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BIG LOCOMOTIVE BADLY SMASHED

Turned Upside Down on Striking a Switch

Then Slid Along on its Side Tearing Up the Track for a Hundred Yards—The Engineer Killed

UTICA, N. Y., Jan. 25.—The engine on the New York Central 20th Century Limited, eastbound, turned completely over about a quarter of a mile west of St. Johnsville this morning at 5:40. It slid 200 feet before it stopped and is torn and wrecked beyond repair. Fireman John Hines, of Syracuse, and Engineer John Scanlon, of Syracuse, were killed. None of the coaches left the rails though the trucks of several of them are derailed. They are all right side up, however, and it is declared by the railroad people that the passengers are unharmed.

There is a signal tower about a quarter of a mile west of the St. Johnsville station. The switches and cross overs are controlled by the operator in the tower. For some reason, and yet explained it was necessary for the operator to shift the train from track No. 1 to track No. 2 and he had thrown the signal cautioning Engineer Scanlon to slow down was not seen by him in time to bring his train under full control and when the locomotive struck the cross-over the ponderous machine bounded into the air, turned upon its side in a twinkling and fell at an angle of 300 feet. The sudden twist wreathed loose the coupling between the engine and baggage car and this saved the train from the ditch.

ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 25.—The wreck of the eastbound 20th Century Limited at St. Johnsville this morning was caused by the engineer mistaking the speed of his train, according to information received at the New York Central offices in this city. The train was running at a high rate of speed and was to have crossed over from track one to track two, as a train on track one had broken down. No passengers were injured. The eight cars composing the train were derailed, but remained upright. Assistant General Manager Crowley of the N. Y. C. said the train was running at a high rate of speed which the engineer evidently mistook and there was no fault to slow down sufficiently to permit the engine to take the crossover in safety.

"The poor fellow is dead now," said Mr. Crowley, "but the indications are that an error in judgment caused the wreck."

SENTENCED TO LIFE FOR ASSAULT ON LITTLE GIRL

Wm. Wilson, of Vermont, Found Guilty by Jury at Sherbrooke Last Evening.

SHERBROOKE, Que., Jan. 25.—Wm. Wilson, of Derby, Vermont, was found guilty by the jury last night on the charge of having assaulted eight year old Bertha Thibeault at St. John on November 3. He was sentenced to life imprisonment at ten o'clock this morning by Judge Hutchinson. The prisoner is thirty-seven years old and married.

DONALDSON LINER WILL REACH PORT TODAY

The Salscia Due Early This Evening With 171 Passengers—Other Steamers on the Way Here.

At nine o'clock this morning Donaldson liner Salscia was reported 140 miles from St. John. She will reach port and dock at No. 5 berth this evening. The Athenia is bringing 66 cabin and 166 steerage passengers.

Allan liner Corinthian, this week's mail boat, left Liverpool on Friday evening last. The Corinthian has on board 25 first, 88 second and 431 steerage passengers.

Allan liner Corinthian, from London and Havre for this port, is bringing 13 second class steerage passengers. The steamer sailed from London on Friday last.

Steamer Manchester Mariner left Manchester on Friday for this port. C. P. R. steamer Express of Ireland will make her first trip to St. John this season early in February. The steamer is scheduled to leave Liverpool on February 3. Already bookings are made for the trip.

The County Liquor License Commissioners are meeting this afternoon to grant the licenses for the coming year. Chief Inspector Vincent will report that a record amount was collected in fines during the past year. The dealers are now all complying with the regulations. The commissioners for the county are: Edmund Lewis, St. Martins; William Golding, Lancaster; and Geo. A. Anderson, Miramichi.

THE FLOOD SITUATION IN PARIS HAS BECOME DESPERATE; THE WHOLE CITY THREATENED WITH DESTRUCTION

Water Continues to Rise, Undermining Buildings, Bursting Tunnels and Sewers, and Flooding Business Districts—Water Famine is Feared as Pumping Stations are Out of Business—Fifty Thousand Soldiers Join the Ranks of Those Who Fight the Flood

PARIS, Jan. 25.—Fifty thousand soldiers comprising the garrison of Paris were placed at the disposition of the municipal authorities to fight the flood whose ravages are spreading ruin and destruction throughout the city. At 8 a. m. water at Pont Royal had touched 26 feet above low tide and was rising at the rate of nearly half an inch an hour, with the prospect of the rise continuing until midnight. The damage already is incalculable. The industrial life of the city is rapidly becoming paralyzed. Only two sections of the subway are in operation, while three-fourths of the surface lines are tied up. Factories are shutting down because of the lack of power due to the electric plants being flooded. Half of the telephones in the city are out of commission and telegraph and railroad communication is demoralized. The disaster locally is due chiefly to the fact that the whole marvellous underground labyrinth of the city is filling with water, causing sewers to burst, the streets to cave in and threatening the foundations of buildings. The scene on the river front is most appalling. The stream rising like a wild beast has broken its barriers at several points and is pouring its foaming waters into the surrounding streets. At any minute it may be necessary to blow up Alma bridge, where the water in a few inches has been raised to the level of the keystone of the arch, as a dam there might turn the course of the Seine in such a way as to flood several of the most fashionable sections of the city.

A tremendous explosion which awakened the stricken city at 5 o'clock

led to the report that the Pont Alma had been blown up, but the explosion proved to have occurred in a chemical factory, eight miles above, where the heavens were lit up by the bursting flames. It is presumed that the water surrounding the factory came in contact with chemicals, causing the explosion. The weather grows worse rather than better and now Paris was to be in danger of an area of low pressure and bitterly cold storm of rain and sleet was falling throughout the flooded region, adding intensity to the suffering poor and homeless. The price of bread and other foodstuffs has also increased owing to the fact that communication with the provinces is crippled. No trains from the south are coming beyond Chateaufort. The depleted supply of drinking water has caused the greatest alarm. With the rising of the flood but a few inches higher, the pumping stations still in operation must stop and Paris in the midst of a miniature ocean will be without water fit to drink. At between 20 and 30 suburban towns above this city is worse than in the capital itself. At Charanteau, where the broken river Barne enters the Seine, an area of 200 square miles has been flooded. At Afortville the cemetery has been washed out and caskets floated down stream.

