

DR. DANIEL IS HEARD ON NAVAL DEFENCE ISSUE

Member For St. John Declares For Immediate And Adequate Action—Government's Policy Is Roundly Scored.

NAVAL DEBATE RESUMED AT OTTAWA

Ottawa, Feb. 28.—At the opening of the House today Mr. Martin, of Regina, brought up the report that a round robin has been circulated demanding the withdrawal of the naval bill. The petition in question, he said, had not been specially pushed by western Liberals, and it contained nothing about the naval bill. It simply was got up by private members on both sides, asking the leaders of both sides to allow members to get names by Easter. It contained no proposal to prevent the proper discussion of any measure. He had in his hand a part of the petition, it contained 70 names from both sides.

Mr. W. D. Staples asked how many Conservative names it contained. Mr. Martin tried to ignore and then to evade the question, but on being pressed, said that TWO out of the 70 members signing were Conservatives.

Mr. J. D. Taylor

Mr. J. D. Taylor said that he was responsible for Conservative signatures. Their sole object was to bring about an early prorogation. There was general discontent on both sides as to the long time it had elapsed, and the small amount of business which had been transacted.

Mr. Foster asked when the bank revision bill would be brought down. Mr. Fielding said that it was in an advanced condition but in consequence of the representations made that the Government should secure an early prorogation it might be left over till the beginning of next session. The bank charter bill will not expire till July, 1911.

Mr. E. S. Lewis

Mr. E. S. Lewis asked about the work of the committee on railways. Sir Wilfrid Laurier said that he had held one meeting and will hold another this week.

Questions Answered

At question time Dr. Schaeffer was told that the Government has paid to Manitoba in ten months ending 31 January on account of school lands, \$226,056.

Mr. Ribbles was told that the Government had not been told of a building at Inverness, the work being done by the Inverness Fishermen's Boat Association at a cost of \$1,000. The building was not built but has been completed only last summer. There are 14 boats there.

Mr. Jameson asked a question about a postoffice at Boars Back, in Digby Co.

Mr. Lemieux replied that in 1901 the postoffice in question was reported against establishing one and that another petition being presented it was found that another postoffice had been opened near the place.

The Naval Debate

The naval debate was resumed, Mr. E. B. Devlin finishing his speech. Mr. C. A. Magrath followed in an original speech in which he strongly opposed the Canadian navy and advocated a contribution. "Let Canada," said he, "help Britain with the present emergency and then turn her face towards again and go on with her development. For Canada there are only two courses," he continued, "existence in the Empire, or fusion with the U. S. independence, or absorption and a Canadian navy might be the means of bringing independence about. Dealing with the navy as a question of business organization within it and with that development a Canadian navy might not harmonize with the present emergency. Mr. McKenna declared that there was no emergency and discussed Mr. Cowan's argument that the naval service bill alters the status of the Empire and the Crown and Great Britain.

Dr. Daniel said that his constituency would be one of the first to feel disaster to the Empire. He went on to say that this is not a new question, that it is not an old question, that it is not a question of the Canadian people for the first time. Dr. Daniel also touched upon a statement by Mr. McKenna that the British statesmen have Tweedmouth's explicit request in 1907 that the overseas dominions should take some part in Imperial defence.

The People of England are not beggars," Dr. Daniel said, "and will spend their last shilling and their last man rather than go on their knees to the colonies and beg for help. More plain-ly than they have, Dr. Daniel also quoted Lord Rosebery's request to the press conference to take back the message that all parts of the Empire should bear a share in its defence. As for the emergency there were none so bad as those who would not see this.

Dr. Daniel determined him to vote against the bill. This word "may" empowered the Government to withhold the money from the navy, or the Canada should bear a share in its defence. The independence of Canada whenever it chose to do so. Such a radical change in the constitution should go to the people. It amounted to an offer of power to the government to be taken from the Empire. It would be to give the Government the right to be taken from the Empire. It would be to give the Government the right to be taken from the Empire. It would be to give the Government the right to be taken from the Empire.

LUCKY REMITTANCE SAVES C. A. OSBORNE

Special to The Standard. Winnipeg, Man., Feb. 28.—G. A. Osborne, the distinguished gentleman who has been in the toils of the Winnipeg police for several days as the result of making a peace with the police authorities and left Winnipeg this afternoon with the expressed intention of never again being arrested.

Twenty-Four Dead In Western Snow Slides

Mining Region of Northern Idaho Suffers From Unusual Disaster—Small Army of Men and Boys Battle With Time and Cold in Effort to Rescue Those Buried in Avalanche.

Spokane, Wash., Feb. 28.—Twenty-four persons are known, tonight, to be dead as the result of snow-slides yesterday and today in the mining region of northern Idaho. To the 19 who perished in the avalanches at Mace and Burke, Idaho, last night and early today, are added three more who died in a similar disaster yesterday, when the camp of the Carbonate Hill Mining Company at Mullen, Idaho, today.

The fight against time and cold at Mace and Burke, has been waged bravely and persistently by the little army of men who hope to find under the heaps of ruins some who have escaped death.

The rescuers have dug frantically for many hours. Every available man and boy has been pressed into service.

Mace is situated on a creek and the mountains rise high on either side of the town. The damage there was done by a fragment of the main body of the avalanche which, on Sunday night, carried a construction train from the track as it plunged into the ravine. As it rolled up the other side it demolished houses in its path. The boarding houses of the Standard mine, where 300 miners were sleeping was missed by 120 feet.

The avalanche at Burke, occurred early today. That more lives were not lost at Burke is due to Secum's Howe, forested, the danger that threatened the sleeping citizens, he sent another party to arouse the inhabitants and urge to a safe retreat.

Four of those who lost their lives at Burke were members from the rescue party that had been at work at night. Among the last to be taken out of the snow alive at Mace was Mrs. George Hooper, and old woman who lived in the outskirts of the town. She was 15 feet under the snow and it took four hours to extricate her. She had suffered from the cold but not severely injured.

Burke is buried 50 feet under snow and earth. The slide is 3,000 feet long and fills the canon. James Rodgers, who was supposed to have perished, was rescued at Burke tonight. He had been buried in the snow eight hours.

TRAFT PRAISES SEND OFF FOR HEBREW RACE

United States President Pays Warm Tribute To Patriotism Of Jews—Have Not Neglected Opportunities.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 28.—In replying today to a delegation from the American Association of Foreign Language Newspapers, who called at the White House to protest against certain immigration bills pending in congress, President Taft highly praised the Jews who have come to America from various parts of the world and have become imbued with a true spirit of patriotism.

"The question of limiting immigration," he said, "is one of the most important which comes before the President. In such a way as to shut the undesirable part of the population of Europe, which comes here rather by the artificial means of the Jews who have come to America from various parts of the world and have become imbued with a true spirit of patriotism."

"I only want to say one more word," he said, "I visited the East Side in New York about two years ago and I was extremely impressed with the fact that this country confers and that there was no part of the country in which the real, true spirit of patriotism prevailed more deeply than there."

OUT FOR NATIONAL BOWLING LEAGUE

L. Rubenstein, of Montreal, Would String Teams Across Continent—To Adopt Five Men Team Scheme.

Special to The Standard. Toronto, Feb. 28.—L. Rubenstein, of Montreal, who is in this city, had an interview with R. P. Johnston, president of the Canadian Bowlers Association, with the object of forming bowling teams to all the cities of the Dominion. The teams of five men would, if planned, play amongst themselves for the provincial championships, the winners of each province to meet in a tournament for the championship of Canada. It is proposed to do away with the six men team and adopt the American five men team at present in vogue in Toronto. As both the gentlemen favor the scheme and some thing it is thought will likely be done along this line. Three teams from Montreal are expected here to take part in the C. P. A. tournament from March 2 to 17.

GRAHAM URGES TO STICK TO GUNS

Montreal Herald Has Hot Shot For Liberals Who Are Striving To Discredit Commissioners Of Intercolonial.

Montreal, Feb. 28.—The Montreal Herald has a hot shot for the Liberal party, who are striving to discredit the Commissioners of Intercolonial. The article says that the Liberal party are trying to discredit the Commissioners of Intercolonial, who are doing a good job of their work.

These rumors are not true, says Mr. Graham, and he urges the Liberal party to stick to their guns. He says that the Commissioners of Intercolonial are doing a good job of their work, and that the Liberal party should not try to discredit them.

LIBERAL PRESS RAILS AT GOVERNMENT

Street Railway To Be Added To List Of Utilities Coming Within Provisions Of Bill—Yesterday At Fredericton.

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, Feb. 28.—The legislature had another short session today and the house was in committee of the whole for the first time considering a number of government bills. There were only 19 members in the house. Street railways were added as coming within the scope of a proposed board of public utilities commission and there is some chance of boom companies also being added to the list.

Formal notice for the budget for Thursday was given today by the Minister of Finance, Mr. Flannigan, but there is some doubt as to whether the budget will be brought in before Friday or sabbath day next week. The law committee will commence its work tomorrow morning taking up the Finance Act.

The auditor general's report for 1909 was tabled today by the provincial secretary. It is issued this year in a new form from which one can get a comprehensive idea of how the provincial accounts have been spent and is a great improvement over the reports issued in the old form. The government's audit is a great improvement over the reports issued in the old form.

One important petition presented today was that in favor of the Intercolonial Railway Company's bill under which the company seeks authority to issue bonds to the extent of \$30,000 per mile. The province is not asked to guarantee the new bonds, but the bonds to the extent of \$8,000 per mile, guaranteed by the province.

Mr. Thomas Malcolm, a contractor and promoter of the railway, accompanied by his lawyer, Mr. A. E. O. McKenna of Campbellton, was speaking with The Standard correspondent Mr. Malcolm explained the objects of legislation his company is asking for and said it was "to relieve the province of liability in connection with the railway." Resolving progress on the contract, Mr. Malcolm said he would complete the road by the middle of June to complete.

"Can the Dominion subsidy of \$6,400 per mile and \$25,000 per mile of guaranteed bonds of the province government," Mr. Malcolm was asked.

"Not up to the standard demanded by the federal authorities," he replied. The house will spend most of tomorrow in routine work and will probably take up Mr. Tweeddale's St. John Valley Railway motion on Wednesday.

OFFICERS OF BRIDGE COMPANIES ARE CALLED

Counsel For Accused Senator To Call As Witnesses Officers Of Co. With Which Accused Was Connected.

Albany, N. Y., Feb. 28.—Before Senator Bann took the stand this week to give his version of the alleged transaction of April 23, 1901, respecting which Senator Bann is trying to brand him as a bribe-taker, his counsel will call as witnesses, officers of the bridge companies with which Conger was connected. The men that have figured prominently in the testimony in this connection are John Newell, the eastern agent of the Canton Bridge Company, who has an office in Albany; Eugene Latham, now a Gorton grader and Frederick Sage, who, according to Conger told him of the alleged demands for \$10,000 "protection" money which came to the bridge company from Albany in 1905.

Attorney Martin W. Littleton, of the defense, said tonight that both Newell and Latham would be called to stand tomorrow. Thus far, the defense has not subpoenaed Sage and the impression here is that he will not be called. Conger declares that Latham acted as treasurer of the \$5,000 fund which the bridge companies collected in 1902 and contributed to the Republican campaign committee. Since then, Latham has severed his connection with the Gorton Bridge Company, of which he was treasurer in 1902. Mr. Littleton expects to call Aldie by Thursday.

REWARDED FOR HIS HEROISM

C. P. R. Presents Hero Of Spanish River Disaster With Gold Watch And Chain And Check Of \$500.

Montreal, Feb. 28.—Thomas Reynolds, the conductor of the train which was wrecked at the Spanish river bridge on January 21st, with the loss of forty lives was ordered to report at the Canadian Pacific headquarters today. On arrival he was taken before Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, the president presented with a handsome gold watch and chain and a cheque for \$500 in making the presentation Sir Thomas said it was the company's recognition of Reynolds' appreciation of the duty of a railwayman which called for self sacrifice and devotion quite as much as that of the soldier.

At the time of the wreck Reynolds, though himself quite severely wounded went into the water and drew out passenger after passenger only desisting when all that was possible had been done.

THE NATIONAL HOCKEY MEETING A LOVE FEAST

Montreal, Feb. 28.—The meeting of the executive of the National Hockey Association held today which it was prophesied would wind up in a lot of trouble was a disappointment to those who wanted trouble. Everything had evidently been fixed up when the various trouble makers were calmly ruled out of order by the chairman and his decision quite calmly accepted by the delegates.

The end of the matter was that O'Donnell was allowed to keep and play, the Cobalt people announced that they would content themselves with a civil suit against Small and on Hall for striking an official in same earlier in the season knocked off when they assumed the league that Hall wouldn't pay and the club would have to do so if the dispute was cancelled.

CHARGE JUDGE MAGEE WITH PARTIALITY

Special to The Standard. Toronto, Feb. 28.—Hon. George E. Foster's counsel are of the opinion that they did not get a square deal when Judge Magee charged the jury in the case of Foster vs. MacD., and Mr. Cattanach expressed himself strongly, saying that they were object to the charge because of its unfairness to the plaintiff. Moreover, they considered that the jury brought in a verdict that was inconsistent and the reason for this was that they had listened to too much evidence which had no bearing on the case. It has been decided that the case will be appealed to the court of appeal, leaving out the divisional court entirely. This will be done by applying either to a judge of the court of appeal, or by securing the consent of the defendants.

GOVERNMENT IN ENGLAND SAVED FROM DEFEAT BY ACTION OF OPPOSITION

Asquith Ministry Given New Lease of Life By Conservatives, Who Accept Premier's Programme Without Calling for a Vote—Administration to Stand or Fall on Veto Question.

Scheme Proposed Limits Functions of Upper House to Those of Delay and Discussion and Transforms Chamber From Hereditary to Democratic Body—Budget Sidetracked For Time Being.

London, Feb. 28.—In the session of the House of Commons today the outcome of which was awaited as eagerly as the denouement of a most exciting tragedy by all the members of both houses able to pack themselves into the chamber, Premier Asquith's government obtained a lease of life until next Easter. This was the gift of the Conservatives, who were so anxious to avoid two general elections successively within so brief a period, that they accepted the premier's programme without calling for a vote.

Without Division. The premier's motion, giving government business precedence at every sitting up to March 31 was adopted without division. In laying down the government's programme, Mr. Asquith emphasized the necessity of proceeding with financial business first and he said that after that would come the question of reforming the House of Lords. The financial legislation, he declared, would be confined to the army and navy bills and other urgent demands which would occupy the whole attention of the house up to the Easter adjournment. With regard to the House of Lords, he hoped that the chamber would agree with the proposed plan, but whether it did or not, the government intended to bring in the statute books, a provision which would set free the House of Commons from the veto of the House of Lords.

Chancellor Lloyd-George delivered a telling speech. He said that the government could not ask for the exercise of the royal prerogative, or the sanction of the House of Commons, or the opposition of the House of Lords. "The government will stake its existence," he said, "upon the advice it will give the sovereign if it becomes necessary to borrow money. It is the greatest moment of the democracy of Great Britain and Ireland. We are fighting a powerful combination which cannot be overthrown without courage and comradeship, loyalty and sacrifice." The chancellor appealed to the Liberals to trust the government and work together.

After Easter. When the House of Commons meets after Easter, it will take up the struggle to revolutionize the British government system. Resolutions will be presented to deprive the House of Lords of all authority over finances and also of the power of vetoing the measures of the Lower House, leaving to the Lords only the functions of delay and discussion.

If the plan succeeds, the government proposes next year to proceed with the transformation of the House of Lords from a hereditary to a democratic body.

Such was the programme that the prime minister unfolded and he and Chancellor Lloyd-George declared that the government staked its existence upon it.

In the meantime, the budget stands sidetracked. It is likely that when it is taken up, it will combine the budgets of two years, short of the features objectionable to the Irish members.

