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**HALIFAX FORTS NOT TO BE DISTURBED**

Mon. Sam Hughes Declines To Sacrifice Safety Of City

NO BAR TO PROGRESS

Ample Space For Development of Harbor Facilities Without Interference with Defence --- Land Forces a University for Training of Young Canadians.

Special to The Standard. Halifax, May 13.—The officers of the garrison at Halifax, permanent and militia, numbering about one hundred, gave a complimentary dinner tonight at the Halifax Hotel, Col. the Hon. Sam Hughes, Minister of Militia, the minister said, in the course of his speech in responding to the toast in his honor, had been speaking to him regarding the forts here, but nothing was further from his thoughts than to weaken the defense of the city. On the contrary, they would be greatly strengthened and additional forts would be erected. Fort Clarence and George's Island would not be interfered with till other were ready. The minister proceeded to say that he had many interviews with certain men in Halifax regarding the acquisition of certain military properties for commercial purposes. It had been his duty to carefully examine these, but he would say that, neither directly nor indirectly would he sacrifice the military interests of the city. He had favored the policy of the development of Canada's transportation routes and still did so. The ports of Halifax and St. John, Quebec and Montreal in the east would be developed and Vancouver, New Westminster, Victoria and Prince Rupert on the Pacific coast would also be equipped as national ports, but in Halifax the man must be a very poor engineer indeed who could not lay out a plan for the development of this port without interfering with one foot of military property. The minister went on to lay stress on the fact that the permanent force in Canada was not in a standing army but rather a university for the education of the military, and its officers should consider themselves professors in that great university.

Hon. Mr. Hughes left by special train at midnight for Bridgewater, accompanied by A. DeW. Foster, M. P. He will proceed from there to Middleton where he will be joined by A. L. Davidson, M. P., and later by H. B. Tremain, M. P. for Haunts.

**EMPRESS HAD AN ACCIDENT**

One of Ireland's Cylinders Blown Out Early in Voyage and Steamer Had to Proceed Slowly.

Quebec, May 13.—The Canadian Pacific steamer Empress of Ireland reached here between 9 and 10 o'clock this morning, instead of on Thursday or Friday last. The reason for the delay is that one of her cylinders blew out on the second day out and she made slow time on the rest of the journey, 250 miles a day being the average rate. One of the engineers was badly scalded, but is all right now. Another was struck on the knee but there was no serious casualty, though two men who were about to go onto the cylinder before the explosion had a narrow escape. The Empress carried about 1400 passengers among whom was Hon. W. S. Fielding. The captain and officers say that she will be able to return this week.

**WIFE OF FORMER ST. JOHN PASTOR DIES IN HALIFAX**

Special to The Standard. Halifax, May 13.—Mrs. Cohoe, the wife of Rev. A. B. Cohoe, of the First Baptist Church, passed away at Princess Lodge today. Mrs. Cohoe had been seriously ill for several months, suffering from an affection of the throat. Mrs. Cohoe, previous to her marriage was a Miss Eddy, her former home being in Toronto. Her uncle is John Pugsley, of St. John. She was the mother of two daughters.

**DR. SUN SAYS NEW LAW WILL MAKE TROUBLE**

Enforcement of Saskatchewan Prohibition Against Chinese Will Mean Boycott.

Trade Between This Country and Celestial Republic Will Be Crippled Says Former Provisional President.

Moosjauw, Sask., May 12.—While no prosecutions of Orientals have yet been made in connection with the infringement of the new provincial act prohibiting the employment of white girls as help in their places of business, a letter on the subject has come to Dr. Sun, restaurant keeper, purporting to be from the great Dr. Sun Yet Sen himself. The letter is of much importance and is as follows:— "For years China has been agitated but the time has come when the young Chinese have awakened to the western ideas. I shall see to it that new consuls are appointed at both Vancouver and Ottawa. The name of the man I have entered for Ottawa I will not close but office say that he is one of the most highly educated men in China. He will arrive in Vancouver some time during the summer and I may possibly be with him on a visit to Canada. In any event he will be instructed to lecture on the subject of the employment of white girls in Oriental places of business in the principal cities. Moosjauw will receive special attention." Dr. Sun Yet Sen adds in the event of the new law going into effect there would "most certainly be a boycott formed in the big cities of China and that the great trade between Canada and China on the Pacific would also be crippled by means of withdrawing a large number of Chinese now employed on the big C.P.R. liners plying between Vancouver and Hong Kong."

**CHARGE TANG WITH GRAFT**

Grave Accusations Made Against China's Premier— Cabinet Promises Reforms in Administration of Affairs.

Pekin, May 12.—All the members of the Chinese republican cabinet at present in Peking appeared today before the provisional council and promised the introduction of reforms in the administration and extensive modern developments. These include trials by jury, the reorganization of the army and navy a general system of education, sound methods of taxation, including the introduction of an income tax and the establishment of a national bank. The visit of the cabinet ministers to the provisional council will be apparently an effort on the part of Premier Tang Shao Yi to prevent his impending overthrow. Premier Tang Shao Yi was closely questioned during a secret session of the council. Certain of the councillors declared that Tang Shao Yi paid over to Dr. Sun Yat Sen personally the sum of \$1,000,000. Whether this charge is true or untrue, the allegation itself shows that there exists a lack of confidence in Tang Shao Yi. The councillors charge the government of Premier Tang Shao Yi with the contract and spending the Belgium loan without consulting the council.

**GRIT SLANDER IS LIKELY TO PROVE SOMEWHAT COSTLY**

Liberal Organs Make Serious Charges Against Armand Lavergne Who Sues for \$25,000 Damages.

Quebec, May 13.—Armand Lavergne, the opposition lieutenant, against whom serious charges relative to his legal practice were made by the Liberal organs Le Soleil and La Vie, has instituted in damages to the extent of \$25,000 against each of the two papers. He also put the Minister into the hands of the syndic of the Quebec bar requesting him to make an immediate investigation.

**WITNESS HAD SHORT MEMORY COURT FAILED TO JOG IT**

Former Tin Plate King's Recollections Decidedly Hazy at Times

EXASPERATED JUDGE

Daniel Reid and Judge W. H. Moore Promoted Merger of Thirty-five Tin Plate Concerns But Former Denies Intention to Create Monopoly.