From Autel to St. Germain the lower portions of all the riveride towns are deep beneath the flood and soldiers are forcing the residents to evacuate their homes. The water supply at several towns has been cut off.

ONTARIO TOWN JOINS THE BOYCOTT

Invalid Burned to Death at Farnham

Montreal's Ice Palace Destroyed—Bob Cook, Who Seared Ontario Police, Arrested in Michigan.

ORANGEVILLE, Ont., Jan. 25.—Word reached here that Bob Cook, the desperado wanted for assault on Constable James Herbert, of this place, has been arrested at Sault Ste. Marie, Mich. The authorities are being communicated with, with a view to Cook's extradition.

SHERBROOKE, Que., Jan. 25.—Mrs. James Cameron, of Farnham, was burned to death while alone in her house. She was an invalid and she was attempting to pull her invalid's chair near the kitchen stove when her clothes caught fire.

MONTREAL, Jan. 25.—The ice palace which was to have been a feature of the coming winter carnival, has been badly damaged by the soft weather of the last three or four days and is almost a total wreck.

KINGSTON, Ont., Jan. 25.—Cobden village has availed itself of a by-law on its books and has wiped out a pool room operated there and has also prohibited the sale of cigarettes within the municipality.

CHATHAM, Ont., Jan. 25.—Owing to the exorbitant prices demanded for meat and eggs here, an agitation is on foot to boycott these commodities until prices fall to normal. An agreement to this effect is being circulated and rapidly signed. Eggs are 42 to 50 cents per dozen in the market.

KINGSTON, Ont., Jan. 25.—The independent Order of Foresters will establish a fraternal tuberculosis hospital on a tract of land bordering upon Rainbow Lake in the Adirondacks in New York State. The Rainbow Lake property consists of upwards of one thousand acres and is located upon the Malone Railway.

The sleigh drive to have been held tonight from the corner of Main and Cedar streets to the Clairmont House has been postponed until next Monday night.

No. 1 Salvage Corps members will be entertained to an At Home by No. 2 Company in their rooms, Main street, this evening. An excellent program has been arranged.

MILK, EGGS, BUTTER NOW ON THE SLUMP

Prices Breaking as a Result of the Boycott

Special Grand Jury in New York Sworn in Today to Deal With the Combines in Foodstuffs.

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—Milk, eggs and butter led the procession of receding food prices here today. Nation-wide agitation, aided by potent local influences, have brought about the drop. Meat, too, is on the decline following a greatly reduced consumption in protest against its excessive cost. In the movement to curb the alleged trust controlling important food products and thereby lower the cost of living, anti-monopoly laws are to be invoked. Today a special grand jury whose particular office will be to consider the effect of combinations among dealers in foodstuffs was sworn in. While it is first to deal with the alleged milk combine, the most serious case likely to be put to it strongly and possibly the whole scope of the food situation. Milk is down a cent a quart already on at least two big dealers' routes. Butter in the best qualities has been cut 5 cents a pound, and eggs are off 1 cent a dozen in local markets. A great mass meeting to protest against high food prices is to be held in Union Square today.

CAUGHT BENEATH A FALLING CARGO STAGE

James A. Kenney, Painfully Injured at Sand Point While Working on S. S. Hesperian This Morning

James A. Kenney, a Longshoreman, was painfully injured while at work on the Allan Liner Hesperian at Sand Point this morning. While a heavy passenger gangway was being shifted, a cargo stage became dislodged and fell to the wharf, catching Kenney beneath it. Only the fortunate chance that it caught on an obstruction and did not fall the whole way, saved the man's life. As it was he was severely crushed and bruised and it is feared that he may be injured internally. As soon as he was able to move he was taken to the Pacific House, where he boards.

GERMANY IS FIRM ON TARIFF QUESTION

No Notion of Lifting Embargo on U.S. Meat and Cattle

Government Strengthened by the Anti-Trust Agitation Going on in America—Minister Announces Policy.

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—A Berlin despatch to the Times says that Germany's irrevocable determination not to give way to the United States on the meat question has been officially declared by Herr Von Arnim, the Prussian Minister of Agriculture.

"THE WITNESS" says that Prussian cattle raisers might rest assured that no commercial treaties which would sacrifice one jot or tittle of the "Veterinary protection" now so rightly enforced, this was of course a direct reference to demands for the lifting of the bars which now exclude American meats and cattle.

The despatch continues: "There is not the slightest doubt that the backbone of the German government has been enormously stiffened by the anti-meat trust agitation now going on in the United States. The German newspapers are printing with obvious glee exhaustive accounts of the growth of the 'Don't eat meat' crusade throughout the country. For Germany's strategic purposes the meat boycott in America has come at the psychological moment."

HIGH TEMPERATURES

St. John is having a very unusual spell of mild weather. For the past eight days the temperature has been high. Only on two occasions have there been temperatures below the freezing point. Director Hutchinson says that the readings are quite extraordinary. The maximum and minimum temperatures for the past eight days are as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Date and Temperature (Max. Min.).

AN OPTIMIST. "Pa what's an optimist?" "A man who has four children and continues to think the price of living is no more than it's worth."—Exchange.

AN HOUR'S STRUGGLE WITH A LUNATIC

Moncton Policeman Had a Rather Exciting Time

Legal Action May Follow Dispute About a Dog on the Halifax Express—Mild Weather Continues.

MONCTON, N. B., Jan. 25.—The unprecedented January thaw continues and wheels have replaced runners in Moncton streets, the snow having almost entirely disappeared. Rinks and the speedway have gone out of commission. The river is practically free from ice, a most unusual condition at this time of year. The weather has been spring-like for a week past, the thaw being of the longest duration for years. The Intercolonial suffered from many washouts by heavy streams from the melting snow.

Fred Couture, a vaudeville performer, who with his wife figured in a fracas on the Moncton-bound G. P. R. express from Halifax yesterday afternoon, may invoke legal aid in the matter. He and his wife were in the first-class car with a dog, which Conductor Wm. Dickson ordered removed. An argument arose, during which the brakeman removed the canine. Dickson and Mr. Couture got in a mixup, during which the conductor's face was scratched. Couture claims his wife was assaulted, and he tried to get a warrant here last evening for Dickson's arrest, but as the trouble occurred in Nova Scotia this could not be secured. He says he will fight the case to the end.

