John. At 8:30 o'clock the S. S. Kamouraska was 25 miles east of Campersdown, bound for St. John.

STILL CROSSING ICE. A report received from along the river today said that the ice is still strong and has shown no indications, up to the present, of breaking up, on the Kennebecas river residents of Bayswater, Summersville and White Head are still crossing with teams at Millidgville.

C. P. E. OFFICIALS LEAVE. J. C. Scully, general manager of the C. P. R. eastern lines, who was in the city on an inspection trip, returned to Montreal yesterday afternoon.

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BURIED TODAY. The funeral of Mrs. William J. Shewers was held this morning at 10 o'clock at the residence of her brother P. J. Fitzpatrick, 102 Waterloo street, to the Cathedral for High Mass of Requiem by Rev. J. Brown, Rector, with Adair, David J. Hodford, John Magee and in the new Catholic cemetery.

CHANCERY COURT. In Chancery Court this morning before Chief Justice Hazen in the case of Hanford Plume vs. Oliver J. Beaumont a motion was made to confirm a master's report and to enter personal judgment against the defendants for a default of \$2,500.

CLAIM IS HEARD. The first case to be heard here by the Commissioner for dealing with claims due to German submarines was heard this morning by the Commissioner. It was that of the S. S. Eretia Co. (Limited) and the claim is for the value of the vessel less insurance received, a net claim of about \$600,000. The vessel was sunk in May of 1916 by a mine or German submarine.

THE BUDGET SPEECH. The Provincial Secretary-Treasurer made his budget speech this week unless he does so on Friday. Under the rules of the House two days' notice is required for motion to bring in supply, and if notice were given today, Tuesday, the budget could not be brought down until Friday, when the House only usually convenes for two hours in the afternoon before adjournment. It is, therefore, probable that the budget speech will be delivered on Tuesday, March 25, or the following day.

THE ESTIMATES HAVE NOT YET BEEN PRINTED, but it is said the auditor-general's report will be ready to present to the House very soon. The statement of the auditor, Price, Waterhouse & Co., which was printed according to law in the Royal Gazette 90 days after the close of the fiscal year, has provided the public with the essential financial statements of the year, but the details which so many people are looking for, and that entries upon the pages of the comptroller's report.

IT WAS DEFINITELY ANNOUNCED today that the New Brunswick open championship boxing matches would be held under the auspices of the Y. M. C. I. on April 11 and that entries would close with W. E. Stirling on April 10. The championship events will be the 112, 118, 125, 135 and 147 classes and there will be open classes for boys under 100 and 108 pounds. It is expected that entries will be received from Halifax and Moncton.

TAXI MEN LOOKING FOR PROTECTION

Explain Reasons for By-law Request—Story of a Hampton Trip.

Some interesting things were said at the conference between owners of taxicabs and the city commissioners yesterday. What the owners desire is protection against those who go into the business at times when there is a prospect of many fares, as on special days or celebrations and at exhibition time, and leave the lean periods to those who are in the business the whole year round.

THE TAXI-MEN WANT A BY-LAW and a board to administer the same. On this subject the City Council, through its representatives, would have a majority. The owners are quite agreeable to a fixed scale of charges in the city and to such places as Gondola Point, Spruce Lake and other points, but insist for longer runs the price should be a matter of agreement between the taxi and the passenger, the former to announce the fare before starting out.

THIS LAST APPEARED TO BE A somewhat knotty point. One commissioner said that there might be only one taxi available and the driver might fix an exorbitant price. To this it was replied that on one occasion a car was hired by the hour and went to Hampton. When the fare alighted he dismissed the taxi and refused to pay for more than the time he was on board. Thus the taxi-man got nothing for his run back to town.

AS STATED YESTERDAY, THE CITY COUNCIL agreed with the principle of the proposed by-law, and the exact terms will be agreed upon later.

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THE BUDGET SPEECH. The Provincial Secretary-Treasurer made his budget speech this week unless he does so on Friday. Under the rules of the House two days' notice is required for motion to bring in supply, and if notice were given today, Tuesday, the budget could not be brought down until Friday, when the House only usually convenes for two hours in the afternoon before adjournment. It is, therefore, probable that the budget speech will be delivered on Tuesday, March 25, or the following day.

THE ESTIMATES HAVE NOT YET BEEN PRINTED, but it is said the auditor-general's report will be ready to present to the House very soon. The statement of the auditor, Price, Waterhouse & Co., which was printed according to law in the Royal Gazette 90 days after the close of the fiscal year, has provided the public with the essential financial statements of the year, but the details which so many people are looking for, and that entries upon the pages of the comptroller's report.

IT WAS DEFINITELY ANNOUNCED today that the New Brunswick open championship boxing matches would be held under the auspices of the Y. M. C. I. on April 11 and that entries would close with W. E. Stirling on April 10. The championship events will be the 112, 118, 125, 135 and 147 classes and there will be open classes for boys under 100 and 108 pounds. It is expected that entries will be received from Halifax and Moncton.

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PERSONAL NEWS OF PROMINENT BAPTISTS.

Rev. R. E. Gullison, Mrs. Gullison and family expect to leave India for the homeland early in April.

Rev. H. R. Bell of Centerville, Carleton county, N. B., was in St. John last week.

The Zion Baptist church, Truro, N. S., have called Rev. A. N. Morgan to their pastorate, and he has accepted.

Mrs. C. Archibald was to leave India for Southern California the first of March to make her home with friends in that state.

Rev. P. Brown, who served a number of churches as pastor, and more recently has served the Prince Edward street church, St. John, a church independent of denominational affiliations, was called to Medicine Hat, Alta., last autumn on account of the severe illness of his daughter, but his health condition is such that he has, as yet, been unable to return to the East. That he may be near his daughter in her illness, Rev. P. Brown, an evangelistic worker in the West for a time.

Denominational Announcements. Queens, N. S. District.—The next session of the Queens county, N. S. district meeting will convene with the Baptist church at Caledonia, March 24 and 25. The first session will be held on Monday, March 24, at 7:30. A programme of real interest and profit is to be presented, and a full delegation is desired. All planning to attend will report to Rev. J. H. Puddington, pastor, if entertainment is desired.—J. B. Ganong, secretary.

JURY NAMED FOR SMITH INQUEST

Coroner H. A. Porter announced last evening that he would hold an inquest into the death of Francis W. Smith of 78 Somerset street, who was killed yesterday afternoon while at work on the steamer Kentucky, lying at Long wharf. Mr. Smith was for many years an employe of the Maritime Mail Works and had only been at Longshore work for about a year. He is survived by his wife, six daughters, John, Joseph, and Margaret, which were all at home; three sons, Ronald of Ormocoet and Frederick E. and Morton, at home; his mother and one brother and sister.

The jury was appointed this morning and viewed the body at the hospital. Hearing of evidence will commence tomorrow evening in the Court House, Germain street.

The jury is as follows: James Sproul, foreman; George H. McLaughlin, Christopher J. Wilson, Rector, Adair, David J. Hodford, John Magee and R. M. Thorne.

PREPARING FOR CITY BEAUTIFYING

Commissioner Frink said this morning that he had been in conference with H. E. Gould yesterday afternoon on the matter of flowers for the public squares during the coming summer, and it was decided to place a considerable quantity of shrubbery as well as the flowers.

Victoria Square, Indiantown, which was recently laid in, is to be planted with shrubs placed on the eastern side; Tilley Square, on the west side; Court Square, Indiantown; and the eastern side of King Square, in front of the old Court House.

Mr. Gould has also been asked to prepare a plan of Queen Square, West Side, for development next year, as it is hoped to have the ball field removed to the new playground next summer.

MASONIC OFFICERS ARE INSTALLED

The officers of St. John Council, No. 1, Cryptic Rite, were officially installed last evening in the Masonic Temple by Rev. W. W. Williamson, M. P. G. M., of Montreal. At the close of the ceremony the grand master in a short address congratulated the officers and their companions on the work of the council. He called on Thrice Imperial Masters Charles Robinson and Robert Clarke, who were retiring from office and sat down to a banquet.

Following is the list of officers: Farris S. Sawaya, F. I. M. J. E. C. D. M. Wm. Nels, I. P. C. of W.; W. H. Smith, treasurer; J. W. Cameron, recorder; S. J. Parkhill, chaplain; W. F. White, master; J. Harper vs. Chester H. Rouse and wife for \$1,800. The property is near Annapolis in Kings County. The matter was adjourned until Thursday. E. C. Rice appeared for the plaintiff.

In the case of Christie vs. Walton asking for a foreclosure of the Walton property in Moncton was not completed. M. G. Teed appeared on behalf of E. A. Reilly of Moncton.

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LOST



Miss Eleanor Aylesworth, 16, high school student of Birmingham, N. Y., has disappeared from her home. A nation-wide search is being made for her.

BUSINESS LOCALS

Dancing tonight. The Studio, Black's Orchestra.

Mrs. Wm. H. Codner, 79 Kennedy St. wishes to thank the nurses and staff of the General Public Hospital for kindness and attention during her recent illness and also her many friends for their kindness to herself and family.

PHOTO ANNIVERSARY. Chino's half-price offering, March 21 to 29. In place of an Easter card, your photograph.—85 Gernain street. 9398-3-29

Satisfactory watch repairing, Barrett's, Gernain street, over Oak Hall. 9339-3-21

A couple of good ones—Morse's Selected Orange Pekoe, Morse's Standard Tea. Est. 1870.

The meetings in the Victoria street United Baptist church are being continued this week with good interest. Rev. I. W. Williamson returned yesterday from Woodstock and preached last evening to a large congregation. His subject last night was "The Atonement of Jesus Christ as the Basis of Christian Hope." Mr. Williamson is being warmly greeted by his old parishioners and is being entertained this week at the home of Mr. Isaac Clark, Waterloo street. 9600-8-19

Public Auction Thursday afternoon at late residence of Mrs. John H. Thomson Rothsay, few household effects, including kitchen range, hall stove, beds, pictures, ornaments, garden tools. 9538-8-30

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- 25c SPECIALS
- 8 lb. Perina.....25c
 - 8 lb. Oatmeal.....25c
 - 8 lb. Graham Flour.....25c
 - 8 lb. Granulated Cornmeal.....25c
 - 2 lbs. Large New Peas.....25c
 - 2 pkgs Raisins.....25c
 - 8 cans Snacks.....25c
 - 3 cakes Borax or Surprise Soap.....25c
 - 3 cakes Palm Olive Soap.....25c
 - 3 pkgs Rinso.....25c
 - 3 cakes Fairy Soap.....25c
 - 8 cakes Infant's Delight.....25c
 - 8 lbs. Split Peas.....25c
 - 8 lbs. Rice.....25c
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 - 6 lbs. Wheat Flour.....25c
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KING'S DAUGHTERS ELECT. The annual meeting of Lend-a-Hand Circle of The King's Daughters was held last night in the Guild with a good attendance of members and the reports showed a successful year. Mrs. J. S. Frost, retiring president, was in the chair and declined re-election. Re-

ports were given by Mrs. Walter Gregg, the secretary; Mrs. Leonard Lingley, the treasurer; Mrs. Ernest Waring of the hospital committee, and Mrs. G. B. Taylor, of the House committee. The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Mrs. Walter L. Gregg; vice-presidents, first, Mrs. Leslie Waters; second, Mrs. W. H. Deidling; third, Mrs. M. E. Grass; secretary, Mrs. Leonard Lingley, and treasurer, Mrs. Charles Green. It was decided that the Circle should give a treat at the Old Ladies' Home on March 24 and Mrs. Leslie Waters was appointed convener for the programme.

WELCOMED THE SNOW. The last snowstorm was good for the lumbermen. The Fredericton Gleaser says:—"The snowfall of the past few days has been of great assistance to lumbering concerns and operators whose hauling was not completed for the season. It has made possible a resumption of hauling in many places where the work had to be entirely abandoned, and the changed conditions are also welcomed by farmers and others who have hauling to do."

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Fry's Cocoa, 1 lb. Tin.....50c
6 Tins Carnation Milk, large, 81c
6 Tins Red Salmon, reg. 23c Tin, 75c
2 lb. Tin Fancy Pineapple.....24c
3 pkgs Salt.....25c
Orange Pekoe Tea, lb.....55c
Extra Quality O. P. Tea, lb.....65c
2 Tins Lobster Paste.....25c
3 lbs. Best Bulk Cocos.....25c
Pure Black Pepper, lb.....25c
5 Cakes Best Toilet Soap.....25c
Best Small Picnic Hams, lb.....95c
98 lb Bag Robinhood or Cr. West \$3.75
98 lb Bag Purity or Five Roses \$3.75
24 lb. Bags.....\$1.00
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24 lb. Bag Bread Flour.....\$3.50
98 lb. Bag Bread Flour.....\$3.50
98 lb. Bag Pastry Flour.....\$3.50
10 lb. Tin Pure Lard.....1.75
20 lb. Pall Pure Lard.....3.40
20 lb. Pall Shortening.....3.18
2 Cans St. Charles Milk (large).....28c
Best Sweet Jolly Navel Oranges per dozen, from.....23c up
Large, Juicy, Florida Grape Fruit, 3 lb. 25c
4 lb. Glass Jar Pure Orange Marmalade.....89c
4 lb. Tin Pure Strawberry Jam.....75c
4 lb. Tin Strawberry and Apple Jam 48c
1 lb. Good Bulk Tea.....25c
Picnic Hams, per lb. to 95c 18c
Pall Bacon, per lb. by the piece.....25c
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OUT OF OFFICE AND IN.

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Press Comment

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(Chicago Journal of Commerce).

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NO ROOM FOR HATE.

"We have room for the man with an honest dream. With his heart on fire and his eyes aglow: We have room for the man with a purpose true. Who comes to our shores to start life anew."

TOO MUCH SECRECY

(Regina Leader). The encouragement of the Chivalric Order of the Crusaders in Canada would be a serious mistake. The fact that the order claims to be opposed to the use of force is nothing in its favor.

ANGLO-AMERICAN FRIENDSHIP

(Christian Science Monitor).

The British Commonwealth of Nations is itself an English-speaking union. If there can be harmony existing between the Government at Whitehall and that at Ottawa, at Pretoria and in Hong Kong, Delhi, or at Auckland, there can surely always be maintained harmony and a complete understanding between Washington and Westminster.

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DEAN OF DOCTORS

Dr. Joseph Singer Halstead of Brack- 103 years old. He is probably the oldest physician in the world. He began practice when he was 22, following his graduation from Transylvania University, Lexington, Ky. When the Civil War broke out, Dr. Halstead attempted to get into the Union forces, but recruiting officers said he was "too old."

CANADA AND BRITAIN.

(From a speech by the Right Hon. J. H. Thomas, Secretary of State for the Colonies, at the Canada Club dinner, London.)

Canada and Great Britain, we continue, were co-equal nations in the great Commonwealth of Empire that constituted a quarter of mankind. Canada had probably contributed more than she really knew to the Empire. If there was a difference with Australia, with Canada, with New Zealand, with South Africa, what man of our country, whatever his class or creed or politics, would dare to suggest for a moment that because of that they should add one copper to the armaments of our country? "No, we say, and we let it be known to the world that our Constitution and this citizenship in this great Commonwealth of nations are so strong and solid and

OUR FIRST PAPER MILL.

(Before the Nova Scotia Historical Society last week an interesting paper was read by George Mullane on "The First Paper Mill in Eastern Canada.")

A paper which gave an interesting insight into the development of the pulp and paper industry in this province. The first paper mill was established near Bedford, N. S., in 1819, by Anthony H. Holland, then owner of the Annapolis Recorder. In 1828 Holland's paper mill was granted a bounty of £100 by the legislature. In his paper "Holland's Life" Mr. Mullane gave a sketch of the life of Charles Fenwick, a former resident of Sackville, N. S., who was the first man in the world to produce paper from pulpwood made from spruce. At last evening's meeting following the presentation of this interesting paper, it was decided to recommend that a plaque be erected at his former residence in Sackville, by the Nova Scotia Historical Society.