Before the Easter adjournment, the House of Commons will deal with resolutions enabling the government to borrow money, and the appropriation bill for the army and other departments.

Mr. Asquith's plan gained the support of the advanced Radicals and the Laborites who have been wavering with the result that the government Liberals to trust the government and work together.

REWARDED FOR HIS HEROISM

C. P. R. Presents Hero Of Spanish River Disaster With Gold Watch And Chain And Check Of \$500.

Montreal, Feb. 28.—Thomas Reynolds, the conductor of the train which was wrecked at the Spanish river bridge on January 21st, with the loss of forty lives was ordered to report at the Canadian Pacific headquarters today. On arrival he was taken before Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, the president presented with a handsome gold watch and chain and a cheque for \$500 in making the presentation Sir Thomas said it was the company's recognition of Reynolds' appreciation of the duty of a railwayman which called for self sacrifice and devotion quite as much as that of the soldier.

At the time of the wreck Reynolds, though himself quite severely wounded went into the water and drew out passenger after passenger only desisting when all that was possible had been done.

CHARGE JUDGE MAGEE WITH PARTIALITY

Special to The Standard. Toronto, Feb. 28.—Hon. George E. Foster's counsel are of the opinion that they did not get a square deal when Judge Magee charged the jury in the case of Foster vs. MacD., and Mr. Cattanach expressed himself strongly, saying that they were object to the charge because of its unfairness to the plaintiff. Moreover, they considered that the jury brought in a verdict that was inconsistent and the reason for this was that they had listened to too much evidence which had no bearing on the case. It has been decided that the case will be appealed to the court of appeal, leaving out the divisional court entirely. This will be done by applying either to a judge of the court of appeal, or by securing the consent of the defendants.

March 1



"STORMY MARCH HAS COME AT LAST, WITH WIND AND CLOUD CHANGING SKIES."

BOLO, LATEST LONDON FAD

Weird Example of Canine Species Replaces the Blue Bird and Teddy Bear—Carried in the Arms.

London, Feb. 28.—Poor Teddy bear seems likely to lose his place not only in the nursery but in the favor of my Lady Fair. For a time the "bluebird" the symbol of "the vague, emotional state of happiness," according to the Maeterlinck play at the Haymarket Theatre, seemed to be to the front in the favor of society. The bluebird was to be seen carried about in my lady's arms as she went shopping, just as she had been wont to do previously with her big Teddy bear. But the bluebird was too pretty to keep long in favor. It wasn't stupid enough, or ugly enough, or human enough, like the Teddy bear.

ONE LAW FOR THE MAN HERE

The Judge of a British Divorce Court Has Separate Codes of Morality for Men and Women.

London, Feb. 28.—The royal commission which was recently appointed to investigate the whole subject of divorce in response to strong public opinion in favor of a revision of the laws on this subject held its preliminary sessions yesterday and today.

MEDIAeval MONASTICISM

Judge Carleton Delights Mill-town Audience With Interesting Address On the Monks of the Middle Ages.

Special to The Standard. Milltown, Feb. 28.—Notwithstanding the heavy rain of yesterday a large and enthusiastic audience filled St. Patrick's Hall, eager to hear Judge Carleton deliver his famous lecture, "The Monks of the Middle Ages."

SINGLE COLOR SCHEMES RULE

One Wedding of the Spring To Be All Yellow—Difficulty of Florists in Securing Enough Flowers of One Shade.

New York, Feb. 28.—Contrasting colors are tabooed in this season's fashionable color schemes. This applies particularly to floral decorations and brides' costumes and extends to house decorations, draperies and furniture.

NEW THEatRE HITS LONDON

Feminine Portion of British Society Quickly Follow Lead of Paris in Addition to the Chantecleer Hat.

London, Feb. 28.—London society has not been long in following the lead of Paris in getting under the "chantecleer" hat. In fact middle class milliners had in their window, so-called "chantecleers" to the great joy of Harriet days before the real thing arrived in town. They were merely high hats with cock or pheasant feathers real or imitation.

CARDINAL RAMPOLLA AND THE PONTIFICATE

Many Believe That Nuncio Sicilian Prelate Will Succed to Tiara—His One-time Enemies Now His Friends.

Rome, Feb. 28.—There are many who believe that if Pius X. dies after nine years of pontificate, as he says himself he will, his successor will be Cardinal Rampolla. The Pope has a secret feeling that his election only postponed that of Cardinal Rampolla, and lest a vote should again prevent the Sicilian Cardinal from mounting the pontifical throne he specially adopted the Sacred Theology and excommunication any Cardinal who exercises the right of veto in the Conclave.

FIRST HAND STORY OF CHESAPEAKE AND SHANNON

Mrs. McCully Remembers the Famous Battle and Taught Sir Charles Tupper in Sunday School.

London, Ont., Feb. 27.—Mrs. Sarah McCully, who well remembers the battle of the Chesapeake and Shannon in 1812 and who taught Sir Charles Tupper in her Sunday school class in Halifax when he was a boy, has celebrated her 101st birthday at the home of her grandson, Mr. Ralph McCully, 358 Lorne avenue.

TEACHERS' PENSIONS

To the Editor of The Standard:—The proposed scheme for pensioning teachers seems to me scarcely fair. The amount of yearly pension money a teacher draws is made a game of chance.

THE DINNER SCHEME

Even more distinctive if possible, is the dinner color scheme which is no longer permitted flowers of one kind and color on the table and another kind in other parts of the room.

EXCHANGE OF AMENITIES

Mr. Francis Francis in the course of one of his appeals for votes, said the House of Lords had not obstructed it by opposing the will of the people.

WANTED

Wanted to Purchase—Self-contained house in good view, centrally located, suitable for two families. Address M. care of Standard Office.

A YOUNG MAN, 19 years, strong and capable, wants position with Wholesale House. Address K. T. care of Standard.

BOY WANTED to learn the Dry Goods business. S. W. McMAKIN, 225 Main St. 818-14-17.

WANTED—By competent young man position with general office work or collecting. Apply O. B. care of Standard.

WANTED—Four energetic young men of good appearance to put a good thing before the public. Apply to city, country and exclusive territory. Address A. H. care of Standard.

PRIVATE DETECTIVE—Will obtain evidence in any part of Canada or U. S. for court or private use. Phone 78-27. Ask for DETECTIVE NO. 44. 11-23-10.

BEAUTY PARLORS—Hairdressing, facial massage, manicuring, scalp treatment, wigs, toupees. Mail orders attended. MADAME WHITE, 167-5mo-st. King Square.

Rich'd Sullivan & Co. Wines and Liquors Wholesale only. AGENTS FOR WHITE HORSE CELLAR SCOTCH WHISKEY, LAWSON'S LIQUEUR, GEO. SAYER & CO'S FAMOUS COGNAC BRANDIES, FINEST MILWAUKEE LAGER BEER. 44 & 46 DUCK ST.

ROBT. MAXWELL, Mason and Builder, Valuator and Appraiser. Brick, Lime, Stone, Tile, and Plaster Worker. General Jobbing Promptly and Neatly done. Office 16 Spruce Street. Res. 326 Union St. Tel. 223.

PUMPS—Packed Piston, Compound Duplex, Centre, outside packed plunger, Foot Valves, Automatic feed pumps and receivers, triple and double acting power, Triple stuff pumps for pump mills, independent jet compressing apparatus, centrifugal pumps. E. S. STEPHENSON & COMPANY, Nelson Street, St. John, N. B.

TEACHERS' PENSIONS—To the Editor of The Standard:—The proposed scheme for pensioning teachers seems to me scarcely fair. The amount of yearly pension money a teacher draws is made a game of chance.

FELIX HERBERT HOTEL—EDMUNSTON. Sample rooms, Livery Stable, Good Comfortable Rooms and Good Table. Free Hack to all trains. Moderate Prices. J. M. SIOBIS, Proprietor. FREDERICTON'S LEADING HOTEL IS THE BARKER HOUSE QUEEN STREET. Centrally located, large new sample rooms, private baths, electric lights and bells, hot water heating throughout. I. V. MONAHAN, Proprietor.

WAVERLY HOTEL—FREDERICTON, N. B. The best \$1.00 a day Hotel in New Brunswick. Some of our best rooms \$1.50 per day. Electric lights and steam heat throughout. JOHNSTON and DEWAR, Proprietors. Regent St., Fredericton, N. B.

FOR SALE

For Sale—New Domestic, New Home and other fine heavy linen sew and say \$10 commission to agents. Genuine needles and all kinds of sewing machines and photographic repair. WM. CHAMBERLAIN, 10 Princess street, opposite White Store.

WANTED—To Purchase—Self-contained house in good view, centrally located, suitable for two families. Address M. care of Standard Office.

A YOUNG MAN, 19 years, strong and capable, wants position with Wholesale House. Address K. T. care of Standard.

BOY WANTED to learn the Dry Goods business. S. W. McMAKIN, 225 Main St. 818-14-17.

WANTED—By competent young man position with general office work or collecting. Apply O. B. care of Standard.

WANTED—Four energetic young men of good appearance to put a good thing before the public. Apply to city, country and exclusive territory. Address A. H. care of Standard.

PRIVATE DETECTIVE—Will obtain evidence in any part of Canada or U. S. for court or private use. Phone 78-27. Ask for DETECTIVE NO. 44. 11-23-10.

BEAUTY PARLORS—Hairdressing, facial massage, manicuring, scalp treatment, wigs, toupees. Mail orders attended. MADAME WHITE, 167-5mo-st. King Square.

Rich'd Sullivan & Co. Wines and Liquors Wholesale only. AGENTS FOR WHITE HORSE CELLAR SCOTCH WHISKEY, LAWSON'S LIQUEUR, GEO. SAYER & CO'S FAMOUS COGNAC BRANDIES, FINEST MILWAUKEE LAGER BEER. 44 & 46 DUCK ST.

ROBT. MAXWELL, Mason and Builder, Valuator and Appraiser. Brick, Lime, Stone, Tile, and Plaster Worker. General Jobbing Promptly and Neatly done. Office 16 Spruce Street. Res. 326 Union St. Tel. 223.

PUMPS—Packed Piston, Compound Duplex, Centre, outside packed plunger, Foot Valves, Automatic feed pumps and receivers, triple and double acting power, Triple stuff pumps for pump mills, independent jet compressing apparatus, centrifugal pumps. E. S. STEPHENSON & COMPANY, Nelson Street, St. John, N. B.

TEACHERS' PENSIONS—To the Editor of The Standard:—The proposed scheme for pensioning teachers seems to me scarcely fair. The amount of yearly pension money a teacher draws is made a game of chance.

FELIX HERBERT HOTEL—EDMUNSTON. Sample rooms, Livery Stable, Good Comfortable Rooms and Good Table. Free Hack to all trains. Moderate Prices. J. M. SIOBIS, Proprietor. FREDERICTON'S LEADING HOTEL IS THE BARKER HOUSE QUEEN STREET. Centrally located, large new sample rooms, private baths, electric lights and bells, hot water heating throughout. I. V. MONAHAN, Proprietor.

WAVERLY HOTEL—FREDERICTON, N. B. The best \$1.00 a day Hotel in New Brunswick. Some of our best rooms \$1.50 per day. Electric lights and steam heat throughout. JOHNSTON and DEWAR, Proprietors. Regent St., Fredericton, N. B.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

Necessity is the Mother of Invention, and Classified Advertising was invented by The Man who was Forced to be brief.

1c. per word per insertion, 6 insertions for the price of 4.

FOR SALE—New Domestic, New Home and other fine heavy linen sew and say \$10 commission to agents. Genuine needles and all kinds of sewing machines and photographic repair. WM. CHAMBERLAIN, 10 Princess street, opposite White Store.

WANTED—To Purchase—Self-contained house in good view, centrally located, suitable for two families. Address M. care of Standard Office.

A YOUNG MAN, 19 years, strong and capable, wants position with Wholesale House. Address K. T. care of Standard.

BOY WANTED to learn the Dry Goods business. S. W. McMAKIN, 225 Main St. 818-14-17.

WANTED—By competent young man position with general office work or collecting. Apply O. B. care of Standard.

WANTED—Four energetic young men of good appearance to put a good thing before the public. Apply to city, country and exclusive territory. Address A. H. care of Standard.

PRIVATE DETECTIVE—Will obtain evidence in any part of Canada or U. S. for court or private use. Phone 78-27. Ask for DETECTIVE NO. 44. 11-23-10.

BEAUTY PARLORS—Hairdressing, facial massage, manicuring, scalp treatment, wigs, toupees. Mail orders attended. MADAME WHITE, 167-5mo-st. King Square.

Rich'd Sullivan & Co. Wines and Liquors Wholesale only. AGENTS FOR WHITE HORSE CELLAR SCOTCH WHISKEY, LAWSON'S LIQUEUR, GEO. SAYER & CO'S FAMOUS COGNAC BRANDIES, FINEST MILWAUKEE LAGER BEER. 44 & 46 DUCK ST.

ROBT. MAXWELL, Mason and Builder, Valuator and Appraiser. Brick, Lime, Stone, Tile, and Plaster Worker. General Jobbing Promptly and Neatly done. Office 16 Spruce Street. Res. 326 Union St. Tel. 223.

PUMPS—Packed Piston, Compound Duplex, Centre, outside packed plunger, Foot Valves, Automatic feed pumps and receivers, triple and double acting power, Triple stuff pumps for pump mills, independent jet compressing apparatus, centrifugal pumps. E. S. STEPHENSON & COMPANY, Nelson Street, St. John, N. B.

TEACHERS' PENSIONS—To the Editor of The Standard:—The proposed scheme for pensioning teachers seems to me scarcely fair. The amount of yearly pension money a teacher draws is made a game of chance.

FELIX HERBERT HOTEL—EDMUNSTON. Sample rooms, Livery Stable, Good Comfortable Rooms and Good Table. Free Hack to all trains. Moderate Prices. J. M. SIOBIS, Proprietor. FREDERICTON'S LEADING HOTEL IS THE BARKER HOUSE QUEEN STREET. Centrally located, large new sample rooms, private baths, electric lights and bells, hot water heating throughout. I. V. MONAHAN, Proprietor.

WAVERLY HOTEL—FREDERICTON, N. B. The best \$1.00 a day Hotel in New Brunswick. Some of our best rooms \$1.50 per day. Electric lights and steam heat throughout. JOHNSTON and DEWAR, Proprietors. Regent St., Fredericton, N. B.

ADVERTISING

Necessity is the Mother of Invention, and Classified Advertising was invented by The Man who was Forced to be brief.

1c. per word per insertion, 6 insertions for the price of 4.

FOR SALE—New Domestic, New Home and other fine heavy linen sew and say \$10 commission to agents. Genuine needles and all kinds of sewing machines and photographic repair. WM. CHAMBERLAIN, 10 Princess street, opposite White Store.

WANTED—To Purchase—Self-contained house in good view, centrally located, suitable for two families. Address M. care of Standard Office.

A YOUNG MAN, 19 years, strong and capable, wants position with Wholesale House. Address K. T. care of Standard.

BOY WANTED to learn the Dry Goods business. S. W. McMAKIN, 225 Main St. 818-14-17.

WANTED—By competent young man position with general office work or collecting. Apply O. B. care of Standard.

WANTED—Four energetic young men of good appearance to put a good thing before the public. Apply to city, country and exclusive territory. Address A. H. care of Standard.

PRIVATE DETECTIVE—Will obtain evidence in any part of Canada or U. S. for court or private use. Phone 78-27. Ask for DETECTIVE NO. 44. 11-23-10.

BEAUTY PARLORS—Hairdressing, facial massage, manicuring, scalp treatment, wigs, toupees. Mail orders attended. MADAME WHITE, 167-5mo-st. King Square.

Rich'd Sullivan & Co. Wines and Liquors Wholesale only. AGENTS FOR WHITE HORSE CELLAR SCOTCH WHISKEY, LAWSON'S LIQUEUR, GEO. SAYER & CO'S FAMOUS COGNAC BRANDIES, FINEST MILWAUKEE LAGER BEER. 44 & 46 DUCK ST.