New York, May 13.—Daniel Reid, the railroad financier and former tin plate king, a director and member of the finance committee of the United States Steel Corporation, was called on the stand today at the hearing of the government suit to dissolve the corporation, to tell how the American Tin Plate Company was organized. "First of the many prominent defendants in the case appeared on the stand, Mr. Reid proved a poor witness for the government and time and again his answers to pertinent questions in regard to the financial phases of the tin plate company's formation was: "I don't remember," or "I do not recollect." His poor memory appeared to exasperate Judge Jacob M. Dickinson, chief counsel for the government and prompted him to remark: "You can bring a horse to water, but you can't make him drink. You can subpoena a witness but it seems that you can't make him remember." The government contends that the American Tin Plate Company, which became the United States Steel Corporation, was in itself a combination in restraint of trade and that its stock was watered. Mr. Reid told how in 1898 he and Judge William H. Moore had welded the company together out of about 35 tin plate concerns representing at that time some 90 per cent. of the industry, but upon the question as to what the prices were worth, Mr. Reid's memory was frail. He admitted that \$10,000,000 in stock went to the underwriting syndicate, which advanced the company over and above \$30,000,000 preferred and common stock issued in exchange for stock of tin plate concerns. He was unable to recall, however, how much of this \$10,000,000 he received himself as a member of the syndicate, or whether cash was paid for any of the plants instead of stock. All efforts of Judge Dickinson to refresh the witness' memory on the subject by reading extracts from the testimony of Mr. Reid gave before the industrial commission in 1899 proved futile. Judge Dickinson pressed the witness with equal lack of success for information concerning the contracts by which the American Tin Plate Company is said to have prevented machinery for the manufacture of tin plate from being used by competitors. "My mind is a perfect blank on that subject," declared the witness. Mr. Reid admitted that there was competition among the various constituent plants before he and Judge Moore brought them together, but that the capacity of the corporation to monopolize the industry, or that there had been any effort to suppress competition. "Competition was fair and open," he asserted. At the present time Mr. Reid said, reading from statistics compiled, he explained, in the office of the steel corporation, competition had grown to such an extent that the present annual capacity of the corporation's tin plate plants was only 53.7 per cent. of the country's total as compared with an independent capacity of 48.3 per cent. "We figured that by combination, we could buy supplies cheaper, reduce overhead charges and make business more profitable," explained Mr. Reid, but persistent questioning by Judge Dickinson elicited the admission that "it might have had the regulation of prices in mind."

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**ISMAY PROPOSES ENDOWMENT FUND**



J. BRUCE ISMAY.  
London, May 13.—The London papers will publish a statement made by the Liverpool Journal of Commerce that J. Bruce Ismay intends to provide an endowment fund for pensions for disabled seamen of all classes connected with the White Star Line and for their widows, as a thank offering and a memorial to the heroes of the Titanic's crew. The fund, it is further said, will probably amount to \$1,000,000.

**NESBITT IS ALLOWED TO GO ON BAIL**

Former President of Farmers' Bank Arraigned in Police Court.

Counsel Asks Prisoner Be Released Until Monday to Allow Time for Consultation— Investigation is Resumed.

Toronto, May 13.—Dr. William Beattie Nesbitt, former president of the defunct Farmers Bank, who was brought back from Chicago through extradition papers yesterday, appeared in the police court for a few minutes this morning and was allowed his liberty on \$15,000 bail. His bondsmen are Wallace Nesbitt, K. C., and Dr. Walter McKeown, each giving his surety to the amount of \$7500. He was arraigned on four charges of fraud in making false returns of the condition of the finance of the Farmers Bank to the government. H. H. Dewar, K.C., Dr. Nesbitt's counsel, asked for a remand until next Monday without electing or pleading, stating that the case had been brought on so hurriedly that he had not been afforded an opportunity to consult with his client. He asked for bail and the Crown named \$15,000 as the figure. The investigation into the affairs of the Farmers Bank was resumed this afternoon at 2 o'clock at Osbourne Hall. Before it concludes Dr. Nesbitt will be asked to give the commission his version of the history of the defunct institution.

**CANADIAN CONDUCTS GREAT CHOIR OF FOUR THOUSAND VOICES**

London, May 13.—A great and enthusiastic audience of 30,000 listened to the Empire concert which inaugurated Shakespeare England at Earl's Court Saturday. The singing of the Imperial choir of 4000 voices conducted by Dr. Charles Harris, of Canada, was most imposing. Sir Henry Wood also conducted.

**THREE MORE BODIES OF TITANIC VICTIMS BROUGHT TO SHORE**

Special to The Standard. Loughsburg, May 13.—S. S. Montagny, Capt. Polot, arrived today with three bodies of Titanic victims—Harold Reynolds, of Toronto; C. Smith, of the cooking staff, and a young girl about 15 years of age, name unknown. These are being landed in Loughsburg and expressed to Halifax for burial. The Montagny sails at eleven o'clock tonight to continue the search after bodies, on bunker.

**TAFT IN SEARCH OF ROOSEVELT'S SCALP**

EVIDENCE POINTS TO POISONING

Physician of Deceased Island Children Endorses Murder Theory.

Report of Montreal Analyst Likely to Confirm View—Believed Mother of Victims Was Insane.

Special to The Standard. Georgetown, P. E. I., May 13.—At the McGee trial in Georgetown today Dr. B. R. Fraser of Montreal, who was called to attend the six children during their illness and who assisted at the autopsy, declared that he was now of the opinion that death was due to phosphorus poisoning. The symptoms were certainly marked in the case of the last boy who died. Kenny aged ten, the enlarged liver, the yellowish tinge on the other organs, the character of the material passed by the bowels, all supported his statement. The mother he said during his visit to the house did not seem much concerned about the illness of the boy even after losing the other five children. Dr. McMillan, who went to Montreal with the organs of the deceased children to be analyzed will testify this afternoon. It is understood that the theory of phosphorus poisoning, Mrs. McGee who is being tried for the murder of her children, will not be denied up to the Supreme Court. Several witnesses previously examined testified that she was insane. The opinion of Dr. Fraser that the death of the six McGee children was caused by phosphorus poisoning was corroborated this afternoon by Dr. J. D. McIntyre, W. J. McMillan and D. A. Stewart. At the preliminary trial, all had taken part in the autopsy. Dr. McMillan who assisted Dr. Ratton of McGill University, in making the chemical analysis of the organs of the deceased, says they found phosphorus in the form of phosphoric acid and phosphates. The evidence showed Mrs. McGee had obtained 36 bunches or 216 cards in one week and there was enough phosphorus in two cards soaked in water, the doctors said, to cause the death of an adult. A grain is usually fatal. One of the witnesses, a neighbor of Mrs. McGee, said he heard her say she would go to Boston if anything happened to Johnny and that her husband could get married again. She said he was kind to her and she could not chastise the children while he was there. The case will be concluded tomorrow when some important evidence will be submitted.