GIVE OWN PORTS THE BUSINESS

(Financial Post).

Ottawa—There is a growing recognition in parliament that measures must be taken to correct the balance of interests in the nation's natural resources and means of communication. Among these measures, there is a determination, evidently shared by all parties, that a larger share of Canadian trade shall pass through Canadian channels.

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binding that, whatever the differences may be, we never attempt or conceive the idea of settling them by the arbitrament of the sword. Therefore, by what we are doing among ourselves we are creating an example to the world in the same way that we hope and believe the League of Nations will do for the world what we do for ourselves. As to the new nation that had been added to the Commonwealth, Mr. Thomas said that, speaking for the Government, they accepted the Irish Treaty in both spirit and letter and desired to give full effect to it. He hoped the one outstanding question of the boundary between North and South would be settled not by an outside authority with bitterness of feeling and differences, but by Irishmen themselves, sitting round the table. Concluding, Mr. Thomas said: "I love your country—not only because I have often visited it, but because my eldest son is a Canadian at this moment, and proud of it. Therefore I hope that this unique gathering will

not only cement our friendship, but will enable me to say, as I am going to say, 'I will do my best,' will enable you to say, 'He did it well,' and will deny to my political opponents, right or left, the opportunity of getting copy out of my mistakes." (Laughter and cheers.)

Mr. Larkin proposed "Former Colonial Secretaries," prefacing this with a tribute to Mr. Thomas, who, he said, had been a great friend of Canada in the past and knew the country and its people, and had given a hostage for the future in his son who had become a citizen of Canada. There was no doubt, he proceeded, that Canada and the Empire had been very fortunate indeed in having as Colonial Secretaries men with a wide outlook and a clear realization of the changes which had taken place in the great Dominion since they had emerged from a state of tutelage.

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DEATHS

Miss M. E. Barrett

Many friends will regret to learn of the death of Mary E. Barrett, eldest daughter of James and the late Mary A. Barrett, of East St. John, which occurred last evening. Although Miss Barrett had not been in good health for some time, her death came after only a day's illness while she was visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. L. A. Donovan, Haymarket square.

Miss Barrett was a graduate nurse, having obtained her diploma from St. John's Hospital, Lowell, Mass., in 1912. She practised her profession in St. John until stricken by the illness which resulted in her death.

Miss Barrett is survived by her father, step-mother, two sisters, Mrs. John E. Lynch, of Toronto, and Mrs. L. A. Donovan, of this city, and five brothers, John P., of Toronto; Thomas A. and Michael L., of East St. John, and James E., and D. J. of this city.

Dr. William Cruise

The death occurred in Vancouver on March 8, of Dr. William Cruise, formerly a well known New Brunswick physician, but for several years resident on the Pacific coast. Dr. Cruise was born in Bathurst and practised for many years in Bathurst, Huctouche and Moncton. His wife was Miss Smith, Moncton. Three sis-

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B.C., of their brother, David S. Hennessey, after a few days illness. He was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. William Hennessey, of New Jersey, Northumberland county, but has resided at New Westminster for years where he conducted a canning factory. He is survived by a wife and five children, also three sisters, Mrs. James Robinson and Mrs. John Losler, of New Westminster; Mrs. M. J. Stewart, of Blackville, and one brother, William R. Hennessey, of Blackville.

Mrs. Rose Egan. Newcastle, March 17—(Special)—The death of Mrs. Rose Egan, widow of Bernard Egan, occurred at her home on Chaplain Island road, on Thursday, at the age of 89 years. She was formerly Miss Rose Kane, of North Esk. She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. John McCarthy, of Bartibogue, and Miss Barbara Egan, at home, also one sister, Mrs. Michael Lynch, of Bartibogue. Her only son, Peter Egan, died very suddenly about a month ago.

Father of Mrs. H. Ferguson. Grand Harbor, March 17—(Special)—Mrs. Hilda Ferguson of North Head, has received word of the death of her father at Digby, N. S.

Joseph Burnham. Grand Harbor, March 17—(Special)—O. Burnham of North Head, received a wire informing him of the death of his brother, Joseph, at Haverhill, Mass. He died on Monday after a long illness at the age of 84 years. Mr. Burnham is the only surviving member of the family.

Mrs. Andrew Morrison. Newcastle, March 17—(Special)—The death occurred at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. Robertson Lingley, Radio street, on Friday of Mrs. Andrew Morrison at the advanced age of 89 years. The late Mrs. Morrison formerly resided in Chatham, but for some time has made her home with her daughter. She is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Fleming of South Carolina; Mrs. George Flett, South Nelson, and Mrs. J. Robertson Lingley, of Newcastle.

Mrs. J. Bent Ryan. Fredericton, March 17—(Special)—The death occurred at her home, on Bridge street, North Devon, at an early hour this morning of Mrs. Josephine B. Ryan, wife of J. Bent Ryan, at the age of 49 years. Mrs. Ryan had been in failing health since the death of her eldest daughter, some few months ago, and for the past few months had been seriously ill. She was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. James Higgins, Marysville, and is survived by her husband,

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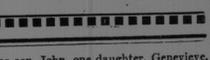
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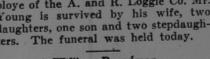
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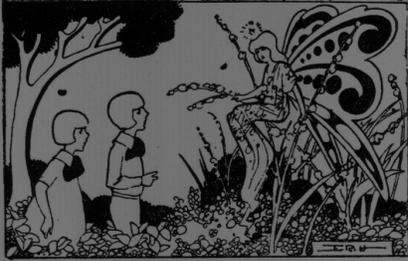
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By Olive Roberts Barton

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THE OLD HOME TOWN - By STANLEY



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Your Health BY DR. CLIFFORD C. ROBINSON

HEALTHFUL REDUCING. To anyone who is seriously considering the job of taking off from 50 to 100 pounds of non-working fat it must seem a herculean task.

GIVES TALK ON READING. The last of the series of weekly C. G. I. T. conferences was held in the Y. W. C. A. cafeteria last night with a good attendance of leaders.

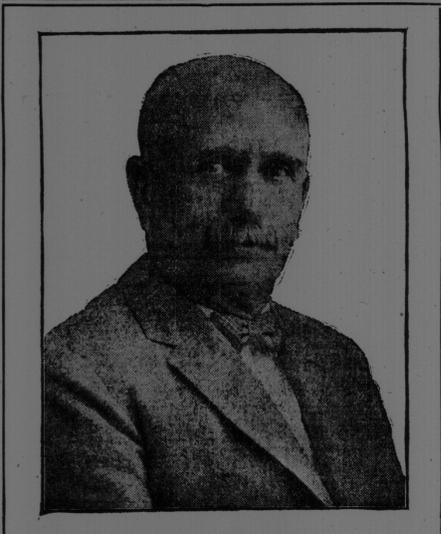
PRINCE OF WALES KEPT AT ALDERSHOT. London, March 17.—The Prince of Wales wanted to return to London today from Aldershot, but it was announced officially tonight that he had been persuaded to remain there a few days more.

GRIPPE PREVENTION

You know that grippe, influenza and other respiratory ailments are caused by germs taking hold of the weakened body, but do you realize how true is the old adage "An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure"?

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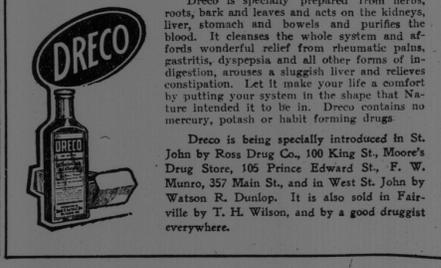
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MAY BE LOCKOUT OF SHIPBUILDERS London, March 17.—A national lock-out in the shipbuilding industry is a prospective development of this week should the striking shipbuilders in Southampton persist in their refusal to resume work on the terms the employers have already offered.

DYSPEPSIA WAS SO BAD Could Hardly Eat Anything Mrs. C. Stone, Nanticoke, Ont., writes: "Some time ago I had a very serious attack of dyspepsia, and was also troubled with gas, and very often had pains after meals. I had used different medicines, but they didn't seem to do me any good."

BRAZIL JOINS NATIONS' LEAGUE Geneva, March 17.—It was announced here today that Brazil has decided to accredit an ambassador to the League of Nations. Word of this important decision reached the Secretary-General of the League, Sir Eric Drummond, in an official despatch from the Brazilian Foreign Minister, who explained it was Brazil's wish to give expression of her friendship and enthusiasm for the League.

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS - POP IS STUMPED - By BLOSSER



BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES - ACCORDING TO DIRECTIONS - By MARTIN



SALESMAN \$AM - THE ROOM'S A SAFE - By SWAN



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Social Notes Of Interest

Rev. and Mrs. Robert G. Fulton, of Centenary church, were host and hostess over the week-end for several members of their congregation...

Taylor and Mrs. J. H. Bond will preside over the tea. The ladies of the auxiliary will serve.

Mrs. William Johnson and Mrs. Rankine Speer, of Debec Junction, are guests of Mrs. Dickinson at the Lansdowne House, King square.

WILLING WORKERS ELECT OFFICERS

Preliminary plans for a grand scale sale in November were made yesterday at the annual meeting of the Willing Workers of St. John's (Stone) church.

HUNDREDS ATTEND TEA

Between 400 and 500 patrons were served at the bountiful high tea held under the auspices of Knox church Ladies' Society in St. Andrew's church yesterday in aid of the Sunday school rebuilding fund.

The Scientifically Correct Tooth Brush. Dr. West's TOOTH BRUSH. This is the tooth brush which reaches all the spots and crevices and sweeps them clean.

Scarf Gives Real Charm. The tightly collared evening frock is one of the little inconsistencies of which Paris is so fond. But the real charm of this white satin frock is lent by the chiffon scarf, embroidered and fringed with poudre blue.

FORMER ST. JOHN WOMAN KILLED

Auburn, Me., March 17.—St. Patrick's Day is a sad one here, on account of the death, by accident, of Mrs. Eleanor M. Purvis, formerly of St. John, N. B., the oldest person in this section of Maine.

QUADRUPLETS GROW HEAVIER

The Mahaney quadruplets have been saying nothing, publicly at least, but growing fat during the last few days and the weekly weighing on Saturday showed that each one of the four had gained from five to six ounces.

HIRED MEXICAN TO SLAY WIFE

Pueblo, Colo., March 17.—Mrs. Bella Janssen, whose body was found in a trunk at Ogden, Utah, Saturday, was slain as she knelt in prayer, Fred Janssen, her husband, told the Pueblo police here today.

FORMER NOVA SCOTIAN NAMED FOR PROMOTION

An article appearing in the Vancouver Sun, announces the possible promotion of W. H. Powell from the position of city surveyor to city engineer of Vancouver.

SISTER MARY'S KITCHEN A Daily Menu For The Stout and Thin

EAT AND-- Lose Weight-- Gain Weight. Half grapefruit, 8 tablespoons baked beans, 1 cup canned tomatoes, 1/2 head lettuce, 1 lamb chop or 3 ounces boiled mutton, 1 boiled turnip, 4 tablespoons lemon gelatine pudding, 1 tablespoon whipped unsweetened cream, 1 pint skimmed milk, 2 thin slices crisp gluten toast, 1 toasted bran muffin, 1 gluten roll.

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Every person every day should eat some green vegetable. Lettuce, either leaf or head, celery, radishes or cabbage can be included in every diet and used interchangeably. Romain, the endives and watercress offer variety.

200 PRESENT AT PYTHIAN BALL

The formal ball given last night under the auspices of Adria Temple, No. 157, Dramatic Order Knights of Khorassan, the Dekeys or playgrounds branch of Pythians, was a brilliant and successful entertainment, and one of the smartest events yet given by the Pythians.

WANTS HER RING BACK

Girl Asks Magistrate to Decide Ownership of Engagement Gift. Mary McGuigan of Stapleton, N. Y., testified recently that she became engaged to Robert D. Tate of Richmond last Christmas week with the understanding that if he broke the truth she was to keep the \$375 diamond engagement ring.

ACADIA GIRL DEBATERS

The Acadia girl debaters have been selected and will meet U. N. B. the intercollegiate debate which will take place in Wolfville on Thursday, March 20th, on the subject "Resolved that the export of pulpwood from Acadia shall be prohibited." Acadia takes the negative side.

Stop the Harmful Effect of Irritating Poisons! YOU take the harmful poisons, caffeine and tannin, into your system with every cup of tea or coffee. These poisons irritate the nerves—are responsible for the nervousness, irritability, lack of restful sleep and "below par" feeling from which hundreds of persons are suffering. Trifling with these poisons is dangerous. Change to Instant Postum, the invigorating hot drink which makes for better sleep, clearer brain, more abundant energy. The drink which is all goodness—for family use. Instantly made in the cup with boiling water. Economical, costs half-a-cent a cup. For those who prefer it, there is Postum Cereal, prepared by boiling for twenty minutes. Ask for Postum in your restaurant, your club, or on the train. CANADIAN POSTUM CEREAL CO., LIMITED Head Office: 45 Front Street East, Toronto Factory: Windsor, Ontario. INSTANT POSTUM "There's a Reason"

**HOSPITAL BOARD
DISCUSSES COAL**

**Contract is Split to Two
Firms—Additional Power
Urged.**

The matter of coal supply was the subject of heated debate at the adjourned meeting of the General Public Hospital Commissioners yesterday, some commissioners favoring a continuance of giving the whole contract to the Dominion Coal Company, which had proved satisfactory last year, and others advocating dividing the contract between the Dominion Coal Company and the Colwell Fuel Co., Ltd. The latter arrangement carried by a close margin.

M. E. Agar, the president, was in the chair. Others present were Commissioners Mrs. J. V. McEllan, Alexander McMillan, D. S. O., W. E. Emerson, J. L. O'Brien, Dr. W. W. White, Dr. E. J. Ryan, J. King Kelley, K. C., Hon. Dr. W. F. Roberts and R. H. Gale, superintendent.

The committee on coal contracts had recommended the purchase of 750 tons of Reserve Mine and Springhill slack coal from the Dominion Coal Co., at \$5.75 at the railway yard and 750 tons of Pictou slack coal from the Colwell Fuel Co., Ltd., at \$5.75.

Mr. McMillan moved in amendment that the whole contract for 1500 tons go to the Dominion Coal Company. The amendment was lost and the recommendation carried. The execution of the tenders was referred to the coal committee.

In order that a test be made it was decided to watch carefully each kind of coal and have accurate details submitted as to quality and quantity received.

Mr. O'Brien recommended in future tenders be called in the latter part of April for the year's supply of coal, as coal prices were fixed in May.

Says Bed Average Lowest.

The report of the visiting staff said there was an insufficient number of beds, overcrowding and dangerous conditions arising therefrom, and recommended more care in the admission of chronic cases. It advocated having X-ray cases received only when referred by regular practitioners. Dr. C. L. Emerson succeeded Dr. V. D. Davidson as secretary of staff.

Dr. White said the idea of hospital treatment had immensely increased its popular appeal, and at the present time St. John had fewer hospital beds per capita than any other city in Canada. In many years there had been no increase in the ward accommodation, but rather some decrease to give room for special departmental work.

Mr. Agar explained it was hoped to provide more room. In the meantime he recommended the superintendent as far as possible to limit the number of patients admitted.

The admission of chronic cases was felt to be largely the responsibility of the doctors, and the medical board was to be advised of this, and also to be asked to make a recommendation for remedying overcrowding conditions.

X-ray Cases.

The medical members of the board explained that X-ray plates could not be interpreted by patients, and the X-ray must be considered as only one phase of diagnosis to aid the practitioner to treat the case.

