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SURPRISES FOR GUESTS IN LONDON

Hotels Devised Clever Entertainments for Visitors to Metropolis at Birth of New Year—Some Surprises.

FATHER TIME TAKES APPEARANCE IN WALDORF

London, Jan. 1.—Scenes of revelry in the city and west end of London heralded the birth of the new year.

MARY SPONS HELP TO MAKE LEASANT HOLD IN CAPITAL

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, N. B.—Delightful winter weather made excellent conditions for the full enjoyment of the holiday in Fredericton.

WANTS HEALTH OF NOBLE TO CONTINUE CHINESE CONFLICT

Paris, Jan. 1.—A special despatch to the Parliament of the New York Herald from Peking correspondent, says that Yuan Shi Kai, the premier tomorrow, is present to the throne.

LARGE M. DEVOTED TO WIN ON THE WHITE RAGUE IN STATES

New York, Jan. 1.—The sum of \$11,500,000 went during the year 1911 through the country in the war against tuberculosis, according to a statement tonight by the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis.

NOT MORE THAN KNIGHTHOOD

There are Only Five Privy Counsellors in Canada and Fifty Knights and Baronets.

Rt. Hon. R. L. Borden Widely Congratulated — Governor General and Sir Wilfrid Laurier Among the First.

Ottawa, Jan. 1.—The Right Hon. Robert L. Borden was occupied today in answering the message of congratulations which came pouring in from Conservatives and Liberals alike.

OPERATIVES STAND TO LOSE LARGE SUM UNDER NEW STATE LAW

Fall River, Mass., Jan. 1.—Every textile mill in Massachusetts is running on full time today, owing to a schedule of 54 hours a week in compliance with a new state law, which compels all textile plants employing women and children to run the machinery no longer than that number of hours weekly.

ONE DEATH, SEVERAL SERIOUS INJURIES IN A COLLISION

Moosejaw, Sask., Jan. 1.—At 3:45 Sunday morning an east bound freight ran into another freight at Nord Water Tank, between Morthach and Parkburg. Casualties are as follows:

SUBSCRIPTIONS FOR QUEBEC BRIDGE ARE TO BE REFUNDED SOON

Quebec, Jan. 1.—Mayor Drouin has been officially notified of a nice New Year's gift to the city in the shape of the \$300,000, which was subscribed towards the construction of the ill-fated Quebec bridge.

BUILDINGS WERE TOTALLY DESTROYED.

Ottawa, Jan. 1.—A spectacular fire, replete with hair breadth escapes of scores of boarders and householders, and in which four firemen were hurt, was the literally hot New Year's greeting to the occupants of Bishop Terrace comprising five houses, Nos. 135 to 145 Albert street inclusive, at 5:30 o'clock this morning.

ONLY ONE LEGAL DEATH OCCURRED.

Montreal, Jan. 1.—1911 was a record year for Montreal in several regrettable ways. Governor Vaiee of the Montreal jail, Coroner McMahon, of the morgue, and Fire Chief Tremblay, all reporting increased activity over 1910 in their respective departments.

PICNIC ON NEW YEAR'S DAY IS POSSIBLE ON THE ST. LAWRENCE

Montreal, Jan. 1.—The navigation of the St. Lawrence river for 1912 was opened today, in ideal picnic weather, considering the time of year, when the harbor commissioners' tugboat Sir Hugh Allan, with commissioners, harbor officials and guests aboard made a trip down river to the head of the first cruise of the year, and will not be repeated for several months to come.

DETECTIVE IN THE DEFENCE OF HATTIE LEBLANC ARRESTED

Cambridge, Mass., Jan. 1.—Detective Lawrence F. Smith, one of those who assisted in the defence of Miss Hattie LeBlanc, of West Arichat, N. S., acquitted of the murder of Clarence F. Glover of Waltham, Mass., was arrested today on an indictment, charging him with subordination of perjury in the case.

TORONTO ELECTS MAYOR WITHOUT SINGLE OPPONENT

Toronto, Jan. 1.—The election of Toronto's Mayor by acclamation, and a general feeling on the part of the voters that they were having too many elections this year, resulted in one of the most apathetic elections this city has seen in recent years.

MONTREAL MAKES NEW RECORDS

But Citizens Are Not Congratulating Themselves on Increase in Jail's Population —Morgue Also Gains.

FOUR HURT IN A BLAZE AT OTTAWA

Firemen Injured When Bishop Terrace Goes Up in Flames —All However Will Recover.

MAYOR HOPEWELL WAS RE-ELECTED.

Ottawa, Jan. 1.—All circumstances combined to make today's municipal vote the heaviest ever polled in this city. With the keenest fight for the mayoralty that has occurred for many years, the biggest struggle ever for the board of control, a fight on in every ward for aldermen, and several important questions to be decided on plebiscites, and by-laws, the people had great incentive to turn out in thousands to the polling booths.

CONSIDERATION OF STEAMSHIP LINES IS NOW IN EFFECT

Boston, Jan. 1.—The consolidation of the Eastern Metropolitan and Maine Steamship Companies into one corporation, became effective tonight, notwithstanding protests by Mayor Fitzgerald and others.

ONE MAN THOUGHT TO BE KILLED IN FIRE IN BIG MILK DEPOT

New York, Jan. 1.—One man is believed to have lost his life in a fire which destroyed a big milk depot on East Twenty-second street today.

FALLIERES ENDORSES ARBITRATION PROPOSAL

Occasion of Presentation of New Year's Felicitations Taken to Comment Upon Taff's Speech.

ELECTION WAS KEENLY CONTESTED

Municipal Vote in Ottawa Heaviest Ever Polled in City —Federal District Plebiscite Answered in Affirmative.

KILONIS DEFEATS YOUNG MOHAMED IN TWO STRAIGHT FALLS

Special to The Standard. Moncton, Jan. 1.—P. E. Helne, Past Grand Master of New Brunswick, and J. W. Clark, Deputy Grand Master, returned this morning from Stoneham, Gloucester county, where they organized a new Orange lodge.

DANCE HALLS WON'T HAVE SHORTAGE OF LADIES IN NEW YORK

New York, Jan. 1.—Sheriff Julius Harburger, who took office today, said tonight that it looked as though there would be a rush of women to take advantage of his offer to appoint members of the fair sex as special deputy sheriffs.

NEW ELECTION IN TURKEY REGARDED AS INEVITABLE

Constantinople, Jan. 1.—Said Pasha, the grand vizier, has not yet been able to form a new ministry to take the place of the one which resigned last Saturday. A dissolution of the chamber and a new election of deputies is regarded as inevitable.

YUAN IS NOT ANXIOUS FOR A PARTITION

Imperialist Victory Would Give Them Short Lease of Life, But Premier Prefers Abdication to Secession.

NEED OF COMPROMISE FOR THE PRESENT.

Peking, Jan. 1.—Much depends upon whether the fighting near Hankow was authorized by the Republicans, and whether it will be followed up by the Republicans or Imperialists. The associated press is imperially that the news of the attack, was welcomed by Yuan Shi Kai, who will now await the issue of the battle.

BOY DROWNED WHILE SKATING—ANOTHER HAS BAD ACCIDENT

Special to The Standard. Lunenburg, Jan. 1.—A drowning accident occurred yesterday at Wene's Lake, three miles west of here. Kenneth Wentzell, a boy of 17 years and his two younger brothers were skating on the lake. The ice broke and Kenneth plunged head first into the water and went under the ice. The body was recovered about an hour later.

TEUTON COMING TO INVESTIGATION OF PORT CONDITIONS

Kermanshah, Persia, Jan. 1.—Salar Ed Dowleh, the brother of the ex-Shah, has defeated the government forces under Azam Ed Dowleh, who has taken refuge in the British consulate here.

GIRL STOPS BULLET MEANT FOR MOTHER FROM FATHER'S GUN

New York, Jan. 1.—Bertha Reiman, a 14-year-old girl, stepped in front of a revolver in the hands of her step-father, George Benz, a salesman, and received in the temple two bullets which had been intended for her mother. The girl died in an ambulance half an hour later. The mother was uninjured. Benz fled down the street, but was captured and held without bail on a charge of murder.

We Will Pay \$50 in Cash for the Best Answer to Three Questions

You can help us determine just which part of our plan is the part on which we should concentrate. You can do it and at the same time earn one of our cash prizes.

Which point of superiority do the purchasing public seek above all others when they buy the goods we are offering?

To the person who most clearly expresses the leading reason why everybody in St. John should make their purchases at the Asepto Store we will pay \$15.00 in cash. For the next best reply \$10.00. For the next best \$5.00, and for the next twenty, each a bright new one dollar bill.

Meantime an examination of our store, a look over our lines and a general sizing up of our whole business will be of service to you in earning one of the prizes.

The Facts in Brief

For years we have been offering premiums on goods of our own manufacture.

For the past few years we have given the premium plan our special attention, the outcome of which is the Asepto Store, Corner Mill and Union streets.

It has been our constant aim to give a better premium than offered by any other concern.

You do not have to take an article of our selection for your coupons.

Every article in our store is for sale and the price is marked in plain figures.

Also every article is a premium and is given you at the same price for coupons as if you paid cash.

The plan that we follow is the only one of its kind in Canada, and even competitors are compelled to remark that we have the finest line of premiums ever brought together under one roof.

The Asepto Plan

The Asepto plan of doing business is the plan of its kind in Canada.

It works itself out in this way: If you spend five cents you get a check worth one cent; if you spend twenty-five cents you get one worth five cents; if you spend \$1.00 you get one worth twenty cents; if you purchase amounts to \$5.00 you get one worth \$1.00, and so on.

These goods are sold to you at the same price you would pay for them at any other store in the city. Instead of giving you a small cash discount, we give you a check worth twenty cents for every dollar you spend.