H. H. Melanson, assistant general passenger agent of the I. C. R., returned yesterday afternoon from Buffalo, N. Y., where he attended a committee meeting of the Niagara frontier passenger agents and rate clerks. He says that all lines represented were of the opinion that the tourist business would be exceptionally heavy this year and preparations were being made to provide for it.

Policeman John Dunphy came within an ace of having his head crushed in by a heavy iron hat evening, when Leonard Triton, arrested yesterday on Salisbury road for insanity, endeavored to break away from the station. The man had been locked up in a corridor of the jail and on trying to unlock the door man back, and with both feet smashed the door, jumped through the panel. With another jump he landed on a table in the office and tried to get through a window. Striking his head against the sill he was thrown backward with considerable force. Dunphy then grappled with him and for over an hour a lively tussle ensued. Getting clear of the officer the prisoner ran to a corner and grabbing a heavy piece of iron, made a desperate attempt to put the officer out of business. Help finally came and the man was placed in a cell and will probably be taken to the St. John asylum.

SUPREME COURT OPENS AT FREDERICTON

Full Bench Present—Several Cases Postponed—Crown Paper Taken Up Tomorrow.

FREDERICTON, N. B., Jan. 25.—The Hilary term of the Supreme Court opened this morning, the full bench being present. The following common law cases were made.

Miles Bros. vs. Adam H. Bell, Mr. F. R. Taylor moved for leave to enter and to have the time extended for filing notices. Leave was granted and time extended to first of March next. Stay continued.

Ex parte Massey Harris Co. Ltd. Mr. M. B. Dixon moved for a rule absolute for a certiorari and a rule absolute to quash an order of review of a judgment in a magistrate's court by Wedderburn J., in the case of Mussey Harris Co. vs. Edson E. Peck. Court considered.

The same. The Ilke, Court considers. LeBlanc vs. Beely, Mr. Jonafor for the defendant, moves that the case stand until next term. Plaintiff consents. Granted.

Geo. L. Harris vs. F. W. Sumner et al. Mr. Taylor moved to review the order of Justice McLeod and for an extension of time to appeal. Rule nisi returned returnable second Friday.

Ex parte W. J. Carnville. Mr. Dixon moved for a rule absolute for a certiorari and rule nisi to quash the final order of review made by Justice Waldern. Court considers.

The crown paper will be taken up in the morning.

REVOLT IN URUGUAY HAS BEEN PUT DOWN

MONTEVIDEO, Jan. 25.—In official circles it is asserted that the severe measures taken by the Government have effectually checked the attempts to organize a revolution in Argentine territory, where the revolutionary groups are dispersing. The situation in the interior of Uruguay is greatly improved and it is reported that one revolutionary general has laid down his arms. A speedy termination of the movement is predicted. The president of Argentina has promised to suppress all revolutionary movements on Argentine territory.

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THE STAR, ST. JOHN N. B. TUESDAY, JANUARY 25 1910

NEWS OF SPORT

EASTERN BALL SCHEDULE OPENS ON APRIL 22

President Powers Announces Draft—No Official Schedule for Some Time Yet.

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—According to the schedule prepared by President Powers the teams will open the 1910 Eastern League race as follows: Wednesday, April 20—Buffalo at Baltimore. Thursday, April 21—Rochester at Newark. Montreal at Jersey City. Toronto at Providence.

SAYS MOORE WILL BE CHAMPION SOME DAY

17-year-old Lad Has Great Punch—Should Win American Championship in His Class.

NEW YORK, Jan. 23.—Those who were fortunate enough to see the international bantamweight fight between Pat Moore, of Philadelphia, and Harry Thomas, of England, at the Olympic Club, in Harlem, on Monday night, were convinced that Moore will soon win the American championship in this class.

EDMONTON HOCKEY TEAM HAS BEEN DISTRANDED

Miller and Whitcroft for Renfrew and Winchester Likely for Montreal Shamrocks.

OTTAWA, Jan. 23.—Despite the fact that their second trip in quest of the Stanley Cup has been no more successful than was their first, the Edmonton hockeyists have signified their intention of coming East after the blue ribbon of hockey again next season.

HORSE FLESH AND BLACK BREAD IS A STAPLE DIET

An English Correspondent Describes His Visit to the Poor Quarter of Berlin.

During the height of the election campaign the London Daily Chronicle sent a staff correspondent to Berlin to look into the horse flesh and black bread diet, which figured so prominently in campaign oratory. The story of his investigations makes an interesting reading. He writes: Long live protection—and horse flesh!

EASE FOR PILES!

"I Used to Suffer, but—"

This is the experience of a lady who used to suffer from this terrible ailment, but found a cure. The writer is Mrs. E. Boxall, of 97 Scott St., St. Thomas. She says: "I consider it my duty to write of the benefits derived from using Zam-Buk. For some months I was a constant sufferer from piles. I used a great many ointments, but got no relief until I tried Zam-Buk. It cured me, and I have had no return of the trouble. Since my cure I have advised several others suffering from piles to use Zam-Buk, and in each instance have had satisfactory results."

WELSH SPOOK MADE ROUGH HOUSE

Threw Bottles and Stones at Inmates of Tavern

Con's abo, Who is a Teetotaler, While Investigating Heard the Sound of Padded Feet.

LONDON, Jan. 24.—Another tale of spooks comes from Llanarthly, in Wales, and in this case the ghostly visitant seems to be peculiarly vicious, hurling missiles through the air being his chief form of amusement. The mysterious happenings which have terrified the peaceful villagers have taken place at the Emlyn Arms Inn, and a local correspondent says approximately as follows: "This is an old-fashioned hotel, must either be haunted or that a marvellous conjurer has been able to dole out such other detestable things."

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NO MORE SUNDAY GAMES.

BOSTON, Mass., Jan. 24.—The order prohibiting baseball on Sunday in the navy is among the many measures which the Lord's Day Protective League of New England has pushed through successfully during the last week.