ROBT. MAXWELL, Mason and Builder, Valuator and Appraiser. Brick, Lime, Stone, Tile, and Plaster Worker. General Jobbing Promptly and Neatly done. Office 16 Spruce Street. Res. 326 Union St. Tel. 223.

PUMPS—Packed Piston, Compound Duplex, Centre, outside packed plunger, Foot Valves, Automatic feed pumps and receivers, triple and double acting power, Triple stuff pumps for pump mills, independent jet compressing apparatus, centrifugal pumps. E. S. STEPHENSON & COMPANY, Nelson Street, St. John, N. B.

TEACHERS' PENSIONS—To the Editor of The Standard:—The proposed scheme for pensioning teachers seems to me scarcely fair. The amount of yearly pension money a teacher draws is made a game of chance.

FELIX HERBERT HOTEL—EDMUNSTON. Sample rooms, Livery Stable, Good Comfortable Rooms and Good Table. Free Hack to all trains. Moderate Prices. J. M. SIOBIS, Proprietor. FREDERICTON'S LEADING HOTEL IS THE BARKER HOUSE QUEEN STREET. Centrally located, large new sample rooms, private baths, electric lights and bells, hot water heating throughout. I. V. MONAHAN, Proprietor.

WAVERLY HOTEL—FREDERICTON, N. B. The best \$1.00 a day Hotel in New Brunswick. Some of our best rooms \$1.50 per day. Electric lights and steam heat throughout. JOHNSTON and DEWAR, Proprietors. Regent St., Fredericton, N. B.

ADVERTISING

Necessity is the Mother of Invention, and Classified Advertising was invented by The Man who was Forced to be brief.

1c. per word per insertion, 6 insertions for the price of 4.

FOR SALE—New Domestic, New Home and other fine heavy linen sew and say \$10 commission to agents. Genuine needles and all kinds of sewing machines and photographic repair. WM. CHAMBERLAIN, 10 Princess street, opposite White Store.

WANTED—To Purchase—Self-contained house in good view, centrally located, suitable for two families. Address M. care of Standard Office.

A YOUNG MAN, 19 years, strong and capable, wants position with Wholesale House. Address K. T. care of Standard.

BOY WANTED to learn the Dry Goods business. S. W. McMAKIN, 225 Main St. 818-14-17.

WANTED—By competent young man position with general office work or collecting. Apply O. B. care of Standard.

WANTED—Four energetic young men of good appearance to put a good thing before the public. Apply to city, country and exclusive territory. Address A. H. care of Standard.

PRIVATE DETECTIVE—Will obtain evidence in any part of Canada or U. S. for court or private use. Phone 78-27. Ask for DETECTIVE NO. 44. 11-23-10.

BEAUTY PARLORS—Hairdressing, facial massage, manicuring, scalp treatment, wigs, toupees. Mail orders attended. MADAME WHITE, 167-5mo-st. King Square.

Rich'd Sullivan & Co. Wines and Liquors Wholesale only. AGENTS FOR WHITE HORSE CELLAR SCOTCH WHISKEY, LAWSON'S LIQUEUR, GEO. SAYER & CO'S FAMOUS COGNAC BRANDIES, FINEST MILWAUKEE LAGER BEER. 44 & 46 DUCK ST.

ROBT. MAXWELL, Mason and Builder, Valuator and Appraiser. Brick, Lime, Stone, Tile, and Plaster Worker. General Jobbing Promptly and Neatly done. Office 16 Spruce Street. Res. 326 Union St. Tel. 223.

PUMPS—Packed Piston, Compound Duplex, Centre, outside packed plunger, Foot Valves, Automatic feed pumps and receivers, triple and double acting power, Triple stuff pumps for pump mills, independent jet compressing apparatus, centrifugal pumps. E. S. STEPHENSON & COMPANY, Nelson Street, St. John, N. B.

TEACHERS' PENSIONS—To the Editor of The Standard:—The proposed scheme for pensioning teachers seems to me scarcely fair. The amount of yearly pension money a teacher draws is made a game of chance.

FELIX HERBERT HOTEL—EDMUNSTON. Sample rooms, Livery Stable, Good Comfortable Rooms and Good Table. Free Hack to all trains. Moderate Prices. J. M. SIOBIS, Proprietor. FREDERICTON'S LEADING HOTEL IS THE BARKER HOUSE QUEEN STREET. Centrally located, large new sample rooms, private baths, electric lights and bells, hot water heating throughout. I. V. MONAHAN, Proprietor.

WAVERLY HOTEL—FREDERICTON, N. B. The best \$1.00 a day Hotel in New Brunswick. Some of our best rooms \$1.50 per day. Electric lights and steam heat throughout. JOHNSTON and DEWAR, Proprietors. Regent St., Fredericton, N. B.

ADVERTISING

Necessity is the Mother of Invention, and Classified Advertising was invented by The Man who was Forced to be brief.

1c. per word per insertion, 6 insertions for the price of 4.

FOR SALE—New Domestic, New Home and other fine heavy linen sew and say \$10 commission to agents. Genuine needles and all kinds of sewing machines and photographic repair. WM. CHAMBERLAIN, 10 Princess street, opposite White Store.

WANTED—To Purchase—Self-contained house in good view, centrally located, suitable for two families. Address M. care of Standard Office.

A YOUNG MAN, 19 years, strong and capable, wants position with Wholesale House. Address K. T. care of Standard.

BOY WANTED to learn the Dry Goods business. S. W. McMAKIN, 225 Main St. 818-14-17.

WANTED—By competent young man position with general office work or collecting. Apply O. B. care of Standard.

WANTED—Four energetic young men of good appearance to put a good thing before the public. Apply to city, country and exclusive territory. Address A. H. care of Standard.

PRIVATE DETECTIVE—Will obtain evidence in any part of Canada or U. S. for court or private use. Phone 78-27. Ask for DETECTIVE NO. 44. 11-23-10.

BEAUTY PARLORS—Hairdressing, facial massage, manicuring, scalp treatment, wigs, toupees. Mail orders attended. MADAME WHITE, 167-5mo-st. King Square.

Rich'd Sullivan & Co. Wines and Liquors Wholesale only. AGENTS FOR WHITE HORSE CELLAR SCOTCH WHISKEY, LAWSON'S LIQUEUR, GEO. SAYER & CO'S FAMOUS COGNAC BRANDIES, FINEST MILWAUKEE LAGER BEER. 44 & 46 DUCK ST.

ROBT. MAXWELL, Mason and Builder, Valuator and Appraiser. Brick, Lime, Stone, Tile, and Plaster Worker. General Jobbing Promptly and Neatly done. Office 16 Spruce Street. Res. 326 Union St. Tel. 223.

PUMPS—Packed Piston, Compound Duplex, Centre, outside packed plunger, Foot Valves, Automatic feed pumps and receivers, triple and double acting power, Triple stuff pumps for pump mills, independent jet compressing apparatus, centrifugal pumps. E. S. STEPHENSON & COMPANY, Nelson Street, St. John, N. B.

TEACHERS' PENSIONS—To the Editor of The Standard:—The proposed scheme for pensioning teachers seems to me scarcely fair. The amount of yearly pension money a teacher draws is made a game of chance.

FELIX HERBERT HOTEL—EDMUNSTON. Sample rooms, Livery Stable, Good Comfortable Rooms and Good Table. Free Hack to all trains. Moderate Prices. J. M. SIOBIS, Proprietor. FREDERICTON'S LEADING HOTEL IS THE BARKER HOUSE QUEEN STREET. Centrally located, large new sample rooms, private baths, electric lights and bells, hot water heating throughout. I. V. MONAHAN, Proprietor.

WAVERLY HOTEL—FREDERICTON, N. B. The best \$1.00 a day Hotel in New Brunswick. Some of our best rooms \$1.50 per day. Electric lights and steam heat throughout. JOHNSTON and DEWAR, Proprietors. Regent St., Fredericton, N. B.

ADVERTISING

Necessity is the Mother of Invention, and Classified Advertising was invented by The Man who was Forced to be brief.

1c. per word per insertion, 6 insertions for the price of 4.

FOR SALE—New Domestic, New Home and other fine heavy linen sew and say \$10 commission to agents. Genuine needles and all kinds of sewing machines and photographic repair. WM. CHAMBERLAIN, 10 Princess street, opposite White Store.

WANTED—To Purchase—Self-contained house in good view, centrally located, suitable for two families. Address M. care of Standard Office.

A YOUNG MAN, 19 years, strong and capable, wants position with Wholesale House. Address K. T. care of Standard.

BOY WANTED to learn the Dry Goods business. S. W. McMAKIN, 225 Main St. 818-14-17.

WANTED—By competent young man position with general office work or collecting. Apply O. B. care of Standard.

WANTED—Four energetic young men of good appearance to put a good thing before the public. Apply to city, country and exclusive territory. Address A. H. care of Standard.

PRIVATE DETECTIVE—Will obtain evidence in any part of Canada or U. S. for court or private use. Phone 78-27. Ask for DETECTIVE NO. 44. 11-23-10.

BEAUTY PARLORS—Hairdressing, facial massage, manicuring, scalp treatment, wigs, toupees. Mail orders attended. MADAME WHITE, 167-5mo-st. King Square.

Rich'd Sullivan & Co. Wines and Liquors Wholesale only. AGENTS FOR WHITE HORSE CELLAR SCOTCH WHISKEY, LAWSON'S LIQUEUR, GEO. SAYER & CO'S FAMOUS COGNAC BRANDIES, FINEST MILWAUKEE LAGER BEER. 44 & 46 DUCK ST.

ROBT. MAXWELL, Mason and Builder, Valuator and Appraiser. Brick, Lime, Stone, Tile, and Plaster Worker. General Jobbing Promptly and Neatly done. Office 16 Spruce Street. Res. 326 Union St. Tel. 223.

PUMPS—Packed Piston, Compound Duplex, Centre, outside packed plunger, Foot Valves, Automatic feed pumps and receivers, triple and double acting power, Triple stuff pumps for pump mills, independent jet compressing apparatus, centrifugal pumps. E. S. STEPHENSON & COMPANY, Nelson Street, St. John, N. B.

TEACHERS' PENSIONS—To the Editor of The Standard:—The proposed scheme for pensioning teachers seems to me scarcely fair. The amount of yearly pension money a teacher draws is made a game of chance.

FELIX HERBERT HOTEL—EDMUNSTON. Sample rooms, Livery Stable, Good Comfortable Rooms and Good Table. Free Hack to all trains. Moderate Prices. J. M. SIOBIS, Proprietor. FREDERICTON'S LEADING HOTEL IS THE BARKER HOUSE QUEEN STREET. Centrally located, large new sample rooms, private baths, electric lights and bells, hot water heating throughout. I. V. MONAHAN, Proprietor.

WAVERLY HOTEL—FREDERICTON, N. B. The best \$1.00 a day Hotel in New Brunswick. Some of our best rooms \$1.50 per day. Electric lights and steam heat throughout. JOHNSTON and DEWAR, Proprietors. Regent St., Fredericton, N. B.

ADVERTISING

Necessity is the Mother of Invention, and Classified Advertising was invented by The Man who was Forced to be brief.

1c. per word per insertion, 6 insertions for the price of 4.

FOR SALE—New Domestic, New Home and other fine heavy linen sew and say \$10 commission to agents. Genuine needles and all kinds of sewing machines and photographic repair. WM. CHAMBERLAIN, 10 Princess street, opposite White Store.

WANTED—To Purchase—Self-contained house in good view, centrally located, suitable for two families. Address M. care of Standard Office.

A YOUNG MAN, 19 years, strong and capable, wants position with Wholesale House. Address K. T. care of Standard.

BOY WANTED to learn the Dry Goods business. S. W. McMAKIN, 225 Main St. 818-14-17.

WANTED—By competent young man position with general office work or collecting. Apply O. B. care of Standard.

WANTED—Four energetic young men of good appearance to put a good thing before the public. Apply to city, country and exclusive territory. Address A. H. care of Standard.

PRIVATE DETECTIVE—Will obtain evidence in any part of Canada or U. S. for court or private use. Phone 78-27. Ask for DETECTIVE NO. 44. 11-23-10.

BEAUTY PARLORS—Hairdressing, facial massage, manicuring, scalp treatment, wigs, toupees. Mail orders attended. MADAME WHITE, 167-5mo-st. King Square.

Rich'd Sullivan & Co. Wines and Liquors Wholesale only. AGENTS FOR WHITE HORSE CELLAR SCOTCH WHISKEY, LAWSON'S LIQUEUR, GEO. SAYER & CO'S FAMOUS COGNAC BRANDIES, FINEST MILWAUKEE LAGER BEER. 44 & 46 DUCK ST.

ROBT. MAXWELL, Mason and Builder, Valuator and Appraiser. Brick, Lime, Stone, Tile, and Plaster Worker. General Jobbing Promptly and Neatly done. Office 16 Spruce Street. Res. 326 Union St. Tel. 223.

PUMPS—Packed Piston, Compound Duplex, Centre, outside packed plunger, Foot Valves, Automatic feed pumps and receivers, triple and double acting power

The Standard



Published by The Standard Limited, 82 Prince William Street, St. John, Canada.

MANAGING DIRECTOR—Jas. H. Crockett. EDITOR—S. D. Scott.

SUBSCRIPTION.

Morning Edition, By Carrier, per year, \$5.00; Mail, " " 3.00; Weekly Edition, by Mail, per year, 1.00; Weekly Edition to United States . . . 1.52; Single Copies Two Cents.

TELEPHONE CALLS:

Business Office Main 1722; Editorial and News Main 1746

SAINT JOHN, TUESDAY MORNING, MARCH 1, 1910.

THE PRICE OF PROVISIONS.

The statements presented by the Department of Labor concerning the cost of living in various cities of Canada are obviously misleading. The prices in each place vary from time to time and according to quality. Also the same article is sold at different prices at different shops in the same city. A dealer who caters for the best trade and keeps provisions of special quality may quote prices of meat two or three cents higher than those charged by another dealer, whose customers make price a more serious consideration than the quality or appearance of the goods.

The statement which The Standard published yesterday has been sent abroad throughout Canada, in the Labor Gazette, the official organ of the Department of Labor. We may assume that Mr. King's department took pains to verify the facts. Yet we find such variations as sirloin steak twenty-two cents at St. John, fifteen cents at Ottawa and Montreal, and twelve and a half cents at Kingston. Those who have kept house in St. John and Ottawa or Montreal know that for choice steaks they pay as much there as they do here. Then we have forequarter of lamb quoted at six cents at Winnipeg, seven cents at St. John, ten cents at Ottawa, fifteen cents at Port Arthur, and nineteen cents at Halifax. The Halifax figure may be a misprint, or perhaps refers to lamb of last Autumn's production. But it is likely that people at Port Arthur would pay one hundred and fifty per cent. more than the Winnipeg price, with freight trains every hour or two between the two places? There is the same difference in mutton. Again, eggs are quoted at forty cents in Montreal and sixty in Ottawa, suggesting a profit of fifty per cent. to the dealer who moves them the short distance from one city to the other. The fact is that when eggs get above thirty or thirty-five cents, all kind of prices are quoted in the same city. The quotations for potatoes are based on the price of the bag which is not a standard of measurement in the Maritime Provinces. Last year this province was supplying potatoes to Ontario, and the quotations before us represent the St. John price at one dollar, while that at Kingston is forty cents, and Toronto seventy cents. It is not likely that potatoes would remain in Kingston for sale if the price at a town so near as Toronto were seventy-five per cent. higher.