We make profit on the goods you purchase and pay cash for, while the goods you purchase on credit are given you at the wholesale price. To get you to make the first purchase costs us something while the rest of the purchases will cost us nothing.

You are bound to make from us. There is no selling expense attached to the latter.

These Are the Three Questions That You Are Requested to Answer

FIRST—What in your judgment is the feature in the Asepto plan that has made our store do a volume of business in less than six months that other stores have not been able to get in years?

SECOND—What was the most important feature that first induced you to buy at the Asepto store?

THIRD—Which of these four vital points—Asepto Quality, Asepto Service, Asepto Store Location, or Asepto Premiums—would you advertise with the conviction that when people knew that fact they would go to our store and take advantage of our whole plan?

Answers to this advertisement must not exceed five hundred words.

The best replies will be used for advertising purposes, but the names of writers will not be published unless requested.

A box will be placed in our store on Wednesday morning, January 3rd, 1912, at eight o'clock, where replies may be deposited at any time until the close of the competition.

If you live outside of the city limits, you will be allowed to send your reply by mail. No employee or person in any way connected with our business will be allowed to compete.

All letters should be addressed to Dept. 99, ASEPTO LIMITED, Cor. Mill and Union Streets, St. John, N.B.

Our Stock Includes

- BOOTS AND SHOES. CROCKERY. CUT GLASS. WATER BAGS. BROCCOS. PENDANTS. HAT PINS. MAGIC LANTERNS. INK STANDS. SMOKERS' SETS. DOLLS. TOYS. UMBRELLAS. CARVING SETS. SILVERWARE. WORK BASKETS. SLIPPERS. CLOCKS. CHRISTMAS TREES. ORNAMENTS. TEA SETS. DINNER SETS. LIMOGES CHINA. LIMOES CHINA (Hand Painted). SCISSORS. BON-BON DISHES. PEARL HANDLE. PICKLE FORKS and BUTTER KNIVES. CAKE BASKETS. CHINA PLATES. CHINA SUGARS. AND CREAMS. PAPERIES. BOOKS of All Kinds. COMPANION SETS. LEATHER GOODS. BOYS' and MEN'S CLOTHING. SUITS and OVERCOATS. WRITING CASES.

PRESBYTERIAN-CONGREGATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL RALLY SUGGES

Interesting Gathering in St. David's Church Yesterday Morning—Greetings Sent by Scholars and Expressions of Good Will Received.

The New Year Sunday School rally, held yesterday by the Presbyterian and Congregational Sunday schools, was also a striking demonstration. The attendance was large, not only the children, but adults as well joining in the exercises.

The service was carried out enthusiastically. It is estimated that over four hundred children participated in the rally.

The rally began at 10.30. Rev. J. H. A. Anderson, moderator of St. David's, presided. The following Sunday schools were represented: St. Andrew's, St. Stephen's, St. John's, St. David's, Calvin, Carleton, Fairville, St. Matthew's and Congregational.

Following the singing of the doxology a song service was carried out. Addresses were delivered by Rev. J. H. A. Anderson, Mayor Frank, Rev. H. R. Read, all of whom conveyed greetings.

The greetings from the Methodist rally in Centenary church were then received, being conveyed by Rev. Gaez and E. Thomas. A delegation from St. David's in turn tendered greetings to the Methodist schools.

Rev. Gordon Dickie and Douglas McArthur, being the nucleus. The readings of replies to greetings sent by the rally were then followed. Those to whom the rally sent telegrams were, H. R. H. the Governor General, Lieut. Gov. Tweedie, Rev. R. P. McKay, Toronto; Rev. Frank J. Robertson, Toronto.

The following were the messages of good will sent out by D. McArthur, chairman of the executive, with their replies: His Royal Highness, The Governor General of Canada, Ottawa, Ont.

The St. John Presbyterian and Congregational Sabbath schools in New Year's Day rally and greetings, and pledge their loyalty to their King and Empire. D. McARTHUR, Chairman Executive.

Ottawa, Ont., Dec. 31. McArthur, St. John, N. B. In thanking you for your good wishes, I send warm greetings for the new year.

ARTHUR. To the Hon., the Lieutenant Governor, of New Brunswick, Chatham, N. B. The united Presbyterian and Congregational Sabbath schools of St. John and Fairville, representing over 2,000 members, send cordial greetings and extend all good wishes for the coming year.

D. McARTHUR, chairman executive. Following the reading of the messages the National Anthem was sung and the benediction given after which the children left the church and formed ranks, marching up Sydney street to King Square where they were joined by the Methodist Sunday schools for the closing feature of the rally which is described elsewhere.

OFFER BOUNTIES FOR BROWN TAILS

Department of Agriculture Plans to Determine Area Infested and Facilitate Work of Destruction.

Fredericton, Dec. 30.—The Provincial Department of Agriculture is sending out circular letters to school teachers throughout the province offering bounties for brown tail moth nests.

In this manner it is hoped to define the extent of the area infested by this pest and thus facilitate the work of destruction now being carried on by the party of experts engaged in the work for the Provincial and Dominion Governments jointly.

The bounty being offered is \$1 for the first nest found in any school district and 5 cents each for every subsequent nest in a district. The number of nests of brown-tail moths already found in New Brunswick now amounts to five hundred and seventy-five.

Most of the nests thus far found have been located where the crew of destroyers working under the direction of Mr. J. D. Tothill, of Ottawa, has an official of the Dominion Department of Agriculture, have been working in the district in about ten days time Mr. Tothill and his assistants will have completed their work in Charlotte county for the present.

H. A. Powell, K. C., left last evening by the Montreal express to be present at the meeting. The other members of the commission are T. Chase Casgrain, K. C., Montreal; and C. A. McGrath, Leithbridge.

Holiday Cable Messages. Yesterday the reduced cable rates to England, Ireland and Wales, went into effect, but the local offices were not overburdened with business on that account. Under the new rates messages of 20 words can be sent across the ocean for \$1.50, on the condition that the cable company has three days in which to deliver them.

During the holiday season the local telegraph offices have handled a large number of night letters. Most of the Christmas and New Year messages sent out from St. John went to Upper Canada and the Northwest, though there was a goodly number sent to the States.

Sarnac Lake, N.Y., Jan. 1.—Edmund Lamy, former amateur skating champion, covered a hundred yards on the lake today in nine seconds from a standing start, in an exhibition trial. The record has been 93.5 seconds, made by Morris Wood in 1903. Lamy's feat is remarkable because he skated around a circular track and was paced by another exhibition he beat all former barrel jumping records by leaping seven barrels ends up and twelve on their sides, one more in each case than he ever did before.

Lamy entered the professional skating ranks this winter, having lost his amateur standing by playing professional baseball.

Seattle, Wash., Jan. 1.—"Hav'n't you made a mistake?" asked Judge A. W. Frater, as Mrs. Nellie Jane Peterson, weighing eighty pounds, climbed into the witness chair in the divorce court.

"No, Your Honor," replied the plaintiff. "I want a divorce, and I have been told this is the place to get it."

"Oh, very well," said the Court. "I thought it was the Juvenile Court you were looking for."

The child was thirteen when she was married to Byron Peterson, and she retains her childish appearance at nineteen. She alleged that Peterson hired a man and woman to masquerade as her parents and give their consent to her marriage. Divorce was granted because of non-support.

Ottawa Defeated by Boston Team. Boston, Jan. 1.—The Intercollegiate seven of Boston, defeated the University of Ottawa team at the arena tonight, 7 to 1. Although the game was not so one-sided as the score would indicate. At the end of the first period the score was 2 to 1, and it was only during the last few minutes of the game that the home team secured a commanding lead.

The game was marked by many penalties, both cover points being put out of the game for slugging.

PROGRAMME FOR WEEK OF PRAYER

United Services will Open Next Sunday and Continue all Week—Bible Society Meeting a Feature.

The united services in connection with the week of prayer will open on Sunday next and continue for one week. For the purposes of the services the churches of the city have been divided into groups as follows:

Group 1—Brussels street, Exmouth street, St. Mary's, Tabernacle and Waterloo street.

Group 2—Calvin, Coburg street, Congregational, Reformed Baptist, St. Stephen's and Zion.

Group 3—Centenary, Leinster street, St. David's and St. John Presbyterian.

Group 4—Carmanthen street, Queen Mary street, St. Andrew's and Queen Square.

Group 5—Douglas Avenue, Main street, Portland street, St. Luke's, St. Matthew's and Victoria street.

On Sunday next special sermons will be preached in the churches in the different groups from texts supplied by the committee in charge of the programme with the subjects for the meetings during the remainder of the week is as follows:

Monday, January 2—Thanksgiving and Humiliation.

Group 1, Brussels street—Leader, Rev. F. H. Wentworth; speaker, Rev. B. D. Wetmore.

Group 2, Zion—Leader, Rev. L. A. McLean; speaker, Rev. G. B. Trafton.

Group 3, Leinster streets—Leader, Rev. C. R. Flanders; speaker, Rev. J. H. A. Anderson.

Group 4, Carmanthen street—Leader, Rev. F. S. Porter; speaker, Rev. Wilfred Gaez.

Group 5, Douglas Avenue—Leader, Rev. H. D. Marr; speaker, Rev. J. J. McCaskill.

Tuesday, January 9—The Church Universal; Prayer for the "One Body" of which Christ is the Head.

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Group 2, St. David's—Leader, Rev. W. Camp; speaker, Rev. Gordon Dickie.

Group 4, Queen Square—Leader, Rev. J. J. Deinstadt; speaker, Rev. W. O. Raymond.

Group 5, Victoria street—Leader, Rev. J. J. McCaskill; speaker, Rev. R. P. McKim.