198 NATIONAL GAMES.

FITTSBURG, Pa., Jan. 24.—The National League playing season will be based on a schedule of 148 games and upon that basis the joint committee of the American and National League is working although its members were not completely satisfied. Another session will be held tomorrow.

FRANK J. CHENEY'S CASE.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, S.S. Lucas County. Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior member of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

TWO NEW TWIRLERS FOR MAPLE LEAFS

Two new pitchers have been secured by the Toronto Ball Club. Their contracts came in to President McCaffery Saturday morning. Manager Kelley has succeeded in signing Dudley A. Thompson, the New York amateur who has been with the team since Fred Lake of Boston secured for Toronto Wilbert C. Corey, last year with Burlington in the Maine League. Corey is a likely, clean-cut youngster.

BOY NEEDS CITY LOT ON SHEFFIELD STREET

The Dominion government has opened negotiations with the city for the purchase of lot 143 on the south side of Sheffield street. This land is part of that to be used in the extension of the military property preparatory to the erection of a new drill hall. The government will take the land on the south side of Sheffield street between Sydney and Wentworth streets, including Carmarthen street south of Sheffield street.

WORKING WOMAN'S VIEWS.

"My husband, who works in a glass factory here, has always told me that in England conditions were better than here. There you have no taxes on food, here we are taxed on everything. It is expensive because there is not enough in Germany to supply the wants of the people, and so some dare not eat meat, and we have to resort to horse flesh. Do not think that we like it, but if we are hungry we will eat it. Can you expect us to live with our mouths open? The horse flesh became too strong, too objectionable for me, and I went out into the open. There I thought over what protection meant. It meant the rise in the price of food supplies. And the result—horse flesh instead of mutton, because horse flesh is relatively cheaper."

CHOICE "QUININE" HAMS

I decided to buy some "cholesterol" sausage, ham, bacon, and minced "hams" and "patties" and "sausages" and "whistles" and "Ough!" At the same time I thought of "Merry Old England," and the "paterfamilias" coming into similar shops a few years hence under protection, and buying horse flesh for the family! Just the thing for the festive season, and the beef whilst the poorer classes will be chewing horse flesh! Vote for tariff reform and the picture will be realized.

DEMENTED MAGICIAN MAY BE MURDERER

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—A man whom the police regard as the most important suspect yet arrested in connection with the maniacal murder of the Hibbey and Lomas boys in Highbridge Park, two weeks ago, was arrested late today. He is Herbert Jerome Denison, 27 years of age, formerly on the vaudeville stage as a magician, and only recently discharged from a Long Island Sanitarium.

OCCUPATION GONE

According to the police, on the night of the murder, Denison's mother took him to a barber shop and had his beard and hair shaved off. The murderer wore a shaggy beard. Inspector McCaffery said that Denison, in his magic act, used a 32-calibre, six-chambered revolver, identical with the one picked up in Highbridge Park after the murder.

SHEPHERD OF WOMAN.

They talk about a woman's sphere as though it had a limit. There's not a place in earth or heaven, there's not a task to mankind given, there's not a blessing or a woe, there's not a whispered yes or no, there's not a life or death or birth, that has a feather's weight of worth Without a woman in it.

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ST. JOHN STAR. ST. JOHN, N. B., JAN. 25, 1910. ENFORCING THE LAW.

The Lord's Day Alliance which it is reported is to undertake a more active campaign in New Brunswick during the next few months, has been carrying on such an energetic effort towards the prohibition of all work on the Sabbath that the "Rational Sunday League," with headquarters in Toronto, has been formed. This league contends that Rev. T. Albert Moore and his associates in the Alliance work are rather overdoing the thing, that they are endeavoring to interfere with individual rights and that certain of the requests made on behalf of the Alliance are for prohibitions not wholly necessary for the preservation of the ideal Lord's Day.

Mr. V. J. Gilpin, secretary of the Rational Sunday League, contends that this employs a system of espionage. Moreover, the Alliance without authority takes upon itself the duties of judge, jury and executioner. It demands a signed confession of the offenses and a promise not to repeat it, on receipt of which the Alliance condones a crime which should rightfully be handled by the authorities appointed under the Lord's Day Act.

SOCIALISM. "A citizen who signs himself 'Agitator,' sent to the Star yesterday a letter dealing with housing and other conditions among the poor in this city. This writer cited a good many facts, he forcibly expressed truths which should be carefully considered by all St. John people, and he appealed for the co-operation of all who feel interested in any humane undertaking.

ods developed, in some lands, into a species of anarchy. In other countries where only the best principles have been retained, it has continued a strong and effective power for good. As a city clergyman remarked the other night, "I am in hearty sympathy with those men who have declared for better housing for the poor, for the relief of suffering and for the general uplift of humanity. I would like to join the movement and personally do everything possible to advance it. But I will not attach myself to a body of Socialists. The very name is sufficient to deter earnest men and women from offering their help, for although those to whom I now particularly refer may be and no doubt are striving conscientiously and along right lines toward the realization of their commendable ideals, socialism, so-called, has gained an unsavory reputation in many quarters through the reckless conduct of some of its devotees. I will not become a Socialist, nor will I allow myself to be so designated, but I do wish to help in every possible way a movement having as its aim the accomplishment of such humane purposes as are described."

PERSIA'S DEPOSED SHAH CHEERFUL IN HIS EXILE. Is Different Now From the Sanguine and Obstinate Mohamed in His Days of Power.

CEDESSA, Jan. 25.—From the ceaseless turmoil of the past few years, strange and tragic figures emerge; some withdrawn disillusioned, others burst forth as the current of stream whirls twigs from its eddies into some dark and secluded backwater. Of these none is more strange than the exiles whose authority and occupation in high affairs are suddenly torn from them, to be replaced by a life of trifling effort, trivial pastime and empty honors which often hide a snore.

The new programme began with visits to the chief industrial establishments in the city, and he at once showed a keen interest in the details of the scientific and other processes explained to him. Among other things, the minister made the production of a daily newspaper have been revealed to him, and on one occasion he even spent three hours in inspecting the central Odessa prison. In his recreations Mohammed All patronizes the theatre, the cafes, the races and the racetrack. He cruises in the harbor in a steam cutter, and his latest ambition is to make a balloon ascent. By no means prepossessing in appearance, Mohammed All is short, rather stout, squat in build, short necked, but with a head and a face of a different order. His features are redeemed by his piercing black eyes. He dresses simply, in dark, close-fitting tunic and trousers and the conical black Persian head-dress.

