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A NEWSPAPER FOR WOMEN.

W. T. Stead Launches a New Scheme.

Will Make a Daily Paper an Instrument of Social Service in London, He Says.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—A despatch to the Herald from London says: W. T. Stead will start a new paper here probably under the title of "The Daily Paper." He proposes to get 200,000 subscribers in London, and deliver the papers at each door between 10 o'clock and 12 in the morning, after the men have gone to business and when the women and children will have an opportunity to read it.

It will cost a penny. Of his plan he says: "The messengers, who will be bright young girls, will be instructed to collect from each subscriber letter complaints or advertisements in envelopes addressed to the editor, and in this way I hope to get in personal touch with all my readers. Depots will be established at various points in the city, at each of which I expect to have a post restante, which sort of thing does not exist in London now, a free telephone, circulating library, reading room or place to call and I hope who has to stay home wishes to send a message, all this sort of thing will be put into an envelope in the morning and in two hours it will be at the depot, the message will be sent on to the tradesman, the articles desired being delivered a. d. in the afternoon. It is a great social experiment as to whether one can use a newspaper for social service. I shall be a sort of preaching friar, who will be willing to act as a maid of all work. As to its contents, there will be a serial on the basis of an event in the day's news. One page will be set aside for children. As to editorials, there will be a column of editorial notes. About foreign news, I shall not worry much at first. I want to localise the paper."

RIOTOUS STUDENTS.

Cossacks and Police Keep Mob of Russian Students From Destroying the University.

KIEF, Russia, Dec. 2.—The university here has been closed until January 3rd, in consequence of the renewal of disorders on the part of the students. The latter refuse to recognize the authority of the court of professors constituted to try twenty-nine students, who were arrested as a result of the recent disturbances which occurred among the students at Kief, Odessa, Kazan and Tomsk. The students on the present occasion met an attempt to shut them out of the university by battering down the gates and damaging the building, from which finally they were ejected by a force of one hundred Cossacks and detachments of police.

A NEW LIFE SAVER.

Successful Trial of Peoujar Un-sinkable Buoy For Saving Life From Wrecks.

COPENHAGEN, Dec. 2.—A successful trial of the Doenvis lifesaving buoy has been made at Skaw on the dangerous coast during a storm. After a trial had been made with a ballasted buoy, the inventor, Captain Doenvis, with four other persons, entered a buoy which was launched from the cruiser Heimdel. It successfully cleared the breakers and shoals and drifted safely ashore.

The invention of Capt. Doenvis was given a successful trial in the English Channel between Dover and the South Foreland in November, 1902. In the heavy sea the globe rode over the waves like a cork and was remarkably steady. After toasting about for some time, Capt. Doenvis and one of the sailors who was with him in the globe, emerged from the manhole, and, lashing themselves to the outside of it, set sail and steered in a fairly direct course for several miles and into Dover harbor.

The apparatus is made of light steel plates and is surrounded by a cork tender. It has a flat double bottom, containing tanks which can be filled with fresh water and used as ballast, there are also compartments for stores. The buoy will hold sixteen persons.

KILLED BY BLANDER.

English Girl Came to Canada in the Steamer and Went Back First Cabin.

Miss Nora Whitfield, of Middlewich, Cheshire, England, eighteen years of age, came out to Halifax recently on the steamer Canada under somewhat peculiar circumstances. Having had false charges brought against her character by her clergyman, she left her home under an assumed name and came to Canada in the steamer.

She was traced, however, and before she could land the immigration authorities of Halifax were in possession of the facts and she was apprehended. To avoid publicity during her stay there the steamer of St. George and Mrs. Cunningham kindly gave her a home with them, where she proved herself to be a young lady of culture and refined feeling. The young lady's aunt arrived last Friday on the steamer Bavarian and they sailed for home on the Pretoria, this time as cabin passengers.

OTTAWA THE SCENE OF ANOTHER GREAT FIRE.

Catholic University of Ottawa Totally Destroyed—Loss \$200,000—Priests Seriously Injured.

(Special to the Star.)

OTTAWA, Dec. 2.—The beautiful building of the University of Ottawa, one of the largest Roman Catholic institutions on the continent, was totally destroyed by fire this morning. The loss is estimated at \$200,000. Insurance, \$150,000.

Fire was discovered in the academic hall about 7.30, while professors and resident students were at breakfast. The conflagration originated in the academic hall, presumably from certain chemical apparatus for colored lights in the rear and rolled off on to the ice of the skating rink, falling on his head and sustaining very severe injuries.

Father Fulham, prefect of discipline, jumped from a window and broke his leg. Father McGuire, curate of St. Joseph's parish, had his face severely burned. The heat was so intense that the university science hall on the opposite side of the street caught fire, but the flames were extinguished.

SAM PARKS DYING.

Notorious Misleader of Labor is in Prison Hospital Ill With Consumption.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—The press today says Sam Parks, the convicted walking delegate of the housewives and bridgemen's society, is confined in the hospital in Sing Sing prison. He was taken there by direction of Dr. Robt. Irvine, the prison physician, who says that Parks is a very sick man. He is suffering from consumption.