Wednesday, January 10—Nations and Their Rulers.

Group 1, Waterloo street—Leader, Rev. W. W. Brewer; speaker, Rev. W. McCutcheon.

Group 2, St. Stephen's—Leader, Rev. Wm. Lawson; speaker, Rev. L. A. McLean.

Group 3, St. John Presbyterian—Leader, Rev. W. Camp; speaker, Rev. C. R. Flanders.

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Group 5, Portland street—Leader, Rev. R. P. McKim; speaker, Rev. J. C. B. Appell.

Thursday, January 11—Foreign Missions.

Group 1, Tabernacle—Leader, Rev. W. O. Raymond; speaker, Rev. W. W. Brewer.

Group 2, Congregational—Leader, Rev. G. B. Trafton; speaker, Rev. Gordon Dickie.

Group 3, Centenary—Leader, Rev. J. H. A. Anderson; speaker, Rev. W. Camp.

Group 4, Germain street—Leader, Rev. Wilfred Gaez; speaker, Rev. T. J. Deinstadt.

Group 5, St. Luke's—Leader, Rev. B. H. Nobles; speaker, Rev. D. Hutchinson.

Friday, January 12. The ninth anniversary meeting of the Bible Society in Main street Baptist church. Speakers: Rev. Deen Schofield, Rev. H. Thomas, Rev. A. F. Newcombe, field secretary, and Hon. Judge Forbes.

Saturday, January 13—Home Missions and the Jews.

St. Matthew's, Douglas Avenue—Leader, Rev. D. Hutchinson; speaker, Rev. H. D. Marr.

Elects Officers. Albert, Dec. 29.—Albert Lodge, F. & A. M., No. 34, celebrated Saint John's Day by a social supper and good cheer in the lodge room of the craft at Albert, at the close of the installation of officers for the ensuing year. The following were installed into office: John P. Lunn, W. M.; M. D. Fullerton, S. W.; W. W. Perry, J. W.; J. E. Fullerton, F. M.; Treas., L. C. Prescott, E. M. Sec'y.; W. S. Jones, P. M.; S. D.; M. Williamson, J. D.; P. McL. Atkinson, S. S.; O. H. Anderson, J. S.; G. D. Prescott, D. of C.; L. T. Stiles, I. G.; C. E. Wood, Tyler.

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This is due to the unrivalled purifying action of Burdock Blood Bitters on the blood, coupled with the thorough manner in which it cleanses and expels the impurities from the body.

Mrs. Richard Coutine, White Head, Que., writes:—"I have been bothered with salt rheum, on my hands, for two years, and it itched so I did not know what to do. I tried three doctors, and even went to Montreal to the hospital without getting any relief. I was advised to try Burdock Blood Bitters, so I got three bottles, and before I had the second used I found a big change, and now to-day I am cured."

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A MODERN MIRACLE

He Had Eczema 25 Years and Doctors Said "No Cure."

Yet Zam-Buk Has Worked Complete Cure.

This is the experience of a man of high reputation widely known in Montreal, and whose case can readily be investigated. Mr. T. M. Marsh, the gentleman referred to, lives at 101 Desorimier Avenue, Montreal, and has lived there for years. For twenty-five years he has had eczema on his hands and wrists. The disease first started in red blotches, which itched, and when scratched became painful. Bad sores followed which discharged, and the discharge spread the disease until his hands were so raw, painful mass of sores. This state of affairs continued for twenty-five years!

In that time four eminent medical men tried to cure him, and each gave up the case as hopeless. Naturally, Mr. Marsh tried remedies of all kinds but he, also, at last gave it up. For two years he had to wear gloves day and night so terrible was the pain and itching when the air got to the sores.

Then came Zam-Buk! He tried it just as he had tried hundreds of remedies before, but he soon found out that Zam-Buk was different. Within a few weeks there were distinct signs of benefit, and a little perseverance with this great perbal balm resulted in what he had hoped up all hope of—a complete cure! And the cure was no temporary one. It was permanent. He was cured nearly four years ago. He interviewed the other day, Mr. Marsh said: "To cure which Zam-Buk worked has been absolutely permanent to the present moment I have had no trace of eczema, and I feel sure it will never return."

If you suffer from any skin trouble cut out this article, write across it the name of this paper, and mail it, with one cent stamp to pay return postage, to Zam-Buk Co., Toronto. We will forward you a free trial box of Zam-Buk. All druggists and stores sell this famous remedy, 50c. a box or three for \$1.25. Refuse harmful substitutes.

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OBITUARY

Mrs. Jane Dunlavy. An estimable and highly respected resident of the West End passed away on New Year's eve, in the person of Mrs. Jane Dunlavy, widow of the late Thomas Dunlavy, whose death occurred at her home on Union street, the 71st year of her age. Mrs. Dunlavy had been ill but a short time and previous to her last illness had enjoyed good health for one of her years.

Consequently her passing was a shock to her many friends. She is survived by three sons and two daughters. The sons are, William, James and John, all of this city, and the daughters are Mrs. F. J. Keane, of San Francisco, she is also survived by a sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Smith and a brother, Thomas McAuley, both of whom reside in Colchester Co., N. S. The funeral will be held this afternoon at 2.30, to St. Paul's church where services will be held. Interment in Cedar Hill.

Mrs. George Gaulton. The death of Mrs. George Gaulton occurred at 7 o'clock yesterday morning after a lingering illness. She leaves a husband and five children to mourn. The children are, Elizabeth, Ella, Stella and Frederick, at home, and Mrs. P. Cunningham, of this city, and two sisters and four brothers. The funeral will be held from her husband's residence, 95 Moore street, tomorrow afternoon at 2.30, to St. Paul's church where services will be held. Interment in Cedar Hill.

County Liquor Licenses. It has been decided to consider the applications for county liquor licenses on Jan. 15th, the same date as that set by the city.

DENNING HAS BEST OF BOUT

New York, Jan. 1.—Jack Denning, the middleweight pugilist of this city defeated Marcel Mareau, the French champion, in a ten round bout this afternoon at the Fairmount Athletic Club. The bout was a fast one, in which Denning had the better of it all the way, except in the first round.

Cohen is Winner on Points. Ptica, N. Y., Jan. 1.—Young Cohen of England and Kid Julian of St. Louis fought ten fast rounds before the Oneida County Athletic Club here this afternoon. Cohen floored Julian in the third round, but the latter came back strong and forced the Englishman to extend himself every minute in order to win on points. It seemed that Julian's blows were more effective though fewer landed.

Fishery Sales Today. The annual sale of the fishing privileges controlled by the city will take place at the court house at 10 o'clock this morning. P. L. Potts will be the auctioneer. The privileges include the fishing lots along the east side of the bay, river and harbor, as well as on the western side of the harbor, the leases of which expired on the 15th day of December. Owing to the fact that the fishermen enjoyed a fairly successful season last year, it is expected the bidding will be keener than usual. An effort has been made by certain parties to secure the right to erect fish weirs on Partridge Island and at Battery Point, but it is said the city has no authority to grant such privileges.

The Fire Fighters Calling Day. The fire companies in the city paid their annual New Year's calls yesterday afternoon and had a most enjoyable time. Some of the companies used sleds while the majority of them used buck boards. It was the same old story. All the companies exchanged with other stations and there was singing and speech making. The West Side firemen started out for the first time and paid a visit to the stations on the East Side, while the firemen on the East Side of the harbor went to the West Side.

Buried Yesterday. The funeral of Joseph P. Bardeley took place yesterday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from his late residence, 72 Esplanade street and was largely attended. The body was taken to the Cathedral and services were conducted by Rev. A. W. Meahan. The pall bearers were Frank O'Regan, A. Dean, W. P. Fitzgerald, B. Cronin, and Wm. McQuerry. The interment was in the new Catholic cemetery.

DIED. GAULTON.—At her husband's residence, 95 Moore street, Martha, beloved wife of George Gaulton, leaving a husband, one son and four daughters, also two sisters and three brothers. Asleep in Jesus. Funeral from her late residence, Wednesday, Jan. 3rd. Service at St. Paul's church at 2.30 (Halifax, N.S. papers please copy.)

DUNLAVY.—In this city on Dec. 31st, Jane Dunlavy, widow of the late Thomas Dunlavy, of Union street, West End, in the 71st year of her age. Funeral today from her late residence at 2.45 p. m. Service at St. Paul's church at 2.30 p. m.

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DIED IN ST. STEPHEN.

St. Stephen, Jan. 1.—Mrs. Frank T. Ross died this evening after a protracted illness of Bright's Disease and valvular disease of the heart. Mrs. Ross who was aged 51 years, and eight months is survived by a husband and two sons, Kenneth and Walter, all of this place. The remains will be taken to Skowhegan on Thursday morning for interment. Mrs. Ross was a prominent member of the Methodist church and a lady of exemplary character. She will be greatly missed by a large circle of friends.

A Sailor's Funeral. The funeral of Wm. Annan took place yesterday afternoon at 2.30 from the Seaman's Mission. Rev. L. A. McLean officiated at the grave and in the mission and at the grave and internment took place in the marine lot in Fernhill. The deceased was a seaman on the Allan liner Hesperian and on the last trip he was taken sick with pneumonia and removed to the hospital where he died. As the Allan liner Grampian is now in port, she supplied the following pallbearers under the second officer, J. Burns, Cameron, Hulse, Calland and McAdam.

First Meeting of Commission. The International Waterways Commission recently named for the study of the St. John river in Montreal. The commissioners will get together for the purpose of talking over matters, as they have no business to take up at present, so that the meeting will be merely for organization.

H. A. Powell, K. C., left

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AN UNENVIABLE RECORD.