The figures quoted have caused some protest on the part of citizens on the ground that they represent the cost of living to be higher in St. John than some other cities. No doubt the protest will be considered by the Minister of Labor if it shall be made to him. The publications of the department are not only sent all over Canada but are reproduced in the immigration literature distributed in Europe and republished in the British press. These figures have been much quoted by speakers on the tariff issue in the late campaign. It is important that such statements should be correct, and we may assume that the St. John correspondent of the Department of Labor, Mr. Coates, has done his best to make them so. If the cost of living and the price of provisions in St. John are higher than they ought to be compared with those of other places it may be worth while to find out the reason and seek a remedy. There is nothing to be gained by concealing the fact here, especially if it is proclaimed from the official sources everywhere else.

Then there is another side of the story. We are trying to boom the province as well as the city. If the price of farm produce is really higher in St. John than in many other centres of population, it ought to mean a good farmer's market. The list of articles published in The Standard yesterday comprises beef, lamb, bacon, mutton, lard, eggs, milk, butter and potatoes, every one of them a product of this province. If we wish to induce our farmers and their sons to remain on the land, and to persuade others to settle in this province, what better thing can we tell them than that there is a market beside them as good as any in the country?

A DOMESTIC TROUBLE.

A problem has arisen concerning Mr. Russell, the member for East Toronto. Mr. Russell defeated Mr. Kemp, the late representative, who is a prominent and active Conservative. Mr. Kemp was the representative in the last parliament and had the party nomination in 1908. Mr. Russell was also a Conservative. He ran as an Independent. Had the Liberals nominated a candidate Mr. Kemp's election by a large majority was assured. But the government party supported Mr. Russell, who received the whole Liberal vote and enough Conservative ballots to elect him. Mr. Russell took his place on the Conservative side of the House and has given the opposition his steady support. He attended the opposition caucus, and recently when his Conservative friends in Toronto gave him a banquet some opposition members attended the feast. This has annoyed certain East Toronto Conservatives who stood by the party nominee at the election and who still regard him as their leader in the constituency.

Mr. Borden has declined to interfere. He properly considers the question a domestic matter for the East Toronto Conservatives to settle. Meanwhile Mr. Russell is in parliament. He is a good Conservative and Conservatives in the House do not consider it their duty to keep him out of the caucus, which is merely a conference of opposition supporters. It has happened that members elected as joint party candidates have changed their minds and joined the other party. When their position was declared they were considered eligible to attend the caucus. It is not the business of the party leaders to keep members out of the party who wish

to be in it, but rather to add to the caucus all who are in harmony with the party principles. The question whether Mr. Russell or Mr. Kemp is to be the party leader in East Toronto cannot be settled at Ottawa.

INTERCOLONIAL CONSPIRACY CHARGED.

That excellent Liberal organ, the Montreal Herald, has discovered an intercolonial conspiracy. The chief conspirator appears to be Hon. H. R. Emmerson, former Minister of Railways, and now member for Westmorland. Members representing ridings along the line are mentioned as participes criminis. The indictment is quite comprehensive, including among the subjects, about a dozen Quebec members, eight from this province and eight from Nova Scotia. It is suggested that these members, instigated and moved thereby by a dangerous element, are trying to discredit the intercolonial board of management in order to restore the spoils system, which the Herald fondly supposes that the board has abolished. This charge clears the Conservative members, whose supporters would not be interested in restoring the spoils system, leaving thirteen members outside of Quebec who may be interested in the Herald's communication.

It is pretty clear that the Herald has heard from the Minister of Railways, or from some member of the board of management. There is no doubt that the board is not popular, but it does not appear that this unpopularity is due to the abolition of the spoils system. The only complaint on the matter of patronage so far made public comes from the St. John Sun. But the Sun does not find fault with the abolition of the spoils system in railway printing. On the contrary its charge is that the business was stopped entirely for the reason that the Sun had criticised the government, and was transferred to another journal which always defended and praised the government. Intercolonial printing is inserted in government organs and not in Conservative papers. So far as can be learned the intercolonial buys ties from the same persons who always sold to it. Coal is bought from the same people. There is no outward and visible sign that the spoils system has disappeared, but it would not be surprising if some of the new managers had brought in a new set of favorites and that spoilsmen have got into a disagreement among themselves. There are other grounds for condemning the management of the railway, and Mr. Graham knows that those who complain to him are not all spoilsmen who have been bereft of their prey.

A RESPITE TILL AFTER EASTER.

Mr. Balfour and his party confirm the impression that they are in no hurry to relieve the Asquith administration of the responsibility of office. The government asked for time, and has obtained leave to postpone all important and controversial legislation until after Easter. The measures to come up before the adjournment are of a routine character.

The budget stands over, though Chancellor Lloyd-George made complaint during the campaign that the business of the country was suffering from the delay in passing this measure. Had the budget bill been reintroduced as it stood before the election the Conservatives and Home Rulers would have thrown it out on the first or second reading. It is necessary for the Chancellor to strike out or amend the liquor clauses. This will not make it satisfactory to the Conservatives, but will remove the objections of Mr. Redmond's party. It must be something of a humiliation to the Chancellor to drop that part of his measure on which he based one of his most eloquent appeals to the temperance people. But it must be done. Even then the minister is not sure how many new disorders may arise over these clauses. The situation is such that he is glad to get a few weeks respite for budget tinkering.

The government seems to have laid down a dancing but vague programme for dealing with the Lords. No one is informed exactly what is to be done, but there is a general statement that the veto, and the whole veto, must go. What else will happen with the Lords is not clear, but a second chamber with no power to legislate would seem to have no excuse for existence. If the Lords are left with the duty of considering legislation, but without the power to alter or reject it, one would suppose that the peers would set vigorously about finding some method of abolishing themselves.

DR. DANIEL IS RIGHT.

Dr. Daniel's contribution to the Naval Defence debate is a speech which will certainly commend itself to his constituents of both parties in this loyalist city. The member for St. John does not believe that the measure before parliament meets the requirements of the case. He sees no reason why Canada should not build warships when she gets ready to do so, and welcomes the idea that Canadians who desire to serve the Empire on the sea should have a chance to do it. All this Dr. Daniel considers perfectly consistent with the organization of a single Imperial navy in which Canada would have a share. The protest which he offers against those clauses of the bill which make the proposed fleet purely Canadian, with no obligation to serve the Empire, will surely be echoed from the homes of the St. John people. There is no law to forbid our public men talking of separation or annexation, or any other fancy future, but it is quite another thing when the idea is incorporated in an act of parliament, and especially in an act providing for the establishment of a Canadian navy.

Some people were surprised at first that Mr. A. R. Loggie should be furnishing Mr. Pugsley with offers for his Sawdust wharf just when the minister needed them, these offers being eight or nine times the price for which Mr. Loggie could have bought the property any time in the last six years. Now it is found that Mr. Loggie shares with Mr. John E. Moore the privilege of getting contracts first and tendering for them, all alone, afterward.

The Sun quotes the statement concerning Mr. Foster made by Mr. J. A. Macdonald in a public speech, as the language on which the charge of libel was based. This is not the language which the jury justified. Mr. Foster was not able to get it before the jury. Counsel for Mr. Macdonald succeeded in having all the spoken words struck out of the case as tried, and the verdict went on the Globe editorial alone.

The United States tariff commission is still considering whether Canadian products shall have the maximum duty imposed upon them because of our French treaty. Mr. Fielding awaits the decision with some anxiety, wondering whether he would not have done better to let the French treaty go when France rejected the first convention.

Mr. Choate says that the weight of United States influence in the Hague convention has increased in proportion to the strength of her navy, and that this is the measure of the influence of all the states. Then, according to Mr. Emmerson, Canada, when Sir Wilfrid has finished his task of making her a nation, will have a sort of "tin-pot" influence.

The Liberal split in Alberta has passed the point at which reconciliation is possible. Mr. Cushing has left the ministry for good and will do all that he can to defeat the administration. He is supported by several members but probably not enough to defeat the ministry.

FOR HIGH GRADE CONFECTIONERY DELIGHTFUL ICE CREAM

and up-to-date Soda Drinks with the latest and newest flavors and fancies, call at:

W. HAWKER & SON Druggists, 104 Prince Wm. St.



WATCHES, JEWELRY, DIAMONDS, etc. Ferguson & Page, Diamond Importers and Jewelers, 41 KING STREET

\$4.75 Per Ton Delivered in City Proper SALMON ASH COAL SUMMER PRICES COMMENCING MARCH 1ST. A clean lump coal for OPEN FIRES, and ALL Household Uses. CANADA'S BEST COAL TODAY. 'Phone 1172. Canadian Coal Corporation, Duffie Wharf, Charlotte Street, P. O. Box 13

O BOATMAN ROW ME AWAY

O Boatman, thou with the silent oar, Row me away from this barren shore; Oh haste, my love on the cold gray sea, The rolling wave bears away from me. O Boatman, row me along his trail, Where stars grow dim and the moon grows pale; A high tide hangs above the deep, And cradling billows lull life to sleep. O Boatman, haste, row me out to him Ere fades his bark o'er the ocean's rim; Oh blow ye winds, with the tempest's breath, And speed our boat on the wings of Death. To silent depths on the Great Gray Sea, Where drifts my love to Eternity, O Boatman, thou with the muffled oar, Come row me out from this lonely shore. Lillian Barker Beede.

A Daily Short Story MATCHED BY MAIL

By Stuart B. Stone. Shoshone Steve paused, pen in hand. "Had I better put in about the lovin' heart, Tex?" "Sure, and by all means yes," emphasized Texas Toops. "What in the name of thunder would a man want with a wife which the same had no lovin' heart?" Shoshone Steve wrote laboriously; then read the completed advertisement: "WANTED—At once or thereafter, nice honest, reasonable fair female, job to hold for the wife of western gent of some means; must have angel disposition and loving heart; 15 to 35 years; widows freely excepted. Address Shoshone, care The Hyphenated Messenger."

Texas Toops gnawed his great black mustache. "That 'ere's fit as kiltens," he complimented. "There were two weeks of anxious waiting before the billets came in deluges, from spinsters with and without money, and moved and dowdier, Connecticut teachers, Chicago club women, Norse blonds from Minneapolis and brunet nurses from Brooklyn."

"Shoshone," chuckled Texas Toops, "if I was a marryin' gent, here's the identical lady I'd bring to Three Fingers. Shoshone read the description embodied in the lavender tinted note. "Fair complexion, eyes like the sea, and you can tell her you've made her up. If she ain't, why I give you the money for her transportation home, and you can tell her you've made previous arrangements. That's a good boy, Tex. You know my timid nature."

Texas Toops very grudgingly yielded and when the Sunnet Limited pulled in at the appointed time, he stood up on the platform, his immense black mustache curled skyward, his sombre spangled shrimmering and a new red shirt from Denver upon his back. Steve hovered uneasily in the back ground. There alighted from the limited a fresh, pink, demure little lady, with great heaps of golden hair and eyes blue as the Mediterranean sky. A general sigh of approval went up from the curious watchers, and Texas Toops with a great twist of his mustache introduced himself and conducted the lady to the Hotel Continental. Shoshone followed jealously.

The Cheapest Material for the Ceilings and Walls of any Building is STEEL

Plaster becomes discolored, cracks and falls. Wood warps, cracks, shrinks, rots or burns.

STEEL CEILINGS AND WALLS cost a trifle more in the beginning, but less in the end, because they last longer, wear better and never need repairing. They also give real protection against fire. If building or remodeling, or if repairs are needed, we have designs that will be suitable for every purpose and every kind of a building—big or little, old or new. PRICES SURPRISINGLY LOW

EMERSON & FISHER, Ltd, 25 Germain Street

SALE WALL PAPER 20 p. c. OF WALL PAPER Discount H. L. & J. T. MCGOWAN, Ltd., 139 PRINCESS STREET.

LOOSE LEAF BINDERS LOOSE LEAF HOLDERS

Loose Leaf Sheets Ruled and Punched to Any Pattern. BARNES & CO., Ltd., MANUFACTURING STATIONERS. 84 Prince William Street.

EDGEcombe & CHAISSON, HIGH-CLASS TAILORS Importers of High-Grade Cloths for Gentlemen's Wear. 104 KING STREET. TRINITY BLOCK.

requisition asking him to accept nomination for the majority at the approaching civic election. Mr. Thomas gave his consent. The requisition has the signatures of a very large number of representative citizens. Mr. A. E. Helling arrived from St. John this morning and has entered upon his duties as junior clerk at the Bank of New Brunswick.

FOLLEIGH TRAIN WRECK ENTAILED THREE DEATHS Driver, Fireman and Brakeman Victims of Yesterday's Accident on I.C.R.—Train Plunged 80 Feet.

Amherst, N. S., Feb. 28.—Another disastrous railway wreck occurred shortly after one o'clock this morning between Folleigh and Wentworth on the I. C. R. The road at this point runs through the Cobegou Mountains and is about six hundred feet above the level of the Wentworth Valley. The descent to the valley is very abrupt, in many places almost perpendicular. Conductor Harry Baker's special left Truro last night bound west with twenty cars. Shortly after one o'clock the engine left the track, plunging over the embankment, and carrying with it eight cars. The engine and tender had a fall of from 80 to 100 feet and the wreckage of the cars was piled on top of the locomotive. Brakeman Davidson was at once missed and when aid was procured, his lifeless body was found underneath the wreckage. The fireman, John McIsaac, also was killed, and Driver Daniel McLeod was taken from the masses of wreckage badly injured and shortly afterwards died. A relief train bearing doctors, was rushed from Truro, but their services were of no avail. The bodies were taken to Truro and are now in the undertaking rooms. An inquest will be held this afternoon. All three of the men belong to Truro. McLeod leaves a widow and five children. Davidson is survived by a widow and seven children. McIsaac was a single man living with his parents. The cause of the wreck is not definitely known, but the disaster is supposed to be due to a washout on the line and the rails spreading in consequence. Wrecking trains were dispatched to the scene of the accident from Springhill and Moncton and a big force of men is now at work cleaning the track. An immigrant train that followed the special has been stalled for twelve hours but it is expected that traffic will be resumed this afternoon. The track was badly torn up, and the loss to the railway will be heavy. Brakeman Yeomans who was injured, was in the van at the time with Conductor Baker, and owes his life to the fact that on leaving Truro he and Brakeman Davidson exchanged places. The latter's place was in the van. He, however, exchanged with Yeomans, and lost his life. It was raining torrents at the time and when Driver McLeod was removed the injured man was compelled to remain in the pouring rain until death relieved him three hours later.

If You Are Wearing Toric Lenses you know you are wearing the most comfortable glasses made, and that you would never be satisfied to exchange them for the ordinary flat kind. If you do not wear TORIC'S come in and let us show you these new and modern lenses. Have your old lenses replaced by TORIC LENSES and you will realize a greater degree of comfort than you had thought possible. L. L. Sharpe & Son, 21 King Street, St. John, N. B.

Just a little Over the Price of a Postage Stamp. Sc. a day in fact will keep your clothes cleaned and pressed for a month. Investigate this. WILBUR & WATERS. 20 WATERLOO ST.

A Pleasant Sight

FOR PROSPECTIVE EMPLOYERS is the crowds of bright young men and women now in attendance. All are working with a snap and earnestness which indicates that their work is both interesting and instructive. Now is a good time to enter. CALL AND SEE US.

S. Kerr, Principal

COAL AMERICAN ANTHRACITE SCOTCH ANTHRACITE OLD MINE BYDNEY RESERVE Delivered in bulk or in bags. Prices low.

R. P. & W. F. Starr, Limited

Lister, McAdam Jct.; J. W. Hoyt, McAdam Jct.; John Kennedy, Salisbury; G. F. Moulton, New York; A. G. Morgan, Montreal; E. H. Sinclair, Yarmouth; J. K. Pearson, Truro, N. S.; W. C. Milner, Halifax; J. F. Knight, Yarmouth; F. S. McLaughlin, Yarmouth; J. L. Chisholm, Truro; J. H. Hardiker, Chipman; John Walker, Montreal; R. J. Berry, Boston; W. S. Haney, Boston.