Mr. Kelley contended the lay-practitioner should have the use of X-ray services if they desired.

Dr. White said the profession gave much gratuitous service for those unable to pay. A little learning was a dangerous thing and the lay-man would do well not to worry too much about his physical make-up.

The resolution that X-ray cases be received only when referred by regular practitioners was carried by a vote of four to three.

More Power Needed.

J. King Kelley, K. C., commissioner for the month, reported on the need for an additional unit in the power house. He pointed out that owing to an accident it had only been possible to operate one unit for some time and

**Happy Couple's Plan to Separate for Year
Held Declaration of Independence**

By HORTENSE SAUNDERS.
New York.—The dependent woman is the only type who is suited to conventional matrimony; and marriage, as the average persons interpret it, is almost impossible for the independent, self-supporting, thinking individual.

"That's why my husband and I are experimenting to find the plan which just suits our needs."

Thus Thyra Samter Winslow comments on the fact that she and her husband, after 12 years of happy married life, are to take a year's absence from each other.

In a story this plan would sound preposterous but, as Mrs. Winslow explains but the situation, it sounds quite plausible.

Want To Be It's.

"Neither of us wants to be half of 'we,' she declares. 'We want to be 'I's.' That was our agreement when we married. We were writers and were to go on with our careers."

"We've never had a vacation, either of us, in 12 years. We are convinced married couples should have at least a month's vacation from each other each year. So we are taking it all at once."

I couldn't help asking Mrs. Winslow if she wasn't just a bit afraid some vamp might take a fancy to her husband while he was vacationing. And she replied:

"A married man is always in danger from vamps. But think of the time he has away from home under the ordinary circumstances. He sees pretty girls at his office, at luncheon and on the street car. If he wants to wander away from his marriage vows he can do so very conveniently and still spend most of his evenings at home."

"A husband and wife should, I believe, be absolutely loyal to each other in big issues, and free in the smaller ones."

Dislikes Quizzing.

"No man wants to be asked every day with whom he has lunched and to account for every minute of his time. And a woman doesn't either."

"My husband is the finest man I know. That's why we are able to make this experiment."

"Our plan, however, would not be advisable for the woman who is not economically independent and who cannot think for herself."

Mrs. Winslow's latest book, "Picture Frames," was received with great enthusiasm and one of the stories, "The Cycle of Manhattan," is being dramatized for Broadway.

AN ACTIVE SEASON.

The E. Burrill Lumber Co. of Fredericton have cut three million laths at their Tay Creek mill and have 7,000,000 feet of logs to cut in their mill at Burrill's Corner. The Dooktown Lumber Co., of which Elwood Burrill is also president, have cut about 4,000,000 feet during the winter.

had this happened in the real cold weather it might have meant the building would not have been warm. At the present time there was no margin of safety and this matter should be attended to at once.

There are 6800 articles of linen in use in the General Public Hospital and during February 218 were worn out and 228 new ones placed in use. In that month also the linen matron made up 188 new articles for the supplies.

The dietician's job at the General Public Hospital is no sinecure. In the month of February, considered a short month, the number of meals served was 24,762, a large number of them specially prepared diets. In February, 1923, the number of meals served was 22,037. The cost of each meal was almost exactly the same in the two years.

During February the social service nurse at the General Public Hospital made 51 visits, referred seven of the patients to other clinics and institutions and arranged for cabs to convey seven patients to their homes. The money for the cabs is provided by the Women's Hospital Aid which maintains the social service work at the hospital. Nine cases were reported to the Aid for follow-up care.



MRS. THYRA SAMTER WINSLOW.

**WOMEN STIRRED BY
ATTACKS ON O. T. A.**

**Say Those Who Prevent Its
Enforcement Insult De-
cent Women.**

Toronto temperance women are beginning to be deeply stirred by the attacks on the Ontario Temperance Act that have been made in the Legislature. At a luncheon given by the Magna Charta Chapter of the I. O. D. E., last week, says the Toronto Star, Mrs. S. Frawley, in a short address, expressed her profound indignation at the treatment the O. T. A. had received at the hands of some of the members of the Provincial Parliament.

"It does not matter whether we are Liberal, Conservative or non-partisan," said Mrs. Frawley, "we are all concerned in the matter of law enforcement, and we are anxious to support the Government that is in power when it is doing what we believe to be right. The present Government has a very stiff task ahead of it, sitting, as it does, between two sections of opposition. But saddest of all is the fact that it has enemies within its own ranks. Certain members of Parliament were sent to the Legislature for the express purpose of repealing the O. T. A. and they continually harass the Government and try to break down the morale of temperance supporters by their attacks on temperance legislation."

Mrs. Frawley made reference to the statement made by Mr. James McCausland that the non-enforcement of the O. T. A. was debasing the morals of the young people of Ontario.

"We would like very much to know where Mr. McCausland got his in-

formation in regard to our young people," said Mrs. Frawley. "Mr. McCausland has also made the statement that the \$15,000,000 deficit about which we hear so much could be wiped out in two years if the Government were to be put in possession of the money made through bootlegging. We would like to ask if the safety of our sons and daughters is to be endangered in order to provide Government revenue."

Mrs. Frawley proposed that the following resolution go before the executive of the Magna Charta chapter at its next meeting:

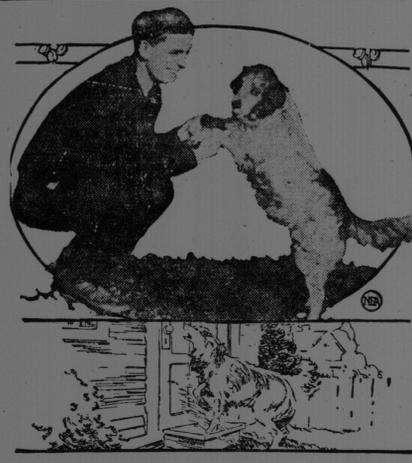
"Whereas we, the women of Toronto, are taunted by certain members of Parliament with having our sons and daughters debased through the non-enforcement of the O. T. A., we place ourselves on record to demand that said law be enforced for the space of six months at least; and we will give our most loyal support to our Attorney-General, who, we believe, is anxious to enforce the law, but is harassed by the attitude of many loose-minded and irresponsible members of Parliament who are anxious to prevent its enforcement, and who insult the decent women who voted for the law, and will do so again."

The attitude of these members of Parliament had become so offensive, said Mrs. Frawley, that it was time for all right-minded people to rise in indignation. The tentative resolution suggested by Mrs. Frawley will go before the executive of the Magna Charta chapter next week, and will, if endorsed, be forwarded to the Municipal chapter.

RECEIVES BIRTHDAY GIFT.

At a very pleasant birthday party held last night at the home of Miss Mary Levine, 97 North street, a beautiful handbag was presented to Miss Levine as the gift of the company of friends. The presentation was made by Benjamin Guss. Games were enjoyed and the evening was pleasantly spent. Mrs. John Tobin presented as her gift to Miss Levine a box of correspondence cards. For both gifts Miss Levine expressed her thanks. At the close of the evening refreshments were served. Those present were Miss Webber of Halifax, Morris Crandall, Lou Jacobson and Ben Goldstein.

But Rover Fooled 'Em!



"When Rover died, he died all over," so tradition says. But in Farmer City, Ill., a 1924 Rover soffit at tradition. He was struck by a train and left for dead. His master, Ronald Horr, 14, dug a little grave and tenderly laid him to rest. Rover, however, came forth from the land of the dead. Two days after his funeral, he dug himself out, for the frozen dirt had permitted air to seep into his grave, and consciousness returned. Rover forthwith trotted home for a bone.

WILL PLAY CHECKERS.
Frank McClement, Woodstock, one of the best checker players in New Brunswick, will leave for New York next month to take part in the tournament in that city the latter part of April, in which the leading checker players of the world will compete.

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MEN'S BOOTS

Men's Black and Brown Calf Bal Cut Boots. Goodyear welt, medium broad toe, rubber heel. New spring models. Going Out of Business Price, for pair

\$3.85

Men's Black and Brown Calf Blucher Cut Boots. Goodyear welt, double sole, rubber heel, broad toe, full fitting boot. Out They Go, for pair

\$4.45

Men's Oil Grain Work Boots. Brown and Black toe caps, heavy double sole, regular \$4.50 value. While They Last, for pair

\$2.98

Men's Black and Brown Genuine Calf Boots; Blucher and Bal cuts, Goodyear welts, rubber heels. Astoria and Belmont makes. All new spring styles. Regular \$9.50. Going Out of Business Price, for pair

\$6.45

MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S

Misses' Black Box Kip Blucher Cut Boot. Double sole, rubber heel. Ames Holden make. Regular \$4.00 value. Going Out of Business Price, for pair

\$2.35

Misses' Black Calf-High Cut Boot. Heavy sole, genuine solid school boot. Cote make. Out They Go, for pair

\$2.48

Children's Box Kip Blucher Cut Boots. Heavy sole, sizes 8 to 10 1-2. Special Price, for pair

\$1.48

Children's Box Kip Blucher Cut Boots. Heavy sole, strong school boot. Going Out of Business Price, for pair

\$1.65

WOMEN'S BOOTS

Women's Black and Brown Calf and Kid Oxfords. Medium heels. Regular \$5.00 value. Going Out of Business Price, for pair

\$2.48

Women's Black Kid Oxfords. Turn sole, cushion sole, Broad toe, low heel. Very comfortable shoe. Regular \$5.00 value. Out They Go, for pair

\$2.48

Women's Brown and Black Calf One Strap Shoes. Goodyear welt, low heel. Regular \$6.00 value. While They Last, for pair

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ST. JOHN, N. B., TUESDAY, MARCH 18, 1924

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Five Attempt Suicide In New York In Day; Four Succeed

THREE MEN AND WOMAN KILL SELVES

Five Different Means of Self-Destruction Employed by Victims.

ONE JUMPS BRIDGE

Razor, Pistol, Poison and Gas are Used by Other Suicides.

New York, March 18.—Three men and a middle-aged woman committed suicide and a girl drank poison in an attempt to kill herself within the space of a few hours yesterday.

Depressed by the feebleness of old age, Frank Jaeger, 82, slashed his throat with a knife. His body was discovered by his daughter with whom he made his home.

"I want to be with my husband; I want to die, goodbye, everybody," was the note left by Mrs. Mary Krause, 48, after locking herself in a bedroom and turning on the gas. Her body was found by police.

Leaps From Brooklyn Bridge An unidentified man about 35, leaped to his death from the central span of the Brooklyn bridge.

Miss Lillian Kravitz, 22, attempted to commit suicide by drinking poison. A tenant, hearing the girl's screams, summoned an ambulance and she was taken to a hospital. No reason was assigned for her action.

A middle-aged man shot and killed himself as a patrolman ran to stop him. The man had been pacing back and forth nervously at Bronx street intersection and suddenly drew a pistol from his pocket. The only injury marked was that of a Boston suit manufacturer.

College Girl Suicides Foughkeepsie, N. Y., March 18.—Muriel Demaree, of Bloomfield, N. J., a member of the junior class at Vassar college, was found dead in her room at Davidson Hall yesterday.

College authorities last night said that an examination made by coroner Card showed death was caused by self-administered poison.

Miss Demaree, it was said, had been subject to nervous disorders for which she had been treated by local and college physicians. Two weeks ago she returned to the college after a short rest at her home and apparently had suffered melancholia.

One in Brooklyn, Too.

New York, March 18.—Miss Henrietta Coffin, 65 years of age, was found dead last night on the floor of a dingy tenement apartment in Brooklyn, where she had lived as a recluse for six years.

Neighbors said that Miss Coffin did not have a single visitor during the six years she lived in the house and that she shunned other persons living in the building.

Say Fermentation Is An "Act of God"

Philadelphia, March 18.—The question of whether grape juice that ferments, thereby producing a beverage of 8 per cent alcohol content, is wine came up in court here in the condemnation case of the Commonwealth against Paul Goldstein, accused of being the owner of the grape juice.

"Fermentation is a process of nature and an act of God," Judge Theobald said.

"My impression of the Volstead act," the court continued, "is that a person can wave wine in his possession and can manufacture fruit juice, just as a person can give a drink of liquor to a friend in his own house."

PLEA FOR CHIVALRY IN UNIVERSITY LIFE

President Assails the Attitude of Men Students Toward Co-eds.

Ann Arbor, Mich., March 18.—A plea for the return of the chivalry of the Middle Ages and the removal from campus life of "many things that should turn red with shame the face of any decent man or virtuous woman," was made in a convocation address by Dr. Marion Leroy Burton, president of the University of Michigan.

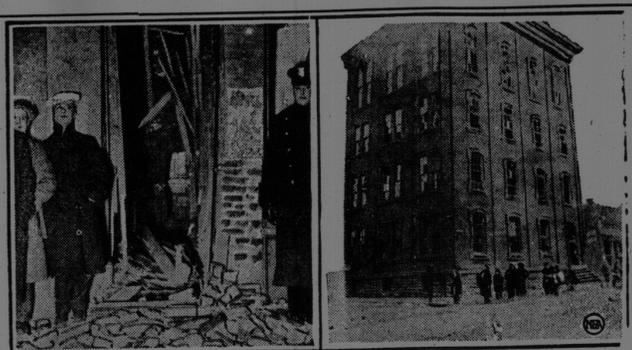
"Things have transpired recently that are as raw as anything that has happened in my fifteen years of administration experience," Dr. Burton told the 4,000 students and members of the faculty. "You students are lazy. You loaf, you gamble, you spend weeks in big cities and then you wonder why we don't want you here. We don't want loafers here, and we will get rid of you as fast as we find you must. Student evils in this university must go."

"We must have students who are honest, plain decency, must be chivalrous, must respect themselves and be industrious. Self-restraint is the first requirement of a student. We must wisely bring back some of the chivalry of the Middle Ages to be used at the present time. That would elevate our attitude toward women."

Whether we like it or not, the co-ed question at this university is settled. As long as we are a tax-supported institution, the co-eds will be here, and we are delighted to have them."

TO ADDRESS SCIENCE CLUB. E. G. Cameron of St. John, chief engineer of the St. John Drydock and Shipbuilding Company, will address the Fredericton Science Club Wednesday night, taking the drydock and its operation as his subject.

Within the "Black Hand's" Reach!



Twenty-five persons were injured when a bomb explosion wrecked two coffee houses in Detroit. Police declare it a "black hand" plot. On the left is a view of the stairway where the bomb was planted. The picture on the right shows how windows were shattered in St. Mary's School, several blocks away. Buildings were shaken over a wide area and thousands awakened.

Good Nature of Employers Causes End of Female Employees' Strike

London, March 18. Harmor & Co. are manufacturers with a big plant in Norwich. During a recent dispute over working conditions, several hundred girls in their employ went out on strike. As is customary in English strikes, a demonstration was planned in the form of a round-the-town parade, the strikers bearing banners detailing the delinquencies of the employers.

After formation and just as the forward march order was about to be shouted, the three members of the firm appeared side by side, frock coated and wearing spats, and their smiling demeanor and good nature destroyed the effectiveness of the demonstration.

The humor of the situation appealed to the strike leaders and the three were assigned a place well up in front and beneath the most scintillatingly worded banner. They made the entire route, but their smiling demeanor and good nature destroyed the effectiveness of the demonstration. The strikers returned to work the next day.

THE ST. GEORGE'S SOCIETY. The president, R. G. Schofield, presided at a meeting of the celebration committee of St. George's Society last evening, when it was decided that St. George's Day, April 23rd, will be celebrated by a dinner at the Royal Hotel, and the annual service will be held at the Mission church on Sunday evening, April 27, when the chaplain, Rev. J. V. Young, will deliver the sermon. Committees were appointed to carry out all the details.