The anxiety of the Telegraph and Times to avoid a discussion of the finances of the Province as they were conducted under the Administration which was defeated at the last general election, is not to be wondered at. A day or two ago the Standard demonstrated how those who formerly controlled the destinies of the Province manipulated the accounts to show an excess of revenue over expenditure when there were actual deficits each year running into thousands of dollars. Just when this method of omitting the over-expenditures from the statement of current revenue and placing them in the balance sheet of the Province was first employed is difficult to ascertain, but the plan was in full working order in 1900 and for some years before that. The year 1900 was, perhaps, the worst on record for the old Government—or at least the accounts show a worse condition of affairs than any other year. This was, perhaps, due to information in the hands of the Government that the long drawn out contest regarding the Eastern Extension Claims with the Government at Ottawa was liable to be settled in favor of the Province and they could therefore afford to make a more truthful statement of their affairs than in previous years.

The Province started the fiscal year 1900 with a balance of \$54,557.55 against current revenue. The total revenue for the year was \$758,888, of which the territorial revenue yielded only \$175,818.39. The expenditures on ordinary revenue account for the year totalled \$794,476.85, showing on the face of the account a deficit of \$55,468.19. In the balance sheet the public works over-expenditure is given as \$102,227.22 and that of the Provincial Hospital at \$21,542.76. As a part of these over-expenditures had appeared in the balance sheet of 1899, to get the exact over-expenditure of the year 1900 these amounts should be deducted. When this is done the result is as follows:

Deficit in ordinary revenue	\$55,468.19
Public Works over-expenditure, 1900	20,927.22
Prov. Hospital over-expenditure 1900	10,736.56
Total deficit for 1900	\$87,132.08

But this is not all. Under the old Administration special accounts were kept for such transactions as the importation of horses, cattle, sheep and seeds, instead of passing them through the consolidated revenue account. The system was to borrow the money from a bank and deposit the notes and cash received to the credit of the account and when all collections possible were made, the loss, for there always was a loss, was charged to the agricultural appropriation. In 1900 the balance sheet shows a total of \$4,649.19 due the bank for special loans on account of stock and seed importations. Under the present method of bookkeeping every transaction appears in the Consolidated Revenue Account, so that it is no longer possible to hide away half a deficit either in the balance sheet or in suspense accounts.

In 1901 the Province was paid \$275,692.18 in settlement of the Eastern Extension Claims. This large sum was dumped into the ordinary revenue for the year, which amounted to \$1,031,266. The ordinary expenditure charged in that year was \$910,345.80, which left a nominal balance of \$120,920.14, but as there was a debit balance against the account at the beginning of the fiscal year of \$97,988.21 the Government had very little actual cash on hand at the end of the year. The expenditures for public works are placed in the account at \$269,077, about \$100,000 more than was usually charged against this service for any year, but not sufficient to wipe out the over-expenditure. Notwithstanding the receipt of over a quarter of a million dollars the old Government showed the following as over-expenditures in the year 1901:

Provincial Hospital	\$ 14,419.94
Public Works	88,895.33
Agriculture	5,519.89
Royal Reception	15,487.26
Eastern Extension Arbitration	11,738.00
Hartland Bridge	2,011.60
Total	\$126,072.02

This was certainly going some for a Province whose total revenue at the time was only about three-quarters of a million dollars. The following year, 1902, by issuing bonds to the amount of \$310,000, of which \$150,000 was for alleged damage to bridges and roads by an unusual freshet in January, \$100,000 more for permanent bridges and \$60,000 for smallpox expenditures, the accounts were got into a condition which showed some improvement, but the people paid the piper just the same. As an actual fact over half a million dollars were over-expended in four years and all the while the territorial revenue which should have been at least \$300,000 annually, and would have been under an honest Administration of the Crown Lands, was less than \$200,000 annually.

Is the Telegraph's anxiety to get away from a record such as this to be wondered at, or is it surprising that Mr. Copp should say that the old Government has already been punished for its sins? In a measure it has, but Mr. Copp, who was a supporter of these methods, has so far escaped, and the punishment of the old Government will not be complete until every man who was a party to the fraud on the Province ceases to be a member of the Legislature.

To show the effect of such miserable financial management on the Province it is only necessary to point to the increase in the permanent debt due to the reckless extravagance of the old Government. In 1899 the funded debt of the Province was \$3,074,846.66. When all the temporary loans and over-expenditures of the old Administration had been adjusted, the funded debt amounted to \$6,174,346.66 as nearly as can be estimated. In nine years they had more than doubled the debt. Of the increase the Central Railway was responsible for \$887,431.72. The rest of it went to pay over-expenditure on current account for permanent bridges and railway subsidies.

A great deal of boasting has been done, by Mr. Copp particularly, that the present Administration could not have made such a magnificent financial showing since they have been in power had it not been for the increase in the Dominion subsidy secured by the old Government. The subsidy was increased \$120,000. The interest and sinking fund of the debt which the old Government created in nine years amount to over \$150,000 annually, so that notwithstanding the subsidy the Province is short \$20,000 in the revenue it would have enjoyed had the Government been honest in its accounting.

EXPERT OPINION ON THE LAURIER NAVY.

Evidence has been accumulating since the Laurier Government ceased to be a factor in the situation, that the naval policy they inaugurated for Canada had no friends among the English naval authorities. Politeness forbade criticism of a Government of one of the Dominions, and the demerits of the naval scheme were in consequence passed over almost in silence. The change of Government and Mr. Borden's well recognized progressive views on naval defence have paved the way for plain speaking. The Naval and Military Record, a journal whose authority to discuss the subject will not be questioned, voices this change of tone in a recent issue. "It is permissible to say now," declares the Record, "that the Laurier naval programme was paltry in comparison with that of the Commonwealth." And again: "In the circumstances the Admiralty had to approve the creation of a few cruisers and destroyers."

As an authoritative statement, giving the views of naval experts in England on the whole situation, the comments of the Naval and Military Record are worthy of perusal. It says:

"There will be general satisfaction at the decision of the new Canadian Government to abandon the Laurier scheme for the creation of a small Canadian navy. On this side of the Atlantic the scheme was never regarded with favor since the delay in construction in Canada was foreseen, and the proposal to divide the few ships between the Atlantic and Pacific seaboard was looked upon as strategically unsound. As an indication of the awakening spirit of the Canadian people on the question of naval defence the proposal was welcomed, but it promised no addition to the strength of the Empire on the seas. The Canadian Prime Minister did not go too far when he stated that, viewed in this aspect, the expenditure would have been useless. The new Government has determined to take the advice of the Admiralty to consider fully the needs of the Empire and of Canada, and then draw up a scheme. This probably means that at an early date the Minister for Naval Affairs, accompanied by Rear-Admiral Kingsmill, will visit London, and after the preparation of the scheme it will be submitted to Canadian opinion at the general election, which is anticipated will take place after the next harvest. Consequently there is no reason to anticipate that any effective action will be taken towards co-operation by the Dominion in naval defence for at least a year. It may be hoped that in the interval every effort will be made to place the Imperial issue before the Canadian people."

"The change in front is held to indicate the desire of the new Government to embark upon a more effective naval policy. Mr. Borden, we know, was never satisfied with the very modest programme of cruiser and destroyer construction to which the late Parliament assented. It is permissible to say now that the Laurier naval programme was paltry in comparison with that of the Commonwealth. On the other hand, it marked the awakening of Canada to her imperial obligations, and mainly for that reason the little programme was approved and encouraged by the British Admiralty. Sir Wilfrid Laurier said, in effect: 'We are willing to spend such a sum, and what ships do you advise us to build with that money?' In the circumstances the Admiralty had to approve the creation of a few cruisers and destroyers. Then ensued the dispute in Canada as to whether the future navy should be controlled by the Dominion Government or by the Admiralty in time of war, with what results are known. If Mr. Borden gets his way with the electors the Dominion will unquestionably embark upon a more extensive naval programme than the one submitted to Whitehall in 1900. At this stage it would be useless to speculate upon the numbers or types of ships likely to be voted. Mr. Borden announces through the new Minister of Marine that the advice of Whitehall will again be sought, and, as we hope, with fewer financial restrictions."

If convincing evidence were lacking that these criticisms and conclusions of naval authorities are just and accurate it lies in the fact that since Mr. Hazen, as Minister of the Naval Service, gave the House of Commons and the country the reasons why the Laurier naval policy had failed, not one word in defence of the policy has been uttered by any member of the late Administration, and there has been no lack of opportunity. There is no mistaking the charge that Mr. Hazen made. He said: 'Now why did the late Government after embarking on that policy, after receiving those tenders on the 1st day of May, allow them to remain in abeyance without taking a single step towards making a contract for the building of those ships? Was it because the late Government discovered afterwards that if they had done so they would have simply been throwing away about \$15,000,000 of the people's money? Because the fact is, and I have the evidence that cannot be contradicted and which I am prepared to give this House at any time if my statement is challenged, I have evidence that those vessels, under contract, and under the conditions, would not have been completed for six years from the time the contract was awarded, and by the end of six years these vessels would have been obsolete, entirely unfit for the purposes for which they were designed.'

Mr. Hazen's statement has never been challenged and never will be challenged. No one realizes better than the members of the late Administration that the Laurier naval programme was impracticable and destined to end in failure. When they retired from office, of necessity, they left behind them the report of Admiral Kingsmill, received at the time of the general election, which in itself is sufficient evidence to condemn the scheme. With a naval policy condemned by their own experts, to say nothing of the adverse criticism of English naval authorities, the Laurier Government stands convicted of a monumental blunder second only in importance to the attempt to force Reciprocity on an unwilling people.

Current Comment

(Calgary Herald.)