The absence of snow causes a gloomy outlook for the lumbermen this season. A. McLeod says that yesterday he was compelled to close down his camp near Ammanville on the Central Railway and the men are idle. The only winter he could remember to equal this one was about twenty-five years ago.

The Evening Chit-Chat

By RUTH CAMERON. "This is my work—my blessing, not my doom. Of all who live I am the one by whom this work can best be done in my own way."—Van Dyke. I went to church last Sunday and we sang an old hymn which had a line in it that ran: "And not a grief and pain shall cease." With all my heart I am thankful that the time has passed when people write things like that which ring with grief and pain together.

Of course, it may mean courage and sacrifice. It may mean for one the strength to refuse to take the opening which allures him by his financial possibilities, but which in his heart of hearts he knows will not give him the kind of work he is best fitted for. It may mean for another the courage to leave an assured position and the blessings of ease and comfort and security in order to go out and hunt for the even greater blessing of his own special niche in the world's work. For many weeks he served an apprenticeship, earning but two dollars a week. He has now been in the newspaper world five years and he is just getting the same salary he gave up. No matter how successful he is he will probably never make as much money as he would have if he had stayed where he was.

But he did not like the work. He was not happy doing it. His heart was set on doing literary work and he had the courage to leave his good position and go into the newspaper business. For many weeks he served an apprenticeship, earning but two dollars a week. He has now been in the newspaper world five years and he is just getting the same salary he gave up. No matter how successful he is he will probably never make as much money as he would have if he had stayed where he was.

Second Week Of COADY'S BIG SHOE SALE

Thus far the sale has been a tremendous success exceeding our expectations. The taking over of the building by the London House people make it necessary for us to either move or sell out. We decided on going out of business entirely and set in to turn a 10,000 dollar stock of Boots and Shoes into ready money. To do this we determined on offering BARGAINS such as will not be repeated in St. John for a long time to come.

Our stock was all new and up-to-date, not an arrangement of old or shop worn goods and nothing was reserved.

Every Article Must Be Sold. The first few days of the sale established a record for crowds, people were so delighted with the bargains they obtained that they sent their friends and neighbors.

There remains a lot of Shoes to sell yet and we have gone through and again cut the prices so that when the time comes to vacate we will be able to say that every article was sold.

A nice small Safe, Mirrors and Fixtures are also for immediate sale. CASH ONLY. COADY & CO., 61 CHARLOTTE ST.

Cleaning Up After Stock-Taking. We are busy now taking stock and are discovering a lot of odd and last pairs; these we will sell on Saturday, Jan. 29.

A lot of Men's Boots, all sizes, of every description, \$1.50 a pair. A lot of Ladies' Boots, all patterns, at \$1.50 a pair. These prices are to clear and so we will not change the goods. They must be fitted as no handling is possible at this price. PERCY J. STEEL, Foot Furnisher, 519-521 Main St.

Cream Tartar

Where do you buy your Cream Tartar for your baking and what price do you pay? Any price and get it anywhere? Cream Tartar is a chemical that you can get with more dependable purity at a drug store than anywhere else, and we would like you to try a pound of our Cream Tartar and see the difference in your baking.

FRANK E. PORTER, PRESCRIPTION DRUGGIST, Union and St. Patrick Sts.

BARRISTER COULD NOT FACE CHARGE

Suit to Annul Peculiar Marriage Fails. O'Connell Agad 84 Will be Undisturbed. —Female Lunatic Burns Herself to Death.

TORONTO, Jan. 25.—Driven to despair by the publication in the newspapers of the charge of forgery against him, Donald Campbell, barrister, aged 48, ended his life this morning by swallowing half an ounce of carbolic acid. He died almost instantly and his body was found on the bed in his home at 187 McCaul street.

HAMILTON, Jan. 25.—On Sunday night some attendants at the asylum for the insane found Mrs. Samuel Sweet, an inmate, in the basement nearly dead from burns all over her body. She was missing from her room when the attendants went to look up for the night. Mrs. Sweet was committed about a year and a half ago because she had shown symptoms of suicidal mania but lately she appeared to have improved considerably. It is the opinion of the asylum authorities that she watched her opportunity and went to the basement to get some matches and there she and her body charred and smoke-blacked from head to foot.

FREE Pond's Extract SOAP 30 CENTS A CAKE. With every CASH purchase of \$1.00 or over made at this store on THURSDAY, 27th inst. we will give one cake of Pond's Extract Soap FREE. One day only.

Bring this adv. with you. E. CLINTON BROWN DRUGGIST, Cor. Union and Waterloo Sts.

"WHO WITH A BODY FILLED AND VACANT MIND GETS HIM TO REST, GRAMMED WITH DISTRESSFUL BREAD." —Shakespeare.

DR. BOYNER, Scientific Optician, 38 Book Street. Close 6 p.m. Sat, 9 p.m.

A COLUMN FOR WOMEN

Fashions and Fads

Newest costumes from Paris are generally very severe in design. Latest hats for the fur turbans have immense crested heads. The graceful Gainsborough is still the leader among evening hats. The shawl is now one of the most important articles of dress in Paris. Velvet, both black and colored, holds away as the material of the season. Military effects in buttons and braids trim a good many suits in novel ways. Diagonal silks are in great demand, as well as black taffetas in soft textures.

Star Fashions

How To Obtain Patterns. To obtain STAR patterns of accompanying design, fill out the following coupon and send it to: PATTERN DEPARTMENT, THE STAR.

Household Hints. Take out the bottom drawer of a bureau to clean under it. If one wishes egg shells whitened, wash them off in vinegar. Whiting, mixed to a cream with tepid water, is excellent for dirty painted work.

LADIES' TUCKED SHIRT-WAIST. Paris Pattern No. 2802. All Seams Allowed.

The Lighter Side of Life. HONEST ABOUT IT. THE SECONDARY REASON. INSOLENT.