The census reveals that soldiers, sailors and marines show the smallest average family, with 1.8 children.

BOOSTING PORT OF VANCOUVER

Hon. Dr. King Looks For 50,000,000 Wheat Shipment This Season

Ottawa, March 18.—"Canadians are beginning to realize that it is a good thing to ship through the Panama Canal," said Hon. Dr. King, Minister of Public Works, in the House of Commons this afternoon, while speaking on the development of the port of Vancouver. In the crop year, 1920-21, approximately 7,000,000 bushels of wheat had passed through Vancouver, outward bound, said Dr. King. In 1921-22 the export through Vancouver was about the same. In 1922-23 it had jumped to 19,000,000 bushels and during the present crop year 25,000,000 bushels had passed through the port already and Dr. King believed the total export would amount to 50,000,000 bushels. Exports of lumber showed the same remarkable increase. In 1921 exports had been approximately 179,000,000 feet. In 1923, 429,000,000 feet went out of Vancouver.

Is Subject of Labor Criticism



HON. WINSTON CHURCHILL

A TRAIN RUMOR. Rumors are current, says the Halifax Mail, that the day train between Halifax and St. John, which connected with a train to Boston, will again be in service this year, leaving St. John at 6:50 a.m., on the arrival of the night train from Halifax and arriving in Boston at nine in the morning.

CHURCHILL'S PATRIOTISM CHALLENGED

Labor Member Accuses Him of Shirking Duty During War.

CREATES SENSATION

British House Defeats Motion to Reduce Army by 15,000

London, March 18.—The phrase "Government according to the Sermon on the Mount" did yeoman service in the course of the discussion of the motion to reduce the army by 150,000 men which was moved by W. H. Ayles, Labor member for North Bristol in the House of Commons yesterday.

"This is a challenge to the whole idea that security can be achieved by armed force" declared the mover. "The nation that is brave enough to lay down its arms in the midst of an armed world would be the only safe nation," he said.

Ayles was referring to his own views as a conscientious objector when Colonel John Ward (Independent Labor) asked if the Germans were to be allowed to overrun the country through the attitude of men like the mover of the resolution.

Protest Raised The opposition benches were roused to a storm of protest when the Labor member E. Thurtle, who seconded the motion said that Winston Churchill was one who had ordered troops to the fighting areas without fighting with them. There was a babel of shouts demanding withdrawal of the statement and General Seely (Liberal) and Sir Archibald Sinclair, (Liberal) both close friends of Churchill protested angrily. "Is such an attack on a man who served in the front fighting line in order?" asked Seely.

"Well," said Thurtle, "my knowledge is that Churchill spent only a few months across the water. I will leave it at that."

"What is the use of moralising?" an ally of Churchill, there must always be a law," declared Col. John W. Other members also eloquently posed the motion. J. Sexton remarked that the Russian Red Army spoke in these specific views. F. Montague (Labour) wanted the idealist to have his feet on the ground even if his head was in the clouds.

The motion lost 347 to 13.

ISOLATION HELPS COMING OF PEACE

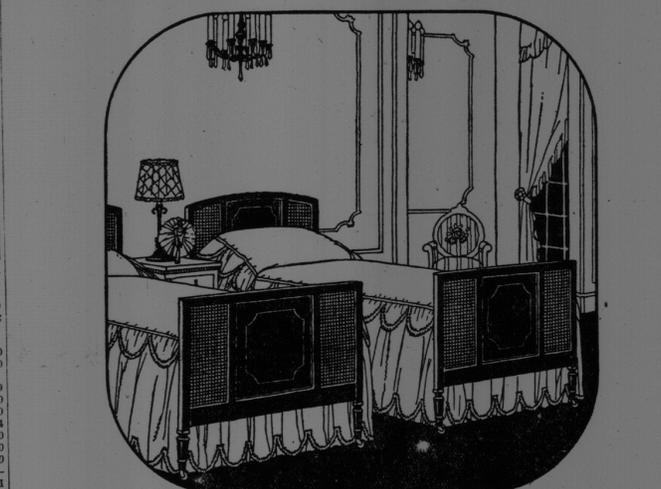
Devotees Spend Lives in Solitary Confinement to Appease Gods.

Peking, Feb. 5.—(A. P., by mail).—In order that they may obtain the peace of Nirvana by a lesser number of rebirths than their fellow creatures, members of a monastic order in Tibet voluntarily condemn themselves to lifelong solitary confinement, says an Englishman in Tibet, whose story of the "living death" of the devotees is published in the Peking and Tientsin Times.

The huts of the hermits are grouped around a central monastery on a mountain slope. The monastery is inhabited by a few lamas. Parents who desire their sons to take the hermit's vows hand them over at the age of seven or eight. Up to the age of 11 they are taught the Lamaist scriptures. Thereafter they are placed in a completely dark cell for a period of six months, during which time they are supposed to meditate upon what they have learned. They must not speak and their only intercourse with others consists of receiving food which is placed daily upon a small ledge communicating with the interior of the cell by a small wooden trap-door. This aperture can only be opened for the purpose of taking in the parched barley flour which forms the hermit's diet. Water is transmitted by means of a channel in the wall. Having completed the first six months of voluntary imprisonment the boys are brought back to the monastery to continue their studies. These completed, they return to their cells, this time for three years, three months and three days.

This second period of meditation is usually completed at the age of 17 or 18 and by that time most of the youthful eccetics have become semi-imbeciles. The will power has become so weakened that little difficulty is experienced by the lamas in persuading the candidate to enter upon the third and final term, which is terminated only by death.

"On the occasion of my visit to the Nyanglo Kyipu hermitage," continued the narrator, "the lamas, who do not object to visitors, showed me the cell of a monk who had spent 25 years there without ever coming into the light of day or speaking a word. Standing outside the cell nothing was to be heard, but as evidence that it was occupied the attendant tapped on the trap-door, which after a minute or two was slowly drawn aside to allow the passage of a gloved hand. After fumbling on the ledge the hand was withdrawn and the trap closed. Even the hermit's hand must not be exposed to the light."



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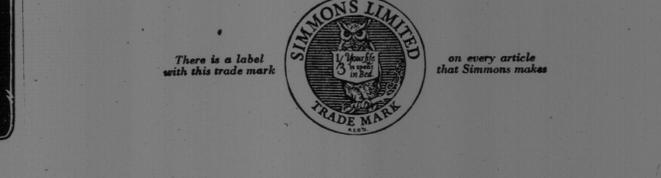
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DELANEY-CLARKE BOUT STOPPED

Chief Boxing Inspector Platt Adams Announces Investigation

Newark, N. J., March 17.—The 12 round bout between Jack Delaney, Bridgeport middleweight, who conquered Paul Berlenbach at Madison Square Garden last Friday night, and Jackie Clark, of Allentown, Pa., here tonight, was stopped in the middle of the eighth round by Chief Boxing Inspector Platt Adams who declared himself "dissatisfied with Clarke's showing."

Inspector Adams ordered the money of both boxers to be held up and announced that he and State Boxing Commissioner Bugbee would investigate the fight. Delaney was leading in points at the time the bout was stopped.

Later, in his dressing room, Delaney declared that Clarke had not attempted to fight, while Inspector Adams said that the Allentown boxer simply was in the ring to stay the limit.

Berlenbach, whose string of 23 consecutive knockouts was abruptly terminated by Delaney last week, was introduced from the ring. It was announced that he would meet Harry Kroon, of Akron, Ohio, in a 12 round bout on March 21. The fight will be a preliminary to the McTigue-Strilling bout in the Newark armory on that date. In tonight's preliminaries, Harry Martone, of Jersey City, outpointed Sailor Darden, of New York in ten rounds and Danny Conroy of Trenton outpointed Benny Cohen, of Orange, over the same distance, according to newspapermen.

Ray O'Brien, St. Paul, stopped Babe Schwartz, Orange, in the second round of a scheduled six round bout, the referee stopping the fight to save Schwartz further punishment.

Advertisement for Rainbow Flour featuring a large illustration of a flour sack and text: 'A Fruit Pudding You'll Like', 'Here's the kind of pudding you like to eat—with raisins, currants, spice, peel and everything good in it. Made to the recipe given here—with Rainbow Flour—it is just about the nicest fruit pudding imaginable. For Rainbow is an all-purpose flour of the highest grade which makes the best of baking taste better.', 'There's a Dealer in Your Town', 'Maritime Sales Office, 661 Barrington Street - Halifax', 'Galt Flour Mills, Ltd., Galt, Canada.', 'Try This Recipe. RAINBOW PLAIN FRUIT PUDDING: 2 cups Rainbow flour, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 1/2 cup chopped beef suet, 1/2 cup currants, 2 teaspoons baking powder, 1 egg, 1 teaspoon mixed spice, 1/2 cup seeded raisins, 1/2 cup milk, 1/2 cup candied peel. Sift flour, salt, baking powder and spices, add suet and fruit, mix to soft dough with the egg and milk. Turn into well-greased pudding mould, cover closely and steam three hours. Turn out and serve with hard or lemon sauce.'

Poll Will Tell 'Em



Cabinet secrets may be proclaimed to the world, if the secretaries don't use a little precaution.

POWER COMPANY DIRECTORS DISCUSS NEW ENTERPRISE

Officials Say Advent Into Manufacturing Would Stimulate Business Here

The directors of the New Brunswick Power Company are considering extending the scope of the company's operations to include the actual manufacture of street cars here in the city.

M. A. Fowler, general manager of the company, last evening said that it was probable that this new departure would be made some time this year.

The new industry would furnish employment for 50 men whose wages would aggregate about \$75,000 a year, it was said.

Street Cars Improved. During the last few months many comments of satisfaction have been heard around the city in regard to the improvement effected in the general appearance of the street cars.

Would Give Much Work, He Says. The sweepers were designed on modern lines and, working in conjunction with those formerly in use, have provided the city with a snow-fighting equipment.

Asked what the extension of the plant operations would mean to the city, one of the officials answered as follows:

- 1. The providing of employment for 50 men on practically a year-round basis. 2. Considerable increase in local purchases of material of various sorts, thus stimulating trade in the stores. 3. The maintenance of an annual payroll approximating \$75,000, which, with the large amounts paid out for supplies, would mean a greatly increased circulation of money among the merchants and families of the city.

Shop Equipment. The present shops in Wentworth street will be enlarged to accommodate the increase in activities. The machine shop at present is equipped with a 150-ton wheel press and lathes of various sizes and grades, power saws, grinders and polishers.

In the electrical department is seen a large baking oven for repairing and impregnating armatures, field cores and all the necessary requirement for complete repairs on motors and other electrical equipment. There is also a paint-

MOTHER!

Child's Best Laxative is "California Fig Syrup"



Hurry Mother! A teaspoonful of "California Fig Syrup" now will thoroughly clean the little bowels and in a few hours you have a well, playful child again.

Tell your druggist you want only the genuine "California Fig Syrup" which has directions for babies and children of all ages printed on bottle. Mother, you must say "California." Refuse any imitation.

ing and glazing shop and a testing and finishing department. All these departments are under the supervision of Robert Harris, who has had a wide experience in the street railway field.

SHOOT A HORSE

Police Constable Totten, of the North End division was called to Metcalf street on Sunday for the purpose of shooting a horse in a barn at the request of the owner, Arthur Campbell.



As unmistakable as the coming of Spring is the style of Borsalino. In the leading stores everywhere you will now find the new styles and shades.

GENUINE BORSALINO HATS STYLES FOR YOUNG MEN

500 HEBRIDEANS WILL LAND HERE

Another Party of Scots Coming to Make Homes in Canada

A Montreal despatch last night said it was definitely ascertained at the headquarters of the Canadian Pacific steamships that 500 more Hebrideans would take passage to Canada via the steamer Marloch, when this liner calls at the northern ports of Barra and South Uist in the Hebrides, on March 28.

This new movement has again been organized by the Rev. Father A. MacDonnell, the well known Canadian, who at present is in Barra completing final arrangements prior to the departure. Accompanying Father MacDonnell is Angus Campbell, now settled in Alberta. Unfortunately money is scarce in these islands, and the funds available for Father MacDonnell's movement being limited, only 500 are able to sail.

Like the men who came here last year, this new band of emigrants will settle near Red Deer, Alberta, where Father MacDonnell has arranged for

ABOUT TIME TO TAP THE MAPLE TREES

Member From Kings Predicts Extensive Sap Collection Operations

Although not actively engaged in the maple sugar business this year, O. W. Wetmore, M.L.A., of Clifton, who was in the city last night en route to Fredericton, predicted in an interview that the sugar operations would be extensive this spring.

To his knowledge there had been no sap tapped thus far, although the exceptionally mild weather of the first of the month, he said, was excellent for collecting sap. March 20, however, he said, was the date when the big operators got out their apparatus and started in in real style. The sap would be running freely on southern slopes from now on, while on northern slopes it would not be collected in any quantities until much later in the season.

PHANTOM SHIP HAUNTS SEAS

New York, March 17.—Liquor traffickers, who were formerly fishermen, tell a story of a phantom grey cruiser which has haunted the waters of Long Island during the past three weeks pouncing upon the defenceless rum traffickers, as they were bound to run row with cash for new consignments of liquor.

So effective has been the operations of this nemesis, their yarn went, that a check has been put on rum-running in that sector. Armed with two machine guns, according to the story, the pirate cruiser swoops down upon the rum-runners, empties their tills and pockets of cash and then makes out to sea.

TO GET SHARE OF MONEY.

A Canadian Press despatch last night brought the welcome news that the St. John Health Centre had been selected as one of the institutions in Canada to benefit by the proceeds of the sale of gramophone records of messages sent to the children of the Empire by the King and Queen on May 24, last. These records were heard in the schools in St. John. The \$800 realized

ed by the sale by request of the King children's hospitals. Allocation in recommendation of the Provincial and Queen, is to be divided among Canada has been made following the Governments.

Most headaches due to lack of internal cleanliness

WHEN you are constipated, poisons form in the accumulated food waste. These poisons, absorbed by the blood, are carried throughout the body. Headaches follow. Bilioussness, sleepless nights, lack of energy, all result from constipation. Each of these takes away piecemeal something of your health and strength. In time, intestinal poisoning due to lack of internal cleanliness may cause the breakdown of some vital organ.

Medical science, through knowledge of the intestinal tract gained by X-ray observation, has found at last in lubrication a means of overcoming constipation. The gentle lubricant, Nujol, penetrates and softens the hard food waste and thus hastens its passage through and out of the body. Thus Nujol brings internal cleanliness.



In constipation, say intestinal specialists, lies the primary cause of more than three-quarters of all illness including the gravest diseases of life.

Laxatives Aggravate Constipation

Laxatives and cathartics do not overcome constipation, says a noted authority, but by their continued use tend only to aggravate the condition and often lead to permanent injury.

Physicians Favor Lubrication

Nujol is used in leading hospitals and is prescribed by physicians throughout the world. Nujol is not a medicine or laxative and cannot gripe. Like pure water it is harmless.

Get rid of constipation and avoid disease by adopting the habit of internal cleanliness. Take Nujol as regularly as you brush your teeth or wash your face. For sale by all druggists.

Nujol For Internal Cleanliness



OGDEN'S GUINEA GOLD

"Mild and Extra Fine"

20 FOR 25¢



A FAVOURITE CIGARETTE IN ENGLAND FOR OVER 30 YEARS

now you can own a SIX at \$10.95 the new OLDSMOBILE SIX A GENERAL MOTORS achievement

J. Clark & Son, 17 Germain, St. John. H. O. Miller, Local Manager.

CHEEKS COVERED WITH PIMPLES Also Chin. Large and Red. Cuticura Healed.