Mrs. Pankhurst, the suffragist, says that Hon. Mr. Borden should not be allowed to lead a comfortable life. If the Canadian suffragists should so far forget themselves, which we are sure they would not, as to undertake to assault Canadian Cabinet Ministers, we would suggest that Col. Sherwood, Commissioner of Dominion Police, should be authorized to recruit a bodyguard of Amazonian police officers, whose special duty it would be to deal with militant suffragist demonstrators. There would be hairpins on the green then.

(Montreal Gazette.)

Newspapers in the West note that men formerly prominent in the Grain Growers' Association are beginning to drop out of the offices and out of the organization as well. It is only a year since a delegation of the Grain Growers descended on Ottawa, evidently as part of a more phased movement to boom the Taft-Fielding Reciprocity Agreement, and roused the courage of the Ministers and their parliamentary followers. Then they seemed terrible. Now they are disintegrating. They had too many Liberal politicians among them for their good.

(Toronto Star.)

"When the boat was still some way from the shore the breakers began to fill her in spite of the fact that the Duke himself bailed as hard as possible," says an account of the wreck of the Delhi, on which the Duke of Fife was a passenger. "Great Scott! Didn't the water know that the Duke was bailing it?"

HOW CHRISTMAS WAS PASSED AT HAMPTON.

Hampton, Dec. 30.—The Christmas season has been very successful from a business standpoint, but more especially so from that of society and the home. The end of last week brought many home comers to spend the holiday, or sent others off to more or less distant places to renew family associations and pass cordial good wishes for a merry Christmas and a happy New Year.

Churches and congregations followed in the line of presents and Yule Tide gifts, and every family was made happy by the presence of good and beneficent St. Nicholas. Church interiors were elaborately trimmed and decorated and at Sunday's services the choirs sang carols and anthems, and the people joined most heartily in hymns of praise and thanksgiving for Bethlehem's Babe and the world's Redeemer.

The Presbyterian congregations of Hampton, Hammond River and Robb's Bay, save their minister, Rev. George Farquhar, a surprise on Christmas eve, when they presented him with an address of appreciation, signed by a representative of almost every family, and accompanied it with a handsome urlined coat and gloves.

William H. Yeomans of the parish of Hampton was married on December 27th to Lottie M. Forgraves of Sussex, by Rev. Geo. Farquhar, minister of the Hampton Presbyterian church.

Miss Katherine R. Bartlett, teacher of the St. John School of Domestic Science, is spending her Christmas vacation at Hampton. The Hampton curlers have elected Messrs. G. M. Wilson and F. E. Giggie, skips, of the two rinks which will lay against the Scottish curlers on January 9th at St. John.

The curling contest of President vs. Vice-president, will come off in the Hampton rink on New Year's Day, lined up as follows:

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| Zobieski Fleming, Jos. Ross | Ronald Evans |
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| Dr. H. Rice | Dr. S. Kline |
| I. E. Anzevine | Dr. F. H. Wetmore |
| H. J. Evans | Louis Conway |
| J. M. Wilson | F. F. Giggie |

Ott. Barnes, skip. Mr. Logan, skip. A. W. Hicks, skip. Rev. Geo. Farquhar, Mr. Gladwin, Wm. Bovard, R. A. Schofield, J. W. Greece, E. H. Smith, Jas. H. Sprout, skip.

Clarence Conway, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Conway, Railway Ave., is spending his vacation at home. He returns to St. Joseph's College, Memramcook, for the reopening on Monday, Jan. 8th.

Miss Jean Peacock, teacher of Domestic Science in the Hampton Consolidated school, is spending her vacation at her home, Murray's Cove, Westmoreland Co.

Miss Ruthie Thurber, teacher of English in the Hampton Consolidated school, is spending her vacation at Millerton, Northumberland county, for the Christmas and New Year's holidays.

Captain James Adams came home from Halifax to spend Christmas with his wife and family at Hampton Village. R. A. March and J. E. Anzevine, left on Tuesday afternoon for Montreal. Peter Forestall came home from Montreal to spend his Christmas with his sister, Mrs. John L. Coleman, Hampton Village.

Mrs. Elizabeth McManus, widow of the late William McManus, who died at her late home at Hampton Station on Monday, 24th inst., was buried today in the churchyard of St. Paul's parish church Lakeside, after service at the home and church, conducted by Rev. Mr. Crowfoot, rector. Mrs. McManus was 75 years of age, and leaves two daughters and four sons. The former are Mrs. A. S. Wetmore, of Newcastle, Penn., and Mrs. J. H. Yeomans, of York Co., N.S. The sons are Alexander, of Hampton; William, of St. John, and John and James of Hampton. The deceased who was formerly Miss Elizabeth Lattimer, of St. John, also leaves one brother, Jas. Lattimer, of St. John, surviving her.

Crawford Montague, a well known figure in Hampton parish for the past 50 years, died from heart trouble on Tuesday morning 26th inst. and was buried in the churchyard of St. Paul's, at Lakeside, yesterday afternoon. He was for many years in charge of the farm occupied by the late James Trueman and Howard D. McLeod and last summer kept in order the tennis courts here. He was a quiet, respectable citizen, faithful and upright in all his dealings, and his death is generally lamented. He leaves one brother, John, of St. John, and other relatives in Nova Scotia.

The quarterly board and members of the Methodist church congregation in the Methodist church, were remembered the services rendered by Mrs. R. A. March and C. S. March as their organist, by the presentation of handsome sums in aid as a Christmas offering of appreciation. The choir has been practicing some excellent music during the year and last Sunday's carols and anthems were the crowning point of excellence.

Public observation and praise is also due to the choir of the Presbyter-

ian church under the services of Miss Jessie Howard, an organist for their much appreciated efforts in leading the singing of the congregation.

Miss Minnie Travis spent Christmas in St. John with family connections and friends.

Robert A. Smith, of Barronville, N. S., is spending Christmas week with his sister, Mrs. F. M. Sproul, Hampton Station.

E. G. Evans and his son Harry, came home for Christmas, the former from Montreal, and the latter from MacDonald College, St. Ann de Bellevue, Quebec.

Thomas A. Peters came from P. E. Island to spend Christmas and New Year's with the families of his married daughters here and at Bloomfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Barbour spent their Christmas in St. John with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Ernest Fowler and family, Norton, spent Christmas at the paternal home of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Fowler, Main street, Hampton Station.

Miss Hazel Flewelling, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Flewelling, Douglas avenue, St. John, is spending some days this week, the guest of her aunt, Mrs. C. S. March, Railway Avenue.

Among St. John people visitors at Hampton the last week end and early this week were E. B. Seely, H. C. Mott, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Mott, A. W. Baird, M. C. McPhail and others.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

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—Park.

J. A. Langis, R. M. Armstrong, A. R. Hampton, Moncton; A. S. Elder, Edmonton, Alta; H. L. Keith, Petticoat; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond S. Brown, New York City; J. A. Simpson, E. L. Mann, J. R. Wentworth, Winnipeg; R. Collins, Yarmouth; J. R. Smith Calgary.

—Victoria.

F. G. Robertson, Halifax; J. E. McAuley, R. R. Bradley, Lower Millstreet; Geo. K. Wark, M. Codner, Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Kellogg, George Anderson, North Bay, Ont.; Chas. Lounsbury, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. White, Canterbury; M. L. Holt, St. Stephen; F. A. Young, J. D. Chisholm, Halifax; John Morrison, Woodstock.

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WINTER TOURS TO NASSAU, CUBA and MEXICO ELDER-DEMPSTER LINE

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SHIPPING NEWS

WINTER PORT STEAMERS. Sailings for St. John up to 31st December 1911.

DAILY ALMANAC. Tuesday, January 2, 1912. Sun rises 8.11 a. m. Sun sets 4.47 p. m.

PORT OF SAINT JOHN. Arrived Monday Jan. 1. Stmr Rhodesian, 2,055, Forrest, from Barbados, Demerara, Wm. Thomson & Co., general cargo.

BRITISH PORTS. Manchester, Dec. 29.—Arr. stmr Manchester Shipper, St. John and Halifax.

LIST OF VESSELS IN PORT. Athens, 5,525, Donaldson line, Gramplan, 6,430, Allan line, Gramplan, 6,430, Allan line, Shenandoah, 2,492, Wm. Thomson & Co.

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NICKEL'S PROGRAMME A HOLIDAY FEATURE Popular Picture House Throughed all Day Yesterday—Picture Films and Incidenta Features Excellent.

REPORTS AND DISASTERS. Providence, R. I., Dec. 29.—Stmr Georgia, from New York, went aground on west side of the channel, near Rhode Island Yacht Club, this A. M., but was floated by tug Gaspe.

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62nd OFFICERS AT HOME. The officers of the local militia celebrated New Year's Day by holding an at home in their clubroom over St. Andrew's rink, from 10 o'clock in the morning till one in the afternoon.

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GENSUS DEPOPULATED TOWN OF PARRSBOUR

Review of Trade of Past Year Shows Increase, but Official Enumeration was Very Unenimifactory. Parrsboro, Dec. 30.—Owing to depressed prices in the British market the lumber shipments from Parrsboro during the year now ending, was smaller than was anticipated.

THE NICKEL'S NEW YEAR'S GIFT TO PATRONS WAS A MAJESTIC PROGRAMME varied in subject and of unusual interest. This theatre proved one of the greatest holds in the show.

THE SHIPMENT OF A SMALL CARGO OF POTATOES, the first in many years, promises to have important results. Many farmers have signified their intention of growing potatoes more extensively.

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MINTOSH'S WEEKLY LETTER

Market Review.