When Parks arrived at Sing Sing the last time, after having been sentenced by Judge Newburger, principal keeper Jas. Connaughton put him to work in the brush shop. The work is not very hard, and for a short time Parks talked along with the rest of the convicts, but the close confinement soon began to tell on him. Parks broke down completely by Monday.

A CORNER IN PEARS.

The World's Present Supply is Now in the Hands of a Chicago Firm.

CHICAGO, Dec. 2.—A million and a quarter pears, and to be practically the world's present supply of the fruit, are stored in a warehouse in Chicago. A firm of South street fruit merchants are the owners of the pears and are supposed to have a corner on the market. New York still has a few carloads of pears, but they will be exhausted within thirty days and then the world must call on Chicago or do without pears.

A TWO-SIDED ASSAULT CASE.

Harry Alexander, Accused of Beating a Man, Tells Another Story.

There was some trouble last night in Hayes' stable, on the corner of Union and Brussels streets, in which one John Cain claims to have been beaten. Cain has some marks on his face and complained to the police last night that Harry Alexander and a lad named Quigley had assaulted him with a shovel and pitchfork. He said he was in Hayes' stable and these boys started lighting cigarettes. He told them this was not permitted and says they then assaulted him. Chief Clark advised Cain, who was somewhat under the influence of liquor to appear at ten o'clock today and lay information. Cain did not show up at ten.

Mr. Alexander, father of Harry Alexander, says that his son was left temporarily in charge of the stable. Another boy came in and was going to smoke, when Cain interfered and attempted to assault the boy. Then Harry took a hand and Cain was driven out. Mr. Alexander does not think it quite fair for every person to be hounding his son. He says the boy is not naturally bad, but is continually watched and every time any trouble occurs with which his name is coupled, he is given a large share of the blame.

A FAMOUS PAKIR.

The ex-Baptist minister, Prescott F. Jernegan, who persuaded hundreds of members of the faith to part with several hundred thousand dollars and invest their money in a "sea-water gold" plant at Lubec, Me., is now a teacher in the United States government school at Manila. Boston folks are wondering who endorsed Jernegan for the job. It will be remembered that St. John furnished the timber for the Lubec plant, but happily no cash.

NOTED YACHTSMAN DEAD.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—Edward Marshall Brown, who was commodore of the New York Yacht Club in 1895 and 1896, is dead at his home in this city. Mr. Brown had been ailing for some time from kidney trouble. He was born in this city in 1838.

All who have at any time been connected with the Junior Liberal Conservative Association are requested to attend the meeting in the Ritchie building this evening.

APPEAL TO ROOSEVELT.

Striking Miners in the West Seek Reparation for Injustice of State Officials.

DENVER, Col., Dec. 2.—The executive board of the Western Federation of Miners has sent the following telegram to President Roosevelt:

The present officers of the state of Colorado, under the guise and pretext of enforcing law, have ordered a large number of self-sustaining citizens and residents to leave Telluride, Col., under penalty of being imprisoned or otherwise severely dealt with.

The citizens and residents are not guilty of any crime against the laws of the state or the United States. The constitution and laws of the United States pointing to civil rights are being consequently broken, and we, therefore, call on you under the civil rights statutes and under section 1383 of the revised statutes of the United States to investigate conditions prevailing there and give to these persons when they have been outraged the protection guaranteed to them by the laws of the land.

RUSSIAN ACTIVITY

Eight Regiments of Infantry and a Brigade of Artillery Hurried to China.

COLOGNE, Germany, Dec. 2.—Eight regiments of infantry and a brigade of artillery are reported, according to a despatch from St. Petersburg to the Cologne Gazette to be about to leave Russia for the Liao-Tung Peninsula, the fortification works. The despatch adds that the Chinese in Manchuria are displaying the utmost ill feeling towards the Russians. They spit in the faces of Russian officers and soldiers, beat the roads to troops and throw explosives at the feet of their horses.

POLICE COURT.

In the police court this morning, Ervine Earle and William Thomas were each fined four dollars for drunkenness.

Dr. Frank X. Morris appeared to answer the charge made against him for driving inside the ropes at the fire on King street. W. W. Frink and Capt. Green had no desire to prosecute, but wished it understood that this sort of thing must be stopped. Dr. Morris said he had been driving along and stopped when he came to the ropes. He intended going back, but some men at the rope lowered it for him and told him to come along. He did so and was caught inside the rope. He had no desire to violate any law. This explanation was accepted.

KENTUCKY'S QUARANTINE.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Dec. 2.—The state board of health last night instructed Dr. J. M. McCormack, its secretary, to notify the state of West Virginia that unless precautions are taken to protect Kentucky against smallpox coming from the state, a quarantine will be established. All who enter Kentucky will be required to be vaccinated.

ADVANCE IN COTTON.

(Special to the Star.)
MONTREAL, Dec. 2.—It is rumored this morning that Canadian cotton manufacturers will tomorrow declare an advance on manufactured cotton from 5 to 10 per cent.

A FORTUNE FOR BRAVERY.

WINNIPEG, Dec. 2.—F. B. Southgate, late of Croydon, Surrey, England, now residing at Rosser (Man.), has just received a legacy of \$50,000 by the death of J. Webb, whose life Mr. Southgate gallantly saved about eight years ago.