"About a year ago a few small pimples broke out on my face. A month later my cheeks and chin were entirely covered with large, red pimples that festered and scaled over, and frequently caused irritation. I tried different remedies without success. I read an advertisement for Cuticura Soap and Ointment and sent for a free sample. After using it I could see an improvement so purchased more, and after using two boxes of Cuticura Ointment, together with the Cuticura Soap, I was healed." (Signed) G. Marcorix, Laval Hospital, Ste. Foye, Quebec.

INTIMATE ASSOCIATE OF DR. BANTING TELLS OF DISCOVERER OF INSULIN

Dr. F. W. W. Hipwell, Here to Conduct Clinics, Tells of Work

The discovery of insulin was no accident but the result of carefully directed research along a matured plan, said Dr. Fred W. W. Hipwell, of Toronto, cousin and close associate of Dr. F. G. Banting, the discoverer of insulin, in speaking to The Telegraph-Journal last night.

Dr. Hipwell was born in the same town as Dr. Banting, Alliston, Ont., and grew up with his cousin. They played together and went to school together and both graduated from the Toronto University Medical College in 1916.

Dr. Hipwell has had the entire charge of the organization of the extra-diabetic unit of the Toronto Western Hospital, a unit which was established in November and has present accommodation for 20 patients.

He did not believe that any diabetic would ever be permitted to diet, potatoes or pastries but his patients in their properly calculated diet were using the ordinary foods of the well person and in vegetables could eat turnips, carrots, parsnips and tomatoes.

CAUSE OF EARLY OLD AGE

The celebrated Dr. Michaelis, an authority on early old age, says that it is "caused by poisons generated in the intestine."

WEAK, RUN DOWN AND AILING

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Brought Relief When Other Medicines Failed

Port Mann, B. C.—"I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound because I was tired and run down, I had headaches and no appetite and was troubled for two years with nervousness. I tried many medicines, but nothing did me any good. I was living in Washington I was recommended by a friend to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I am stronger and feel better now. I am willing for you to use these facts as a testimonial."

Keena, N. H.—"I was weak and run down and had backache and all sorts of troubles which women have. I found great relief when taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I also used Lydia E. Pinkham's Sensitive Wash. I am able to do my work and feel new life and strength from the Vegetable Compound. I am willing for you to use these facts as a testimonial."

MOTHERS, DO THIS---

When the Children Cough, Rub Musterole on Throats and Chests.

No telling how soon the symptoms may develop into croup, or worse. And then when you're glad you have a jar of Musterole on hand to give prompt relief. It does not blister.

Musterole Co., Canada, Ltd., Montreal.

She Brings Hope to Hopeless Women Behind Prison Bars

Mr. Joseph Haley, of 199 West Mill Street, Brantford, Ont., says: "My wife has suffered with quinsy for years, but Vicks VapoRub must have prevented it for she got through the winter without a single attack."



MRS. MARGARET E. DALY

IS BELIEVER IN READJUSTMENT IN ALL CANADA

Meighen Pleads For Dropping of Sectional Cries in East and West

Montreal, March 17.—In a non-partisan address delivered before the Canadian Club here today, Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen pleaded for the dropping of sectional cries and especially of whips against Confederation in the far East or West.

GRADUATE NURSES MEET

The St. John Chapter of the Graduate Nurses' Association met last night at the residence of Miss Mary H. Eason, King street east, with Miss E. Mitchell, the president, in the chair.

At 80 Years of Age Was Troubled With Shortness of Breath Palpitation of the Heart And Fainting Spells

Mrs. M. O'Connor, Whitestone, Ont., writes: "I have been troubled, most of my life, with shortness of breath, palpitation of the heart and fainting spells. I was advised by a friend to try Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, which I did, and at once found relief, and I have never had a really bad spell since."

ADDRESS ON ERIN HEARD BY A. O. H.

An address in which he clearly outlined the history of Ireland from the beginning, delivered by Rev. Roy M. McDonald, county chaplain, was the principal number in an interesting programme presented in the A. O. H. hall last evening.

Two Englishmen Contend They Were Guaranteed Employment on Arrival

Two men arrived in this city yesterday, one hailing from Yorkshire and the other from Lancashire, England. According to their story they were promised and looking for the wherewithal to continue existence from the kind-hearted people of St. John.

Get Nerve Force From Nuxated Iron

It will strengthen your nerves and increase your vigor and endurance, often in two weeks' time. It contains the principal chemical constituent of active nerve force in a form which most nearly resembles that in the brain and organic iron enriches the blood and plenty of rich red blood means more nerve force.

Her Quinsy Yields To Vicks

The Direct Action of A Vaporizing Salve Is Best

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Sure Way to Remove Pimples

The Action of Stuart's Calcium Wafers is Direct to the Skin Where They Work to Clear It and Remove Facial Blemishes.

Lots of girls are fashionably slim and are pretty, all except a skin, rashed with pimples. No face cream can do a bit of good.

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FISHERIES LIMIT TO STAY 3 MILES

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METAGAMA AT GLASGOW

The Canadian Pacific steamship Metagama arrived at Glasgow on Sunday from St. John.

Sure Way to Get Rid of Blackheads

There is one simple, safe, and sure way that never fails to get rid of blackheads, that is to dissolve them. To do this, get two ounces of peroxide powder from any drug store—sprinkle a little on a hot, wet cloth—rub over the blackheads briskly—wash the parts and you will be surprised how the blackheads have disappeared.

They all say GLOVER'S does the Business

—But the name Glover's Imperial Mange Medicine. For 30 years Glover's has relieved thousands of sufferers and helped them to get on their feet. It is not a cure, but a relief. It is not a cure, but a relief. It is not a cure, but a relief.

IF CONSTIPATED SICK, BILIOUS

Harmless Laxative for the Liver and Bowels



10¢ CATHARTIC CANDY CIGARETTES WORK WHILE YOU SLEEP

Peel fine! No gripping or inconvenient follows a gentle liver and bowel cleansing with "Cascarets." Six Headache, Biliousness, Gases, Indigestion, and all such distress gone by morning.

COUGHS AND COLDS MEAN RESTLESS NIGHTS

Which cap the vitality. Danger lurks in every throat's cold is allowed to run. Assist nature in getting rid of the germs that cause the cold and avoid serious complications by the prompt use of Gray's Syrup.

GRAY'S SYRUP RED SPRUCE GUM

Hit by Cicle From 4-Storey Building

Modern Swords of Damocles Menace—Citizens Asked to Remove Them

The icicle menace took on a serious aspect yesterday when the mild weather sent the big fens toppling off the high buildings and from the wires property owners were out with axes and ice picks knocking down the fringe of icicles from roofs and windows.

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SAYS COST TOO HIGH IN VIEW OF RESULTS

Thinks Benefits From Nurses' Training School Too Few For Expense

In his report as commissioner of the month, J. King Kelley, K. C., said yesterday at the meeting of the Commissioners of the General Public Hospital that \$35,000 yearly was involved in maintaining the nurses' home and the vocational school of nurses in connection with the hospital.

ARMY CONFERENCES HELD BY LEADER

Colonel Albert Powley, chief secretary of the Salvation Army in Canada, Eastern division, held special conferences in the city yesterday. In the afternoon he conducted an officers' conference and in the evening presided at a soldiers' conference.

Only Those in Declining Years Realize What It Means

As people pass middle age, their strength and vitality usually begin to wane. They are easily tired. They notice that they are not as active as they were. They need something to tone up their system—something which will put new strength, life and vitality into their veins.

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SAY BEN- for tired feet

Baume Bengue removes the tiredness out of the muscles and sinews of the feet—leaves them cool and fresh.

BAUME BENGUE

relieves tired muscles anywhere—sprains, strains and backache. Keeps tube handy. At all dealers.

Gay

the Original Dr. Bengue's Baume

FOR THE COUGH THAT STICKS

Common Cough Syrup Won't Help—You've Got to Make Your Own

Cheap and Best

For any kind of a cough, but especially for the stubborn one that persists and keeps you awake nights, this home-made cough mixture will quickly loosen the phlegm, allay the inflammation and stop the cough.

Everybody Praises

Beecham's Pills after a fair trial. Those praise loudest who have used them longest. The great merit of Beecham's Pills has been proved all over the world.

BEECHAM'S PILLS

Start the day right with ENO'S

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Each morning upon arising, take a dash of ENO'S "Fruit Salt" in a glass of water, cold or warm.

ENO'S FRUIT SALT

Do this to insure thorough inner cleanliness, just as you take your bath and use your toothbrush for outward cleanliness.

ENO'S "Fruit Salt" contains no harsh and harmful mineral salts. It possesses the beneficial and refreshing qualities of fruit in a concentrated and convenient form.

Start the day right—each morning a dash of ENO'S in a glass of water.

DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE SELL ENO'S FRUIT SALT

Prepared only by J. C. ENO, Ltd., London, England.

TIMES-STAR CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

The Average Daily Net Paid Circulation of The Times-Star for the 12 Months Ended September 30th, 1923, Was 15,489

Two Cents a Word Each Insertion... Classified Advertisements...

Want ads on these pages will be read by more people than in any other evening paper in Eastern Canada.

FOR SALE

REAL ESTATE. FOR SALE—Self-contained house, seven rooms, bath, electric, large lot...

FOR SALE

ALWAYS A FEW GOOD USED CARS which we sell at what they cost us after thorough overhauling...

LOOKING FOR WORK?

For those seeking employment, this newspaper offers a special price of one-half the regular classified rate...

TO LET

FLATS TO LET. TO LET—Upper flat, 33 McKel St., Fairville, bath, electric, \$20...

TO LET

APARTMENT TO LET. TO LET—Apartment, 3 rooms and bath, hand and lighted. Geo. L. 1339...

TO LET

TO LET—Office, 160 Prince William street, at present occupied by Red Cross Society...

SHOPS YOU OUGHT TO KNOW

Designed to Place Before Our Readers the Merchandise, Craftsmanship and Service Offered by Shops and Specialty Stores.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Ten room house, good condition, water, electric, large barn, outbuildings adjoining...

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Ford touring car, good condition, near road, good condition, apply Wm. S. Marr...

TO LET

TO LET—From May first next, bright, sunny self-contained upper flat, 65 Dorchester street...

TO LET

TO LET—Apartment, 3 rooms and bath, hand and lighted. Geo. L. 1339...

TO LET

TO LET—Office, 160 Prince William street, at present occupied by Red Cross Society...

TO LET

TO LET—Large, steam heated room, suitable for lodge or club room...

TO LET

TO LET—Onneite, self-contained, fully furnished residence, Mrs. Wm. Crawford, for summer months...

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Sewing machines, new and used, guaranteed, special prices now—Parks Furnishers, Limited...

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Sherlock-Manning piano, piano lamp, walnut dining room suite...

TO LET

TO LET—Flat, 156 Queen street, lights and bath, rent \$25, phone M. 70-11...

TO LET

TO LET—Self-contained flat, 278 Princess St., M. 1516-11...

TO LET

TO LET—House in rear 322 Main St., \$1. 924-3-20...

TO LET

TO LET—Rooms, 31 and 37 Broad street, Byfield, 1787-3-20...

TO LET

TO LET—Rooms, suitable for light housekeeping—336 Duke street. 952-3-24...

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—General store at Hampton Station, N. B. Yearly turnover \$35,000. Must be sold quick to wind up estate.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Dining room furniture, nearly new, including chairs, tables, stoves. Bargains—19 Douglas Avenue.

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FOR SALE—Furniture of large boarding house, located in business part of city, doing good business.

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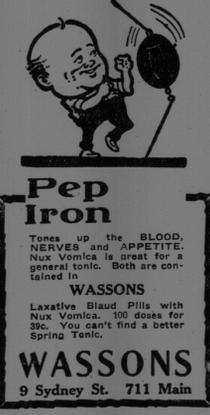
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THE HEBRIDEANS

Mist is the one thing that Hebrideans will not admit, writes W. W. C. in the Christian Science Monitor. As your boat approaches the pier at Stormoway, after tumbling over the wicked waves...

WASSONS

Laxative Bland Pills with Nux Vomica. 100 doses for 35c. You can't find a better Spring tonic.

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SLIGHT GAINS ON
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Leading Issues Eclipse Low
Prices of Year Registered Yesterday.

New York, March 18.—Some slight gains were noted among the low priced railroads and several of the oil shares at the opening of the stock market today, but elsewhere the tendency was mainly downward, with several leading speculative issues eclipsing their low prices of the year registered yesterday.

After the initial burst of covering, short interests discovered that they were only bidding stocks up against themselves, and renewed selling pressure against the general list. A dozen industrial favorites were forced to new low levels for the year, including the Standard Oil, Gulf States Steel and Brown Shoe.

Montreal, March 18.—Trading was quiet and prices steady to a shade lower during the first half hour trading today on the local stock market.

Chicago Grain Market, March 18. To 12 noon. Chicago, March 18.

WINNIPEG GRAIN MARKET. Winnipeg, March 18. To 12 noon. Open High Low

MAN DROWNED FROM VESSEL. Parrsboro, March 17.—The three-masted schooner Mina Nadeau arrived here this week for harbor.

SHIPPING. PORT OF ST. JOHN. Arrived Yesterday

BRITISH LUMBER MARKET. Liverpool, March 17.—With the exception of sawn pine the imports for the month may be considered light.

SETTLERS FOR N. S. Arrangements are being made to have a small committee of the Hebrideans to visit Nova Scotia early this spring.

MONTEAL MARKET. Stocks to 12 noon. Open High Low

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LAURENCEVILLE, MARCH 17.—(Special)—Produce prices have changed somewhat with a slight downward trend.

FRENCH FRANS IN BIG DEMAND. New York, March 17.—French francs today sold within a fraction of five cents apiece.

MONTEAL STOCK BROKERS ASSIGN. Montreal, March 17.—Herdman & Co., local stock brokers, assigned today.

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LABOR EXTREMISTS ARE BEATEN 13-347. London, March 17.—The House of Commons tonight defeated by 347 to 13 a motion by Labor's left wing to reduce the army by 150,000 men.

LAFOLLETTE MAY HEAD THIRD PARTY. Washington, March 17.—Definite plans for a third party movement were disclosed here today by friends of Senator LaFollette.

COST OF LIVING AND BOND PRICES. The cost of living still stays up, but bond interest rates have declined.

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TO AID CATHOLICS HELD BY SOVIETS? London, March 17.—The British Government does not feel it can inter-

tervene officially with the Russian Soviet Government to obtain the release of Catholic church dignitaries imprisoned in Russia.

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SPORT NEWS GLEANED FROM WORLD'S CENTRES

BIG HOCKEY MATCH AND RACE TONIGHT

Feature Programme is Arranged for the Local Olympic Fund.

Tonight may be the last opportunity local fans will have to see a hockey match this season and as a result marked interest is being manifested in the game between the St. Johns and Truro, which is the leading attraction in the sport programme at the Arena.

The object of the big sporting event is to raise funds to help defray the expenses of some local athletes who are picked as likely contenders for the Olympic trials.

The hockey match promises to be a thriller as the locals have been practicing hard for the invasion of the fast Nova Scotia team and judging from the recent performances of the St. Johns they will give a good account of themselves.

The Truro hockey team which meets St. John tonight is unquestionably one of the best in Nova Scotia. In goal they have Tommy Guinan, who has had ten years experience in this position and who has almost forgotten how to let 'em in. On the defence they have Newt Hopper, the champion heavy of Maritime hockey. He weighs 100 lbs., and looks it. He played in senior hockey in Calgary as well as Truro. Another defence man is Geo. Wilson, who weighs 160. He is a former forward but is in the back line this year and making good. Hoger Fraser has also played with the Calgary team and is a stick handler who knows how to follow up—in other words a goal getter.

Alvin Smith is the cause of Truro not being a league team and possibly champions. He was suspended for his wandering proclivities but his team dropped out of the league rather than drop him from their line up. That he is good is self evident, in fact, Truro regards him as the greatest forward in the league and he is a left wing with a dangerous shot who hails from Pictou. Kuhn is a recent addition to the team who is developing. He is the team that Bill Halliday now with the locals was playing with at the first of the season.