When the progress of the past year in Canada is viewed in its true light, namely by comparison with other countries somewhat similarly situated, Canadians have little to ask for. From the opening days of the year business in the United States grew gradually worse. No matter how fast the production of iron and steel might be cut down, consumption receded yet more rapidly, so that throughout the year there was overproduction, and prices were ever on the down grade. At the present moment, the situation is somewhat improved, and reports are to the effect that the New Year will see a more encouraging state of affairs. During all this time, the production of iron and steel in Canada kept up at full rate and no doubt the reports will show a record production for Canada during 1911. Meantime, however, prices were lower, in sympathy with those of the United States, and a satisfactory necessity to make cuts so far as competition from Canadian producers was concerned. The year closes with orders booked well ahead.

Active Markets Prevailed.

In the financial field a somewhat similar state of affairs prevailed in each country. Throughout the greater part of the year, prices of securities were weak in the United States and trading was exceedingly dull. On the other hand, prices were generally strong in Canada, and a satisfactory trade was experienced. This experience becomes all the more remarkable in the two countries when it is remembered that in the United States money was very tight all the year and rates were low, whereas, in Canada, money was scarce and rates uniformly firm. No doubt the explanation is found in the fact that earnings in Canada were for the most part such as to justify advanced prices for securities, notwithstanding the stiff rates which had to be paid for money.

Banks Increase Dividends.

If we take the Banks themselves as examples of the tendency towards increased earnings, we find the claim fully supported. During the past year more than one third of all the Canadian chartered banks increased their dividends, and an even larger number have already reported increases in earnings as compared with the year 1910. Altogether, ten banks decided to pay their shareholders 1 per cent. or 2 per cent. more per annum in the future than in the past, the total of the increases being 2 1-2.

Increase in Capital.

The tendency of the times is seen also in the fact that although the paid-up capital of the Canadian banks has largely increased, the number of banks has not. There are now twenty-eight banks in Canada as against the same number a year ago. This is several less than reported a few years ago. Amalgamations are mainly responsible for the decreased number of banks, though failures have unfortunately added their quota. A year ago the aggregate capital of the banks was a little under \$100,000,000. Today it is but little short of \$198,000,000, and there is yet to be paid in \$3,000,000, or increases already decided upon. Besides this another million is fully expected. We have here a total of \$112,000,000 capital, practically guaranteed at the beginning of 1912. As the circulation in Canada, at the high record point last autumn, was probably \$2,000,000 less than this amount, the banks are making excellent provision for future requirements. Doubtless, further increases will be decided upon during the year, inasmuch as fully two thirds of the banks were compelled to take advantage of the unremunerative emergency circulation in order to supply the demands of their customers. As might be expected, the increase in the reserves kept pace with the increase in the Capital, if, in fact, it did not exceed it. Altogether, the new year begins with the finances of the country in good shape, so far as the banks are concerned.

Evidences of Prosperity.

When we glance down the stock exchange sheets we are met with further evidence of the prosperity of the country. With very few exceptions, either prices are higher or capital stock has been increased. In other cases, shareholders have been enriched in the process. Only about four companies found it necessary to pass or reduce their dividends, and only one has had any default on its dividend interest. It is thought that another in about to do so. This appears to complete the list of disasters in the Montreal Stock Exchange list.

On the other hand, it seems as though, in a score of instances, dividends have been increased or stock bonuses have been given out, either in the presentation of new stock to shareholders or in conferring upon them the right to subscribe to their proportion of new stock at prices considerably under those at which the stock was selling at the time of the new issue. As much as 100 per cent. has been given away from new stock, and dividends on the entire issue, after a temporary reduction, have been resumed at the rate paid on the old capitalization. In other instances, flotations and amalgamations of the past few years, which at the time of their formation were viewed askance by many of the more conservative financiers, have demonstrated their power to make good, by reaching the dividend paying stage. It is expected that others will arrive at the same point ere long. Every thing considered, Canada is certainly due for congratulations on her experiences in the securities markets during the past year.

Many Issues in London.

At the moment, there is considerable talk of a plethora of offerings on the London market. In truth the inability and unwillingness of the London market to absorb any more Canadian issues has so often been announced, only to be followed by a new crop of issues taken more readily by the market, that the public may be pardoned for desiring a more decisive proof of the statement. Such, it might be contended, was furnished in the recent issue of £7,000,000 C. N. R. bonds, some 89 per cent of which was said to have been left on the underwriters' hands. This looks like a demonstration of London's unwillingness to take anything more. That it is not such, will be demonstrated by the willingness with which London will take up its rights to the new issue of the C. P. R. London has lots

\$5,000 Nova Scotia Steel and Coal Company First Mortgage 5 Per Cent Bonds

Due July 1st, 1909. Denomination \$1,000. Interest payable January 1st, July 1st. Price 95 1/2 per cent. and interest to yield 5 1/4 per cent.

\$8,000 Nova Scotia Steel and Coal Company 6 Per Cent Debenture Stock

Redeemable at 105 per cent. and interest after 1919. Interest payable January 1st, July 1st. Price 105 per cent. and interest to yield 5 1/2 per cent.

Earnings for 1910 were the largest in the history of the Company. After full provision for depreciation and renewals, net earnings were \$824,000 against Bond and Debenture Interest of \$308,000.

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of money at the right time and for securities which it may want at that particular time. The problem is to know what it wants and when—and also the price.

Record Railway Earnings.

Railway earnings in Canada have been all that could be desired during the past year. The large crop this season has made up for the deficiency of the previous year. The C. P. R. has been adding to its mileage. The C. N. R. has practically entered upon its transcontinental stage and the G. T. P. will be operating, from ocean to ocean it is hoped, in about two years time. Meantime, there is talk of the Georgian Bay Canal and the deepening of the Welland Canal, either of which will be undertaken sooner or later. Work, also, is beginning on the Hudson Bay Railway, and whether this be viewed in the light of a mistake or not, the expenditure will add temporarily to the industrial activity of the country.

VARIOUS SOCIETIES ELECT OFFICERS

Newcastle, Dec. 30.—Newcastle societies have elected following officers for 1912: A. O. H.—President, Matthew McCarron; vice-president, Bryan Hennessy; recording secretary, Fred V. Morris; treasurer, Patrick Hennessy; chairman standing committee, Charles P. McCabe; sergeant at arms, P. J. Dunn; sentinel, John Fallon. C. M. B. A.—President, M. McCarron; 1st vice-president, P. J. Dunn; 2nd vice-president, Peter Dunn; recording secretary, Frank D. Ryan; financial secretary, J. D. Paulin; treasurer, Rev. P. W. Dixon; marshal, W. L. Durick; trustees, Rev. P. W. Dixon, P. J. McEvoy, Dr. P. J. McGrath, J. D. Craghan and Joseph D. Paulin.

Newcastle Division Sons of Temperance—W. P. Rev. W. J. Dean; W. A. Mrs. H. Lagan; R. S. Miss Adeline Bockler; A. R. S. Miss Helen McLeod; financial secretary, Blair Hutchinson; treasurer, James Hutchinson; chaplain, Miss M. J. Dunsmuir; conductor, W. C. Day; A. C. S. Miss May Campbell; I. S. Wilson Gault; O. S. Clarence Jones; organist, Miss Mabel McGregor; P. W. P. Mrs. Alice B. Leard.

Douglasville Division—W. P. Harold S. Stothart; W. A. Wm. E. Brantford; R. S. Miss Hilda Bass; A. R. S. Miss Jane Jessamin; P. S. Graham McKnight; treasurer, R. H. Jessamin; chaplain, David Gilliver; conductor, Clarence McKenzia; A. C. Clifford Jessamin; I. S. Howard Russell; O. S. Leslie Kirkpatrick; P. W. P. George Cassle; S. Y. P. W. Miss Bella Jessamin. Miss Alice Johnston has gone to Loggsville for her vacation.

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Some of the Champions of 1911



SIDNEY HATCH,
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WITH THE BOWLERS.
 V. Johnson won the turkey with 115 points for the highest score in competition on Black's alleys yesterday. This evening both the city and commercial leagues will resume playing for the first time after the holidays when the Insurance and V. M. C. A. teams will clash in the city league fixture and Barnes and Co. and O. H. Warwick in the commercial league.

PRESIDENT'S RINKS WON ANNUAL NEW YEAR'S MATCH ON THISTLE'S CURLING ICE

The Thistle curlers had a good day yesterday when the annual president vs. vice-president match was played, eight rinks participating on each side. The curling ice was good and the competition keen enough to satisfy the most ardent devotee of the game. The match was won by the rinks representing the president by a score of 104 to 50. They scored their lead early in the day and at the end of the morning session were nine points to the good. In the afternoon they increased it by nine more, but in the evening the vice-president curlers had the better of the argument by four points, making the net score for the day as stated.

The score by rinks was as follows:
 Morning.
 President. Vice-President
 A. D. Malcolm F. S. Burpee
 Skip. 10 Skip. 10
 F. Watson A. Macaulay
 Skip. 12 Skip. 10

Afternoon.
 R. S. Orchard A. J. Machum
 Skip. 11 Skip. 8
 W. A. Shaw A. G. Stevens
 Skip. 10 Skip. 12
 W. J. S. Miles R. Reid
 Skip. 17 Skip. 15
 44 35

Evening.
 R. Shaw A. J. Machum
 Skip. 8 Skip. 10
 H. G. Barnes W. J. Brown
 Skip. 13 Skip. 15
 21 25

Total score for the day, President, 104; Vice-President, 50. Majority for the President's rinks 14.

A meeting of the Thistle club will be held tonight at the rink to elect skips to play for the Malcolm trophy, and also to uphold the honor of the Thistles against the Scottish curlers.