AND MORE TO FOLLOW.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—According to a cablegram to the Star from Santo Domingo, another revolution has broken out on the south side of the island.

DEATHS.

COVINGTON, La., Dec. 2.—Ed. Helen, wife of Alexander, died. She was 78 years of age, having for some time been suffering from heart trouble. She was buried in the French cemetery.

OLD FEUD IN POLICE COURT.

Officer Crawford and Fred Driscoll Fight it Out.

The Chief Took a Hand and the Magistrate as Usual Sat on Him Hard.

There was a hot old time in the police court this morning. The long drawn out feud between Fred Driscoll of King Square and Officer Robert Crawford came to a head at last. Of course both men deny that any ill-feeling exists between them but this is not the general opinion, and their remarks today did not tend to support their statements. Driscoll was arrested for loitering on Charlotte street last night and it was Crawford who made the arrest. The officer gave evidence in court today which was not different from the evidence in lots of other similar cases. He had seen Driscoll standing with three others on the pavement in such a position that people had to walk around them. He asked them twice to move along and all but Driscoll complied. Then the latter was arrested and taken to the central station.

In cross-examination by Driscoll Crawford admitted that he had taken two drinks yesterday. He had been out to Minnie Eaton's some time ago and had taken a drink there but did not get it from the proprietress. Could not say whether he had asked a man to say nothing about that trip. No other officer went out with him that night. He saw another officer on the road.

Right here Chief Clark thought he should protect his men and suggested to the magistrate that he did not think these questions had anything to do with the case and the magistrate got back at the chief with, "I don't see what business you have with the questions."

The chief added that if these charges were made against any officers they should be made to him and Driscoll answered that he would attend to the chief later. The magistrate decided that if the questions were for the purpose of testing the credibility of the witness they were permissible. The cross-examination proceeded.

Do you get supplies of liquor from places when you are night duty? No. Do you not often drop in places to loaf and smoke when you are on duty? No.

Where were you when you saw me first last night? On Charlotte street. Where you not talking to two men? I spoke to a couple of fellows. Were you not standing talking to them on the sidewalk? Yes. Did you enter the charge against me when you took me to the station? No. Why? I was cold. Who entered the charge? I did some of it.

When? After you were arrested. Didn't some friends go to make a deposit for me? I don't know. Was it not a fact that I could not be let out because the chief did not know the charge, as there was none entered?

To this and several other questions along the same line Crawford was unable to answer fully from his own knowledge.

The witness offered in explanation of the Eaton affair that he had simply gone out to bring home a friend who had in his possession a large sum of money. He may have seen some one who knew of the affair not to say anything about it, but that was because he was not in the habit of going to such places and did not want his trip made known.

Driscoll in his evidence told that after being arrested he was for a time unable to get out as no charge was entered and the chief had to send officer McLaren out to look for Crawford in order to make the charge. He said he was kept in misery in the cell. Had to walk about all the time as the place was full of bedbugs.

In addition to this he told his side of last night's affair, tending to show that he was not blocking the way. He brought as witnesses the men who were with him.

The case was dismissed.

BROTHER AGAINST BROTHER.

Some time ago a man named William G. Riggs was before Judge Forbes in the county court on the charge of theft. Sentence was imposed, but the prisoner was allowed to go, upon the understanding that if he did not act properly he would be re-sentenced.

Since that time Riggs has been living at his brother's farm in the parish of Simonds, and recently the brother, John R. Riggs, has on several occasions complained of William G.'s conduct. As the city police are not sent into the county to make arrests, a warrant was given to Constable Douglas, who, yesterday, arrested him. The charge is for pointing a breech-loading rifle at John R. Riggs and at other members of his family. The prisoner today pleaded guilty and was remanded as he expressed a desire to secure counsel.

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THE WEATHER.

Dec. 2.
Highest temperature, 21; lowest temperature, 12; barometer at noon, 30.40 inches; wind, N.; velocity, 8 miles per hour. Cloudy.
Forecast—Northeast winds, cloudy and cold. Thursday, strong winds or gales from eastward; snow or sleet.
Synopsis—The outlook is decidedly stormy and wintry. A disturbance is developing near the South Atlantic coast, all mariners should be cautious. To Banks, northeasterly gales Thursday. To American ports, east and northeast gales.



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Christmas Time Is Here.

There is an old saying—"anticipation begins more pleasure than realization." If this be true, then Christmas time is here. The day for planning, for hints, and for buying—not a day too early for the latter if you would avoid the push, and the rush, and the worry. Don't put off selecting your gifts so that you are worn out and cross when the blessed day comes. A light heart is the best of Christmas cheer. Xmas gifts for men—House Coats, \$5 to \$10; Fancy Vests, \$3.50 and \$4.50; Raincoats from \$10 up—all desirable and acceptable.

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HOCKEY.

Tonight's Meeting.
An invitation is issued by the Neptune Rowing Club to all those who are interested in hockey to attend a meeting in the club rooms on Charlotte street tonight at 7.30. The club are prepared to give their support to the game if satisfactory arrangements can be made, and it behooves all interested in this winter sport to put in an appearance at the meeting and give their support to the effort that is being made to place the game on a sound and business-like footing.

THE RING.