President's Final Efforts Marked by Fierce Attack On Antagonist

BECAME INDIGNANT

And Said Theodore Likens Himself More to Lincoln and Resembles Him Less Than All Others—Ohio Supporters Encouraged by Reception

Steubenville, Ohio, May 13.—President Taft's first day of his final campaign swing through Ohio, which came to an end with a speech here tonight, was marked by the most pronounced verbal assaults upon "Colonel Theodore Roosevelt to which Mr. Taft so far has given public utterances. Speeches that were filled with indignant attacks that bubbled over with uncompromising adjectives, Mr. Taft discharged his oratory at his predecessor in the White House. Late today when he spoke at Denison, St. Clairville, Bollaie and Bridgeport, the weather was fair and the crowds came out in summer attire. At many points the President touched the steel manufacturing district of Ohio which his political advisors opposed to his re-nomination. The crowds, however, were large enough and frequently demonstrative enough to make his Ohio friends feel somewhat optimistic. Although in substance all of the dozen speeches the President made today to secure Mr. Roosevelt's removal were much like those he delivered in Massachusetts and Maryland, they differed widely at times in the words said to secure Mr. Roosevelt. These were unusual and gave his hearers opportunities for applause and laughter which seldom failed to come. Mr. Taft compared Roosevelt and Lincoln with a smile. "Mr. Roosevelt," he said, "resembles him less than any man in this country," he remarked during the day. Mr. Taft called upon the Roosevelt backers to find one indictment if he had done wrong, asked for more facts and less lurid headlines and lunged at Mr. Roosevelt and his campaign. The former President is making against him "accusatory and libelous." "Let Mr. Roosevelt point out what thing I have done or failed to do under the influence of anybody, and then I will say that he has made a point, but while he continues merely in general denunciation to say that the bosses are all for me and all against him, I say he is conducting a campaign that is not worthy the man who has had the veneration, respect and honor put upon him by the American people."

**TAFT ADMITS PET IS DEAD**

Demise of Reciprocity, He Argues, Closes Subject as Argument Against Him — Scores Roosevelt's Attitude.

Dexter, Ohio, May 13.—President Taft in a speech here today referred to reciprocity and admitted "the thing is dead."

"They tell me this is a Roosevelt town," was his opening remark to the crowd that met his train. "It is," yelled a man on the station platform. "They say you are against me," continued the president, "because I was in favor of reciprocity. Well, I was. I was in favor of reciprocity because I believe it would be good for the farmers and every other class. We sell our foodstuffs and agricultural products to Canada, four times what they sell to us," declared Mr. Taft. "They can not raise corn up there, they can only raise the hardest cereals, and it would be of great benefit to the farmers, but the thing is dead. Now what I want to say to you, is that you are utterly illogical in opposing me on account of reciprocity, when the fact is that before I entered into reciprocity at all, I wrote to Theodore Roosevelt and consulted him about it, and told him all the arguments both ways. He commended me most highly for going into the business and approved it in every way. Now that he finds that reciprocity is not popular with the farmers, he recants and says that, well, he has changed his mind about it."

**MEMBERS OF CABINET LEAVING CAPITAL**

Ottawa, May 13.—Premier Borden accompanied by Hon. J. D. Reid, leaves for Toronto tonight. The Prime Minister's visit will last a week. Hon. J. D. Hazen left for St. John today.

ROYAL NAVAL CLUB, Portsmouth, England. To the Zam-Buk Co. Dear Sirs, I have found Zam-Buk most reliable for healing cuts and abrasions; while for the relief of skin irritation it is invaluable.

(Signed) RODNEY M. LLOYD, Admiral. How Zam-Buk Cures Burns. Stoker Kingsnorth, of H.M. First Class Cruiser "Cochrane," says: "One day I fell with my arm on an exhaust steam pipe, which fairly frizzled the skin. At once the ship's surgeon dressed my arm, but from the first, the burn took the wrong way, owing to a lot of coal dust and dirt from the pipe having got embedded in the flesh and setting up blood-poison."

USE ZAMBUK

PAPER MILL MEN ARE HOME FROM ENGLAND

Senator Jones and H. W. Schofield Returned Yesterday - Refused to Discuss the Result of their Trip. Ex-Senator Jones of Maine, and H. W. Schofield, who were passengers on the Empress of Ireland, reached St. John yesterday afternoon. They went to England in connection with the plans for the erection of a paper mill at the falls and for the development of the Gibson Timber areas, and it is expected that important announcements regarding these projects will be made in a few days.

"Complexion Secrets Of an Actress"

In a recently issued volume bearing the above title, the author says: "Continuous use of grease paints, rouge, and the like, had ruined my complexion. My skin was colorless, wrinkled, flabby, coarse and punctured with large pores. In England I heard of the virtues of mercuriol wax, my first experience with this marvellous substance convinced me it was more valuable than all cosmetics combined. Now whenever my complexion begins to go wrong I get an ounce of mercuriol wax at the nearest drug store, spread on a thin layer of it before retiring, washing it off next morning. The wax, after a few such treatments, seems literally to absorb the worn-out cuticle, when a brighter, healthier, younger-looking skin appears."

RED ROSE FLOUR. DIED. THORNE—Suddenly, at God's Mercy, on May 12, Margaret L., wife of Rev. I. Newton Thorne. Funeral Wednesday, Interment at Hoyt Station.

OUR GLASSES are made of the finest materials. Prices reasonable. Best equipped examining room in the city. D. B. GARDNER, Optician, 58 Dock Street.

TAKE STEPS TO PREVENT INFECTION

Department of Agriculture Declares War on Potato Canker.

Diseased Tubers Brought to Canada Destroyed and Precaution Will be Taken to Avoid Spread of Malady.

Special to The Standard. Ottawa, May 13.—The Canadian potato will be saved from the danger of canker, threatening from Europe, if the department of agriculture can save it. Potato canker is declared by departmental experts to be the most dread enemy of the tuber, being practically irradicable. It stays in the soil for years. It is a fungus growth, and is very prevalent in continental Europe, and in England, where it has wrought havoc with the crops. The disease was recently discovered in Canada in an imported shipment of European potatoes, and the consignment was destroyed.

LATE SHIPPING.

Parrsboro, N. S., May 13.—(Special)—Ard: Str Pontiac, Sprague, from Liverpool to load for J. Newton Pugsley. London, May 13.—Ard: Str Mount Temple St. John and Halifax. Naples, May 13.—Ard: Str Prinzess Irene, New York. Bremen, May 13.—Ard: Str Bremen, New York.