CHAMPION BATTERS OF 1911

League	Name	Club	A. V.	Reports 1912 to—
American Association	Cravath	Minneapolis	369	Philadelphia (Nat. L.)
American	Cobb	Detroit	420	Detroit (Am. L.)
Appalachian	Thrasher	Cleveland	351	Cleveland (App. L.)
Blue Grass	Mayer	Paris	352	Atlanta (S. L.)
Carolina Association	Worford	Charlotte	392	Charlotte (C. A.)
Central Association	Holyross	Muscatine	361	Chicago (Am. L.)
Central	Connolly	Terre Haute	369	Terre Haute (C. L.)
Connecticut	Rosback	Hartford	356	Hartford (Conn. L.)
Cotton States	Smith	Hattiesburg	401	Hattiesburg (C. S. L.)
Eastern	Perry	Providence	343	Providence (E. L.)
Kitty	Hart	Fulton	249	Philadelphia (N. Y. L.)
National	Wagner	Pittsburg	354	Pittsburg (Nat. L.)
Nebraska State	Coyle	Superior	354	Omaha (W. L.)
New York State	Schleffy	Troy	341	Jersey City (E. L.)
Northwestern	Bues	Seattle	355	New York (Nat. L.)
Ohio State	Biles	Piqua	249	Piqua (O. B. L.)
Pacific Coast	Helmuller	Los Angeles	243	Los Angeles (P.C.L.)
Southern	Smith	Nashville	317	Brooklyn (Nat. L.)
Southern Michigan	Conners	Jackson	377	Jackson (S. M. L.)
Texas-Oklahoma	Naylor	Wichita Falls	358	Wichita Falls (T.O.L.)
Three I.	Johnson	Decatur	320	New York (Nat. L.)
Tristate	Cockill	Reading	360	Reading (Trist. L.)
Union Association	Huelman	Great Falls	411	Memphis (S. L.)
Virginia	Block	Norfolk	330	St. Louis (Nat. L.)
Western Canada	O'Brien	Calgary	392	Calgary (W. C. L.)
Western	Casady	Denver	342	Denver (W. L.)
Wisconsin-Illinois	Stengel	Aurora	352	Toronto (E. L.)

THOUGHT HE WAS KNOCKED OUT IN BOUT

Indianapolis, Jan. 1.—The scheduled ten round bout between Leo Houck, of Pittsburg, and Jack Dillon, of Indianapolis, this afternoon ended unexpectedly when Houck failed to leave his corner at the beginning of the seventh round. It was claimed he was suffering from a fracture, but on examination the club physician claimed he found no traces of a fracture. Dillon punished Houck severely with stiff body blows, forcing the Pittsburg boxer to hold on throughout the contest.

LESTER IS DEFEATED ON POINTS

Sydney, Australia, Jan. 1.—In a boxing match, which took place at the stadium here today, Jack Lester, of Cle Elum, Washington, formerly heavyweight champion of Australia, was easily outpointed by an Australian heavyweight named Smith. The contest lasted 14 rounds, Smith eventually being declared winner on a foul.

HAMPTON READY FOR CURLERS

Hampton, Dec. 28.—Skips G. M. Wilson and P. F. Giggie elected by the Hampton Curling Club to select rinks to meet the Scottish curlers in St. John on Jan. 31, have chosen four men on each rink besides themselves so as to be sure of having a full complement on the day of contest. One man will be dropped from each list. The rinks named are:
 J. E. Angevine, Wm. Langstroth, R. H. Smith, M. Conway, G. M. Wilson, skip.
 Percy Giggie, A. W. Hicks, T. Wm. Barnes, Jas. H. Spronk, F. F. Giggie, skip.

AMERICANS' CHANCES ARE VERY SLIM

Christchurch, New Zealand, Jan. 1.—The American challengers lost both of today's matches for the Davis international lawn tennis cup. Norman E. Brooks, captain of the Australian team, defeated Wright 6-4, 2-6, 6-3, 6-3 and Ted Heath, on three out of four sets from Larned as follows 2-6, 6-1, 7-5, 6-2.

The weather was excellent and the attendance large.

The loss of two matches leaves the outlook dismal for the Americans. They must win every one of the three remaining matches, to lift the cup.

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CARLETON CURLERS AT IT ALL DAY

All yesterday and last evening the Carleton Curlers celebrated New Year's Day by holding their annual resident vs. vice-president match. With five rinks participating on each side the ice was good and the play, which was very close, resulted in a victory for the vice-president by a total score of 56 to 49.

The morning play came out flat and in the afternoon the vice-president's skips succeeded in taking four points from those of the president and increased their lead in the evening, finally winning by seven points.

Following is the score by rinks:
 Morning.
 President.
 J. M. Wilson, skip, 13
 E. R. Taylor, skip, 9
 22
 Vice-President.
 S. D. Wilson, skip, 9
 P. W. Wetmore, skip, 13
 22

Afternoon.
 President.
 W. D. Baskin, skip, 12
 Rev. G. F. Scovill, skip, 4
 16
 Vice-President.
 James Scott, skip, 8
 Charles Coster, skip, 12
 20

Evening.
 President.
 J. M. Belyea, skip, 11
 49
 Vice-President.
 James McLennan, skip, 14
 56

DISBROW TO HEAD CASE TEAM

New York, Jan. 1.—Louis Disbrow, winner of long distance records, is to head a strong racing team which will enter a campaign for the J. I. Case Company within a few months. He expects to enter every meet of importance in this country during the coming year.

Disbrow is to have a special car constructed for speed events. It will be designed for 200-horse power, and will be named the "J. I. See" after the noted race horse. "Joe" Jagersberger is said to have been invited to become a member of the team.

A meeting of the Thistle club will be held tonight at the rink to elect skips to play for the Malcolm trophy, and also to uphold the honor of the Thistles against the Scottish curlers.

FALLS THROUGH ICE AND IS DROWNED

Waterborough, Jan. 1.—A very sad accident occurred here last week, when William Fanjoy, who started for the blacksmith shop Wednesday morning on skates, did not come home, and his nephew, Edy Fanjoy, on searching for him Saturday afternoon, found his cap frozen in the ice on Mill Cove, Grand Lake. After chopping the ice away, with the aid of a pole, his body was brought to the surface.

Mr. Fanjoy started for the shop Wednesday morning with a set of wagon shafts to get repaired and, it being shorter, he started on skates to cross Mill Cove. It is thought he skated into a spring hole, which was just skimmed over, and one of his skates got wedged between the whiffletree and shaft brace, keeping him down so that he did not have any chance to get out. The sad accident has cast a gloom over the community as he was a man who was widely known and well liked by all who knew him. He was unmarried, and leaves four sisters, Mrs. Charles Springer, Jemseg, Q. C.; Mrs. S. B. Fanjoy, Mrs. T. A. Ferris, of this place, and Miss Amy Fanjoy in St. John, also two nephews, who have made their home with him, Messrs. Oty and Newton Fanjoy, to mourn their sad loss.

The deceased was in the 61st year of his age. The funeral will be held from the residence of his sister, Mrs. S. B. Fanjoy, on Tuesday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, and interment will be made in the family cemetery at White's Cove.


NEWS OF THE RANGE.

The Range, Dec. 20.—The weather here has been very cold these last few days.

Geo. F. Barton and Miss Eliza Miller were the guests of Miss Ada Burke Christmas afternoon.

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Every Day Club.
 The Every Day Club at its annual meeting yesterday adopted a new constitution, making the rules in regard to total abstinence more stringent and also simplifying the transaction of club business. There was a large attendance and the members were enthusiastic over the outlook for the new year. The following officers were elected: president, A. M. Belding; vice-president, C. S. Humbert; secretary-treasurer, R. L. Johnston; auditors, Charles Dixon, Horace Titus and W. E. Seely. These with five other members to be appointed by the president, will form the executive committee. The reports showed the club to be gaining members and to be in a sound financial position. A report on last summer's playground work was given. The club will be five years old next Tuesday. Tomorrow night there will be a Christmas tree, with refreshments, for the members and a jolly time is assured, as there are good musicians and sketch artists in the club, and Santa Claus will be there with the goods.

LOCAL ADVERTISING.

Hereafter the following charges will be made on reading notices inserted in The Standard: Church Notices, Sunday Services, 5c. per line of six words.

AROUND THE CITY

Presented With Pipe. Yesterday evening Thomas Barrett, vice-president of the stone cutters union, was presented with a valuable meerschaum pipe, showing the good will that the members have for him.

New Year's Day Robins. Capt. Arthur McKel, of 157 Metcalf street, while walking with a friend on the Indian town wharf yesterday afternoon was somewhat startled by seeing several robins hopping about on the wharf. The birds had evidently been lured north by the mild weather.

To Consider Civic Grants. The postponed meeting of the treasury board has been called for this evening. One of the matters which will engage attention is that of awarding grants to the exhibition association, the Free Kindergarten, and various other institutions usually in receipt of public aid.

The W. C. T. U. The W. C. T. U. will hold the annual Dominion Day of Prayer today. At 3 o'clock Rev. W. Gaetz will deliver an address on "How Can the Church Protect the Young from Intemperance and Impurity." The meeting will take place in the Seaman's Institute.

Dinner and Presentation. The Happy Home Club who have quarters in the No. 3 fire station, Union street, held their annual dinner on Sunday night. There was an excellent spread and a programme of speeches and songs. During the evening Drivers Donohue, Johnston, Alward and Supt. Chas. Piercy were presented with silk umbrellas.

Ald. Kierstead's Case. The special committee of the common council appointed to investigate the charges against Ald. Kierstead, and has prepared another report. It is understood that the new report will again exonerate Ald. Kierstead, and that it will express the opinion that in view of the apology of the engineer there is no call to make any recommendations applying to that official.