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JOY IN THE FEES. Minister—"I made seven hearts happy today." Parishioner—"How was that?" Minister—"Married three couples."

WAS IN DOUBT. "Did you ever have appendicitis?" asked the insurance man. "Well," answered the sceptic, "I was operated on. But I never felt sure whether it was a case of appendicitis or a case of professional curiosity."

THE DRUNKEN PAINTERS. (Buffalo Express). A farmer was driving in Elk street a few days ago. Coming close behind him was a fire engine.

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Star Patterns (10 Cents Each). No. .... Size .... Name .... Street and No. .... City .... Province ....



Price of patterns, 10 cents. Ladies' tuckered shirtwaist, Paris Pattern No. 2802. All Seams Allowed. This jaunty tailor-made shirtwaist, with a wide tuck over each shoulder, having a Gibson effect, is made of white flannel. The waist closes at center-front under a double box-pleat, and a small pocket ornaments the left front. The rather full sleeves are gathered into straight cuffs of the material, and the back is slightly gathered at the waist-line. The high turn-down collar may be made of the material, or a white linen collar may be worn. The model is suitable for any of the fancy wools or linen shirtings, as well as for silk or madras. The pattern is in six sizes—22 to 42 inches. Bust measure, 28 to 36 inches. Waist requires 4 1/2 yards of material 20 inches wide, 5 1/2 yards 27 inches wide, 2 1/2 yards 34 inches wide, or 3 1/2 yards 42 inches wide. Price of patterns, 10 cents.

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\$500 St. Stephen 4% BONDS due 1946

On each \$500 bond are attached 73 coupons for \$10 each, one payable on each and every 1 January and 1 July till and including 1 July 1946, when the principal will also be paid...

J. M. Robinson & Sons - Bankers

Members Montreal Stock Exchange St. John, N. B.

COMMERCIAL

Table with columns for various commodities like Amalgamated, American Locomotive, American Ice, etc., and their respective prices.

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET

Table showing cotton market data for various months from Jan to Dec, including prices and trends.

CHICAGO MARKET

Table showing market data for Wheat, Corn, and other commodities in Chicago.

PERHAPS IT IS

"If you want a thing well done" - "Get an expert to do it for you. Ask that more sense than what you were going to say" - Cleveland Lead.

The Post Tavern At Battle Creek, Mich

Is justly famous for its Grape-Nuts griddle Cakes. Recipe: Two cups soft milk; eight teaspoonfuls of Grape-Nuts...

There's a Reason for GRAPE NUTS. Postum Cereal Co., Ltd., Battle Creek, Mich.

QUIET THIS MORNING AT THE COAL FIELDS

Yesterday's Shooting Tamed the Mob. Police had a hard struggle last evening with a crowd of two hundred rioters.

HEARD EVIDENCE IN THE COPPER TRIAL

Theft Case on in Police Court This Morning.

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UNIONISTS FAVORED IN TODAY'S RETURNS

Another Bunch of Gains Added to the List. LONDON, Jan. 25.—Twenty-five returns announced today complete the returns from yesterday's balloting.

FIREMEN WILL HAVE FORTNIGHT'S HOLIDAYS

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VANDALS COSTS ST. STEPHEN'S CHURCH \$300

The many thefts of copper, zinc and other valuable metals around the city indicates that there is a regularly organized system of thieving.

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION

FOR SALE.—Good opportunity to secure manufacturing wholesale and retail confectionery business.

STOCK TAKING SALE DINNER SETS

BARGAINS in Odd Sets and short end lots of complete sets. O. H. WARWICK, CO., LTD. 78 TO 82 KING ST.

Diamonds, Watches, Jewelry, etc

FERGUSON & PAGE, Diamond Importers and Jewelers, 41 King Street

KINGS COUNTY COUNCIL MEETS IN ANNUAL SESSION

HAMPTON, N. B., Jan. 25.—The annual session of the municipal council of Kings county opened this morning at ten o'clock at the court house.

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ASEPTO SOAP POWDER sweetens the home ASK YOUR GROCER

DID NOT KNOW CASE CONTAINED PARTRIDGE

Argument of Defense in Charge Against Express Co. for Violating Game Laws.

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Advertisement for Kings County Council meeting in annual session.

Advertisement for Occidental Fire Insurance Co. with contact information for E. L. Jarvis.

Advertisement for Daring Robbery at St. Mary's Last Night, detailing the theft of jewelry.

Advertisement for The Partridge Case, detailing a legal dispute over a partridge.

Advertisement for Ingersoll's Cream Cheese, highlighting its quality and taste.

Advertisement for Lifebuoy Soap, emphasizing its effectiveness in cleaning and disinfecting.

Advertisement for Star Want Ads, promising to bring results for various services.

Advertisement for Lifebuoy Soap, repeating the benefits of the soap for skin health.

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THE STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B., TUESDAY, JANUARY 25, 1910.

A Customer's Reasonable Wish is this Store's Pleasure.

## DYKEMAN'S

# FLANNELETTES

### On Sale Wednesday

Morning,  
One Yard Wide at  
**10 Cents a Yard**  
regular 17 cent. quality.

Mostly dark colors, navy blue and dark grounds.

**F. A. DYKEMAN & CO.,**  
59 CHARLOTTE ST.

**\$18.00**  
**Overcoats**  
**Now \$14.40**

Everybody who knows the character and quality of GILMOUR'S Clothing realizes that when we say "18.00 Overcoats," we mean Overcoats which were actually sold at that figure, and which were worth it or more.

Our new price of \$14.40, therefore, means a real cash reduction of 20 per cent.

The lines included in this sale are among the most popular, and most correctly styled, which we have handled this season.

It will pay you to call and look at them—and it will pay you to come early as real bargains like these move quickly.

\$25 OVERCOATS NOW	.....	\$20.00
\$22 OVERCOATS NOW	.....	\$17.00
\$20 OVERCOATS NOW	.....	\$15.00
\$18 OVERCOATS NOW	.....	\$14.40
\$15 OVERCOATS NOW	.....	\$12.00

**Gilmour's, 68 King St.**  
Tailoring and Clothing.  
"A Good Place to Buy Good Clothes"

**CANADIAN**  
**Pocket and Office**  
**Diaries for 1910**

**E. G. NELSON & CO.,**  
Cor. King and Charlotte Sts.

**WE DON'T KNOW**  
Much about high finance

**WE DO KNOW**  
Something about Dry Goods Small-wares.

We want to direct your attention to a money-saving opportunity in COMBS.