Special Sale OF HIGH-CLASS Watches, Jewelry, Silverware, Diamond Rings,

SOLITAIRE, TWIN, TRIPLET, CIRCLE, CLUSTER, AND PAVE SETTINGS, TIFFANY, BELCHER, FLUTED STYLES NOW SO POPULAR, BEAUTIFUL AND SERVICEABLE, OFFERED VERY LOW TO ENSURE CASH SALES. GUARANTEED AS REPRESENTED. W. Tremaine Gard, Goldsmith, Jeweler and Optician. NO. 77 CHARLOTTE STREET.

FUNERAL OF THE LATE CAPT. M'KENZIE TODAY

Military Funeral for Deceased War Veteran -- Interesting Budget of News from the Provincial Capital.

Fredericton, Feb. 28.—Mrs. W. S. Carter, wife of the Chief Superintendent of Education delighted the congregation of St. Paul's Presbyterian church last evening with her rendition of "Come Unto Me," from the Messiah. At St. Dunstan's church yesterday, Rev. Father Carney announced that this week he would commence a canvass among the members of the congregation for subscriptions to the fund for the new Roman Catholic school. Work upon which will be commenced in the early spring. Father Carney announced that he would head the list with a contribution. Mr. and Mrs. George E. Stopford, who have been spending the winter at Elmercote have returned to their home in Saskatchewan. The engagement of their daughter, Miss Norah Stopford, to Prof. John Steeves, professor of mechanical engineering and drawing and lecturer in astronomy at the U. N. B. has been announced. The funeral of the late Capt. McKenzie will take place tomorrow afternoon. He will be buried with the honor of the rank of a warrant officer, which he held in the Royal Canadian Regiment. Dean Schofield will conduct the funeral services at the house and the remains will be conveyed to the Rural Cemetery for interment. The firing party will be detailed from "H" Company, R. C. R. and the 71st Regiment band will be in attendance. Veterans of the Fenian Raid, the Red Regiment, the North West Rebellion and the South African War will attend and the deceased's former comrades in the R. C. R. will act as pall-bearers. Deceased was a member of the Orange order and the Orangemen of the city would also attend in a body. A number of prominent citizens waited upon Mr. C. H. Thomas this afternoon and presented a largely signed

You Can Afford to use 40c. Tea Just as Well as 30c. Tea if You Use 40c. Red Rose

A pound of 40c. Red Rose goes further than any 30c. or 35c. tea and it is distinctly superior in quality.

30c. and 35c. Red Rose Teas are good teas, so good that very many people say they want nothing better. But, if they would once try a package of the 40c. Red Rose they would use nothing else in future

Just think, five cups of 40c. Red Rose Tea will only cost 1c. One lb. makes over 200 cups. Not a question of affording.

RED ROSE TEA "Is Good Tea" WILL YOU TRY A PACKAGE?



King Edward Motors will run your machinery. 'Excello' Flaming Aros will light your factory. ELECTRICAL REPAIRS. ALEX W. THORNE, Electrical Contractor, 151 Mill street, St. John, N.B. Phone M-3344-11.

"JESUS SAVIOUR PILOT ME" SUNG BY ALEXANDER One of the finest records of sacred song ever made— is included in our list of CUT PRICE RECORDS. Only 50c. each for ten inch size disc. MARITIME PHONOGRAPH CO., DOCK STREET, ST. JOHN.

News of a Day

Ghost Sighted. Peterboro, Ont., Feb. 28.—Residents of Cavan are greatly excited over the statement of Wm. Johnston, of Cavan township, who claims that the ghost of an old white haired man haunted his farm. Members of the family claim to have seen the apparition.

New Customs Record. Ottawa, Feb. 28.—The customs revenue of Canada has broken all records. The first eleven months of the year closed today with a total revenue of \$54,981,937, which is more than half a million dollars beyond the previous high water mark, made in 1907. It is confidently expected that when the year closes on March 31st, customs collections will have amounted to \$60,000,000. The gain for the first eleven months this year amounts to \$11,461,228. During the month of February alone the collections totalled \$5,174,824, being an increase of \$1,071,176.

Children's and Infants' FOOTWEAR We have an assortment of Children's and Infants' Shoes and Slippers, that for style, workmanship and price, will meet the approval of all. 35c. to \$2.00 Per Pair See our window for display, and if you step inside we will show you many others. Store closes at 6.30 during January and February. FRANCIS & VAUGHAN, 19 KING STREET.

LOCAL A New Candidate. Mr. W. A. Stelger will be a candidate as alderman for Dufferin ward. In the Police Court. In the police court yesterday Judge Ritchie referring to the cases of citizens summoned for not clearing the gutters in front of their premises stated that he had carefully examined the reports and had come to the decision that it would not be necessary for those who had been summoned to come again, unless a formal complaint was made to the chamberlain or that they were reported again. George Wignall and Wm. McKenzie charged with absconding themselves from the S. S. Mount Temple, and stealing two bottles of liquor were remanded. Arthur W. Mullin charged with stealing two pounds of tea pleaded not guilty and was released. Charles Hughes was fined \$100 for keeping a bawdy house and \$100 for selling liquor without a license. Geo. Pearl Anderson charged with stealing \$10 from Jacob Ashkins was allowed to go on suspended sentence.

LAW TO CLEANSE THOUSANDS SHOW APOCALYPTIC GUTTERS WILL BE REPEALED OF EVANGELISTS AND SINGERS Closing Meetings of Campaign Marked By Many Pleasing Features--Resolutions Passed, Purses Presented--Farewell Addresses Delivered--Results Have Exceeded All Expectations.

Beyond the expectations of the promoters, the attendance at the meetings on the closing night of the simultaneous evangelistic campaign overflowed all the churches last evening and hundreds were unable to gain admission. Powerful sermons were given by the evangelists who remained in the city and many wonderful results in the way of converts were secured. Today all the visitors, with the exception of Mr. Wm. Matheson, will leave for other fields of labor and the great campaign is over. Evangelists and Singers Entertained. At a luncheon given yesterday in Keith's Assembly Rooms to the visiting evangelists and singers, Rev. Dr. Flanders, chairman of the general committee, presided. After expressing his own satisfaction with the result of the campaign, Dr. Flanders called upon the chairman of the different groups. Rev. Wellington Camp spoke for the evangelists, Rev. D. Lane for St. Andrew's, Rev. W. Anthony for St. Stephen's, Rev. D. Hutchinson for the North End, Rev. W. B. Robinson for the South End, Rev. J. C. Appel for the West End and Rev. Geo. A. Ross for Fairville. Dr. Flanders spoke in appreciative terms of the work done at the Salvation Army Citadel and in reply, Mr. Matheson said that being of Nova Scotia parentage he was glad to get back near home. Rev. J. C. Appel, secretary of the campaign spoke of the hearty cooperation of the pastors. Rev. Dr. MacPhie, organizer of the campaign, spoke in a happy vein. He had never been anywhere, he said, where there was such complete harmony. Many having spoken of the good work accomplished by Mr. Chas. F. Allen, the singer, he was called on to say a few words and stated that the Centenary song service equalled any that he had ever attended. The singers afterwards entertained the gathering with a number of selections and the meeting dispersed with singing of the King of Kings My Country 'Tis of Thee and All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name. ST. ANDREW'S GROUP. Large Crowds Attend Final Meetings. Dr. Gray Speaks on "Amusements" and "Weighed in the Balance"—Purse of Gold for Mr. Allen. St. Andrew's group closed with two of the largest meetings of the campaign. In the afternoon Dr. Gray delivered what many pronounced as the best sermon which he has given here on the amusement question. His answer to the question were dancing and card playing wrong, was that while women were engaged in these things they were seeking the redemption of their souls. Long before the hour set for the opening of the meeting, the church was crowded to the doors in the evening. After the church had been packed, an overflow meeting, addressed by Dr. MacPhie and Rev. W. Anthony, was opened in the schoolroom. Dr. Gray's subject was "Weighed in the balance and found wanting," and he made many telling points which were appreciated by the assembled hundreds. When he had concluded short addresses were given by Rev. Dr. Lane and Rev. H. D. Marr, expressing appreciation of the labors of the evangelists. On behalf of the choir Mr. Marr presented Mr. C. F. Allen, the musical director, with a well-filled purse of gold. Mr. Allen replied suitably. In a previous address to the audience Mr. Allen expressed warm appreciation of the services rendered by Mr. John Bullock as organist and paid a tribute to Mr. Bullock's worth as a man of God. Before the meeting dispersed Mr. S. J. McGowan sang as a solo The Holy City, the choir joining in the chorus very effectively. Announcement was made at the meeting of a union prayer meeting in St. Andrew's church on Wednesday evening at 7:45 o'clock. S. A. CITADEL. Wm. Matheson says Farewell to Large Audience--Meetings to be Continued This Week. The meeting in the Salvation Army hall last evening was largely attended, and great enthusiasm was manifested. Miss Margaret Conrad sang very acceptably. Mr. Wm. Matheson preached a powerful sermon and bade farewell for a space to his audience. The meetings at the Salvation Army hall will be continued through the week and will be conducted by Staff Captain Barr. NORTH END GROUP. Enthusiastic Reception of Dr. Smith and Mr. Lamb at Close of Meeting Address on Things that Accompany Salvation. The meeting in Main street church was large and enthusiastic and the ushers were much put to it to secure seats for the large numbers who gathered at the closing service. A resolution of appreciation from the ministers of the group to Dr. Smith and Mr. Lamb was passed with much enthusiasm and great applause. A resolution expressing his appreciation of the kindness received from all. The press came in for much praise for the liberality in printing reports of the different meetings, the ushers and personal workers were also warmly congratulated for their interest and attention. The congregation burst into raptures of round of applause when Mr. Lamb stood up to speak and express his thanks for kindnesses received. The applause he thanked the choir for the enthusiasm in the city of St. Louis when Judge Parker was nominated for the presidency by a gathering of 15,000 people. This has been his first visit to Canada, and he was not lonely for a moment. The cordiality and sympathy were so sincere and spontaneous as he could expect among his own people. In all his experience of revivals he never saw greater enthusiasm spiritually, spontaneity and warmth than he saw here. He hoped the churches would endeavor to make the service of song more soulful and enthusiastic than before. He thanked the choir for their co-operation and all others who had so heartily contributed to the success of that part of the service. At the conclusion of his remarks Mr. Lamb again sang by request "Tenacity." Dr. Smith announced as his text: "Things that accompany Salvation." He expressed as his text the words of St. Paul wrote the epistle to the Hebrews and he regarded it as the key of the Old Testament. There are difficult passages in it but the difficult ones may be passed over. Salvation implies that we are lost and Jesus bought us back from the great pawnbroker the devil. The man who desires a personal devil might just as well deny a personal God. Being saved and having sins forgiven is but the beginning of the Christian life. It is a progressive life going forward to fuller and fuller life. To get salvation it is necessary to believe what God has said in his word. It is necessary to believe all the Bible before man can be saved. After salvation is accomplished a man goes on from strength to strength.

Resolution of Appreciation of Mr. Nattfizer's Services as Singer, Carried by Standing Vote--Many Testify to Benefits Received. The meeting in the Centenary church last evening was well attended, the choir being especially large. Rev. Dr. Flanders, chairman of the executive group, presided. The song service was a duet, a solo by E. R. Nattfizer and a duet by Messrs. Hare and Nattfizer being featured. Rev. J. H. A. Anderson moved and Rev. C. W. Squires seconded, a resolution of thanks to Mr. Nattfizer for his work in leading the services during the meetings of the group. It was carried by a standing vote and Mr. Nattfizer made an appropriate reply. Rev. Dr. G. M. Campbell delivered an address appropriate to the closing meeting of the campaign. After the sermon the meeting was thrown open and several requests were being timely to the help they had received from the addresses and song services of the campaign. With the singing of God Be With You Till We Meet Again, and a benediction by Rev. W. W. Brewer the services which have meant so much to the great number of people who have attended the meetings of this group, were brought to a close. FAIRVILLE GROUP. Heartily Appreciation of Services of Rev. Mr. Greenwood and Mr. Peters—Address to Converts and Church Members. At the Fairville Baptist church, Rev. Lawrence Greenwood and Mr. Peters held their last meeting. The main auditorium and the large room adjoining were filled. An interesting and helpful feature of the service was a duet by Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Peters. The pastors expressed their appreciation of the work of Mr. Greenwood and Mr. Peters and the good that had been done, and this was endorsed by the entire congregation rising to their feet. Mr. Greenwood first spoke to church members stating that in the future those just beginning the Christian life would depend upon the character of the Christianity of those already members. The new Christians were advised to be Bible Christians. When a man reads upon the Word of God, he becomes a strong, happy Christian. Christians will not set in very well unless they join the church. When one joins the church, let him also join the Sunday school. Nothing must be allowed to keep a Christian from the prayer meeting. At the close of his sermon all those who had accepted Christ during the meetings came forward. Several also came for the first time. The united choir presented Mr. Peters with a purse in appreciation of his services. CARLETON GROUP. Rev. Milton S. Rees Warmly Thanked for His Successful Work—Telling Address on "Prepare to Meet Thy God." Carleton City Hall was crowded to the doors last evening, and the closing service of the group was even more successful than the preceding one. Rev. J. Heaney, on behalf of the Methodist church, Rev. R. H. Reid, on behalf of the Presbyterian church and Rev. W. R. Robinson on behalf of the Ludlow street Baptist church, and Mr. D. C. Clarke on behalf of the Charlotte street Baptist church, spoke very feelingly of the work of Rev. Dr. Milton S. Rees, and to the assistance of Mr. Director Bowdoin. Mr. Rees replied, thanking the ministers of the West side, and the members of the different churches for their hearty co-operation and support, dur-

MARCH is usually a month with lots of storms. This means bad walking and you are sure to need Extra Rubbers. Why not take advantage of our Sale and get them while the prices are reduced. WOMEN'S RUBBERS. All Sizes. Regular Price 75c.... Reduced to 58c. MEN'S RUBBERS. All Sizes. Regular Price 95c.... Reduced to 85c. GIRLS' PLAIN RUBBERS. All Sizes. Regular Price 65c.... Reduced to 50c. MEN'S RUBBERS. Sizes 6, 9 1/2, 10. Regular Price \$1.10... Reduced to 75c. GIRLS' ROLLED EDGE RUBBERS. All Sizes. Regular Price 80c.... Reduced to 65c. MEN'S STORM RUBBERS. Sizes 6 1/2, 9 1/2, 11. Regular Price \$1.20... Reduced to 75c. CHILD'S ROLLED EDGE RUBBERS. All Sizes. Regular Price 65c.... Reduced to 50c. BOYS' ROLLED EDGE RUBBERS. All Sizes. Regular Price \$1.00... Reduced to 82c. CHILD'S PLAIN RUBBERS. All Sizes. Regular Price 50c.... Reduced to 40c. BOYS' PLAIN RUBBERS. All Sizes. Regular Price 80c.... Reduced to 70c. Remember, this is the last week of the sale.



(MADAME) ADELINA PATTI. "I am charmed with the tone and touch of the splendid pianoforte made for me by Messrs. John Brinsmead & Sons, and the case is lovely." (MADAME) ADELINA PATTI. "Extremely easy and agreeable to sing to, the full bright quality of tone sustaining the voice admirably." (MADAME) PATEY. (SIR) JOHN A. STAINER, M. A., Mus. Doc. "The highest praise is certainly due to Messrs. Brinsmead & Sons for the complete success which has crowned their efforts to produce, on the most simple principles, a perfectly even, smooth, and sensitive repetition touch. The purity of the tone and the excellent mechanism of the pianos exhibited by them in the Paris Exhibition called forth warm eulogies from all competent critics." (SIR) JOHN STAINER, M. A., Mus. Doc. (SIR) G. A. MACFARREN. "I thank you for the sustenance pianoforte you lately sent me, which for delicacy of touch and sweetness of tone I much admire. It truly fulfills its name, for its sustaining power is remarkable." (SIR) G. A. MACFARREN. (Late Principal of the Royal Academy of Music.) These World Renowned Pianos can only be obtained at THE W. H. JOHNSON CO., LTD., 7 MARKET SQUARE, SAINT JOHN, N. B. Halifax, N. S. Sydney, New Glasgow, Terms and price to your satisfaction. Open evenings.