Arrivals. Glasgow—Caledonia, New York. Liverpool, 11—Empress of Britain, St. John, N.B.—Canada, Portland; 13—Caronia, New York. Plymouth—Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, New York. Bremen—Bremen, New York. St. Michaels—Alice, New York. Gibraltar—Pannonia, New York. Naples—Prinzess Irene, New York. Montreal—Arrived—Teutonic, Liverpool. Sailed—Norden, London; Maxman, Bristol. Messina—Carpatria, New York. Philadelphia—Schr Bradford C French, Boston. New York—Schr Emily F. Northam, Gloucester, N.S.; Wanola, Farristown, N.S. Philadelphia—Schr Bradford C French, Boston. Boston—Schr John R. Fell, Mayaguez, Porto Rico; Warren B. Pottery, Georgetown, St.; Henry S. Little, Philadelphia; Rebecca Palmer, Lambert Point; Gladys, Port Arthur, Texas; W. C. Goodman, Norfolk; Alice P. Turner, Eatons Neck, L.I. Gloucester—Schr Silver Star, Mattland, N.S.; Abbie Bowker, Elizabethport. Portland—Schr Edward B Winslow, Portland; Cora F. Crossy, Newport News; Adelle Palmer, South Amboy. Machias—Schr Hortenzia, New York; W. R. Perkins, do. Castport, Me.—Schr Peter C. Schulz, New York. Thomaston, Me.—Schr Samuel Hart, New York. Rockland, Me.—Schr Sarah L. De His, New York. Portsmouth, N. H.—Schr Mary B. Wellington, Perth Amboy. Calais, Me.—Schr S. R. Bowers, New York; Normandy, do; Sullivan, Sawin, Newport News.

FORMER MINISTER DEAD.

Paris, May 12.—General Nassebo Aga, who was Persian minister to France from 1896 to 1906, died here today.

WELL, WELL! THIS IS A HOME DYE THAT ANYONE CAN USE. DIED. THORNE—Suddenly, at God's Mercy, on May 12, Margaret L., wife of Rev. I. Newton Thorne. Funeral Wednesday, Interment at Hoyt Station.

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THE VERY LATEST PHOTOGRAPH OF THE POPE



From a Snapshot Taken in the Vatican Gardens Only a Few Weeks Ago.

ANTI-DUELLING RESOLUTION HAS BEEN ADOPTED

The Reichstag at Last Takes Definite Action to Suppress Ancient Practice Among German Troops. Berlin, May 13.—The Reichstag today adopted the anti-duelling resolution introduced May 9 with an amendment drawn up by the Socialist members providing that officers who refuse to accept a challenge to a duel shall not be dismissed from the army. The resolution was initiated by the clerical party asked the imperial Chancellor, Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg, to take steps to put an end to duelling in the army, particularly the practice making it compulsory for an offended person to challenge the offender or leave the army.

BATTLESHIP AND STEAMER COLLIDE, LATTER INJURED

Don Benito Forced to Signal for Assistance and Finally Had to Be Run Ashore. London, May 13.—In a thick fog which came down suddenly over the English Channel, a serious collision occurred off Polkstone yesterday between the battleship London and the British steamship Don Benito, trading to Buenos Ayres. The battleship apparently undamaged, proceeded to Sheerness for examination, but assistance for the steamship had to be signalled to Dover. Tugs proceeded to tow her in harbor, but one of her holds was filled and she was run aground.

APPEAL ENTERED ON PULP QUESTION

Trying to Settle Point of Its Right of Entry Free to United States—Appraisers Say Yes. Washington, May 11.—The international commercial question, involving the right of entry of wood pulp and paper into the United States from all countries with which America is connected by treaties of commerce, was appealed to the United States Court of Customs Appeal today. The privilege is claimed under the "favored nation" clause of the convention, because free wood pulp and paper is granted to Canada by the only operative section of the Canadian reciprocity agreement.

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CELEBRATED EIGHTY-FIRST BIRTHDAY IN CAPITAL YESTERDAY

John Scott Hale and Hearty After Long and Useful Career—Veteran of the County Council.

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, May 13.—Hale and hearty, John Scott of this city is today celebrating his 81st birthday. Few men are better known throughout the length and breadth of York county than the "Godfather" of the county company, John Scott, who came to this country from Tyrone, Ireland, forty years ago he took a life partner and, of that issue there were 12 children. Most of his life has been spent at Barony, Kingsclear, where he lived until his removal to this city some four years ago. For 25 years he represented Humber at the county council, the longest period that any one member has ever sat at the council board.

MONGTON STREET RAILWAY LINE TO BE EXTENDED SOON

Special to The Standard. Moncton, May 13.—The city council tonight decided to offer no objection to the use of the ordinary iron rail on the unpaved streets, instead of the grooved rail, and officials of the tramway department say that the work of extending the street railway system will be commenced at once. Mr. Scott and E. H. W. Cox, Scottish stockholders in the Maritime Omnibus, and H. A. Mavor, electrical engineer, also of Scotland, are here and today visited the oil and gas field in Albert county where development work is being prosecuted vigorously.

BUM, POLICE DOG, MAY LOSE HIS JOB

New York, May 11.—Persons passing the police station in Madison street have noticed some of the city's protectors sitting with wrinkled brows and index fingers resting on their foreheads, and gazing unswervingly at the strange sight. Gloomy suggestions of false clues in cases of murder, robbery and sudden death are all erroneous, however, for Bum, the mascot of the precinct, is the cause of the deep thought. Bum is a bulldog, pride of the Madison street police, friend of all the children in the neighborhood and a terror to corner loungers and evil-doers. Six winters ago he entered the station house, a hungry, tired and sorry dog. He was dusted off, bathed and fed. Then he tipped the scales at eleven pounds.

SERIOUS FLOODS IN SASKATCHEWAN

Assiniboine River Overflows Banks and Covers a Great Area—Current is Now More Free. Kamsack, Sask., May 11.—Owing to the continued rains of the past week the Assiniboine river half a mile south-west of this place, has overflowed its banks and reached the highest point for some years. Thousands of acres adjacent to the river are completely covered. The iron bridge across the Assiniboine at Port Polly was washed away by the flood, and some culverts on tributaries also were washed away. The traffic bridge, west of the town, is standing so far, but it is in a precarious condition. Citizens turned out and removed the flooring and stringers so as to leave as little surface presented to the water as possible. The water is over the iron girders and both approaches, but the Canadian Northern bridge is still intact. The employees are taking every precaution. The iron traffic bridge south of the town is fairly safe, but the approaches and the roadway for a mile on either side are completely inundated. All traffic from the south and west is completely cut off. Farmers living on the lower land have had to move their families and stock to higher ground. The river is still rising, but not so rapidly as yesterday. There appears to be considerably more current today and this may relieve the congestion.

CHANGES MADE IN ENGINEERING STAFF OF THE RAILWAY CO.

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Household Hot Water In Cheap, Endless Supply. Kitchen Boiler, Showing Climax Gas Water Heater.

ASSISTANCE FOR SHEEP RAISING IN THE DOMINION

Government Grant Will Be Provided and Distributed by Means of Various Societies—Better Stock Proposed.