Hart Got the Decision Over Kid Carter.
BOSTON, Dec. 1.—In one of the most exciting boxing contests seen in this city in recent years, Marvin Hart of Louisville was given the decision over "Kid" Carter of Brooklyn in a fifteen-round bout at the Criterion Athletic Club tonight. Hart was declared the victor when less than one moment of time remained. The bout was stopped by Referee Buckley because Hart not only had the best of it on points, but also because Carter was clearly done for.

GRAND TRUNK PACIFIC.

OTTAWA, Dec. 1.—Whatever the hitch regarding the deposit of the Grand Trunk Pacific guarantee of five million dollars may be, the government evidently feels it is up to the Grand Trunk Pacific people to make an explanation. From semi-official sources it is learned that the delay may be due to a difference between the government and the Grand Trunk Pacific Co., as to the value at which the proportion of deposit consisting of securities shall be accepted. The agreement permits the company to deposit the five million dollars in cash or approved government securities, or partly in cash and partly in such approved securities at the company's option.

RECEIVED A CALL.

BADDECK, N. S., Dec. 1.—Rev. Gordon Dickie, present acting Rev. Mr. Macneil of St. Andrew's church, St. John, N. B., was today appointed to the pastorate of the Little Bras d'Or, North Sydney, Presbyterian congregation by the presbytery of Sydney in session at St. Anne. The induction was set for New Year's Day.

SUCCESSFUL CONCERT.

A concert was given last night under the auspices of the young people of the Victoria street Free Baptist church. Rev. David Long presided and made an address. The following literary and musical programme was carried out:
Chorus, "Hail Britannia,"Twenty voices
Instrumental duetMisses Ella Holder and Elida Hawker.
Mandolin soloJames Patterson
DialogueBy Four Girls
ReadingMiss Maggie Armstrong
Male QuartetteMessrs. Howard, Elmer, Cecil and Robert Holder.
Pecolo soloMr. Ross
Duet, "Whispering Hope"—Mrs. J. V. Keirstead and Mrs. Fay Sorbier.
ReadingMiss Ruby Elderton
SongMaster John Nuttall
Ballet soloCecil D. Holder
Duet, (a) "Nearest and Dearest,"
(b) O West Thou in the Cuckoo's Nest.
Misses Lida Schofield and Lillian Ross.
Male QuartetteMessrs. Holder
Chorus, "Down Where the Cotton Blossoms Grow."
God Save the King.

WANTED—A case of Headache that KUMFORT Powders will not cure in ten to twenty minutes.

On Tuesday, Dec. 8th, in the Portland Methodist church, Rev. Mr. Howard will lecture on "Hallelujah Through Switzerland."

Matthew P. Ryan, the alleged bigamist under arrest at Lowell, was arraigned on Wednesday and held in \$700 for the grand jury. Wife No. 1, formerly Margaret McKee, of Boletown, N. B., testified as did the woman who claims to be Ryan's second wife. It develops that Ryan and the McKee woman were married by Rev. F. M. Pickles, of Centerville, Mass., a Methodist minister, who formerly lived in St. John and elsewhere in New Brunswick.

Orlo Grey, the Apohaqui lad, arrested for rifling a value, was yesterday sentenced to thirty days' imprisonment in Hampton jail. He was tried before Magistrate Morrison, Sussex.

DOWIE A BANKRUPT.

Courts Take Possession of All His Property in Zion City, Illinois.

CHICAGO, Dec. 1.—Financial difficulties which began during the crusade of John Alexander Dowie, the self-styled "Miah III," and his Restoration Movement to New York a month ago, which have been rapidly increasing since Dowie's return, culminated tonight in the federal courts taking possession of all the property controlled by Dowie at Zion City, Ill. This town, which was founded two years ago by Dowie, has a population of over 10,000, is the general headquarters for Dowie's church and is said to represent an expenditure of \$20,000,000.

Fred N. Blount, cashier of the Chicago National Bank, and Albert D. Currier, a law partner of Congressman Boutwell were appointed receivers of the property. Their bonds were fixed at \$100,000 by Judge Kohlman of the U. S. district court, who made the appointment on the petition of several creditors. The receivers left for Zion City tonight to take possession of the property.

The bankruptcy proceedings against Dowie were based on the allegation that he is insolvent and that while in this financial condition he committed an act of bankruptcy by making a preferential payment on Nov. 2 to the E. Street Lumber Co. for \$1,770. Dowie has been hard pressed by his creditors, especially since it was announced that his recent mission to New York had proved unsuccessful financially.

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FREDERICTON NEWS

The committee appointed to select a subject for competition for the alumni gold medal at the university have selected as the subject for translation a portion of Macaulay's essay on Bacon. The examiners will be Rev. Bishop Casey, D. D., Rev. John de Soyres, LL.D., and H. S. Bridges, Ph.D., of St. John, who also selected the subject.

A number of lots were sold at public auction at the crown lands office this morning. One hundred acres west of McLaughlin road, Kent Co., went to the applicant, Francis Maillet, at upset price of 47 acres east of Gaspeaux River, parish of Botsford, West Co., to T. T. Davis at upset price; 38 acres on Central railway, Queens Co., to the applicant, R. L. D. North, Enniskillen, Queens Co., to John S. Butler at upset price.