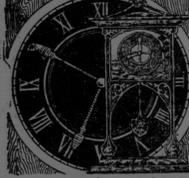
3000 travellers' samples.

Flora Dressing Combs, 4c, 5c, 7c, 10c.  
Rubber Dressing Combs, 6c, 7c, 10c, 12c, 15c, 18c, 22c, 30c, 40c.  
White Xylonite Dressing Combs, 7c, 8c, 10c, 12c.  
Barber Combs, 5c, 7c, 8c, 10c.  
Pine Combs, 3c, 4c, 5c, 7c, 9c, 10c, 12c.

Pocket Combs, 3c, 4c, 5c, 8c, 10c.

**Arnold's Department Store**  
52-54 Charlotte St. Tel. 1765.

**IF YOU WANT A WATCH**



For your own needs or one to present to a friend, we would respectfully suggest that you look over our assortment of time-pieces. We have used the utmost care, aided by judgment gained through years of experience, in the jewelry business, in selecting every watch or article of jewelry in our establishment, and we claim that for style, quality and price articles purchased here cannot be duplicated.

**A. POYAS,**  
Watchmaker and Jeweller  
16 Mill Street.  
Phone M. 167.

**PATTERSON'S**  
**DAYLIGHT**  
**STORE**

## ROUSING

# 50c

## LEADERS

Our line of light and dark PRINT WAISTS at 50c are leaders.

**NEW LINE OF VICTORIA LAWS**  
10c, 15c, 18c, 22c, 25c yd.

**NEW PRINTS**  
the fast colors 12 cents yard

**NEW P. C. CORSETS**  
50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.50

**PLAIN COLORS SATEEN**  
good quality 15 cents yard

**LADIES TAN CASHMERE HOSE**  
special value 45c pair

Cor. Duke & Charlotte Sts  
Store open evenings.

**THE WEATHER**

Maritime—Strong winds and gales from east and northeast, with rain or sleet.

**LOCAL NEWS**

The Thistle curlers will meet this evening at the rink to elect skips for the St. Andrews match on Saturday.

The Hesperian concert party will perform at the Seaman's Institute tomorrow evening.

The members of the 52nd Band will meet this (Tuesday, 25th) evening for practice.

\$5.00 off the regular price of your spring suit if you buy it this month at C. B. Podge's. Our loss is your gain.

Mr. R. B. Emerson wishes to state that he will not be a candidate for the mayoralty.

The police report a dangerous hole in Britain street between Sydney and Charlotte streets; also a hole in the Mecklenburg street sidewalk.

A pocket book found by Chester Brown on Charlotte street yesterday afternoon was handed to the police and is held at Central station for the owner.

Philip Myers has been reported by Sergeant Campbell for doing a drug business on Britain street without a license.

The New Brunswick Temperance Federation will hold its annual meeting on Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the W. S. F. U. rooms, Gormain street.

This evening Companion Court Wygodly will meet in Forester's Hall for installation. High Court Officers and Royal Escort will be in attendance.

The funeral of the late John J. Lindsay took place this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from Zion church. Rev. James Crisp conducted the service and interment was made in Fernhill cemetery.

Grand Bay was filled with loose ice this morning as a result of the thaw and quite a large quantity is coming down the river. Word from up river points to the effect that the water is steadily rising.

The advertising committee of the Board of Trade meets in the Board of Trade rooms on Prince Wm. street this evening at eight o'clock to discuss their consideration of plans for civic publicity.

FOR SALED—Business in St. John paying \$2.00 per week. Initial investment only outlay. Great side line; little time only each week required. Information on application. INVESTMENT, P. O. Box 457, St. John, 25-1-14

The lecture committee of the Father Mathew Association announce that Rev. A. J. O'Neil will open the course on Sunday evening next in St. Mark's Hall. The public are cordially invited. Joseph Harrington will be the second lecturer.

The family of J. J. Petry, 264 Prince street, is mourning the loss of about \$10 worth of clothing, including a hat, which were stolen from a clothes line in the yard between 7 and 8 o'clock last evening. The identity of the thieves is known and arrests are expected.

The Donaldson passenger liner *Atenia* was reported this morning by wireless while 140 miles distant, off Cape Sable. This is her last voyage and she will be replaced by the *Atenia*. The steamer will be due here about eight or nine o'clock tonight and will dock tomorrow morning at No. 4 berth.

A number of friends of Mr. and Mrs. Harry McCurdy tendered them a surprise party at their home last evening. D. Noddy, on behalf of those in attendance presented Mr. McCurdy with a signet ring. A pleasant evening was spent and refreshments were served at the close.

Two French gendarmes passed through the city at noon today, coming from France via New York on their way to Halifax, where they will see to the St. Pierre, Miquelon, to relieve others of the permanent force of guards on duty there. Their uniform forms and long cloaks attracted considerable attention around the station.

Mr. H. B. Hobson, of Guelph, Ont., will deliver his lecture "China," in Victoria street Baptist Church at 8 o'clock this evening. Mr. Hobson was born in China and has spent the greater part of his life there and is a grandson of the late Dr. Morrison, missionary to China. He is making his headquarters here in connection with the Laymen's Missionary Movement. This lecture has never been given in St. John, but has been in other places and is very highly spoken of.

MISS LILY G. SMITH  
The remains of Lily G. Smith, the eleven year old daughter of C. Newton Smith was brought to this city today on the Atlantic express for burial. The family formerly belonged to St. John but about a year ago moved to Montreal where the death took place.

The funeral took place from the Union Depot to the Church of England burying ground where the interment was made. Rev. Nell McLaughlin conducted the funeral service.

**HIS OWN MOTHER**  
**ONE OF THE VICTIMS**

Missionary from Kurdistan Visits St. John

In the Interests of His Work—Has Gaze In Toronto—Endorsed by Missionary Societies.