Special to The Standard. Ottawa, May 13.—The Minister of Agriculture, Hon. Martin Burrell, is coming to the aid of the Canadian sheep industry. A grant of money is to be made this summer toward the improvement of stock in British Columbia and in the Maritime Provinces. The money will be used by the Dominion Sheep Breeders' Association, acting with the co-operation of the Department of Agriculture, and arrangements for the expenditure will be completed this month. Representatives of the Dominion and Ontario Sheep Breeders' Association will meet officials of the live stock branch here on Friday. The proposal is to improve the flocks in the east and British Columbia with stock purchased in Ontario. The sheep industry of Canada, represented by two million sheep, is declared to be far behind its proper status. The effort at improvement now being made will be followed by a study of the wool branch of sheep raising in the prairie provinces.

RAISING FUNDS TO HELP CLERGY

Montreal, May 13.—The campaign to raise \$250,000 for the augmentation of the salaries of Anglican pastors in the diocese of Montreal, was opened today by Bishop Partridge. At midday a luncheon was held attended by many prominent church workers, at which it was announced that \$70,000 had already been promised. Tonight, while official figures had not been completed, it was stated that this sum had been considerably increased during the afternoon.

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**PERSONAL NEWS OF WESTFIELD**

Westfield, May 11.—A. H. Hanington, K. C. of St. John, who has been spending a few days at his summer residence has returned home.

C. E. L. Jarvis and family of St. John are occupying their cottage here for the summer season.

A little son arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Macdonald, Ederly Hall, 1st inst. Mrs. Macdonald, Dr. Silas Alward, of St. John, was in Westfield on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Bowman, of St. John, have moved to their cottage, Woodman's Point, for the summer.

W. Woods, M.P.P., of Westford, N. B., spent one day this week in Westfield.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Coster of St. John are at Woodman's Point for the summer months.

D. Arnold Fox of St. John is spending the summer at Woodman's Point.

Mr. Cosman of St. John was the weekend guest of his brother, Rev. L. A. Cosman, Woodman's Point. J. Willard Smith of St. John was at Hillandale on Friday.

Mrs. Moses McKenzie of Nerepis, was recently operated on at the General Public Hospital, St. John, is improving.

Mr. Soull and son of Westford, N. B., were the guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Stephenson.

Miss Pearl Hubeley, who has been spending the winter in St. John, has returned home for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth McDonald, of St. John, are occupying their cottage at Woodman's Point.

Miss Sadie Lingley, of the nursing staff of the general public hospital, who has been spending her vacation with her parents in Westfield, N. B., has returned to St. John.

Carl Prime, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Seth Prime, The Maples, has returned to St. John.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick C. McNeill, of St. John, are spending the summer at Woodman's Point.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Perkins, of St. John, have moved to their summer cottage at Lingley.

The Misses Mabel and Evelyn Peters, who have been spending the winter at Detroit, Michigan, guests of their sister, Mrs. McArthur, have returned and are occupying their cottage, "Echo Hill."

E. C. Prime has returned to Westfield for the summer, having spent the winter in St. John.

Mrs. J. F. Cheyne and family have moved to St. John.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bowman are spending a few days in Westfield.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Walter Holly and auto party were in Westfield on Sunday.

Mrs. W. S. Stephenson spent the weekend at Public Landing.

Mr. and Mrs. James Smith were weekend guests at Jerusaleim, N. B.

Mrs. Rose McKenzie has been the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hill, Jerusaleim.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. St. John, spent the weekend at their cottage Hillandale.

Ralph Stephenson, of St. John, was the weekend guest of Mr. and Mrs. McArthur, Jerusaleim.

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Post Office Department,  
Mail Service Branch,  
Ottawa, 10th May, 1912.

**TENDERS.**

Tenders for the purchase of the buildings on Blue Rock, so called, West St. John, will be received by the chairman of committee up to 8 o'clock on Monday, May 20th, 1912 for the construction of a stone Court House with municipal offices, to be built in Newcastle, N. B., for the County of Northumberland.

Plans and specifications may be seen after May 7th, at the office of the county secretary, P. Williston, Esq., Newcastle, or at the office of the architect.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

G. PERCIVAL BURCHILL,  
Chairman of Committee,  
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**SEALED TENDERS** addressed to the postmaster general, and endorsed "Tender for Wharf at Fredericton, N. B." will be received at this office until 4 p. m., Thursday, June 6, 1912, for the construction of a wharf at Fredericton, York County, N. B.

Plans, specifications and form of contract can be seen and forms of tender obtained at this Department and at the offices of J. K. Scammell, Esq., District Engineer, St. John, N. B.; Geoffrey Street, Esq., District Engineer, Chatham, N. B., and on application to the Postmaster at Fredericton, N. B.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed forms supplied, and signed with their actual signatures, stating their occupations and places of residence. In the case of firms, the actual signature, the nature of the occupation, and place of residence of each member of the firm must be given.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank, payable to the order of the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, equal to ten per cent. (10 p. c.) of the amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the person tendering declines to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or fail to complete the work contracted for. If the tender is not accepted the cheque will be returned.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order,  
R. C. DESROCHERS,  
Secretary,  
Department of Public Works,  
Ottawa, May 8, 1912.

Newspapers will not be paid for this advertisement if they indicate the withdrawal authority from the Department.

**POTTS**

**SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST LAND REGULATIONS.**

Any person who is the sole head of a family or any man over 18 years old, who possesses a quarter section of available land in the Northwest Territories, Yukon or Alberta. The applicant must appear in person before the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-agency for the district, either by proxy made at said agency, on certain conditions by father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister of intending homesteader.

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ST. JOHN, N. B., TUESDAY, MAY 14, 1912.

HON. J. K. FLEMING.

Hon. J. K. Fleming, Premier of New Brunswick, will be the guest of honor at a banquet in this city this evening. Mr. Fleming needs no introduction to the people of St. John. Entering the Legislature in 1900, he has been re-elected at the general elections of 1903 and 1908. For eight years he occupied a seat on the Opposition side of the House and was the chief lieutenant of its party and financial critic of the old Administration. It is not claiming too much for Mr. Fleming to say it was largely owing to his industrious probing into the accounts of the Tweedie Government and to the exposure of their financial methods that brought about their downfall at the elections in March, 1908.

From 1900 to 1908 the Province of New Brunswick suffered under the worst Government since Confederation. Not only were the finances of the Province handled in so loose and unsatisfactory a manner as to cause the people to pay large and unnecessary charges for interest, but every year there was an average of \$100,000 added to the permanent debt for expenditures that under a honest administration would have been paid out of ordinary revenue. Not only were the old Government extravagant, but they were so indifferent to the collection of the revenue justly due from the Crown lands that they failed to get much more than half of that which should have been collected.