The directors of the New Brunswick Telephone Co. held a meeting here this afternoon. Those present were H. A. G. Blair, president; Dr. A. A. Stockton, Chas. Fawcett, Hon. F. P. Thompson and W. T. Whitehead, M. P. P. Nothing that transpired has been made public.

The members of the local government will arrive here tonight and tomorrow morning to convene in regular monthly session.

MR. BORDEN'S MEETING.

Opposition Leader Will Speak in St. John Next Monday Night.

Arrangements for Mr. Borden's meeting next Monday evening at the York Theatre are not quite completed. It is probable that two of the New Brunswick members, perhaps Mr. Ganong and Mr. Fowler, will deliver short addresses. Ladies will be invited.

It is hoped that Mr. Borden may find time while in the city to visit the Sand Point wharves and make himself acquainted with the progress of the winter port business. He has taken a great interest in transportation questions, and his programme includes the equipment of Montreal, Quebec, St. John and Halifax as free national ports.

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DIED AT NEW GLASGOW.

HALIFAX, Dec. 1.—The death of Mrs. Dr. Honeyman took place at New Glasgow this morning, at the residence of her son-in-law, F. W. Hartley. She was the widow of Dr. Honeyman, for many years curator of the Provincial Museum, Halifax. The deceased lady was a native of Dundee, Scotland, and came to this country with her husband forty years ago.

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HOTEL ARRIVALS.

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OTTAWA NEWS

OTTAWA, Dec. 1.—The commissioner of customs had a conference today with the general baggage masters of Canadian railways, with a view of having new regulations framed so as to have all passenger baggage inspected at the frontier.

Flags were flying from public buildings today in honor of the Queen's birthday. The usual salute was fired at noon.

At the police court this morning J. R. Booth, the millionaire lumberman, was fined \$5 and costs for not removing lumber from prohibited areas.

Laurier will visit Montreal and Quebec next week.

Mr. Smart is going to Europe to stir up Preston to more active efforts in the emigration line. Special attention will be paid to the north of France. Capt. Bernier has been so inspired by a letter received from a Mr. Graham, residing at Melita, Manitoba, that he has decided to continue his efforts to discover the North Pole for Canada and the empire. The captain says now that he has not abandoned his intention of fitting out the expedition if the government and people of Canada give him the necessary assistance. In his letter Graham says: "I see by the papers that you contemplate the abandonment of your Polar expedition. I hope not. I have \$10 to your order, and our domestic girl has just said she would give a month's wages, if necessary. If I had a subscription list here I think I could raise considerable for you. Let Canada by all means have the honor of planting her flag on the North Pole, as well as the territory on this side of it."

STRIKE AT SPRINGHILL.

SYDNEY, C. B., Dec. 1.—A new phase in the strike question at Sydney developed unexpectedly tonight, that may yet terminate in a crisis not later than Friday. At the citizens' meeting on Monday a resolution was passed asking the P. W. A. men to defer their meeting of that night until after a public meeting of the citizens to be held tonight in Rosline rink. This was for the purpose of discussing what the business men would propose to do in the way of assisting the men in reducing rents and prices in the commodities of life. This more than anything else perhaps induced the men to call the strike off today. Tonight about six hundred of the men came to town to attend this meeting, having been invited under resolution only to find that no meeting had been formally called. The men are exceedingly indignant, and they now feel as if they had been tricked into deciding not to strike. As a result the whole matter will again come up for consideration, at a mass meeting of the P. W. A. next Thursday night, and if they continue until then in the humor of tonight, a strike is inevitable.

FOSTER'S SPEECH.

LONDON, Dec. 1.—Hon. George E. Foster's last English address, delivered at Liverpool last night, was an emphatic success. As the Duke of Sutherland said in his speech at the Foster meeting, Englishmen recognize that what Canadians feel regarding tariff reform is of the very greatest importance to Britain, hence the cordiality of the greeting given to Mr. Foster, both at the luncheon and at the subsequent meeting.

The Liverpool Courier says: "Such addresses are greatly required. We need to have the colonial view put before us with knowledge and conviction. We have a magnificent ideal to make the empire a self-maintaining entity. Yesterday's gatherings show that the business men of Liverpool, as well as the working men, are all determined to strive after this ideal."

Arrangements have been made for Mr. Foster to meet Chamberlain today prior to Foster's sailing from Liverpool tomorrow on the Oceanic.

OPPOSITION LEADER.

CHARLOTTETOWN, Dec. 1.—At a liberal conservative convention in Kings, P. E. Island, today John McLean, M. L. A., of Souris, was unanimously nominated as candidate for the federal commons.

R. L. Borden addressed a monster meeting in Georgetown, and the leader received a grand ovation. Strong resolutions were passed approving of him as the leader.

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Friday Evening, Dec. 4th, Saturday Evening, Dec. 5th.