Rev. C. L. Mooshi, a missionary from Kurdistan, left the city last evening for Toronto, after having spent several days here. Mr. Mooshi was in the mission field during the massacre which hundreds of persons were put to death and many driven from their homes. His own mother was one of those who was cruelly murdered, while several of his relatives were also put to death or forced to leave the country.

The people have recovered from the effects of the struggle, but general oppression overhangs the country.

According to Rev. Mr. Mooshi the Presbyterian Church is doing a great work in Kurdistan. Rev. Mr. Ishu, a graduate of Knox College, Toronto, is one of the chief workers. Mr. Ishu is supported by members of the Presbyterian Church in Toronto and Mr. Mooshi is connected with Mr. Ishu's work.

For several years past Mr. Mooshi has been actively engaged in the mission fields. He has carefully watched the progress of the missionary work, and is a fairly good conversant in being spoken of.

On this visit to Canada Rev. Mr. Mooshi intends to seek funds to continue the missionary work in the foreign fields. He has been in Canada on previous occasions, but has visited only Toronto and Ottawa, where he has many friends. He landed at Halifax about a month ago and Presbyterian clergymen invited him to spend a short time in Maritime centres. His address at congregations in Halifax, Truro, Amherst and Moncton. On Sunday morning he addressed the congregation at Centenary Church and in the evening spoke in St. John's Presbyterian Church. His talks were plain in aid of his work in the mission fields.

Several city clergymen are acquainted with the work in Kurdistan and Mr. Ishu is well known. An impression had been gained that importers were soliciting aid from people here but there need be no fear that Rev. Mr. Mooshi is one of this class. He has correspondence and credentials which show that he is an earnest worker in the foreign mission field and is endorsed by leading Canadian societies.

**Troublesome**  
**Skin Diseases**

Readily yield to the antiseptic and healing properties of ZEMACURA, 50c. a box, mailed to any address. Your money cheerfully refunded if you are not satisfied after having used it.

The Royal Pharmacy,  
47 King Street.

**HAVE YOU A**  
**"Cold in the 'ed"?**

A cold in the head is very annoying, and at times hard to cure. You will be immediately relieved by using our

**CATARHINE**  
An Inhaler with each bottle. 25 cents at

**BARDLEY'S PHARMACY**  
100 Brussels Street.



**Boston Dental Parlors**

527 Main Street  
Largest, Finest, and Best Equipped Offices in Canada!  
Five Skilled Operators from England, United States and Canada.  
Eight Dental Chairs!  
Best Lighted Offices in the City.  
Two Ladies in attendance.  
Office Hours: 9 a.m. until 9 p.m.  
Office Telephone, 683.  
Residence Telephone, 792.

**EMERSON & FISHER**  
**AGAIN WIN FIRST PRIZE**

For Display Ad. Printed in December—It Was Set in the Star Office.

The current issue of "Hardware and Metal," published in Toronto, contains the announcement that the first prize awarded by that journal for the best appearing advertisement published since December, has been awarded to Emerson and Fisher, of this city. This is the third time in succession that Emerson and Fisher have won this prize. The full page advertisement ordered by that firm in December was set by the Star composing room staff, as were the two previous ones which were also prize winners. This is a tribute not only to the ability of the hardware ad writer, who in this case was Mr. Stuart Emerson, but to the ability and originality of the Star composing staff.

The same issue of "Hardware and Metal" gives some display to the window setting of McLellan, Holt and Co. Union Street establishment during Christmas week. This was arranged by Mr. R. H. Irwin and represented the Suspension Bridge and Falls.

**"STERLING"**

The word sterling in a piece of silver does not stand for more than the name Robb on the label on your medicine. That's a fact worth considering, if you are sick.

**"Reliable" ROBB, The Prescription Druggist, 137 Charlotte Street.**

**Velour Flannels,**  
**Cashmerettes**  
**and Flannelettes**  
**AT BARGAIN PRICES**

All our Fancy Velours at 15c. yard, were 20 to 25 cents.  
Cashmerettes, were 16 to 20c, at 12½ cents.  
Flannelettes, were 12 to 16c, at 9c. yard.  
Velour Eider Flannels at 18c, were 25c yd.

See our window for above goods. They are Snap Prices.

**ROBERT STRAIN & CO.,**  
27 and 29 Charlotte Street

**Big Discount Sale!**

**Bargains Today**  
SCRIBBLERS 5c each, WRITING PADS 5c up, BLANK BOOKS 5c up, NOTE PAPER 15c to 25c pound, ENVELOPES from 75c per thousand, LEDGERS and DAY BOOKS 25 per cent cash discount. McARTHUR'S SPECIAL—ORGANDIE LINEN NOTES, 1 lb. for 50c. 75 ENVELOPES for 25c. You save 25 to 50 per cent on the above lines. GENUINE REDUCTIONS to make room for improvements in store.

**McARTHUR'S Book Store,**  
84 KING STREET.

**Before the Start Careful**  
**Training is Required**

To win a race isn't an accident, but the result of practice. It is so with

**Horse Blankets, Lap Robes, etc.**

Everyone knows our store is a Winner. We scan the markets, buy cheap and give our patrons the benefit. You are sure to win a bargain on every purchase of us.

**S. W. McMackin,**  
335 Main Street, North End.

**J. WIEZEL'S**

**Mid-Winter Clearance Sale**  
Means Bargains that can be seen without glasses. Means you can buy dependable quality Footwear, Ladies' and Gents' Furnishings at practically half-price.

**Cor. Union and Brussels Sts.**

**CLEARANCE SALE OF**  
**Men's Fur and Fur-Lined Coats**

The Celebrated M. R. A. Kind Offered at Bona-Fide Reductions

The M.R.A. high standard of quality is rigidly maintained in Fur and Fur-Lined Coats sold here. Selected with especial regard to quality of skins and skill in every detail of the making, they are coats certain to give entire satisfaction.

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  - Persian lamb collar, muskrat lining, beaver shell; a \$75 coat. Sale price \$64.50
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  - Otter collar, marmot lined, beaver shell; a \$55 coat. Sale price ..... \$47
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  - \$80 Raccoon coats, now ..... \$71
  - \$27 Wombat coats, now ..... \$23
  - \$15 Black China dog coat, now ..... \$11.50

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