Charged With Theft. Yesterday morning Alex Bralley was arrested on suspicion of stealing an overcoat the property of Robert Peck, from a house on Acadia street. A warrant was sworn out for the arrest of Sergt. Baxter took the man in charge. The overcoat was found in the possession of Bralley when he was arrested. He will be taken before the magistrate this morning.

Candidate for Commissioner. Ald. Rupert W. Wignore started the New Year in good style yesterday by announcing to The Standard that he had yielded to the solicitations of many friends and would be a candidate for a seat on the civic commission in the elections in April. Ald. Wignore, as alderman at large, has been a member of the City Council for three years and last year held the office of chairman of the water and sewerage board and was an active member of the market committee.

Mayor Frink is Some Shot. His Worship the Mayor fired the first shot and brought down his pigeon at the opening shoot of the St. John Gun Club yesterday afternoon. About fifteen of the members were present and a fairly successful afternoon was spent breaking clay pigeons. As the new traps have not arrived it was necessary to use the old ones, but although this was a slight disadvantage all the shooters expressed themselves as delighted with their first attempt.

Oddfellows' Reunion. The annual reunion of the I. O. O. F. was held yesterday morning and an enjoyable hour was spent. This year the event was held in the Oddfellows' hall, Carleton. C. B. Allen presided and the hour was agreeably spent with addresses and music. During the morning interesting addresses were delivered by the chairman, W. F. Hatheway, M. P. P. and Ald. Codner. Among the visitors at the reunion were Grand Warden Cruikshank, New Glasgow, and Mr. Watters, of Woodstock.

New Year's on the Steamers. Although the small number of steamers in port made the usual New Year's observance on the trans-Atlantic liners less general than in former years, yet the time honored customs were carried out on the Allan liner Grampian and the Headliner Ramore Head, both of which arrived a few hours before the advent of the new year. New Year's eve is the occasion in the year in the British merchant marine when the "ship stands treat," and on Sunday night the liberty was taken advantage of. On the Grampian there was a pleasant impromptu entertainment while the men on the Headliner also spent an enjoyable social hour.

Smoker and Presentations. The reunion smoker held by the members of St. Peter's Y. M. A. in their rooms, Douglas Avenue yesterday afternoon was a well attended and enjoyable affair. The programme was as follows: selection, orchestra; vocal solo, T. C. Olive; selection, orchestra; vocal solo, E. O'Hara; reading, John McDonald; selection, orchestra. After the programme a number of presentations were made by J. B. Dever on behalf of the society, to the following people: Rev. Joseph H. Borgman, C.S.S. H., spiritual director of the society, a purse of gold; Wm. McVey, the caretaker, a piece of silverware and each member of the orchestra received a box of cigars.

There will be a band at the Victoria rink tonight. All sizes Scotch hard coal landing today for Gibson and Co.

MAGISTRATE AGREES WITH CHIEF ON WHISKEY QUESTION

Hon. R. J. Ritchie Upholds Chief of Police Clarke's Opinion that some Very Bad Whiskey is sold in St. John - Advocates "Booze Inspector" and Prohibition of "Treating"

When asked his opinion regarding Chief Clarke's statement that bad whiskey was responsible for the increase in the number of arrests last year as compared with previous years, Police Magistrate Ritchie said he was inclined to agree with the chief's view.

"Of course as a temperance man I am not prepared to admit that any whiskey is good," he said, "But I think the chief is right when he says that some of the whiskey sold in St. John is very bad. I am strongly of the opinion that it is not right to have an official to inspect the liquor which is offered for sale. I also think that we ought to have a non-treating provision in the liquor license act."

"My experience as magistrate leads me to believe that it is in many cases not the quantity but the quality of liquor that brings men to the police court. Many men who come before me say they only had a few drinks and appear to be much surprised at their predicament. Sometimes liquor is taken off of them, and I am told in some cases it has been sampled by experts and pronounced to be doctored liquor. I should think there was good evidence to warrant the statement of the chief that a good deal of liquor of a vile quality is sold in the city. It is said to be an easy matter to make liquor. But it is a bad thing for the consumer. I think there would be a good deal less drunkenness if there was an inspector to look after the quality of the liquor, and see that the consumers were not poisoned with drugs."

"There are some people who say the police arrest persons whom they should leave alone. Now and then people telephone me saying that they saw a policeman arrest a man for drunkenness whom they thought was able to look out for himself. In every one of these cases I have found that the man was arrested for using profane or obscene language and not for drunkenness. Spectators who complain that the man was not drunk enough to be arrested, evidently were not aware that he had been using bad language, when taken up by the police."

"I am often credited with saying things about the police which never entered my head. I will say that I think the police do their duty and don't make needless arrests."

"Personally, I take the English view that the police have no right to arrest a man merely because he has taken too much liquor for his good. According to the law the police have on the right to arrest men 'found drunk.' That is the wording of the law and I have frequently told the police that if they saw a man staggering along they should see that he got home. It is a different matter if a man is too drunk to get along, and is liable to fall down somewhere and be frozen to death. If they saw me staggering home I don't think they would arrest me, and I think the same consideration should be given to the working-men. And I think it is."

"One of the chief causes of drunkenness is the treating habit. If you are out almost any night you will see a score of men lined up to the bars of a saloon, ranging in little groups, buying drinks for one another. The man of wealth can go to his club, and stay there and chat with his friends while the poorer classes the only club is the saloon, and they have to buy drinks or get out."

"A non-treating act would prevent the practice men get into of buying liquor when usually they don't want it, and certainly don't need it. Both the saloon keeper and the treator and treatee should be fined. We had a rule of that kind in the Union Club for years and it worked all right."

MARKET OPERATION WILL SHOW SURPLUS

Committee Administering Market Affairs will submit Good Report to Council Meeting Tomorrow—\$2,000 Surplus

It is stated that the report of the market committee which will be submitted to the meeting of the council tomorrow will show that the receipts from the country market during 1911 were considerably larger than in previous years, and that there will be a net revenue of about \$2,000. This will be a much better showing for the market than in 1910 when the city made a profit of about 30 cents from it.

Since the control of the market was taken out of the hands of the Safety Board and placed in the hands of a special committee of which the Mayor is chairman, quite a number of repairs have been made to the market building, and the fact that the committee will be able to show a surplus while providing for the improvements of current revenues, should be gratifying to the public. When the special committee took over the management of the market, it decided to abandon the old practice of leasing the stalls and since May the Market clerk has been collecting the tolls.

The committee sometime ago requested the architects of the city to prepare plans for extensive alterations to the Market Building on the understanding that they would purchase the most suitable. H. H. Mott and Garnett Wilson entered the competition, and their plans have been submitted to the building inspector, Shinklin Thompson to decide which are the better.

PLEASANT DAY AT THE SILVER FALLS SCHOOL

Members of the Father Mathew Association Provided Christmas Tree for Boys of Industrial School Yesterday

Thanks to the members of the F. M. A., the boys of St. Patrick's Industrial school at Silver Falls had a most enjoyable New Year. Accompanied by Bishop Casey, Mayor Frink and others, a large party of members of the society drove out to the school where a Christmas tree was presented to the boys, and an interesting programme of speeches and musical selections carried out.

Bishop Casey delivered an address to the boys, referring to the associations that cling around New Year's Day, and the significance of Christmas trees in the life of young people. Rev. Father O'Neill, Mayor Frink, ex-Mayor Sears, Miles E. Agar, and Mr. O'Connor also made brief speeches appropriate to the occasion.

Fred A. Hazel on behalf of the F. M. A. then presented the boys with a Christmas tree, which was heavily loaded with gifts.

MILITARY SCHOOL TO OPEN HERE ON 15TH

Militia Men will Profit from New Plan Adopted by Militia Department—Instructors to Come Here.

In accordance with the policy recently announced by the minister of militia of conducting schools of instruction at as many points as possible arrangements are being made for opening a military school in this city on Jan. 15th.

Fifteen schools of instruction for officers and men have been held at comparatively few points in the Dominion, requiring those in some districts who wish to take advantage of the instruction to travel long distances. Under the new arrangement the instructors will do the travelling and the schools will come to the men. Seventy-five instructors are attached to the permanent staff and they will be utilized to conduct schools in all the militia districts in the country and endeavor to supply a greater number of properly qualified officers.

NEW YEAR'S DAY WAS WELL SPENT IN Y.M.C.A.

Gymnasium Exhibition in Afternoon and Reception at Night Proved Pleasing Attractions to Many Visitors.

In the Y. M. C. A. yesterday afternoon and evening New Year's Day was celebrated by holding a gymnasium exhibition in the afternoon and a reception in the evening.

At the matinee the gallery was thronged with proud parents, who saw their boys go through the following programme: Marching, calisthenic drill, by the boys; long horse and rings, by the juniors; dumb-bell drill, intermediates; class apparatus, by the boys; marching, by the juniors; side horse, spring board and mats, by the intermediates; relay races, by the boys; Indian clubs, by the boys; three deep, intermediates; pyramids, leader corps.

At the reception in the evening the rooms were crowded to their utmost and after visiting all parts of the building, the guests were entertained with a very enjoyable programme after which refreshments were served, by the ladies' auxiliary. At the supper table Mesdames F. A. Dykeman and H. Colby Smith, poured and they were assisted by a few of the young ladies present. The programme rendered was as follows: Torch twirling, L. Bandlow; violin solo, J. F. Vincent; reading, H. Walker; orchestra selection; reading, Miss Green; orchestra selection.

An Engine Stolen. When Edward Kelley went to the Union street slip yesterday morning, he was greatly surprised to find that his motor boat had been looted during the night and that although he still retained the boat, the engine had been stolen. The person or persons who stole the engine, made a clean job as they cut away the supports and took away the engine.

Mrs. R. J. McAfee will be at home to her friends this afternoon and evening, Jan. 2, at her residence, Red Head.

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