The overturn of 1908 placed Mr. Hazen in the saddle as Premier of the Province and he selected Mr. Fleming as his Provincial Secretary, an office he held until October 16, 1911, when the resignation of Mr. Hazen left the office of Premier vacant, an office which Mr. Fleming was called upon to fill. Mr. Grimmer, who had filled the office of Surveyor General so acceptably in the Hazen Government, was selected by Mr. Fleming for the important portfolio of Attorney General. Mr. McLeod, who had been Solicitor General in the Hazen Government, was given the portfolio of Provincial Secretary. Mr. Fleming himself taking that of Surveyor General, a position which has taken first rank in the Cabinet within recent years, and which gives ample scope for the administrative ability of the Premier.

As Provincial Secretary Mr. Fleming showed marked business ability in the reorganization of the financial affairs of the Province after the change of Government. The loose methods of the old Administration, which permitted all sorts of irregularities, were immediately wiped out by the new Government and a system adopted by which a complete check was kept on all receipts and expenditures of Provincial money. Expense accounts have disappeared entirely under the new system and the annual report of the Auditor General is now a truthful representation of the actual financial condition of the Province; whereas, under the old Administration the report gave only such a representation of the receipts and expenditures as the Government desired to put before the public. A large share of the credit for this changed condition of affairs is due to Mr. Fleming. During his short term of office as Premier, Mr. Fleming has had to deal with more really important projects than any of his predecessors in that office for many years. Mr. Hazen was a progressive and aggressive leader. The Valley Railway project and the Gibson and Minto Railway were both due to his initiative, but it was left to Mr. Fleming to give practical effect to these two great measures. Mr. Hazen had opened the way for the development of the Gloucester iron mines and by wise legislation had made the gas and oil wells of Albert a commercial proposition. To the legislation passed since Mr. Fleming became Premier is due the opening up of the Albert County shale deposits, which, in a year or more, will result in the erection of a town in Albert County of three or more thousand population within a few miles of Moncton. Mr. Fleming has also passed legislation which will increase immigration into the Province and repopulate many of its deserted farms.

A great deal has been accomplished in the four years that have followed the elections of March, 1908. The financial standing of the Province is better today than at any time in its history. Its revenue has been largely increased through the efforts of the present Administration, and the increase has been wisely expended in improving educational facilities, in the betterment of the roads and in the improvement of the bridges. The grants for agriculture have been doubled and farmers have been shown how they could increase the value of their land and add to their incomes by adopting better methods of farming than formerly employed.

One of the great achievements of the present Government in agricultural development has been the demonstration of the capabilities of this Province for apple culture. While it is true that apples have been grown successfully in many sections of New Brunswick for years, it remained for the present Government to demonstrate that apple culture can be conducted as a commercial success, not only in the St. John River Valley but in many other sections of the Province not previously thought of. The attention which the Government have given to apple culture has caused horticulturists in other sections of Canada to make inquiries for land in New Brunswick suitable for the planting of orchards. Last year, according to the statement of the President of the New Brunswick Horticultural Society, 40,000 apple trees were set out in New Brunswick, and this year 60,000 more will be planted. In two years there has been greater progress in this branch of agriculture than in the previous twenty years. The opening up of the centre of New Brunswick by the Valley Railway, and the improved transportation facilities thereby afforded, will further increase the interest of farmers in this highly profitable branch of agriculture.

Mr. Fleming's important services to the Province entitle him to the recognition which is tendered him today. The persistence with which he has labored to bring about the construction of the Valley Railway, by which one of the oldest and best settled sections of the Province will be afforded transportation facilities long denied, entitles him to a first place in the esteem of all progressive citizens. Not only has he secured the construction of this important railway but the arrangement under which it will be built will not in all probability cost the Province a single dollar. Its construction is undertaken by a company whose bonds are guaranteed to the extent of \$25,000,000. Three thousand dollars of this guarantee is to remain under the control of the Government for the purpose of meeting any deficiency in the earnings of the railway to pay the interest on the bond guarantee. When constructed the railway will be leased to the Government of Canada, and operated as part of

the Intercolonial system, the constructing company receiving its rental, forty per cent. of the gross income from the railway. No such favorable terms have ever been made for the construction of a railway in this Province. The credit for this businesslike arrangement is due to Mr. Fleming's business ability.

## THE SERVANT GIRL PROBLEM.

Why is it that a man who has no trouble in getting girls to work in his factory is unable to secure a girl to do domestic service in his house at fair wages in addition to free lodging and meals? This question, which deals with an important phase of the servant girl problem common in most communities, is answered with some instructive detail in the annual report of the New York Commissioner of Licences. He declares the principal reason that girls prefer to work in factories and even sweat shops at a less wage than they could get as domestic servants is because they desire their independence.

Following up the subject the Commissioner submits the following list of reasons given by him as agreed upon by employment agencies:

- (1) Every girl who works likes Sundays off. Sunday is the day a servant must work hardest.
- (2) Servants can have no callers, or at least callers are frowned upon by the employers. In apartment houses the servant cannot have her acquaintances or relatives call upon her.
- (3) A servant's work never ends. She has no freedom; no time of her own.
- (4) Girls in factories can sing together sometimes while at work and flock together socially at night, but a servant is always lonesome.
- (5) The immigrant girl or "green" girl wants to be with her relatives or friends as much as possible and at least to spend her evenings with them. At domestic service she gets homesick.
- (6) Employers give no consideration to the social instincts of their servants. They believe servants have no business having social instincts.
- (7) Household service is too menial and undignified. A girl may work anywhere else and call herself a lady. She may be a saleslady or hold a position with a firm (even if she works in a factory), but in a household there is only one lady and she is the employer. The servant is just a servant.

It is a significant fact that in the city of New York there are vacancies for 100,000 domestic servants which cannot be filled. The question of higher wages is not to any extent a factor in the situation. The report states that there has not been a marked increase in wages this year over last, largely because many women refuse to do housework at any price. It would seem that the servant girl problem has come to stay.

## THE SINS OF THE FATHERS.

An incidental remark by Mr. Lloyd George, in his speech on the Bill to Disestablish the Church in Wales, has provoked an amusing and somewhat instructive controversy in England on the merits of a descendant's responsibility for the sins of his fathers. In the course of the debate Lord Hugh Cecil had protested that it was something like "sacrilege" to lay a hand upon the temporal possessions of the Church, and Mr. Lloyd George retorted that the Cecil family had not always objected to gifts of churches and ecclesiastical manors to the Cecils in the sixteenth century.