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Sat. Nov. 28 Montserrat, Sat. Dec. 19

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From London, Antwerp, Steamer, St. John, Sat. Nov. 28

Sat. Nov. 28 Thurs. Dec. 3 Montserrat, Dec. 24

Sat. Dec. 13 Thurs. Dec. 17 Mt. Temple Jan. 7

Sat. Dec. 26 Thurs. Dec. 31 Montserrat Jan. 11

Sat. Jan. 9 Thurs. Jan. 14 L. Montserrat Feb. 4

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Second Cabin, to Liverpool, \$27.50 to London, \$40.00. Round trip, \$22.50 to London, \$37.50.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned have entered into a partnership for the purpose of carrying on the practice of law at the City of Saint John.

Mr. Teed will be at his old home in Dorchester every Saturday and Monday for the present.

Dated this 18th day of November A. D. 1903.

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Flannelette Wrappers.

We have placed on sale in the ladies' department a lot of flannelette wrappers. They are all new goods, made from excellent and pretty patterned flannelette in very attractive styles and we have put most attractive prices upon them.

Wrappers for 75c. These are the regular \$1.25 wrappers. Made from good material, body lined, and trimmed with frills of the same material.

At 90c.—A very special wrapper. Skirt is good and full, with a 12-inch bounce on the bottom, dainty patterns.



At \$1.00—These are the regular \$1.50 wrappers. Made in extremely pretty styles from an extra heavy flannelette.

At \$1.19—This is the kind that usually sells for \$1.65. Very prettily trimmed, made from the best quality of flannelette.

Other prices up to \$1.50 for this sale. The \$1.50 wrappers are the regular \$2.50.

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Ladies' Wrappers.

Just received a few LADIES' WRAPPERS. Traveller's samples, prices 95c. to \$1.40 each. Also LADIES' SHIRT WAISTERS, 45c. to \$1.00 each. Children's Knit Hood, Mitts and Booties at special prices. Not many in the lot.

CALENDARS for 1904. Just opened 2 cases, about 2,000 in the lot, 50c. to \$1.00 each. Big assortment.

Also two (2) cases Japanese China. Cups and Saucers, 15c. to 75c. each. Vases, 15c. to \$1.50 each. Sugar and Cream Sets, 15c. to 50c. set; Teapots, 15c. to 40c. each.

Five Thousand Picture Books, 1c. to 75c. each.

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GET YOUR SEATS.

Sale of seats for the Jarvis-Smith concert Friday and Saturday evenings opened this morning at the Opera House. Those wishing good seats should secure them at once.

Fancy China, Dolls, Crockery Silverware.

Xmas Goods arriving daily. Auction sale every night. Come for bargains to the Central Auction Rooms, 14 Charlotte Street.

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JUNIOR LIB. CON. RALLY.

The Junior Liberal Conservative Association will meet in room 11, upstairs, Ritchie's building, on Wednesday evening, December 2nd, at 8 o'clock. Business of special importance.

JOHN B. M. BAXTER, President.

PERSONALS.

Miss Gertrude McDermott, who has been appointed head nurse of the new hospital at Moncton, has gone to Moncton.

H. C. McLeod of Toronto, general manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia, arrived in St. John yesterday and left for Halifax last evening.

Harold Main has returned home from St. John. He has resigned his position in the Canadian Bank of Commerce in that city. Almost News. James C. Smith, who has spent the last year and a half in Fredericton, is in the city on his way to Bermuda, where he will remain during the winter.

W. H. McQuade, proprietor of the Grand Union Hotel, returned to the city this morning.

Christmas Novelties in Pyrography (burnt wood) for sale at Gorbell's Art Store, Union street.

There will be a band tonight, Friday night and Saturday afternoon at the Carleton Open Air Rink. Ice in good condition.

Passengers from the United States making connections here with the C. P. R. express for eastern points, had a long and cold wait this morning. The C. P. R. express was fifty minutes behind time.

The bazaar to be held by the Alumnae of Mt. Allison College, to provide funds for the furnishing of the new hospital, is announced for the 11th December. Those who have promised contributions to it, or any who wish to aid, are asked to send them to Mrs. Sprague, 247 Charlotte street, not later than Saturday, 5th.

Mrs. Cecil B. Travis and her young son, of Hampton, left yesterday afternoon for Nelson, British Columbia, where Mr. Travis is establishing an extensive machine business. En route Salt Lake City will be visited, where Mrs. Travis will spend some days with her mother, Mrs. Wakeling, and other members of her family.

About thirty passengers from Sydney, C. B., who arrived this morning on the early train, are temporarily quartered at the Union Depot, awaiting the departure of their train this evening. They are bound for western points, some intending to settle in the United States and others in Canada. They are a very respectable looking lot.

A FIGHT ABOUT LAND.

In the circuit court this morning the case of Nodden vs. Akerley came up for trial. The action is brought for the purpose of settling a disputed boundary line.

The land in question is situated on Victoria Lane, Indian town, and shortly after the fire which occurred on the 25th of May, 1899, was purchased by the plaintiff. The adjoining lot is owned by the defendant.

Soon after purchasing the land, the plaintiff had his lot re-surveyed and marked off in accordance with a description in old deeds. This brought out the fact that the plaintiff was entitled to two feet or more of the defendant's lot. The defendant disputes this.

L. A. Currey, K. C., appeared for the plaintiff, and Dr. A. A. Stockton and A. W. Baird for the defendant.

DIED TODAY.