STYLISH LIGHT-GIVERS NO REASON why your fixtures should not be ornamental as well as useful. Nothing does more to furnish and beautify a room than handsome lighting fixtures. Nothing is more quickly noted than inappropriate or out-of-date designs. You can be sure of satisfaction here. Our handsome new showrooms are bright with original and stylish designs—not an old or out-of-date fixture in our whole immense stock. As to price, look where you will, you'll not find anywhere such values as we offer—our customers say so—our business shows it. Put us to the test. The St. John Railway Co., Corner Dock and Union Streets, St. John.

HUTCHINGS & CO., BEDDING MANUFACTURERS WIRE MATTRESSES, MATTRESSES, IRON BEDSTEADS, FEATHER PILLOWS etc. WHOLESALE and RETAIL 101 to 105 Germain Street. ing the campaign. Dr. Rees spoke very effectively on the subject "Prepare to Meet Thy God." His appeal was kindly but firmly presented to the people, and scores of men and women in the vast audience rose for prayers. At the after meeting more than 600 people assembled in the large room down stairs and many testified to the power of Christ and promised to live a new life. After singing the Doxology and "God Be With You 'Till We Meet Again," the meeting closed with the benediction and hundreds of men and women crowded around Dr. Rees to wish him good by and God speed. The campaign on the West Side was highly successful from every conceivable standpoint, and deepened the interest of the people in religious matters. The services will be continued in the several churches every evening this week in charge of the local pastors. DEATHS. Little.—On the 28th inst., Belle, the wife of Harry Little, leaving a husband and two children to mourn. Funeral this (Tuesday) afternoon at 2.30 o'clock, from 355 City Road. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend. OBITUARY. Sergeant-Major Samuel Hughes. The death of Sergeant-Major Samuel Hughes, who had long been a familiar figure in St. John, occurred yesterday at his home, Sheffield street. He was

WE CASH AT PAR Western Canada Flour Mills Co. BONDS Coupons due March 1st Bring Them to US.

W. F. MAHON & CO., Investment Bankers, St. John, Phone 2058.

Listed Stocks Our Circular No. 455 gives valuable information regarding eighty-one issues of railroad and industrial stocks listed on the New York Stock Exchange.

Railroad Bonds Our Circular No. 458 gives valuable information regarding forty-four issues of well-known railroad bonds listed on the New York Stock Exchange.

SPENCER TRASK & CO., Investment Bankers, 42 Broadway, New York.

WE WISH TO SEND, WITHOUT CHARGE, our regular Weekly Financial Review to all investors desiring to keep well informed on conditions affecting their securities.

J. S. BACHE & COMPANY, 42 Broadway, New York.

LONDON GUARANTEE & ACCIDENT COMPANY, LTD. London, England.

ELDER DEMPSTER LINE S. S. BORNU, 2074 tons will sail from St. John on the 3rd of March.

N. B. Southern Railway On and after SUNDAY, Oct. 3, 1909, trains will run daily, Sunday excepted.

NOTICE OF LEGISLATION NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of New Brunswick at the next ensuing session for the passing of an Act to incorporate the Lancaster Loan Limited.

NOTICE OF LEGISLATION NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of New Brunswick at the next ensuing session for the passing of an Act to incorporate the Lancaster Loan Limited.

NOTICE OF LEGISLATION NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of New Brunswick at the next ensuing session for the passing of an Act to incorporate the Lancaster Loan Limited.

NOTICE OF LEGISLATION NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of New Brunswick at the next ensuing session for the passing of an Act to incorporate the Lancaster Loan Limited.

NOTICE OF LEGISLATION NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of New Brunswick at the next ensuing session for the passing of an Act to incorporate the Lancaster Loan Limited.

NOTICE OF LEGISLATION NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of New Brunswick at the next ensuing session for the passing of an Act to incorporate the Lancaster Loan Limited.

NOTICE OF LEGISLATION NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of New Brunswick at the next ensuing session for the passing of an Act to incorporate the Lancaster Loan Limited.

NOTICE OF LEGISLATION NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of New Brunswick at the next ensuing session for the passing of an Act to incorporate the Lancaster Loan Limited.

NOTICE OF LEGISLATION NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of New Brunswick at the next ensuing session for the passing of an Act to incorporate the Lancaster Loan Limited.

NOTICE OF LEGISLATION NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of New Brunswick at the next ensuing session for the passing of an Act to incorporate the Lancaster Loan Limited.

MONTREAL STOCK MARKET

Table with columns: Shares, Sold, Plus, Minus, High, Low, Close. Lists various stocks like Asbestos, Canadian Pacific, etc.

MONTREAL NEWS NOTES.

Montreal, Feb. 28.—The rumor that Senator Edwards of Ottawa would likely be the new president of the big cement merger was practically confirmed this morning.

Winnipeg Wheat Market.—St. John, N. B., Feb. 28.—The Ogilvie Flour Mills Co., Ltd., supply the following quotations of the Winnipeg wheat market.

NOTICE OF LEGISLATION NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of New Brunswick at the next ensuing session for the passing of an Act to incorporate the Lancaster Loan Limited.

NOTICE OF LEGISLATION NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of New Brunswick at the next ensuing session for the passing of an Act to incorporate the Lancaster Loan Limited.

NOTICE OF LEGISLATION NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of New Brunswick at the next ensuing session for the passing of an Act to incorporate the Lancaster Loan Limited.

NOTICE OF LEGISLATION NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of New Brunswick at the next ensuing session for the passing of an Act to incorporate the Lancaster Loan Limited.

NOTICE OF LEGISLATION NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of New Brunswick at the next ensuing session for the passing of an Act to incorporate the Lancaster Loan Limited.

NOTICE OF LEGISLATION NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of New Brunswick at the next ensuing session for the passing of an Act to incorporate the Lancaster Loan Limited.

NOTICE OF LEGISLATION NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of New Brunswick at the next ensuing session for the passing of an Act to incorporate the Lancaster Loan Limited.

NOTICE OF LEGISLATION NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of New Brunswick at the next ensuing session for the passing of an Act to incorporate the Lancaster Loan Limited.

NOTICE OF LEGISLATION NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of New Brunswick at the next ensuing session for the passing of an Act to incorporate the Lancaster Loan Limited.

NOTICE OF LEGISLATION NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of New Brunswick at the next ensuing session for the passing of an Act to incorporate the Lancaster Loan Limited.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET: SATURDAY'S TRADING ON WALL ST.

Table with columns: Shares, Sold, Plus, Minus, High, Low, Close. Lists various stocks like Amalgamated Copper, American Sugar, etc.

AMERICAN PRODUCE MARKET

New York, N. Y., Feb. 28.—Flour—Firm and nominally higher. Receipts 18,868; shipments 7,568.

Winnipeg Wheat Market.—St. John, N. B., Feb. 28.—The Ogilvie Flour Mills Co., Ltd., supply the following quotations of the Winnipeg wheat market.

NOTICE OF LEGISLATION NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of New Brunswick at the next ensuing session for the passing of an Act to incorporate the Lancaster Loan Limited.

NOTICE OF LEGISLATION NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of New Brunswick at the next ensuing session for the passing of an Act to incorporate the Lancaster Loan Limited.

NOTICE OF LEGISLATION NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of New Brunswick at the next ensuing session for the passing of an Act to incorporate the Lancaster Loan Limited.

NOTICE OF LEGISLATION NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of New Brunswick at the next ensuing session for the passing of an Act to incorporate the Lancaster Loan Limited.

NOTICE OF LEGISLATION NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of New Brunswick at the next ensuing session for the passing of an Act to incorporate the Lancaster Loan Limited.

NOTICE OF LEGISLATION NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of New Brunswick at the next ensuing session for the passing of an Act to incorporate the Lancaster Loan Limited.

NOTICE OF LEGISLATION NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of New Brunswick at the next ensuing session for the passing of an Act to incorporate the Lancaster Loan Limited.

NOTICE OF LEGISLATION NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of New Brunswick at the next ensuing session for the passing of an Act to incorporate the Lancaster Loan Limited.

NOTICE OF LEGISLATION NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of New Brunswick at the next ensuing session for the passing of an Act to incorporate the Lancaster Loan Limited.

NOTICE OF LEGISLATION NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of New Brunswick at the next ensuing session for the passing of an Act to incorporate the Lancaster Loan Limited.

PRODUCE MARKETS

Special to The Standard. Montreal, Feb. 28.—The flour market was without any show feature to note. A fairly good business continues to be done for local and country account in spring wheat grades at firm prices.

NO CHANGE IN CONDITION OF MARKET

New York, Feb. 28.—The stock market today was not changed essentially from the dull and drifting markets of last week. The rise in prices was the complement of the fall on Saturday.

Winnipeg Wheat Market.—St. John, N. B., Feb. 28.—The Ogilvie Flour Mills Co., Ltd., supply the following quotations of the Winnipeg wheat market.

NOTICE OF LEGISLATION NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of New Brunswick at the next ensuing session for the passing of an Act to incorporate the Lancaster Loan Limited.

NOTICE OF LEGISLATION NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of New Brunswick at the next ensuing session for the passing of an Act to incorporate the Lancaster Loan Limited.

NOTICE OF LEGISLATION NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of New Brunswick at the next ensuing session for the passing of an Act to incorporate the Lancaster Loan Limited.

NOTICE OF LEGISLATION NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of New Brunswick at the next ensuing session for the passing of an Act to incorporate the Lancaster Loan Limited.

NOTICE OF LEGISLATION NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of New Brunswick at the next ensuing session for the passing of an Act to incorporate the Lancaster Loan Limited.

NOTICE OF LEGISLATION NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of New Brunswick at the next ensuing session for the passing of an Act to incorporate the Lancaster Loan Limited.

NOTICE OF LEGISLATION NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of New Brunswick at the next ensuing session for the passing of an Act to incorporate the Lancaster Loan Limited.

NOTICE OF LEGISLATION NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of New Brunswick at the next ensuing session for the passing of an Act to incorporate the Lancaster Loan Limited.

NOTICE OF LEGISLATION NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of New Brunswick at the next ensuing session for the passing of an Act to incorporate the Lancaster Loan Limited.

NOTICE OF LEGISLATION NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of New Brunswick at the next ensuing session for the passing of an Act to incorporate the Lancaster Loan Limited.

PORTO RICO RAILWAY CO. 7 p. c. Cumulative Preferred Stock

Besides being preferred as to dividends this stock is preferred as to distribution of assets. Its earnings are sufficient to pay bonded indebtedness and preferred stock interest.

J. C. MACKINTOSH & CO. Howard F. Robinson, Mgr. Members of Montreal Stock Exchange, Direct Private Wires.

A GOOD SCHEME IS TO START THE YEAR RIGHT By Getting Your SHOW CARDS From W. D. STAPLES CARD WRITER and WINDOW DECORATOR.

SPECIAL LOW RATES CANADIAN PACIFIC From ST. JOHN N. B. To VANCOUVER, B.C. 55.95

THE COTTON MARKET. By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co. New York, Feb. 28.—Today witnessed an aggressive resumption of operations for the rise on the part of old bull crowd including two prominent southern operators.

MONTREAL COBALT AND CURE STOCKS. By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co. Asbestos Bonds 88

MONTREAL COBALT AND CURE STOCKS. By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co. Asbestos Bonds 88

MONTREAL COBALT AND CURE STOCKS. By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co. Asbestos Bonds 88

MONTREAL COBALT AND CURE STOCKS. By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co. Asbestos Bonds 88

MONTREAL COBALT AND CURE STOCKS. By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co. Asbestos Bonds 88

MONTREAL COBALT AND CURE STOCKS. By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co. Asbestos Bonds 88

MONTREAL COBALT AND CURE STOCKS. By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co. Asbestos Bonds 88

MONTREAL COBALT AND CURE STOCKS. By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co. Asbestos Bonds 88

MONTREAL COBALT AND CURE STOCKS. By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co. Asbestos Bonds 88

MONTREAL COBALT AND CURE STOCKS. By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co. Asbestos Bonds 88

MONTREAL COBALT AND CURE STOCKS. By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co. Asbestos Bonds 88

MONTREAL COBALT AND CURE STOCKS. By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co. Asbestos Bonds 88

MONTREAL COBALT AND CURE STOCKS. By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co. Asbestos Bonds 88

MONTREAL COBALT AND CURE STOCKS. By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co. Asbestos Bonds 88

MONTREAL COBALT AND CURE STOCKS. By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co. Asbestos Bonds 88

MONTREAL COBALT AND CURE STOCKS. By direct private wires to J. C. Mackintosh & Co. Asbestos Bonds 88

W. F. MAHON & CO., Investment Bankers, St. John, Phone 2058.

W. F. MAHON & CO., Investment Bankers, St. John, Phone 2058.

Listed Stocks Our Circular No. 455 gives valuable information regarding eighty-one issues of railroad and industrial stocks listed on the New York Stock Exchange.

Railroad Bonds Our Circular No. 458 gives valuable information regarding forty-four issues of well-known railroad bonds listed on the New York Stock Exchange.

SPENCER TRASK & CO., Investment Bankers, 42 Broadway, New York.

WE WISH TO SEND, WITHOUT CHARGE, our regular Weekly Financial Review to all investors desiring to keep well informed on conditions affecting their securities.

J. S. BACHE & COMPANY, 42 Broadway, New York.

LONDON GUARANTEE & ACCIDENT COMPANY, LTD. London, England.

ELDER DEMPSTER LINE S. S. BORNU, 2074 tons will sail from St. John on the 3rd of March.

N. B. Southern Railway On and after SUNDAY, Oct. 3, 1909, trains will run daily, Sunday excepted.

NOTICE OF LEGISLATION NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of New Brunswick at the next ensuing session for the passing of an Act to incorporate the Lancaster Loan Limited.

NOTICE OF LEGISLATION NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of New Brunswick at the next ensuing session for the passing of an Act to incorporate the Lancaster Loan Limited.

NOTICE OF LEGISLATION NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of New Brunswick at the next ensuing session for the passing of an Act to incorporate the Lancaster Loan Limited.

NOTICE OF LEGISLATION NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of New Brunswick at the next ensuing session for the passing of an Act to incorporate the Lancaster Loan Limited.

NOTICE OF LEGISLATION NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of New Brunswick at the next ensuing session for the passing of an Act to incorporate the Lancaster Loan Limited.

NOTICE OF LEGISLATION NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of New Brunswick at the next ensuing session for the passing of an Act to incorporate the Lancaster Loan Limited.

NOTICE OF LEGISLATION NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of New Brunswick at the next ensuing session for the passing of an Act to incorporate the Lancaster Loan Limited.

NOTICE OF LEGISLATION NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of New Brunswick at the next ensuing session for the passing of an Act to incorporate the Lancaster Loan Limited.

NOTICE OF LEGISLATION NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of New Brunswick at the next ensuing session for the passing of an Act to incorporate the Lancaster Loan Limited.