In view of the interest created by the holding of a Sport Night tonight to raise funds for the training of the St. John Olympic candidates a short sketch of the team is prominently in view would be in order. Louis Donovan, age 17, started boxing three years ago. In 1922 won the 115 lb. Mar. Champs. In '23 won Mar. Championship, 125 lb. class. "Bill" Maynes, age 21, won 440 in N. B. meet; 440 in Maritime meet. 1923 duplicated above performance. Frank Campbell, age 19, won 100 and 220 in Interscholastic 1923. Won 100 in both N. B. and Maritime meet, and set up records in indoor meet here last fall.

Drew Mulcahy, age 18, another High School boy who has made a wonderful showing in sprints and jumps, winning points in Dominion championship last fall. Charlie Gorman, age 27, won Maritime 100 yards in '21 and at N. B. meet in '23.

CHESS MASTERS ARE ASSEMBLING

Are to Compete in International Tourney in New York.

New York, March 18—Fifteen of the European chess masters, including Dr. Emanuel Lasker of Berlin, chess champion of the world for 27 years until Capablanca defeated him, have arrived here in order to compete in the New York international chess masters' tournament starting at the Hotel Almacoz next Sunday afternoon. The others in the party were Lassa Maroczy, the Hungarian champion; Richard Reti of Czechoslovakia, Dr. S. Tartakover of Austria and E. Bogoljubow of Ukraine.

They were met at the pier by members of the Tournament Committee, headed by Norbert L. Leizer, the secretary, and escorted to the hotel, and later to the rooms of the Manhattan Chess Club. In due course they met Jose R. Capablanca and Edward Lasker of Chicago.

Dr. Lasker had a close call making connections with the steamship Cleveland, arriving in Hamburg just in time after being ice-bound on the Baltic Sea. The ex-champion still has a bruise sustained in falling on the ice, when all passengers were ordered off the vessel drifting with the ice flow in the direction of rocks. Ice-breakers eventually got them out of their difficulty and they proceeded to Sweden.

In Russia, Dr. Lasker said, there is more chess played than ever. He contested seven exhibition match games with Russian masters, winning three, drawing three and adjourning the seventh slightly in his favor. This he regarded as excellent preparation for the New York tournament. In addition he played about 140 games in simultaneous exhibitions, and of these he lost only five. Dr. Lasker consented to be one of the speakers at Saturday night's dinner at the Almacoz.

Marcey of Hungary was here last in 1906, and was heading for San Francisco when the earthquake cut short his trip. The other three, Reti, Dr. Tartakover and Bogoljubow, are here for the first time. F. D. Yates of England is due on the steamship Cedric, Alexander Alekhine left for Montreal on Sunday, Frank J. Marshall is in Atlantic City and David Janowski in Lakewood.

Walters suffer from flat feet more than any other class of people.

Frenzied Finance Gets Big Play In Sale of Stars

By BILLY EVANS.

Who started "frenzied finance" in baseball, relative to the purchase of minor league stars? Fifteen years back, if some "bush league" phenom sought by a half dozen major league clubs brought \$7,500 it was regarded as a fabulous price to have paid for an untried recruit.

Those days, however, are over, for at present there is no limit to what a big league will pay for a player of promise.

The increased value now placed on the bush leaguer also goes for the veteran who is rated as one of the outstanding stars.

When Eddie Collins was sold by Connie Mack to the Chicago White Sox the price was reported as \$50,000. That is probably what it was, certainly no more.

The other day the wires carried a story that the Boston Red Sox had purchased infielder Dudley Lee from the Tulsa, Okla., club of the Western League for \$50,000.

Fancy Price for Rookie. Lee Fohl, manager of the Browns, tells me that someone slightly padded the figures in the Lee case, the exact amount being much closer to \$25,000 than \$50,000. Even at that, this is a club paying at least half as much for a youngster as did the Chicago club for Collins, then rated the best second sacker in the game.

When John McGraw paid the Indianapolis club of the American Association \$110,000 for Rube Marquard it was heralded as one of the sporting sensations of the year. It was used as first page news.

Yet, to my way of thinking, the sale that started "frenzied finance" in baseball with relation to buying minor league stars, was the deal that Barney Dreyfus of the Pittsburgh club made for the famous St. Paul, Minn., battery, O'Toole and Kelly.

Remarkable pitching by O'Toole, who was an spitballer, caused practically every major league club to bid for him. Dreyfus finally secured O'Toole and his catcher, Billy Kelly, for the sum of \$22,500, a figure heretofore unheard of in baseball. For weeks the magnitude of the transaction was the main topic of conversation on the sport pages of the country.

Check Proves Big Sale. In certain quarters the sale price was regarded as mere "bunk." The St. Paul club finally produced the canceled check as proof. Said check was reproduced in as many papers as the photographs of O'Toole.

O'Toole proved more or less of a fizzle. The possessor of a deceptive spitball, he lacked control, and when the major leagues wanted him out his effectiveness was greatly minimized. He is classed in the light of a failure.

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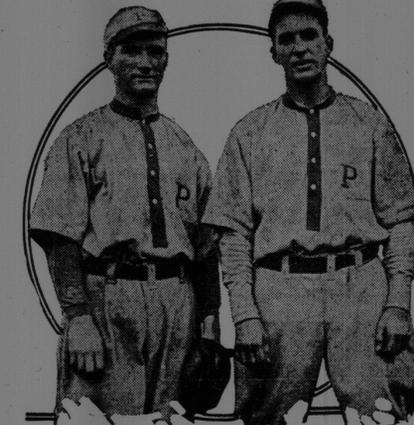
Today \$22,500 is a piker figure for a minor league star.

Many Horsemen Started at Bottom. Veteran Owners of Harness Steeds Began Careers as Humble Rubbers.

New York, March 18—Many of the leading light harness horsemen of the present day have fought their way from the bottom to the top of the ladder, and not a few who are now preparing their charges at the various training tracks for the season soon to open began their careers on the turf with a rub-bag and a brush.

William T. Crozier is now busy at Charter Oak Park, getting a string of horses ready for the trip down the Grand Circuit. Years ago he learned the rudiments of training trotters under such past masters as Charles Marvin and Orrin Hickok. Later he went to Hartford with Dave McLeary, who opened a public stable after Star Pointed had secured the stable.

When McLeary moved to New York, Crozier opened a stable and has been going ever since, most of his racing having been done over the half-mile tracks in New England. Since the Bay State Circuit was organized in 1914, Crozier has been among the leaders each season. John R. Hart was his first top liner. He was followed by Billworth, Patrick Duluth, Almaden Oswald and Harry D. O. Last year Crozier made all of the towns in the circuit and closed with a trip to the fairs, his most prominent performers being Sparkie, Coleman, T. B. J. and Frank Manager. The black gelding, Hollywood Frisco was also under the stable.



LEFT TO RIGHT: MART Y. O'TOOLE, BILLY KELLY.

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LESLIE BOYD WINS A CHAMPIONSHIP

Captures Metropolitan Title With 90 Points—Meyers Finishes Second.

New York, March 18—Leslie Boyd won the metropolitan all-round indoor speed ice skating championships last night with 90 points. Eddie Meyers was second with 70, Sam Goldberg third with 60, Paul Forsman fourth with 50, and Bobby Hearn and Raymond Schwankamp tied for fifth with 20 points each.

Elfie Muller won the women's all-round title with a perfect score of 90. Caroline Breiter and Dot Jackson were second and third.

Boyd clinched the title by placing second in the one mile race last night. He had previously won the half mile and two mile championships.

Eddie Meyers captured the mile championship, and Sam Goldberg took the three-quarter mile.

Miss Muller captured the women's titles in the 220, 440 and 880 yard races.

MONCTON LOSES. Moncton, March 17—By a score of 4 to 3 the Truro amateur hockey team defeated the Moncton amateurs here tonight in a close and hard fought game.

FAMOUS REFEREE DIES. Tom Robertson, the well-known football referee in England, died suddenly at his residence near Glasgow recently. He began playing football in 1878, and was a member of Cowleys team from 1882 to 1886, when he joined Aston Villa. He returned to Scotland in 1887 and joined the Queen's Park Club, with which he was associated until 1893. He played half-back for Scotland against England in the drawn match of 1890. He also played once against Wales and twice against Ireland.

BILLIARD TOURNEY. A billiard tournament opened in the Ideal last evening with two local players, A. Earle and E. Odell, opposing "Joe" Gagnon, well known Montreal expert. Gagnon beat both. This afternoon he meets R. Lydon, and this evening will meet "Kid" Dryden. On Wednesday he meets J. R. Mott and C. Howard. To the local player making the highest score against Gagnon will go a cue. The match this evening will be between Dryden and Gagnon is arousing interest.

PRICES AT ARENA TONIGHT. Box seats, \$1.00, on sale at Phonograph Salon, Ltd., King Square and Arena. Reserved seats, by section and numbered, 75 cents, on sale at depots. Rush seats and standing room, 50 cents, on sale at Arena tonight. Doors open 7 o'clock. Buy your ticket now.

ARGENTINE POLO TEAM TO PLAY IN ENGLAND BEFORE OLYMPICS

Buenos Aires, March 18—Argentina's Olympic polo team will participate in the British Spring polo tournament before going to Paris for the Olympic championships. Captain Enrique Padilla and Arturo Kenny will sail for England on April 17, while the Miles brothers, David and John, and Jack Nelson, the other members of the team, will depart some time in May. Thirty-three ponies have been shipped to Liverpool.

GAMES IN CITY BOWLING LEAGUES

Results of Last Evening's Candle Pin Matches on Local Alleys.

Table with columns for League Name, Player Name, and Score. Includes Clerical League, Commercial League, and Manufacturers' League.

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SUSSEX AND NEW GLASGOW MEET IN PLAY-OFF TONIGHT

Tonight Sussex will meet New Glasgow in the first game of a play-off for the championship of the Maritime Provinces. Hockey enthusiasts throughout this section of the country are eagerly awaiting the clash between these crack amateur teams and the result will be awaited with interest. Local fans desiring to ascertain how the game ends can receive this information by calling up The Telegraph Journal, Main 247, after 10 o'clock tonight. Arrangements have been made to get detailed results at the conclusion of the periods.

ROJAS' ADVANCE SURPRISES FRENCH

Paris Reports Chilean Form There.

Paris, March 18.—(Associated Press)—The news that Quintero Rojas has been signed up by Tex Rickard for three bouts in New York, the last of which may be against Jack Dempsey, has interested boxing fans who recall that the Chilean's claim to pugilistic fame all were acquired in Parisian rings. The South American, however, appeared to be far from championship form even in his most successful battles here.

Larry Galis, a Canadian mullatto, pounced lighter than Rojas, peppered the latest Latin hope for eleven rounds, but lacked the steam to do more than decorate Rojas' eyes. Rojas' display of body blow in the eleventh which crumpled Galis.

Later Rojas met Henri Eluere, the former French amateur champion, and knocked him out in three rounds. Eluere has remained an amateur, but the only thing he has to qualify him as a heavyweight boxer is his ability to scale over 175 pounds.

The Chilean's last victory was over Marcel Nilles, who has been knocked out frequently in Europe, including his defeat in half a round by Barabesi of Rome. Rojas won in three rounds.

The entire pugilistic game of the South American is a damaging right hand punch—the sort of punch that gained Luis Firpo fame. His left, to judge from his performances here, is nearly worthless.

PRESIDENT COVEY RECEIVES PROTEST

Kentville Claims Their Play-off With New Glasgow Was a Tie.

A protest from Kentville regarding the final score of the first game between New Glasgow and Kentville was received yesterday by A. W. Covey, president of the M. P. B. A. A. U. of C. Kentville claims that the score of the first game was 4 to 1 and not 3 to 1, thus making the final count a tie. Mr. Covey has ruled that the 3 to 1 score will stand—upholding the decision of the referee.

Political campaigners must pay \$100 for every ten minutes of talking, if they seek to use the microphone at WEAF, New York.

Lowest priced receiving sets in Japan cost about \$25 or \$30.

Keep a "log" showing the points on all dial of any stations you may get. Hastings, Neb., has won worldwide fame through station KFKA, which has been broadcasting concerts from KDKA in Pittsburgh.

Largest radio station in Canada is said to be CKCH, of the Canadian National Railways, at Ottawa.

A bluish glow in any of your tubes is a sign the plate voltage is too high. Radio doctors have sprung up—amateurs offering to put up, repair and improve receiving sets.

SINK BIG COFFERDAM. Vallejo, Calif.—The largest cofferdam ever built in America has been sunk as the first step in the under-water construction of the \$4,000,000 Carquinez Straits bridge from Vallejo to Colusa. The structure is as large in cubic measurements as a five-story building.

In 1920 the U. S. census showed 250 men serving as chambermaids.

TENNIS STAR TO PLAY FOR NORWAY

Mrs. Mallory Accepts Invitation to Represent Native Land in Olympics.

Christiania, Norway, March 18.—(Associated Press)—Mrs. Molla Bjurstedt Mallory, the former tennis champion of the United States, has consented to play on Norway's Olympic tennis team, subject to the approval of the French Olympic Committee.

Upon learning that Mrs. Mallory was barred from representing the United States in the coming Olympic games because she represented Norway in the last Olympic games at Stockholm, the Norwegian Tennis Association invited her to join the Norwegian team. She accepted the offer and will be one of the three Norwegian ladies to appear in the ladies' singles, ladies' doubles and mixed doubles. But in order to insure against difficulties arising at the last moment and with a view to frustrating possible attempts to exclude her from play altogether, the Norwegian Olympic Committee has asked that the French Committee give its approval to her selection.

Like the other Norwegian representatives, Mrs. Mallory has agreed to pay her own expenses, as the Tennis Association is short of funds.

Mrs. Molla Bjurstedt Mallory, seven times national women's tennis champion, confirmed cable reports that she would play for her native land, Norway, in the 1924 Olympics and announced she would sail for England on May 14 to prepare for her summer campaign on European courts.

Though unable, despite extensive negotiations, to represent her adopted country in the competition at Paris, Mrs. Mallory will be a member of the American team which will oppose British women in a series for the Hazel Hotchkiss Wightman Trophy, won at Forest Hills last year by U. S. feminine stars. Mrs. Mallory's teammates, who are expected to sail about June 1, are expected to be a three-member team from Berkeley, Cal., national champion Miss Eleanor Goss of New York and Mrs. Wightman, donor of the cup and captain of the American team last year.

The Wightman matches are scheduled on June 19 and 20, after which the Americans will participate in the English championships at Wimbledon before proceeding to Paris. The centre of interest in the women's Olympic tennis is expected to be a three-member contest for honors with Mrs. Mallory, her French rival and conqueror, Miss Suzanne Lenglen, and Miss Willis as the principals.

OFFER TERMS TO ST. JOHN BOXER

Jimmy McNulty Receives Answer re Proposed Bout in Sydney.

In response to a telegram, Allie Lewis of this town wired terms to Jimmy McNulty of St. John, N. B., regarding a bout between a boxer styled "The Irish Kid" and Johnny Gillis, the Cape Breton boxer, says the Sydney Record. The terms wired by Lewis are: 25 per cent to the loser, 85 to the winner and 40 to the promoter. No guarantee as to a total purse is to be given, the bout to take place early in April.

Allie's telegram was in response to one received from McNulty, by Billy Wilson of Dominion, asking for \$14,000 with Gillis and "The Irish Kid," and one for a welterweight with Paris of St. John.

Paris has since been matched with McKenna. Allie might have put Carbone against Paris.

"The Irish Kid" is not known here, but the writer is reliably informed that his name is likely Shea, as one of McNulty's string is so named.