Both Lord Hugh and Lord Robert Cecil asserted that none of this property had descended to them, but they were promptly called to book by Professor Pollard of Oxford, with citations from the "Papers" of Henry VIII. As Lord Robert had observed that Mr. Pollard's assertions were "astonishing even in a professor," the professor was seemingly justified in retorting that Lord Robert's idea of evidence was "astonishing even for a lawyer."

It was Lord Hugh, however, who had the last word, and displayed the family talent for controversy by declaring that it was absurd to hold that "remote descendants are precluded from censuring immoralities which resemble those by which their ancestors benefited." He wound up pungently: "Suppose that Mr. Churchill denounced in the House of Commons some transaction as 'corrupt,' would it be anything but childish and ill-managed to reply that it was too late for him to talk about 'corruption because the great Duke of Marlborough made it freely accepted bribes? I am surprised that a man in Professor Pollard's position should be so foolish. He might as well pick a pocket and then complain that the policeman who arrested him was descended from Robin Hood."

## THE LATE JUDGE MABEE'S WAY.

The late Judge Mabee had a way of looking after humble litigants which might be very generally imitated. The Ottawa Free Press recalls an instance when a widow wrote to him protesting that a railway was expropriating the only means of egress from her property. When the day came for adjusting the case, the woman was not represented. The railway counsel anticipated no difficulty.

"But see here," said Mr. Mabee, "the land you are taking includes the only means of egress which this widow possesses. And I don't propose to stand for it." Counsel for the railway gasped: "Why, that's to be the site of our station," he exclaimed. "No, it's not," said the chairman. "But we are going to put our station there," reiterated the man of law, who could hardly comprehend anyone interfering with such a sacred thing as a station site. "Would giving you this woman a safe means of egress involve moving your station?" asked the commissioner. "Yes, and—"

"Then move it. She was there before you were." They did.

## Current Comment

**(Toronto Weekly Sun.)**  
The cost of our militia service in 1910, exclusive of armories and the civil branch represented by the department itself was almost the even \$6,000,000. Of this total \$1,381,000 was spent on the permanent force. This leaves \$4,619,000 as the cost of staff and of the 25,000 men who were drilled for two weeks in the year. This figures out at about \$130 a man. That seems a fairly high price to pay for very little drill.

**(Bangor News.)**  
We learn from the Boston Post that the Woodrow Wilson campaign money, far from being tainted by trust associations, "continues to come from the Sunday schools and orphan asylums." That being the case, those worthy institutions must be subjected to a heavy drain. It has been intimated that they are the sources of the Roosevelt campaign funds too.

**(Portland Argus.)**  
In Ohio, the President's home State, the Taft-Roosevelt campaign should reach its climax. By way of variety the contestants might engage in joint debate, with policemen on the side to keep the President of the United States and the ex-President of the United States from physically assaulting each other.

**(Greenwood Ledger.)**  
The man who complains the most in a hotel is the man who has the least at home.

## The Poets' Column

PLEASE USE LITTLE WORDS.

The following two remarkable sonnets, which are rich alike in sentiment and expression—though containing no word longer than one syllable—were contributed some years ago to the Princeton Review, by Dr. J. Addison Alexander.

Think not that strength lies in the big round word.

Or that the brief and plain must needs be weak;

To whom can this be true who once has heard

The cry for help, the tongue that all men speak.

When want, or woe, or fear is in the throat,

So that each word gasped out is like a shriek

Pressed from the sore heart, or a

strangely wild note

Sung by some fay or fiend? There is a strength

Which dies if stretched too far, or spun too fine.

Which has more heft than breath, more depth than length.

Let this force of thought and speech be mine.

And he that will may take the sleek fat phrase

Which glows and burns not, though it gleam and shine—

Light, but no heat—a flash, but not a blaze!

Nor is it mere strength that the short word boasts:

It serves of more than fight or storm to tell.

The roar of waves that dash on rock-bound coasts,

The crash of tall trees when the wild winds swirl,

The roar of guns, the groans of men that die

On blood-stained fields. It has a voice as well

For them that far off on their sick beds lie;

For them that weep, for them that mourn the dead;

For them that laugh and dance and frolic with the hand;

For them that, as well as grief's slow tread,

The sweet plain words we learnt at first keep time.

And though the theme be sad, or gay, or grand,

With each with all, these may be made to chime.

In thought, or speech, or song, in prose or rhyme.

## A WAIL.

I used to have a many friends, So eminent and wise, They greeted me with happy smiles

They greeted me with happy smiles And I gave them my best, And they grasped my big and honest hand

And I led me to the Club, Alas! And I was a happy dream.

A hundred Statesmen waved their hands to gifts of priories and ecclesiastical manors to the Cecils in the sixteenth century.

When I was driving by, A hundred pretty matrons smiled (Excuse this tearful sigh.)

The little children, sailing boats In every tiny ditch, Remarked: "That's Ransom Boggiey.

Oh, see, he's awfully rich."

I had to be the Chairman if A meeting was in sight, I gave subscriptions to the church

With manifest delight. I went to dinner with the great, Like London with the strong, And life for me appeared to be

One grand, unending song. But now, alas, my friends are fled, The men I used to know, Are Priests and Levites. When I pass

Across the street they go. I have to BY my dinners now, I need to reply that it was too late for him to talk about

'corruption because the great Duke of Marlborough made it freely accepted bribes? I am surprised that a man in

'Professor Pollard's position should be so foolish. He might as well pick a pocket and then complain that the policeman who arrested him was descended from Robin Hood."

"IT ISN'T WHAT YOU WERE." It isn't what you were, but what you are

And furthermore, it's "what you're going to be."

Never mind about the title of your pa But, dig a grave and plant your pedigree!

Now you've hit this land of freedom, Where the overalls are worn

Where every man is "just a man," no matter where he's born;

Never mind about your lineage, whether he's a knight or peer,

For in the land of freedom you are judged by what you are.

You'll find a pair of overalls are getting cold for you

So put 'em on and dig right in, there's lots of work to do

The way to get an appetite for the "tap jacks" and the "mush" is "jest to sink yer sentiments," keep plodding on, and "push."

For, it isn't what you were, but what you are,

And furthermore, it's "what you're going to be."

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## PERSONAL.

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## Most Anything

Generous Papa. "Tommy, if you'll saw some wood I'll tell you what I'll do."

"What's that, dad?" "I'll tell you have the sawdust to play circus with."

A Sign. "Have you proposed yet to that North Side girl?"

"I can't seem to get a chance." "It isn't so much a chance, eh? Better turn your attention elsewhere then, if your girl wished it, you would set a chance all right enough."—Pittsburg Post.

Fell. Lippincott's.—Mrs. Murphy.—So your son Dennis fell from his airplane? Sure Ol thought he was learning to fly in a correspondence school.

Mrs. Casey.—He was, but he ethoped short in the middle of a lesson.