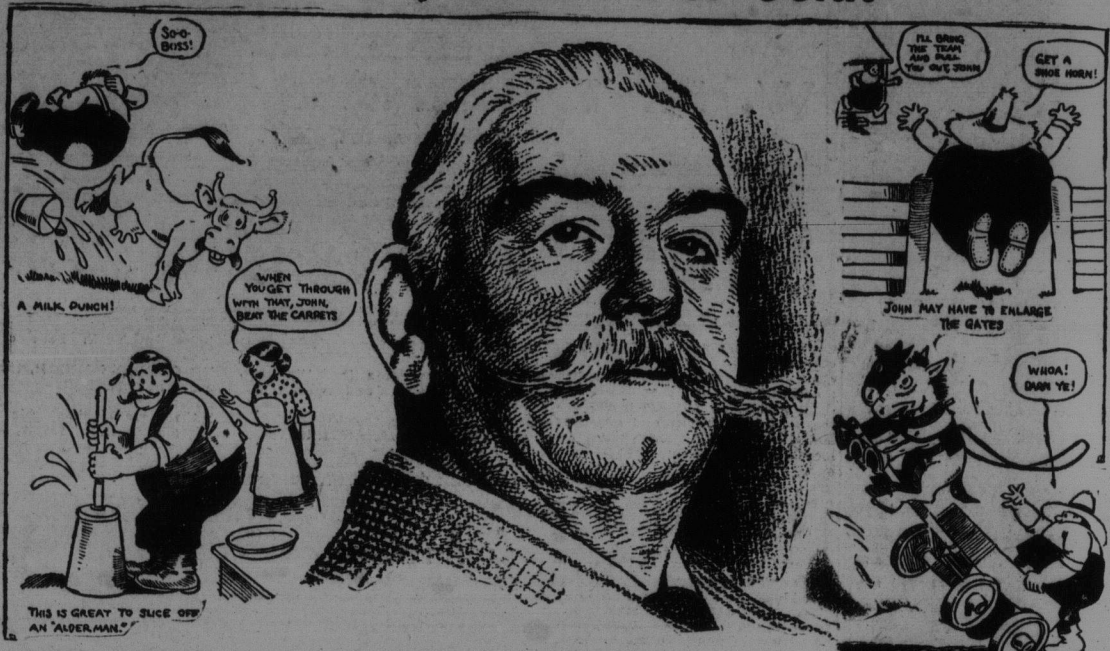
NOTICE OF LEGISLATION NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of New Brunswick at the next ensuing session for the passing of an Act to incorporate the Lancaster Loan Limited.

Bowling
Basket Ball
Curling

SPORTS

Baseball
The Ring
Hockey

The Simple Life For John



John L. Sullivan's wife, to whom he was married a few days ago, has presented the veteran with a farm, and upon his return from Ireland, John L. and his bride will make their home in the suburbs.—News item.

HIBERNIANS THE WINNERS

Defeat St. John the Baptist in Intersociety Bowling--Shoemen and M. R. A. Break Even--Other Games.

A. O. H. stock in intersociety league took a decided rise last night when the former tail enders captured all four points from the St. John the Baptist, in the contested game.

Table with 2 columns: Player Name, Score. Lists scores for McDermott, Daley, Flaherty, Sweeney, Dunn, and St. John the Baptist team members.

Waterbury and Rising showed some improvement over their previous form in the game. The A. O. H. and Sons in the commercial league series last evening, breaking even with the hard work.

Table with 2 columns: Player Name, Score. Lists scores for Chesley, Lobbe, Rising, Patchell, Fetherston, and W. and R. team members.

To attempt with a crippled team, to wrest the silverware from the Halifax Wanderers, or a team equally as wretched, was a task that was not undertaken without a certain amount of foreboding.

Table with 2 columns: Player Name, Score. Lists scores for Daley, Howard, McGraw, O'Brien, and W. and R. team members.

Rarely has a bowling team finished a league series with so clear a record as the Royal Bachelors of the Y. M. C. A. league. In their five games, the champions were only beaten in one championship match.

Table with 2 columns: Player Name, Score. Lists scores for Royal Bachelors, Bankers, High Rollers, and Directors.

At a meeting of the Thistle Curling Club last evening, skips were elected to go to Fredericton to play on Wednesday next should the weather prove favorable.

Halifax, Feb. 28.—The North Sydney professional hockey team met last night when they were defeated by a score of 6 to 1. New Glasgow sprung a big surprise on the fans when Kennedy made his appearance on the ice playing left wing.

Halifax, Feb. 28.—"Mike" Murphy's North Sydney hockey team is due to arrive tomorrow morning and are to play the Crescents tomorrow and Wednesday evenings. It being announced that the team getting the most goals in the two games will thus earn the Nova Scotia professional championship title, and the winners will take 50 per cent, and the losers 40 per cent, of the "gate."

The Jeffries-Johnson-Gleason-Herget-Rickard-Fitzpatrick-Coffroth tangle has reached such an acute stage that Rickard has renewed his wild talk about Salt Lake City.

Note.—The next article will tell of O'Rourke's last years in base ball, and will contain his observations on changes in the game.

VILLA MODEL RANGE advertisement featuring an illustration of a stove and text describing its features and availability from J. E. Wilson, Ltd.

Frank R. Fairweather, Agent advertisement for 'The Mercantile Marine' featuring a 'Come Quick! Danger!' sign and information about typewriter services.

DAILY ALMANAC table listing sun rises, sun sets, moon phases, and other astronomical data for the day.

Shipping schedule table listing ship names, destinations, and departure times for various routes.

Shipping schedule table listing ship names, destinations, and departure times for various routes.

Shipping schedule table listing ship names, destinations, and departure times for various routes.

Shipping schedule table listing ship names, destinations, and departure times for various routes.

Shipping schedule table listing ship names, destinations, and departure times for various routes.

Buchanan's Black & White Scotch Whisky advertisement featuring an illustration of a whisky bottle and text describing the product.

SPORTS IN OLD ENGLAND

The Paper Chase a National Institution Now--Among the Pro Runners and With the Boxers.

London, Feb. 24.—The lads who took part in the paper-chasing at Rugby, which is so well described in "Tom Brown's School-days," had little notion that the sport would some day become a national pastime.

London, Feb. 24.—The lads who took part in the paper-chasing at Rugby, which is so well described in "Tom Brown's School-days," had little notion that the sport would some day become a national pastime.

London, Feb. 24.—The lads who took part in the paper-chasing at Rugby, which is so well described in "Tom Brown's School-days," had little notion that the sport would some day become a national pastime.

London, Feb. 24.—The lads who took part in the paper-chasing at Rugby, which is so well described in "Tom Brown's School-days," had little notion that the sport would some day become a national pastime.

London, Feb. 24.—The lads who took part in the paper-chasing at Rugby, which is so well described in "Tom Brown's School-days," had little notion that the sport would some day become a national pastime.

London, Feb. 24.—The lads who took part in the paper-chasing at Rugby, which is so well described in "Tom Brown's School-days," had little notion that the sport would some day become a national pastime.

London, Feb. 24.—The lads who took part in the paper-chasing at Rugby, which is so well described in "Tom Brown's School-days," had little notion that the sport would some day become a national pastime.

BASKETBALL FIXTURES FOR TONIGHT

At a meeting of the executive of the independent basketball league last evening two games were arranged for this evening in St. Andrew's hall, Y. M. C. A.

The games arranged between the first and second Exmouth street teams and two Moncton quintettes will be played in the evening of Tuesday, March 8th, and not tomorrow as announced in an evening paper yesterday.

Officer Curran at Plymouth today is no great surprise to those who have watched the career of the forerunner closely.

As the writer has before pointed out (first of all, when he defeated Gunter Moir), Hague does not take matters seriously enough and enters the ring in what many would term a hof-fat condition.

He recently came into the Marks-wich stable, and some of us hoped the healing of the split between the National body and the Southern Association, and the National body.

As to the match with Curran, the Yorkshire man almost knocked out the sailor in the first round. Curran, however, recovered, and in the fourth round upset Hague three times. From that stage until the fourteenth round, Hague got slower and slower until Curran ended matters by knocking out his rival with a fine right to the jaw.

Hague is a fine big man, with plenty of power in his blow. What he wants, however, is a smart American manager, who would gradually develop his ring-fight with suitable materials, and at the same time, get him really fit.

As to the match with Curran, the Yorkshire man almost knocked out the sailor in the first round. Curran, however, recovered, and in the fourth round upset Hague three times. From that stage until the fourteenth round, Hague got slower and slower until Curran ended matters by knocking out his rival with a fine right to the jaw.

Hague is a fine big man, with plenty of power in his blow. What he wants, however, is a smart American manager, who would gradually develop his ring-fight with suitable materials, and at the same time, get him really fit.

As to the match with Curran, the Yorkshire man almost knocked out the sailor in the first round. Curran, however, recovered, and in the fourth round upset Hague three times. From that stage until the fourteenth round, Hague got slower and slower until Curran ended matters by knocking out his rival with a fine right to the jaw.

Hague is a fine big man, with plenty of power in his blow. What he wants, however, is a smart American manager, who would gradually develop his ring-fight with suitable materials, and at the same time, get him really fit.

RED LETTER DAY IN SPORT AT Y.M.C.A. OFFICIALLY DECLARE SERIES OFF

Today will certainly be a red letter day in sport at the Y. M. C. A. There is something doing in nearly every line as the following schedule will show:

Seniors--Bowling, High Rollers vs. Crescents; Business men, Volley ball, Hornets vs. Cyclones; Nighthawks vs. Its.

Class A--Volley ball, McGill vs. Varsity; Oxford vs. Harvard. Intermediates--Basketball, Kings vs. Pharoahs; Presidents vs. Emperors. Class C--Basketball, Moose vs. Caribou.

HIGH SCHOOL TRIMMED BY Y.M.C.A. BOYS

Hardly recovered from the heart disease finish in their game with Hampton on Saturday, the High School basketball quintette went down to defeat before the businesslike Business Boys team at the Y. M. C. A. yesterday afternoon, losing by the score of 14-5.

The game was fast throughout and the Business Boys outclassed the losers from the start to finish. The game was the third of a series of five games between the teams and the second victory for the Business Boys. The teams were: High School 5, Business Boys, 14.

Brown, Dow Heans, Pendleton Centre, Leatham Defence, Cunningham Montgomery, P. Cunningham Bender, Heans 2, H. Cunningham, 4, Leatham, Poulos, Leatham, Referee, L. Leatham.

At a meeting of the Thistle Curling Club last evening, skips were elected to go to Fredericton to play on Wednesday next should the weather prove favorable.

Halifax, Feb. 28.—The North Sydney professional hockey team met last night when they were defeated by a score of 6 to 1. New Glasgow sprung a big surprise on the fans when Kennedy made his appearance on the ice playing left wing.

The Jeffries-Johnson-Gleason-Herget-Rickard-Fitzpatrick-Coffroth tangle has reached such an acute stage that Rickard has renewed his wild talk about Salt Lake City.

Note.—The next article will tell of O'Rourke's last years in base ball, and will contain his observations on changes in the game.

SKIPS FOR FREDERICTON NORTH SYDNEY ARE ELECTED WALLOPED BY NEW GLASGOW

At a meeting of the Thistle Curling Club last evening, skips were elected to go to Fredericton to play on Wednesday next should the weather prove favorable.

Halifax, Feb. 28.—The North Sydney professional hockey team met last night when they were defeated by a score of 6 to 1. New Glasgow sprung a big surprise on the fans when Kennedy made his appearance on the ice playing left wing.

The Jeffries-Johnson-Gleason-Herget-Rickard-Fitzpatrick-Coffroth tangle has reached such an acute stage that Rickard has renewed his wild talk about Salt Lake City.

Note.—The next article will tell of O'Rourke's last years in base ball, and will contain his observations on changes in the game.

Halifax, Feb. 28.—"Mike" Murphy's North Sydney hockey team is due to arrive tomorrow morning and are to play the Crescents tomorrow and Wednesday evenings. It being announced that the team getting the most goals in the two games will thus earn the Nova Scotia professional championship title, and the winners will take 50 per cent, and the losers 40 per cent, of the "gate."

The Jeffries-Johnson-Gleason-Herget-Rickard-Fitzpatrick-Coffroth tangle has reached such an acute stage that Rickard has renewed his wild talk about Salt Lake City.

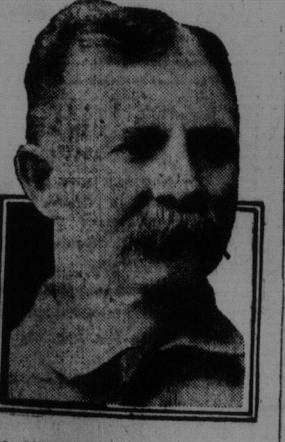
FORTY TWO YEARS OF BASE BALL WONDERFUL LIFE STORY OF JIM O'ROURKE

(By Tip Wright.) W. H. Huribert was president of the National league back in the '70s. He loved baseball for itself. When the scandal arose over Geo. Hall, Nichols and Jim Devlin of the Louisville team, "throwing a game," for \$25 each, Huribert made the preceding public and banished the men from the organized baseball forever. Devlin died of a broken heart.

It was upon Huribert's advice that the National league managers met in 1879 at the Narragansett hotel, Providence, R. I., and made baseball history. Up to that year players invited competition among managers and salaries for players both good and poor were becoming so high as to be almost ruinous to club owners. At the Providence meeting the managers established the reserve rule, which permitted each manager to reserve fire players for the following year.

O'Rourke had been studying law—sometimes by himself at home—and for two years at the Yale law school. The reserve rule did not faze him. When Harry Wright asked him to sign with Boston, O'Rourke said, "Sure I'll sign, if you promise not to resign me." Wright had to promise, and he stood by smiling at O'Rourke's sharpness as the boy signed the contract. Each year thereafter, before he signed both in Boston and Buffalo, O'Rourke forced his employers to waive the reserve clause.

O'Rourke was the only player in base ball smart enough to succeed in doing this, and he got away with it for seven years. He even played it on the famous John B. Day, owner of the New York Nationals. It was in



JIM O'ROURKE AFTER 42 YEARS ON THE DIAMOND.

THE WEATHER.
New England Forecast.
Washington, D.C., Feb. 28.—Forecast for New England: Unsettled; probably rain in south and east portions; Tuesday, cooler; Wednesday, light to moderate westerly winds.

A WORD OF THANKS.
With today's issue of The Standard, the reports of the meetings in the simultaneous Evangelical Campaign are concluded. Since February 3, when the campaign started, this journal has given, as space permitted, from two to five columns each day, dividing the meetings into groups, and reporting the addresses of the evangelists at varying lengths. To report seven or eight meetings each night in addition to the ordinary local news of the day, required some special organization and the Standard desires to express its thanks to many of the pastors of the city, churches for their kindly cooperation in this respect. To Rev. A. B. Coburn, chairman of the campaign press committee, much credit is due for the arrangements made to supply reports to the press. The Standard also desires to particularly thank the following gentlemen who at considerable inconvenience to their time, and in many instances, at the expense of their own health, have given so much time in preparing reports of the meetings, and in forwarding them to this office:—Rev. Gordon D. Dyer, Rev. A. W. Crisp, St. Stephen's group; Rev. J. H. A. Anderson, Rev. C. W. Squires, (centenary group); Rev. H. D. Martin, Rev. David Lamb, St. Andrew's group; Rev. E. H. Nobles, Rev. J. J. McCaskill, Rev. D. Hutchinson, North End group; Rev. W. H. Robinson, Rev. J. Heaney, Carleton group; Rev. P. E. Bishop, Fairville group; Adl. Mercer, "Salvation Army Citadel." The reports of St. Luke's Lenten Mission were supplied through the courtesy of Rev. R. P. McKim.

AROUND THE CITY
Protestant Orphan's Home.
The ladies' committee will meet at the Orphan's Home on Thursday afternoon at three o'clock. A full attendance is requested.
Our Native Trees.
At the monthly meeting of the Natural History Society this evening Dr. G. U. Hay will give a lecture entitled "Our Native Trees," illustrated with views of the trees of New Brunswick.
The Late Mrs. Joseph Allison.
Mr. Joseph Allison and family wish to express their acknowledgments to all the kind friends who tendered their sympathy in so many beautiful ways at the time of their late and bereavement.