The death occurred this afternoon at her home, 53 Crown street, of Mrs. Helen Coughlan, widow of Alexander A. Coughlan. The deceased lady was seventy-eight years of age, and leaves a family of four sons and three daughters. The children are Alexander and Augustus Fitch, Mrs. J. A. McRoberts, Mrs. A. J. Charlton, Mrs. Samuel Millican, John S. Coughlan and Frederick Coughlan.

THIS EVENING.

Junior liberal conservative rally in room 11, Ritchie's building.

Meeting of Neptune Rowing Club to discuss hockey.

Drawing of prizes in Alexandra Hall.

Rev. C. Burnett lectures in Coburg Christian church.

Chapman festival rehearsal in C. of E. Institute.

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PROTECTING SAND POINT.

Ald. Millidge Suggests a \$50,000 Measure to Guard Against Another Disastrous Fire.

Ald. Millidge is of the opinion that the committee of experts, consisting of Director Cuning and the engineers of the water and fire departments, who have been chosen to consider the best means of affording protection against fire at Sand Point, will not have much to report. Ald. Millidge believes that the two best systems suggested would not be suitable. If pipes were laid through the building, with apertures plugged with lead, and the water kept on all the time, this water would freeze. It would thus be good for only the summer months. It has also been suggested that the apertures in the pipes be left open, and that the water be turned on in case of fire from a stop cock outside the building. This plan would fail, in the alderman's opinion, as the water would surely freeze in running through the cold pipes.

Ald. Millidge admits that he does not know a great deal about engines and has always had the opinion that water was the usual agent employed in fighting fire. The water system at Sand Point has been made as complete as possible. There is now a six inch pipe running right to the sheds, and the eight inch pipe has been brought four hundred feet nearer the buildings. This latter work was opposed by some members of the council, four of them, but in spite of the opposition those in charge succeeded in spending the money. Ald. Millidge now suggests the running of a twelve inch pipe from a point near the deaf and dumb school, down Protection street and thence to the terminus. This would mean an entire remodelling of the West Side system and would cost \$50,000 at the very least.

GENEROUSITY ACKNOWLEDGED.

H. D. McLeod, treasurer of the Victoria Bazaar, acknowledges the receipt of the following subscriptions:

James J. Robertson	10.00
A. O. Skinner	10.00
Mrs. L. McLaren	5.00
Mrs. Robert Thomson	5.00
Mrs. Alfred Poirer	5.00
Mrs. Geo. McKean	5.00
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Mrs. Harry Miller	5.00
Mrs. Arthur McDonald	5.00
Mrs. W. P. (a friend)	5.00
George Meavity	5.00
Dr. Emory	5.00
Mrs. James Miller	5.00
Scotty Brock	5.00
W. H. Thorne	5.00
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Miss Louise Murray	5.00
Mrs. Silas Alward	5.00
Mrs. H. D. McLeod	5.00
Mrs. John H. Thomson	5.00
Miss Sadler	5.00
Mrs. James Harding	5.00
Mrs. J. R. Kinnear	5.00
Miss E. Kinnear	5.00
Mrs. C. H. Smith	5.00
Mrs. James Dever	5.00
Hon. J. J. Ellis	10.00
Geo. P. Barrhill	10.00

NORTH END CONCERT.

A concert, under the auspices of the young people of the church, was held last evening in Victoria street F. B. church. The entertainment opened with a chorus by twenty voices. Misses: Ella Holder and Hilda Hawker gave an instrumental duet, and after a dialogue by four girls, Miss Maggie Armstrong gave a reading. Messrs. Howard, Elmer, Cecil and Robert Holder sang, and a piccolo solo was played by Mr. Ross. Mrs. J. V. Kierstead and Mrs. Fay Scribner sang a duet, and Miss Ruby Elderkin gave a reading. Master John Nuttal sang. Cecil D. Holder gave a banjo solo, and Misses Lida Schofield and Linnie Ross were heard in a duet. Mrs. Willes read, Messrs. Holder sang, and the entertainment concluded with an address by Rev. David Long, and a chorus.

C. M. B. A. CITY BRANCH OFFICERS.

Branch No. 134 C. M. B. A. last evening at a largely attended meeting in the branch rooms in Charlotte street, elected the following officers: President, Hon. R. J. Ritchie; first vice, J. P. Maloney; rec. secretary, E. J. McCourt; assist. secretary, P. J. Fitzpatrick; financial secretary, J. L. McDonald; treasurer, R. E. Fitzgerald; marshals, J. E. O'Brien; guard, H. T. Bridge; trustees, T. Collins, Thomas Gorman, Thomas Kitcham, P. L. Jennings and Denis McGrath. The officers will be installed at the first meeting in January.

John L. Carleton, K. C., was elected delegate to the grand convention, and Thomas Gorman alternate.

SONS OF TEMPERANCE.

Fairville Division room last evening was crowded with visitors, the occasion being the visit of the St. John Co. District Division. Delegates were present from every division in this locality and all were delighted with the entertainment as well as with the refreshments provided at the close. Fairville division is growing in numbers, and the membership is a live one. Beginning next Tuesday, a paper, edited by members of the division and covering temperance items, will be read monthly to the division. The next visit of the district will be held with Gurney division on the 10th.