SMITH WILL MEET CUBAN CHAMPION

Bout Arranged for March 21—Siki Still in Hospital.

Havana, March 18.—Homer Smith, heavyweight boxer of Kalamazoo, Mich., who came to Havana several weeks ago, will box Battling Siki, who has been matched against Santiago Esparaguera, Cuban light-heavyweight champion. The bout will take place the night of March 21. It will be a benefit for the Fund for Widows and Orphans of Havana Policemen.

Siki, who has been suffering from bronchitis, is still in the hospital, but is expected to be able to start training again in about two or three weeks.

ASH OUTPOINTS LEAR. Detroit, Mich., March 18.—Frankie Ash, middleweight champion, proved too fast and clever a boxer for Johnny Lear, Canadian title holder, in a ten-round bout here last night, in the opinion of newspapermen.

Farmers in the United States have an average of 3.8 children.

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MUST POST \$25,000 TO HOLD FRANCHISE

McTigue Must Put Up a Bond Today for Newark Club.

New York, March 18—Michael McTigue, head of the Newark syndicate which recently entered into negotiations for the purchase of the Newark baseball club, will have until noon today to post a bond of \$25,000 with the International League as evidence of good faith and assurance that he will be able to fulfill his baseball obligations in Newark for the season of 1924, if he is to obtain a league franchise.

Failure to put up the guarantee within the time stipulated will mean the elimination of McTigue and his syndicate from Newark baseball so far as the league is concerned.

This is the substance of a resolution adopted at a meeting of the International League board of directors and announced by John C. Toole, president of the league, at the close of the season of 1923. These obligations include taking the Newark club, which is understood, had not been completed.

The bond, President Toole pointed out, would serve merely as protection of the league's interest and would entail a number of obligations which McTigue must respect to the satisfaction of the league. These obligations include taking the Newark team South for training, securing a ball park, opening the season on scheduled time and operating the Newark club throughout the season of 1924. Failure to comply with any of these demands will cause McTigue to forfeit the bond and the franchise to the league. At the time of posting his bond Saturday, McTigue also must give some tangible evidence that he can secure a ball park to replace the old Newark plant which was destroyed by fire last year.

Consumption of American canned goods in Cuba is growing.

Milton S. Hershey, the "Chocolate King" was considered very old-fashioned in his factories as he would not have a telephone in his office.

MUTT AND JEFF—THEY'LL NEVER FIND THE NORTH POLE CARRYING ON LIKE THIS

THESE DICE GIVE ME AN IDEA. I'M BEGGING BUT I'M GOT TEN DOLLARS. I'M GONNA MAKE ONE PAST AND WIN MUTT'S COIN AND THEN SLEDGE IT TO THE TRADING POST AND BLOW THE WHOLE WORKS.

MUTT, I'VE GOT A PAIR OF DICE AND MY GAMBLING BUDD CRAVES ACTION! ARE YOU ON?

SURE, WHAT ARE YOU SHAKING FOR?

I'M SHAKING YOU FOR TEN BUCKS. COME ON YOU BABIES—BE NICE TO JEFF!



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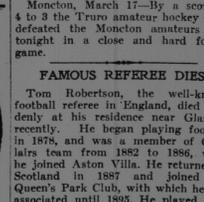
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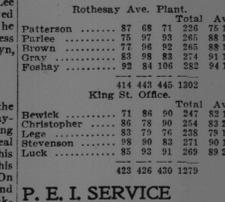
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NEWS NOTES GATHERED FROM THE WORLD OF STAGE AND SCREEN

DEFENDS FILM DIRECTORS IN CHARGE OF CRUELTY TO ANIMALS

Jungmeyer Says He Has Never Seen Deliberate Case.

(By Jack Jungmeyer)

Hollywood, Feb. 18.—Quite a hue and cry is being raised about "cruelty to animals in motion pictures."

Efforts are being made to boycott producers against whom this charge is laid.

This presents not only a serious threat against movie makers whose money and reputation are identified with animals, but also contains the threat of eliminating virtually all animals from films which is of some concern to millions who delight in this type of entertainment.

Whenever such charges of deliberate cruelty are substantiated against picture producers there is no defense, even though the human race with its established dependence upon meat and wool and furs and feathers, and its employment of lesser creatures for work, play and vanity, is of course a monster of cruelty.

But these charges are being accepted without positive proof. And that is the danger and the unfairness—let us say, well-meaning allegations or beliefs or hearsay from interested groups in Hollywood.

I base this assertion upon digest of propaganda, correspondence, interviews and personal observations of performing animals in many studios.

In my two years about the studios of Hollywood I have never seen an instance of deliberate cruelty to animals, although I believe instances exist. I do know that propaganda against certain producers is inspired by questionable motives and that well-meaning investigators have in some cases been deluded.

It should be unnecessary to suggest to clubwomen and organizations, who make it their business to commend or boycott films in practically every city in the United States, that before accepting and acting upon any charge of animal cruelty they demand proof, not mere statement.

The films themselves will give no reliable evidence. What may seem to be the beholder to be patent brutality, may really be only trick photography.

A case in point is "The King of Wild Horses," soon to be released by Hal Roach. The jump from the cliff, the struggle with river rapids and other apparent perils "forced upon" Rex, the horse, are not at all what they seem in the picture, I may say with authority.

I mention this picture because, even before it was made, Roach informed me word had gone out to clubwomen that it ought to be barred because of "cruelty practiced" in it.

"The public should know," says Roach, "that we use the same precautions with animals that we use with human stars. It has been untruthfully asserted that we mistreated the dog 'Buck' in 'The Call of the Wild,' as if a sane man would jeopardize an animal who was not only a great studio pet but who was a great financial asset."

FARM SURVEY OF NOVA SCOTIA

Of the agricultural survey of Nova Scotia a report presented to the Legislature says:

For some years the necessity for an agricultural survey has been urged by the department and in consequence of negotiations with Premier Armstrong, the survey was now engaged in a survey of the agricultural resources of Nova Scotia.

The purpose of this survey is to classify all possible agricultural settlement opportunities under the following headings:

(a). Uncultivated and uncleared bush land unsuitable for lumber, but suitable for agriculture.

(b). Uncultivated and uncultivated farms.

(c). Vacant farms under cultivation.

(d). Surplus holdings to existing farms.

(e). Farms which, owing to the advanced age of the occupant, will become vacant unless recolonized.

The survey was started in Kings and Annapolis counties. Enumerators of the board were working during the fall months, and the results will soon be available. A careful soil analysis is being made of properties coming under the above heading which will establish beyond doubt whether or not they are suitable for colonization purposes. It is probable that work will be commenced soon in Cumberland and Colchester.

ADIEU, DOUKHOBORS. (Buffalo Express) There will be less regret in Canada at losing the Doukhobors than there was when the Menonites hid themselves to Mexico because of the provincial requirements of the province in which they lived. The Doukhobors are good farmers and industrious. Beyond that they are a liability rather than an asset to Saskatchewan. They have been an annoying embarrassment to their neighbors on more than one occasion when peculiar religious fervor impelled the entire colony, men, women and children, to parade through the prairie winds without garments of any kind.

From Imperial Russia they came and to Soviet Russia they are returning. They take, it is said, \$7,000,000 with them. That sum will assure them a welcome by the Bolsheviks. They are to get free land in their native country in return for an annual contribution of one-sixth of their crops. Canada will be well rid of them. But before they may be sighing to come back.

Film Heroine



Laura La Plant. She's the heroine of "The Perils of the Yukon," a serial film and is now working with William Desmond in "Around the World in 18 Days," another serial thriller.

HORSESHOES FOR KEARNS



JACK KEARNS

There are those who insist Jack Kearns, now wealthy manager of the now wealthy Jack Dempsey, is all broken out with horseshoes. For the benefit of these critics we present Mr. Kearns with one of his most effective horseshoes. It should be added, however, that the champion's manager is merely playing the game of barnyard golf.

CARROLL PLAYERS

THESE WEEK

DORRIT KELTON in the Mystic Melo-Drama

"THE 13th CHAIR"

Author of "Within the Law"

PLEASE NOTE

Curtain at 8.15. No one will be seated until the first act is over. Won't you please come early?

Thank You.

NEXT WEEK

What's Your Husband Doing?

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Mystery Play is Well Received

"The Thirteenth Chair" is Bill Which Holds Intense Interest.

"THE THIRTEENTH CHAIR," a mystery melodrama in three acts by Guy de Maupassant, produced at the Opera House by the F. James Carroll Players, staged and directed by John Broderick, scenic artist, R. C. Benjamin; musical programme by Opera House orchestra under the direction of T. H. Roberts.

CAST OF CHARACTERS Helen O'Neil, Edna Preston, Will Crosby, James G. Coote, Mrs. Crosby, Myra Marsh, Roscoe Crosby, John Gordon, Edward Walter, Owen Coll, Mary Eastwood, Virginia Odon, Helen Trent, Mabel Monroe, Braddish Trent, John Haggerty, Howard Standish, Miss Beal, Phillip Mason, James Swift, Elizabeth Erskine, Miss Beal, Grace Standish, Dorothy Sutton, Madame Rosalie, Paul Broderick.

The silver star which has been circulating amongst the members of the Carroll Players for the last few weeks was last night nailed to the door of Miss Dorrit Kelton's dressing room after her admirable performance in "The Thirteenth Chair," one of the most mystifying and gripping psychical plays that St. John has ever witnessed.

The star might well represent her achievement in a difficult and exacting role; but it might also be taken as typical of the characteristics of the role which she portrayed—solving as she did a murder mystery which has taxed the power of one of the cleverest of New York's detective forces.

For those who plan seeing the show this week it would be folly to unfold the plot. It would kill most of the enjoyment of the piece. The whole action centres around the solution of a murder which occurs early in the first act while the stage and house is in absolute darkness. One situation follows another with gripping rapidity, and it is not until near the last curtain that the guilty one is shown up.

There was no doubt of Miss Kelton's success in the piece. The strict silence, punctuated with an occasional suppressed shriek or a sharp intaking of the breath, with which the play was followed; the thunderous applause that greeted the drop of each curtain; and the lovely bouquet of flowers which was handed her during the evening, all testified to the manner in which her work was received.

Clyde Franklin, in the role of the police inspector, shared with Miss Kelton the burden and honors of the show. His was a most satisfying rendition of a part which demanded much, but from beginning to end his acting was followed with keen interest. Miss Odon had a part a little out of the ordinary for her and, with the possible exception of her work in "Sinners," gave her best performance this season. Miss Preston's role was one that was not easy, but this talented little lady was in good form and gave a very fine rendition. Mr. Coote, while not called upon for a great deal, was also good.

The other members of the cast, although their parts were comparatively minor, were very necessary to the position of the plot. Particular mention should be made, however, of the acting of Miss Marsh, Mr. Coll, Mr. Swift and Mr. Finckney.

A pleasing feature of the evening was the presentation of three gifts across the footlights to Owen Coll, to mark the twenty-fifth anniversary of his first appearance on the stage. Two of the offerings were cigars, while the third was a set of cut glass and silver salt and pepper shakers.

The play is all in one set, a very rich subdued-color drawing room, which was most effective to the atmosphere of the "Thirteenth Chair" will no doubt prove a good attraction this week.

THE KID WAS CLEVER

London.—Charged with begging in a London street, a young man with some stage experience was arrested here yesterday he had aroused the pity of everyone who saw him.

He had "made-up" his face with theatrical grease paint to make it appear that he had been frozen. Business was fine until a smart bobby "got wise."

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A Whirlwind Romance of Gay Society Life, High-Speed Love and Merry Moments.

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Uses Animals In Movies



HAL ROACH, PRODUCER OF ANIMAL MOVIES WITH TWO OF HIS CHARGES FROM "DIPPY DOO-DADVILLE."

GOOD PUBLICITY FOR NOVA SCOTIA

C. MacQ. Avar writes from

Scranton, Penn., to the Amherst News—"When we saw it announced in our city papers here that one of the pastors had taken for his topic for last evening's meeting the subject 'Evangeline's Land' we very naturally were present to hear what he might have to say.

The speaker prefaced his remarks by the query 'How many in this audience were born and reared in Nova Scotia?' Mrs. Avar tells me that she saw one hand go up, but I missed even that one. Being Nova Scotians by adoption we were not able to qualify, though to the next question, 'How many have been in Nova Scotia?' we were able to answer strongly in the affirmative. There were only a very few who had ever been there, and I think the speaker was somewhat surprised by the smallness of the number, for he paused for a moment and then went on to say, 'Well, it is a wonderful country and I advise you all to go. I advise you to begin now and save your money for the trip to this

delightful land.' Among the views which were put on the screen was one of the 'Rocks' over in Albert County, N. B., and this took us back to the days, a few years ago, when, with our then good neighbors, Mr. and Mrs. Calhoun, we journeyed from Amherst to see the 'Rocks.' The speaker dwelt a little on the question of the long boundary line between the two countries, spoke of the fact that no forts were there to mark the beauty of the landscape, but he said, 'I want to show you a picture of something else I saw there' and he had to show us the picture of the two flags flying from the same pole with the remark, 'Doesn't it look good to see these two flags, the Stars and Stripes and the Union Jack, so close together?' "In his whole address he was most complimentary. Not only did he emphasize the beauty of the scenery, but praise as much on the kindness of his reception from the people. He certainly is a booster for Nova Scotia, and I doubt if in your whole tourist association you would be able to find any one who could in the same short time say more nice things about the place than did the Rev. W. H. McLaughlin in his address last evening."

Entertainments Drew Many People

Performances in City and North End Net Much for Orphans.

Before an audience which taxed to the utmost limit the capacity of St. Vincent's Auditorium, the members of the Y. M. C. I. Dramatic Club presented "Apartment 66" with a punch every crowd of spectators.

The play rested on a general mixup of circumstances provocative of situations which would try the skill of many a seasoned professional. The talented cast experienced no difficulty in putting the play across. Although every character was portrayed with the greatest accuracy, B. B. McEade, who took the gentleman's lead and Miss Florence Walsh, who starred in the role of leading lady, were particularly outstanding. A great deal of the comedy depended on the acting of Arthur B. Walsh and Miss Loyola Duffy. The singing of Miss M. J. Downing and Harold Gillis, between the acts, was much appreciated.

The cast included: Roy McIntyre, Miss Loyola Duffy, Miss Florence Walsh, Miss Kathleen O'Malley, Miss Mary Floyd, Arthur B. Walsh, E. J. Hemmery, R. B. McEade, Frank Spittal, Dave Higgins, J. D. Wholly, Miss Annie Jennings, Miss Elizabeth Melliday and Miss Kathleen Flood.

The play, the proceeds of which are sent to a matter of the boys and girls of the Catholic orphans, will be repeated at a matinee this afternoon and again this evening.

At St. Peter's.

Before a large audience in St. Peter's Auditorium, last evening, an entertainment was presented by the young people of the parish. A Grand Gala of St. Peter's orchestra, under the leadership of E. W. McEade, choruses and solos, included the programme. Among those taking part were Margaret Peterson, Theresa Maxwell, Evelyn McBride, J. Rolston, F. E. Martin, L. Gormley, Mary Conlogue, Bessie Logan, R. Sherwood, F. Coakley, G. McCarthy, Kathleen Morrissey, Mary Kyffin and Alvin Peterson. The choruses included Mary Peterson, Margaret Peterson, Mary Rederick, Emma Huestis, Irene Morris, E. Duncan, M. E. Drilling, E. Kierstead, G. McGowan, F. Rolston, H. O'Brien, M. Shannon, B. Lunney, M. Harrington, L. Butler, J. Whipple, R. McMurray and A. Downey.

A SCREEN TRIUMPH AT QUEEN SQUARE

"Name the Man" is Great Picture From Pen of Hall Caine.