Silver Cup for Y. M. C. A. Classes
Dr. F. C. Bonnell has donated a hand some silver cup as a trophy for the boys' Bible class at the Y. M. C. A. making the best showing during the year. The cup will be awarded on the standing of the classes with respect to attendance and results. The competition is expected to arouse greater interest among the members.
Lecture on Russia.
In the Every Day Club rooms last evening Mr. D. R. Jack gave an interesting illustrated lecture on Russia. The speaker showed scenes in St. Petersburg, Moscow and through the country to Sebastopol. Mr. Jack talked very entertainingly on Russian life and described scenes which he saw when travelling through the country some years ago.
A Clean Bill of Health.
Officials of the health board say that St. John is enjoying exceptionally good health this winter. The number of deaths during the past two months has been considerably smaller than in the corresponding months for some years past. There is little infectious or epidemic disease in the city this winter, and sanitary conditions in general are very satisfactory.

F. M. A. Nominations.
The half yearly nominations of officers in the rooms of the Father Mathew association last evening resulted as follows: President, J. Lunny; senior vice-presidents, L. Conlon, F. Conlon and Chas. McHugh; junior vice-president, W. McHugh; recording secretary, J. Dever; treasurer, J. McHugh; financial secretary, J. Simms; assistant financial secretary, F. T. Hazel; corresponding secretary, A. Mc Luskey; Librarian, A. Doyle; Assistant Librarian, J. Lynch; Conductor, F. A. Hazel; trustees, Rev. D. S. O'Keefe, M. E. Agar, J. J. Mitchell.
A Chance for Investors.
Are you for a greater St. John? It is suggested that you prove it by subscribing for stock in the company which Mr. A. E. Hamilton is forming to rebuild his factory lately destroyed by fire. Mr. Hamilton is issuing \$20,000 of 7 per cent. preferred stock, \$100.00 a share, and his own assets will be taken up in the purchase of common stock. Evidently Mr. Hamilton thinks he has a good proposition when he will sell preferred and keep the common stock. It is to be hoped that investors and those with the advancement of the city at heart will subscribe quickly for the remaining shares yet unsold. Mr. Hamilton is handling the subscription list himself.

S. P. C. A.
A special meeting of the executive committee of the S. P. C. A. was held yesterday afternoon, in the secretary's office, Water street. In the absence of the president, Hon. J. V. Ellis, Mr. P. Barclay Robinson, vice-president, was in the chair, and there were in attendance, Messrs. W. L. Hamm, G. O. Dickson, Oty, T. O'Brien, E. W. W. Wetmore was re-appointed agent for the ensuing year and considerable routine business was transacted. Mr. Frink, who was elected at the annual meeting to succeed the late Mr. Jas. H. McAvity, was present for the first time and was heartily welcomed by his colleagues.

Cargo of Hestia May Yet Be Recovered

Frederick McLaughlin of Grand Manan Tells of Attempt to Save Indestructible Cargo of Ill-fated Steamer—Marine Department Has Taken No Action Towards Improvement of Service.

That the bones of the ill-fated steamer Hestia now lying on the Old Proprietor, Ledge of Grand Manan Island will be disturbed in early spring by the Halifax Vessels Company in an effort to salvage some of the cargo, was the information supplied by Mr. Frederick McLaughlin, of Seal Cove, who arrived in the city yesterday.
A letter recently received at Seal Cove from one of the officials of the company stated that an attempt would be made in a few weeks to raise some of the indestructible portion of the cargo. It is hoped at least to recover a large amount of pigiron which is more or less valuable.
Mr. McLaughlin said that there has been absolutely no change or improvement in the life saving service since Mr. Grand Manan. The life boat is still lying useless in the shed, and he does not expect it will ever be put in water again. There is no trained crew, the volunteers having received pay since 1906 and Capt. Frank Benson, the caretaker of the so-called life saving station, has also received no remuneration for some months. In the days that followed the disastrous wreck of the Hestia the people of Grand Manan were led to expect that there would be sweeping changes in the life saving service, including the establishment of a permanent station at Three Islands, instead of at Seal Cove and the re-organization of the lighthouse staff.
The conditions, however, remain as before. If the Salcais, for instance, had gone ashore recently, when her lobster broke down, her sailors would have been in the same position which ended in the death of the thirty-five men on the Hestia.
Mr. McLaughlin says that matters are very quiet now in Grand Manan. A few fishermen are engaged in the lobster industry and are meeting with good success.

MORE CARGO BROACHED GHOST OF LIVING IN ST. JOHN

Frank Best, a Longshoreman, Arrested Last Evening Confesses To Taking 10-Pound Cheese While Loading Car.
His fondness for cheese and disregard of other people's property has landed Frank Best, aged 19, a longshoreman living on the Strait shore, behind the bars with the serious charge of stealing written against his name on the police book. On Saturday night last Best, with two other men, was engaged in loading a car at No. 3 shed at Sand Point with some Holland Cheese. On Sunday morning it was discovered that one of the cases had been ripped open with a hook and one cheese weighing about ten pounds extracted. C. P. R. Detective Walsh was notified and when Best came to work that evening he was called into the office and after being questioned, confessed to entering the car after it had been closed, breaking the box and taking out the cheese. Not being able to eat the whole cheese he threw some over the Suspension Bridge into some of the falls on his way home from work. Best has previously borne a good character and seemed to feel his position very keenly when taken to central police station last evening.
Mr. W. E. Anderson, secretary of the Board of Trade, informed a Standard representative yesterday that the comparative statistics issued by the Ottawa labor department showing the number of Canadian cities and published in The Standard yesterday, were decidedly unfair to St. John. He declared that while the figures for St. John represent the maximum prices charged here, the figures for other cities represented the minimum charges. In support of this contention he produced a Montreal paper showing the wholesale prices for potatoes in the metropolis, which though they did not afford conclusive evidence, approximated so closely the labor department's figures for Montreal, as to lend considerable force to Mr. Anderson's argument.
Mr. Anderson said that while it was true potatoes were now selling for \$1.10 a bushel in St. John, that price was not a fair one for comparative purposes. During a great part of the year it was possible to purchase potatoes in St. John for less than one dollar per barrel of 2 1/2 bushels. He pointed out that if potatoes were left out of St. John even by the labor department's figures it is a cheaper place to live in than Halifax, or most other Canadian cities. While the price for sirloin in Montreal is given as 22 cents in St. John, against 20 cents in Halifax, and 16 cents in Montreal, good cuts could be purchased in St. John for 20 cents or less.
Again the price for eggs in St. John which is placed at 40 cents per dozen is exceptional. Eggs, he said, can be procured in St. John today for 22 cents. Milk is cheaper here than in Halifax and dairy butter, the price of which is placed at 23 cents, is often much less.
Mr. Anderson declared that if the people here demanded home products and imported less beef, pork, lard, etc., a great impetus would be given to the farming industry of this province, and as the quantity of products would be increased, prices would come down.

ST. JOHN WAS GOOD ENOUGH A. E. Hamilton Declines Offer of Free Site and Tax Exemption in Port Arthur—Work Being Rushed

Having refused two good offers to locate his woodworking factory in other cities, Mr. A. E. Hamilton is making rapid progress with the building of his plant here. He has two machines in position and has been planning boards for use in putting up the buildings.
Two cars loaded with machinery which have come from Galt, Ont., are now on the sidings and if the weather proves fine, Mr. Hamilton expects to have steam up by the last of the week.
One offer to Mr. Hamilton was from the enterprising town of Port Arthur which offered to give him free building site and exemption from taxes and water rates. A city in the United States also offered him concessions. He said, however, that St. John was good enough for him.
Exports \$1,000,000 More This Season.
Although the indications are that the number of steamers coming to St. John this season will be less than last winter, it is gratifying to note that the exports from St. John up to last week were over \$1,000,000 greater than during the corresponding period last year. The decrease in the number of sailings from this port is attributed to the agreement between the C. P. R. and Allan line. These companies instead of competing, now co-operate to handle the freight offering and while they have reduced the number of boats sailing from St. John, have so arranged the sailings that every boat carries a full cargo.

PRIZE MONEY INCREASED Stock and Fruit Departments at Exhibition Being Liberally Dealt With—Mr. Hubbard Confers With Committees.

Mr. W. W. Hubbard secretary of the department of agriculture held a conference yesterday afternoon with the managing and prize-list committees of the St. John exhibition. The prize-lists of the stock and fruit departments were revised and in keeping with the importance of the fair, the amount of money to be distributed in prizes in these departments was considerably increased. Mr. A. H. Turney the newly appointed horticulturist, was present and gave expert advice in reference to the appointment of the prize lists for fruits.
The committees decided that in so far as possible, exhibits of fruit in season should be secured. Exhibits of immature fruit will not be barred, but they will not be encouraged to any extent.
In connection with stock raising and cattle breeding, a resolution was passed to the effect that all awards made in the breeding class should be made to animals that have been recorded on the departmental books at Ottawa. This regulation is made in recognition of the national character of the exhibition, and in pursuance of the rule governing agricultural fairs receiving a grant of money from the federal authorities.
At the conclusion of the meeting Mr. Hubbard said the committees had met the suggestions put forward on behalf of the provincial agricultural department in a very satisfactory manner.

WEDDINGS.

Fleming—Pugsley.
Mr. George W. Fleming and Mrs. T. P. Pugsley, of this city, were married in Montreal at 4 o'clock on Saturday afternoon. Mr. Fleming is the junior partner of James Fleming and Co. Flourish Laundry. They will reside at No. 137 Paradise Row.

PERSONAL

Mrs. Moorehead of Pittsburg, Pennsylvania, is visiting her son, the American Consul and Mr. M. E. Moorehead at their residence on Coburg street.

Men's Storm Boots
\$3.50 to \$10.00 Per Pair



Men's Black Calf Closed In Tongues, laced and two strap \$3.50
Men's Black Eli Calf, plain toes, laced to top, Tap Soles . . . \$4.00
Men's Black Eli Calf, plain toes, laced to top, Extra high cut, large Kiondyke Eyelets and hooks, \$5.00
Men's Tan Chrome Calf and Norwegian Calf High Laced and Straps around top. The best line of goods made \$7.00 to \$10.00 pair.

Waterbury & Rising,
King Street, Mill Street, Union Street.

MAN WASHED OVERBOARD

Capt. of Corsican Denies Story Passenger Committed Suicide—Had Rough Passage Across.
The Allan liner Corsican which arrived here yesterday afternoon had a rough passage across, and shortly after leaving Liverpool lost a young English passenger, named Joseph L. Taylor, who was reported from Halifax to have jumped overboard. Captain Gambell told a Standard reporter last evening that this story was not true. The man, whose actions had indicated that he was mentally unbalanced, had been confined to the ship's hospital, but he had managed to escape and made his way to the deck when the big steamer was being swept by heavy seas, and was washed overboard.
Two of the passengers corroborated the captain's statement, saying they had seen Taylor washed overboard in the sea then running it was impossible to rescue him.
Capt. Gambell stated that the trip across was one of the roughest in his experience. A succession of heavy gales was encountered and for a time the big liner only logged two knots an hour. Coming up the bay she experienced strong southwest gales with rain and fog.
The Corsican brought over 1061 passengers and 3000 tons of cargo. At Halifax she landed one hundred children who will be placed in Mrs. Bert's home at Knowlton, Que. They were in charge of Rev. E. M. Thornton. The passengers disembarked here were forwarded by special trains, 182 being bound for the United States.
One of the passengers, John Brown, a Chinese laundryman, was placed under arrest on arrival at Halifax, charged with embezzlement in England. He will be sent back on the steamer.

CHANGE IN CARLETON MAILS

Starting Today Delivery Will Be Direct from St. John Post Office—No Inconvenience Anticipated.
Carleton people will have their mail delivered today for the first time direct from the St. John post office. This change was decided upon some months ago, but three months' notice to the contractor carrying the mails across the harbor being necessary, it had not been possible to put it into effect until March 1st.
The four letter carriers from the West Side will meet at the post office in future twice a day with the other carriers and deliver the mail in the same way.
Postmaster Sears said yesterday that the work of the Carleton office would not be seriously interfered with and the same staff would be necessary.
Parcels and letters addressed to general delivery, West Side P. O. will be taken over to the West Side by the box collector on his return from each trip. West Side people who have boxes will still have the use of them.

ARTISTIC BUILDERS' Hardware
Hardware is now made in such a variety of patterns and finishes that it will pay anyone who is building or remodeling to come and see for themselves what we can supply.
Don't be satisfied with makeshifts, have everything to match whenever possible.
Buy the Best You Can Get
W. H. THORNE & CO., Ltd.
Market Square, St. John, N. B.

Spring Overcoats Now Ready
We are now displaying a fine line of new Spring Overcoats—the very latest modes in both cut and pattern.
It seems to us that we have never offered so fine a line. We want YOUR CANDID OPINION, too. And it will really PAY you to call and see the new fabrics and styles while they are at their best.
\$12, \$16, \$18, \$20 to \$27 are the prices. Grays, blacks and mixtures—several new effects, too, that will be "just the correct thing" this season. Unusually good values, and every Overcoat GUARANTEED free from flaw or fault in fabric, fit and finish.
SOLE AGENCY FOR 20TH CENTURY BRAND CLOTHING.
GILMOUR'S, 68 KING STREET
TAILORING AND CLOTHING.
"A GOOD PLACE TO BUY GOOD CLOTHES"

UNEEDA
Biscuit are more than mere soda crackers. They are a distinct individual food article, made from special materials, by special methods, in specially constructed bakeries. They are sealed in a special way which gives them crispness, cleanliness and freshness which "crackers" from the paper bag always lack. They are the nation's accepted
5c BISCUIT
National Biscuit Co. Ask Your Grocer

The Wonder of a Window
Your ad is your extra show window. In fact it is several hundreds of extra show windows. It is just as many extra show windows for you as there are copies of the medium you are using in circulation. When you have carefully dressed your shop windows, and made them all that can be desired, you have only to put into your advertising space a glowing well written description of the self-same goods, and there you have a shop window wonderful. It does not stand silently all day on the street, to be seen by those who pass by, instead it goes of itself into the very heart of the home. For this kind of window space in The Standard, ring Main 1722 and ask for
THE ADVERTISING MANAGER

Fashionable Suits for Spring
Worsteds, Chevots, Vicunas and Saxons—Fine Pin Head Checks, Club Checks, Pencil and Broad Stripe Effects in New Grey, Green and Brown Shades
M. R. A. suits are famous for their good-wearing and perfect-fitting qualities and these new Spring models are marvels of excellent tailoring and ultra stylishness.
The man difficult to please will be astonished at the facilities we have in this showing for catering to the exact needs of the particular dresser.
Wonderfully graceful in all lines and generously roomy and comfortable, these Spring Suits reflect the greatest skill in assembling and genius in designing of any we have ever shown.
Prices Range From - - \$10 to \$23
CLOTHING DEPARTMENT.

SPECIAL SHOWING OF VELOUR RUGS
Comfort-Giving and Home Beautifying
These dainty rugs are suitable for divan and couch throws, for easy chairs, door portieres, etc. They are soft in texture, fairly warm and particularly durable. In fancy colored stripes, checks and pretty floral designs. Several varieties of patterns in each quality.
Fancy stripes in shades of fawn, brown, navy, grey and red. Each \$1.25
Fancy checks and plaids in shades of fawn, brown, pink, red, blue and grey. Each \$1.75
Pretty floral designs in delicate tints of blue, green, fawn, olive, pink and red. Each \$1.75
Children's size for cribs and go-carts in grey and white, neat star pattern. Each 40c.
Also a pretty Silk Rug, children's size, in fancy Roman stripes, beautiful color combinations. A nice gift for the baby.
SCOTCH WOOL RUGS—A large variety all new, for travelling, driving and motoring. Prices range from \$1.50 to \$14.50.
Spring Novelties in Neckwear, Gloves, Half Hose, Colored Shirts and Underwear Arriving Daily.
MEN'S FURNISHING DEPARTMENT.
MANCHESTER ROBERTSON ALLISON, LTD.