A QUEEN'S JEWELS SOLD.

LONDON, Dec. 2.—Kristine Petrovitch, a sister of the late Queen Draga, of Serbia, has written to the newspapers the part as follows: After the payment of legal expenses, we, her sisters, only receive as heirs £5,000 (\$25,400), and Draga's jewels, some of which are missing. Consequently, in order to live, we are obliged to sell many things. The letter then gives a list of diadems and jewels which the sisters of the dead queen wish to sell.

MR. BLAIR'S MOVEMENTS.

Hon. A. G. Blair came down from Fredericton on the noon train today, and will probably leave tomorrow for Ottawa. He has not yet spoken. An arrangement has been made whereby the special committee of the common council, in charge of harbor improvements, will meet Mr. Blair at City Hall at three o'clock this afternoon. The meeting is for the purpose of impressing on Mr. Blair St. John's claims on the government for assistance and especially in reference to dredging.

PRETTY BUT ILL-MANNERED.

An Englishman's Opinion of St. John Girls.

To the Editor of the Star.—Nov. 28th, 1903.

Dear Sir,—I read with great interest your remarks apropos An English Girl's opinion of St. John. Now I will tell you a few more points in reference to your so called pretty girls. Yes, some are very pretty to look at, but there the resemblance to prettiness ends. For a more ignorant, low-bred lot of giggling girls I never came in contact with.

If I happen to walk out with my wife in the streets of this pretty and interesting city, nearly every girl eyes my wife from head to foot then passes on with sneers and audible comments on her English style of dressing and dressing her hair. Now that makes any girl feel confused to have a parcel of insolent and ill-mannered girls laughing at her. My wife may not be so well dressed as some of the over-dressed dolls in St. John, but I do know she is far better mannered than the majority of St. John girls. Now, sir, this is not a complaint from a sensitive person, but I am stating this from plain facts. Hoping this will meet with your approval, I remain

Yours obediently,

"DISGUSTED."

LABOR CANDIDATES.

To the Editor of the Star:

Dear Sir,—I would ask the labor men of St. John if they are preparing to carry out the resolutions adopted by the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada, viz., to run labor candidates in every constituency where labor was organized? I understand a fund is being raised in Canada to carry out this view. We know labor should be represented, yet no representation is accorded to it.

If the wealthy politician will not vote for or give the laborers' choice fair consideration, why does the laborer demean himself by voting for candidates they have no choice in bringing out, and whose first vote after election will be given against their class? VOTER.

CHICAGO, Dec. 2.—In a collision between two northbound trains on the south side elevated railroad today Harry Cottell, a motorman, was fatally hurt and several of the passengers seriously injured.

The fog and frost on the rails were responsible for the accident. Several persons were also injured in a collision between two Cottage Grove avenue cable trains.

Rubber Talk.

Some people talk GRANBY Rubbers; others blow about AMERICAN Rubbers; some about other makes of Rubbers. We want to say in this ad. that we have the best that's going in Rubber Footwear, whether Granby or others, product of American factories or made in Canada. We exploit no favored manufacturer, but buy where we can get the best, so as to sell at smallest prices, that's all.

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To make room for the better showing of Xmas goods we offer a special discount of 20 per cent. for two days only, To-morrow and Friday, Dec. 3rd and 4th. This applies to EVERYTHING THROUGHOUT THE STORE, excepting a few goods marked net, that have been reduced too much to permit of any further cut in prices.

Take into consideration the unquestionably low prices at which we mark reliable goods and the above offer assumes a most important aspect. It will bring the thrifty buyer to test its value.

It is due to yourself to save all you can for the holidays and we know of no easier way in which you can compass that object than by SHOPPING here to-morrow and Friday.

The discount ceases at the stroke of six Friday night.

20 per cent. Discount Off ALL DRESS GOODS.

We have only space to mention one special. All Wool Satin Cloth, 42 ins. wide, bright finish in shades of navy blue, brown, cardinal, also black for ladies' and children's dresses. Separate Waists and Separate Skirts. 55c. per yard, less 20 per cent.

55c. for 44c.

20 per cent. Discount Off ALL BLACK SILKS.

Here is a special. Black all Silk Satin Merv., 21-2 ins. wide, excellent finish and weight, one of the best materials for ladies' waists. Special 75c. less 20 per cent. discount.

75c. for 60c.

20 per cent. Discount Off ALL OUR GLOVES.

Men's, Women's and Children's.
MEN'S WOOL LINED Mocha Gloves in shades of brown, dome fastener, long wrists. All sizes from 7-12 to 9-12, \$1.00, less 20 per cent.
LADIES' KID GLOVES, "Purines," guaranteed, 2 dome fastener, black, white and all shades. Special \$1.00, less 20 per cent.

\$1.00 for 80c.

This extraordinary discount will also apply to all purchases of Men's Furnishings, Table Linens, Cottons, Flannelettes, Flannels, Blankets, Bed Comfortables, Curtains, Ribbons, Laces, Dress Linings, Dress Trimmings, Ladies' Jackets, Raincoats, Walking Skirts, Ladies' Capes, Silk Waists, Flannel and Lustre Waists, Underskirts, Nightgowns, Corsets, Etc., Etc., Etc.

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