"Name the Man," a screen drama of great emotional intensity, which is interesting not only in its qualities as a photoplay, but also because it is the first picture to be made in America by Victor Seastrom, noted Swedish director, opened last night at the Queen Square theatre.

The picture is from the latest novel by Sir Hall Caine, "The Master of Man," and follows the original story faithfully. Mr. Seastrom has lived up to his European reputation of being one of the ablest directors of pictures. "Name the Man" is a truly great picture with a heart appeal from which even the callous cannot escape. Mr. Seastrom makes the film an art as well as an entertainment.

Mae Busch, as Bessie Collier, the girl who is ejected from her home by a brutal step-father, and is wronged by the youthful judge, rises to what is considered her greatest emotional piece of acting. Conrad Nagel, as the youthful judge, gives a very finished performance, and the large cast, including Patsy Ruth Miller, Creighton Hale, Hobart Bosworth, De Witt C. Jennings, Evelyn Selbie and others, support the principal players admirably.

The entire story is set on the tiny Isle of Man, off the coast of England, and is fully an hour and a half in length. It is brimful of smart, scintillating comedy—spontaneous humor that is delightfully refreshing and entertaining.

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FLYING DOG



In Dayton, O., there's a dog who turns his nose up at an automobile. Airplanes are the only things in the transportation line that quite suit his tastes. Mike, an airfield, likes to go high and fast. He'll accompany his master in the international races in Dayton next October. Yep, he wears goggles.

There's The Catch!

There was great excitement in Tootway. A new store had opened. It was to be run on the lines of those three-penny and sixpenny shops which are getting quite a feature in big shopping centres.

The store was being run by a man named Cohen.

One day a woman came in, chose a toy, and put expenses in the proprietor's hand.

"Excuse me, madam," said Cohen, "but the toys are ninepence."

"But I thought that this was a three-penny and sixpenny store, protested the customer.

"Well, madam, I leave it to you," was the reply. "How much is threepence and sixpence?"

Prince Feliksvitch Youssoffoff, confessed lover of Rasputin, the Russian monarch, arrived in the United States recently.

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CHAPLIN'S OUTFIT.

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CROWDS ENJOY DICKENS STORY

"David Copperfield" at Imperial Charming Story—Repeated Today.

Not in many months has any audience left a theatre in such a happy frame of mind as that which saw the picturization of Charles Dickens' famous novel, "David Copperfield," at the Imperial last night. All the characters that the great author made impressionable in the romance of young Copperfield were given full play upon the screen.

The acting comes up to all expectations. Buddy Martin was bully as the boy David, while Gorn Smidd covered himself with glory as David grown up. The amiable Mr. Micawber was capably portrayed by Frederick Jensen.

The women displayed talent, Karen Withers, as Agnes, and Karina Bell as Dora, playing the respective sweethearts of David Copperfield pleasingly. Karen Caspersen was up to expectations as Peggoty, David's nurse. Other roles were also capably enacted.

The patrons of the Imperial will find a delightful evening's entertainment in "David Copperfield."

The Public Weekly and Topics of the Day were additional attractions that pleased greatly. Irish airs in honor of St. Patrick's Day graced the evening exhibition.

Tonight the David Copperfield feature will be finished, and tomorrow a new picture, "The Darling of New York," a stirring fire melodrama in which the wonderful infant actress, Baby Peggy plays the leading role, will be the mid-week feature.

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PATHE NEWS—TOPICS—ORCHESTRA Matinee 15c., 25c. Evening 25c., 35c. TOMORROW! The Great Fire Melodrama "DARLING OF THE NEW YORK" With Baby Peggy.

Queen Square TODAY and WEDNESDAY ANOTHER SCREEN TRIUMPH Victor Seastrom's production of NAME THE MAN! Philadelphia—According to Professor J. N. MacFarlane, of the University of Pennsylvania, the true source of the world's petroleum lies in the numberless schools of fish that swim the ocean. The mossbunker, a small fish which exists in enormous numbers, may be one of the principal sources of supply if the professor's theory is correct. Madame Calliope Chariss, of Greece, and her ten children are said to be the only family of such size on the stage.

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TWO W.A.'S HOLD ANNUAL MEETINGS

Officers are Elected by Saint George's and Saint Luke's.

The annual meetings of St. George's senior W. A. and of the Monday evening branch of the W. A. of St. Luke's church were held last night. For both branches the year was one of exceptional success. Officers were elected for the ensuing year.

St. George's W. A.
The members of St. George's W. A. attended holy communion in the morning when Rev. W. P. Sampson, the rector, conducted the service and gave the address, and the thanksgiving was received. The business session was held in the evening, with Mrs. Corey Green, the president, in the chair, and opened with devotions led by the rector and an address by Mrs. John M. Hay, diocesan Dorcas secretary. Following the president's address, reports were presented, showing a decided advance had been made in all departments of the work, all pledges met, and a large donation made to the general pledge. After the business was concluded, delicious refreshments were served under the convenship of Mrs. Newton Wilkie.

Officers Elected.
The election of officers resulted as follows: Honorary president, Mrs. W. H. Sampson; president, Mrs. T. Corey Green; 1st vice-president, Mrs. Charles Smith; 2nd vice-president, Mrs. Arthur Hatfield; 3rd vice-president, Mrs. William Nilsson; corresponding secretary, Mrs. A. Kindred; recording secretary, Mrs. Arthur Rawlings; treasurer, Miss Sarah Cartleton; E. D. C. treasurer, Mrs. Fred McIntyre; Dorcas secretary, Mrs. John Carrier; Living Message secretary, Mrs. Magee; Little Helper, Mrs. Walter Bagwell; Junior superintendent, Mrs. Willis Waring; suite box secretary, Mrs. Lloyd; overseas convener, Mrs. Nilsson; delegates to the diocesan annual, Mrs. Sampson and Mrs. Arthur Rawlings; substitutes, Mrs. Hillman and Mrs. Lloyd.

St. Luke's W. A.
The Monday evening branch of St. Luke's W. A. met in the church rooms and the opening address was given by Rev. C. P. Heaven, the curate, who spoke on missions in the Moosehide diocese where the branch is interested in an Indian girl. Mrs. Lester Mowry presided, and the reports presented were most gratifying. During the year it made an exceptionally good showing, meeting all pledges, accomplishing much Dorcas work and not forgetting patients, work, and the Christmas boxes also.

Election of Officers.
The election of officers for the ensuing year resulted as follows: President, Mrs. Lester Mowry; vice-president, Mrs. H. Usher Miller; second, Miss Mary Campbell; treasurer, Mrs. Kenneth Storey; Dorcas secretary, Mrs. William Gaskin and Mrs. Frank Whelpley; assistants, Mrs. William Emery and Miss Elizabeth Cronin; corresponding secretary, Mrs. C. A. Munro; recording secretary, Miss Helen McJunkin; E. D. C. treasurer, Miss Gertrude Daley; Living Message secretary, Miss May Davidson; delegate to the diocesan annual meeting, Mrs. C. A. Munro; substitutes, Mrs. Frank Whelpley and Miss Reta Tapley.

ALMANAC FOR ST. JOHN, MARCH 18

A.M. P.M.
High Tide..... 9.45 High Tide..... 10.10
Low Tide..... 3.27 Low Tide..... 3.43
Sun Rises..... 5.53 Sun Sets..... 6.53

LOCAL NEWS

CHIEF JUSTICE AWAY.

His Honor Chief Justice McKewen will leave for Ottawa to make preparations for the hearing in connection with the Home Bank investigation. His Honor is expected to be home the latter end of the week as he understood all that would be done now would be to set a date and map out the procedure to be followed.

ON CHARGE OF THEFT.

Three young men, Edward Gillespie, day on the Maritime train from Moncton, were charged in the police court in Moncton yesterday with having broken into the warehouse of Baird & Peters here in October and stolen a quantity of cigarettes. It is alleged the goods, amounting in value to about \$1,000, were taken on the night of October 6.

WILLING WORKERS MEET.

The regular meeting of the Willing Workers of German street Baptist church was held last evening and plans made for a supper and pantry sale next week and an organ recital in the near future. The circle is now engaged in raising for the Red Cross and a number of special cases of children's wear. In addition to this fourteen garments have been made for the Children's Aid.

TRURO TEAM ARRIVES.

The Truro hockey team arrived today on the Maritime train from Moncton, where they defeated the fast Moncton sextette by the score of 4-3. Tonight they will play St. John in the arena and it would appear that the locals have a real game on their hands and will have to produce their best brand of hockey if their string of victories against champion teams is to remain unbroken.

TO CONSIDER NEW RULING.

The traffic committee of the Board of Trade will hold a meeting tomorrow afternoon to take up the matter of interference with the business of St. John merchants by the new rule of the C. N. R. that freight must be delivered at the freight shed before three o'clock each afternoon. This matter has been taken up with the C. N. R. officials at Moncton and it is understood a delegation will be in the city tomorrow night to meet the local merchants.

EIGHTEEN INCHES OF SNOW.

About four inches of snow fell in Moncton since Saturday morning, making a total of eighteen inches or more, since Wednesday morning last, says the Transcript. Hanford Police, who were organized to the city from his lumber camp at Deersdale, on the N. T. R. says there is nearly four feet at Deersdale. The men were unable to work on Thursday owing to the storm. It was the first time this season operations were suspended owing to heavy snow fall.

FIRE WARDENS MEET.

The first regular meeting of the Fire Wardens' Board of fire district No. 1, Parish of St. John, was held last evening in Edith Avenue Hall, East St. John. After routine business had been transacted a copy of the bill, which is to be presented to the Legislature next week, was looked over and considered satisfactory. No definite action regarding the establishment of a fire station or organizing a corps of firemen can be taken until the passage of the bill.

TEA AND SALE IS SUCCESS.

The Sunshine class of the Tabernacle church held a successful Shamrock tea and sale last evening in the vestry of the church. The room was nicely decorated in green and white and potted shamrocks graced the tables. Mrs. M. R. Pitt was general convener; Mrs. Harlow and Mrs. Estey were in charge of the decorations; Mrs. Needham and Mrs. A. Foster, the sale table; Mrs. Owens and Mrs. Fry, the pantry; Mrs. Giggey and Mrs. Gray, the refreshments; Mrs. A. B. Klerstein, the tables, assisted by an efficient corps of waitresses.

CHAPTER OF ACCIDENTS.

Slippery sidewalks were responsible for a number of accidents today and as a result several people are in the hospital suffering from fractures and various injuries, says yesterday's Moncton Transcript. The first accident occurred this morning when Mrs. Joseph Joyce, who is over seventy years of age, fell and fractured her hip. Miss Emma O'Neill suffered from a fractured shoulder. Lee Song fell, fracturing his wrist. B. Klerstein, Ernest Taylor, son of Thomas Taylor of that place, suffered a broken leg and was brought to the hospital here for attention.

HONORED ON BIRTHDAY.

A pleasant time was spent last evening at the home of George T. Corbett, 40 Millidge avenue, when Mrs. Corbett entertained a number of friends in honor of Mr. Corbett's birthday. The evening passed pleasantly in games and music. During the evening E. G. Brittain, on behalf of the company presented to Mr. Corbett a fine easy chair and smoker's set, at the same time extending the best wishes of those present for a long and happy life. Mr. Corbett was taken completely by surprise and for a time found it difficult to express his appreciation. Dainty refreshments were served by Mrs. Corbett, who was assisted by Mrs. H. H. Crabee and Mrs. E. G. Brittain.

GOOD TIMES IN P. E. ISLAND.

A. C. Saunders, leader of the Opposition in the Prince Edward Island Legislature, sounded an optimistic note last week in his speech on the reply to the speech from the throne. The Guardian report says: "Mr. Saunders believed the day of crouching over hard times was gone. In no place were people more happy and contented than here. We have more money deposited, and more invested in Victory Bonds, than ever before. Most of the farmers have their money invested in these bonds, and everybody is living prosperously and contented. The time for a more cheerful outlook the world over has come. In a few years, he believed, conditions will be restored to normal again. Our loss of population is regrettable, and it should be our aim to get the very best settlers possible. Now is the opportune time, in view of the heavy burdens of taxes in Europe."

ALUMNAE HOLD IRISH EVENING

Former Sacred Heart Students Carry Out Delightful Programme.

An interesting meeting of the Alumnae of the Convent of the Sacred Heart was held last evening at the home of Miss Furlong, Union street. In the absence of the president, Mrs. George Carrell, and the vice-president, Mrs. W. Edmond Raymond, Miss Amelia Haley was called to the chair. A number of routine business matters were disposed of and the secretary, Miss Lynch, read a number of letters from members expressing their regret at being unable to be present.

The literary part of the programme was a departure from the regular schedule being exclusively confined to Irish literature and Irish music. Each member responded to the roll call by giving an appropriate selection. Many beautiful poems by Irish writers were read, including those of Thomas Moore, Samuel Lover, Goldsmith and many others. Apart from these contributions to the programme some members gave special sketches of different Irish writers. Mrs. D. C. Draxton gave an excellently prepared paper giving concise sketches of the life and writing of Ledwidge, Thomas Kettle, James Stevens, W. P. Yeats and Lord Dunsany, quoting from the poetry of each of these modern writers. Mrs. D. P. Chisholm gave an interesting selection from the pen of Arthur Stringer. Mrs. A. J. Mulcahy told of the life of John Boyle O'Reilly and Miss Haley gave a paper on the prose and poetry of Katherine Tynan.

Musical Programme.

In the very delightful musical programme piano and vocal selections of various Irish melodies were given by Miss Eleanor Lynch, Mrs. Mulcahy, Mrs. Frank McCafferty, Mrs. D. P. Chisholm and others and in connection with this part of the programme Miss Marion Hogan gave a very interesting study of the history of the old tune "Robin Adair." Miss Hogan showed upon the fact that many songs claimed by other nations as national airs had originated in Ireland as was true in the case of "Robin Adair." The original of this song, "Eileen O'Roon" was taken over to Scotland in the fifteenth century by the Irish harpist, Dennis O'Hampas.

FEWER MARRIAGES IN TWO PROVINCES

Rate Lower in Nova Scotia Than in N. B.—Birth Rate Declines.

Dr. Melvin, chief medical officer for New Brunswick, in his annual report notes that marriages in the province fell from 8.8 per 1,000 of population in 1921 to 7.1 in 1922. In 1920 the rate was 10.1. This, he says, is a significant decrease, and is reflected in a diminished birth rate.

In Nova Scotia in 1922 there was a decrease of 1,242 marriages compared with 1920, and the marriage rate was only 6.08 per 1,000 population, or smaller than that of New Brunswick. There was also a decline in the birth rate. The births in Nova Scotia in 1922 were 12,698, a decline of 828 from the previous year. With less population New Brunswick had 11,664 births in 1922. The death rate increased in Nova Scotia, but declined in New Brunswick.

Dufferin's Old Range Looks Askance at March of Progress

Quite innocently may it be sniffed that the fate of the cooking range of the late Dufferin Hotel, now sitting skimpo amid the snow and debris of the demolished corner seems particularly ironical.

Chalked with the familiar legend "for sale," etc. the faithful old food furnace looks wistfully upon the negligent throng and doubtless from the inmost recesses of its pastry oven ruminates upon the forgetfulness of mere humans to whose whimsical palates it was a faithful slave for so many years! Cook-stoves may come and cook-stoves may go, but whether it be gas or electric upstart that creates the menu-wonders of the new Admiral Beatty dining room, the rusty old metal range of delicious memory will go down in history as Pandora's box of a thousand delicacies.

When was the old Dufferin ever chided for its food fare? Whatever its old-fashioned accommodations may have stirred up in the minds of the public of the cooking equipment balanced the account. Home-like rations or Broadway's latest culinary trick paraded from its spacious ovens and kettles to keep the good name of the house still the lure that made the cash register ring exultantly.

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