Not Quite Clear. Los Angeles Express.—"I can understand spreadeagle tactics, but here's something I can't understand."

"What's that?" "Why should a Congressman arguing for an appropriation to dredge a creek, speak bitterly about the crowded heads of Europe?"

A Pending Divorce. "If you remember, Wombat was married just a year ago."

"I remember." "We ought to remember the anniversary in some way. Yes; just a year ago the wedding cards were out."

"Forget it. The wedding cards are being shuffled for a new deal."

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Relief from the itching, burning sensations comes almost directly after the ointment is applied, and with a little patient treatment the sores are headed up and entirely disappear.

Mr. John A. Creech, postmaster, Randwick, Simcoe County, Ont., writes: "I was a great sufferer from eczema or salt rheum. My hands and face were covered with itching skin eruptions and though I used many different remedies I could get no relief. Finally I was recommended to try Dr. Chase's Ointment and am thankful to say that it has completely cured me. You may publish this for the benefit of others suffering as I did."

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Could Not Work and Ambition For An

Those who have never been with kidney trouble do not know how miserable they are. I began to suffer and miser which I underwent.

Weak, lame or aching back, the kidneys, and when the light out of order the whole system deranged.

Don't's Kidney Pills are for all kidney troubles.

Mrs. W. R. Hodge, Field writes: "A few lines highly praising Don's Kidney Pills, for year I have been troubled with nasty sick headaches, aching back which caused misery, for I could not work, ambition for anything, I was unable to do anything, I was thankful for the relief I obtained, for now I am never in a more back, or sick headache, always say Don's Kidney Pills and can highly recommend the sufferer."

Price 50 cents per box, or \$1.25, at all dealers, or mailed receipt of price by The T. M. Limited, Toronto, Ont.

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## BUTTER BREAST

New Brunswick Boxed Potatoes

Every one hand-picked and if your grocer does not ask your friend's grocer.

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Every one hand-picked and packed. If your grocer does not handle them, ask your friend's grocer.

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PLANS FOR KEITH'S NEW THEATRE HERE

Building to be Erected Under Supervision of F. Neil Brodie - Tenders to be Called at Once.

The architect's plans for the new Keith theatre arrived in the city yesterday and tenders for the construction of the building will be called for in a day or two.

The building will be erected under the supervision of F. Neil Brodie of this city. Quite a number of changes and improvements have been made in the original plans.

MAKING ACTIVE PLANS FOR OLD HOME WEEK The 1917 Club will Make City Wide Canvass on Thursday

A meeting of the 1917 club was held last evening in the Board of Trade rooms to discuss arrangements for a campaign to raise funds for the Old Home Week and other plans of the club.

SHRINERS SEEM TO LIKE CALIFORNIA The following telegram from the local Shriners now in California, was received by The Standard last evening:

Los Angeles, Cal., May 12.—St. John Shriners are leaving Sunday night via Victoria, Los Angeles has excellent expectations, the hospitality of the people is beyond description.

Health and Beauty Advice BY MRS. MAE MARTIN

Mayne: To keep your complexion smooth, fresh looking and free from chaps in all kinds of weather, you will find nothing better than a splendid face cream made as follows:

Clara T.: Yes, a genuine hair-grower has been found at last. Keep the scalp clean by frequently shampooing with castile soap and rub the scalp with a weak tonic made by dissolving an ounce of quinine in 4 pint alcohol, then adding 1 pint cold water.

HAYDEN'S "CREATION" A MUSICAL TREAT

St. John Choral Society Scored Big Success in Oratorio Last Evening - Will Give Mixed Programme Tonight.

The St. John Choral Society, which a few months ago established an enviable reputation by its initial performance of The Messiah, won fresh laurels last evening.

TRYING TIME ON THE KIDNEYS No wonder there is so much backache in the spring, so much fatigue and lassitude from poison-laden systems.

CHILD'S WHITE ENAMELLED CRIBS, DROP SIDE, \$4.65

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ANNUAL MEETING OF ORPHANS' HOME

Report for Year Shows Good Work Done by Institution—Officers for the Year—Resolutions Adopted.

The annual meeting of the subscribers of the St. John Protestant Orphan's Home was held at noon yesterday at the Board of Trade rooms.

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THE NEWS IN SHORT METER

LOCAL. Only two candidates took the examinations for Class B second division of the civil service yesterday.

Civil Service Exams. Glad to See Him. Policeman McAfee's many friends were glad to see him able to return to his duties after a protracted absence due to a fractured leg.

New Dredge Launched. The new dredge Victor No. 1, was launched at Market Slip, Carleton, yesterday morning.

Forty Hours Devotions. The devotions of the forty hours, which were held on Friday, Saturday and Sunday in the Church of the Assumption, Carleton, and St. Joachim's church, Silver Falls, were concluded on Sunday night.

To Make Addition to Church. An appeal is being circulated amongst the congregation of German street Baptist church, to raise \$25,000 for the erection of an extension to the church.

To Wed Boston Lady. A wedding of local interest will be solemnized today in Gate of Heaven church, South Boston, when Lebaron Driscoll, proprietor of the Edward restaurant and Miss Leola Allan, of South Boston, will be married.

Anglo-German Relations. New York, N. Y., May 12.—A cable to the New York Times from London says: The Daily Telegraph's Vienna correspondent in connection with the accepted belief that Baron Marshall Von Bieberstein is coming to London on a private mission from the Kaiser, sends two and a half columns of Anglo-German relations, wherein he recounts certain pages of modern history for which he had access to documents of unquestionable importance.

To Explore New District. Toronto, May 12.—J. B. Tyrrell, who is to explore the newly acquired district of Patricia, is completing the organization of his party and will be ready to leave the moment the ice in the northern lakes and streams has disappeared, and navigation through to Port Nelson is possible.

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CURRENT PRICES OF NEW YORK MARKET

Table with columns: Previous High, Low, Close. Lists various commodities like Am Cop, Am Bet Sugar, Am C and P, etc.

NEW YORK COTTON RANGE.

Table with columns: High, Low, Close. Lists cotton prices for various months from May to Mar.

DAY'S SALES ON MONTREAL MARKET

Furnished by F. B. McCurdy & Co. Members of Montreal Stock Exchange. Lists various stock transactions and prices.

MONTREAL UNLISTED SALES

By private wire to F. B. McCurdy & Co. Members of Montreal Stock Exchange. Lists unlisted stock sales.

SHARES OF C.P.R. REACH HIGH LEVEL

New York, May 13.—Aside from a further demonstration in the hard coal market, the C.P.R. stock market reached a new high record for Canadian Pacific.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PRODUCE MARKETS.

By direct private wires to J. C. MacKintosh and Co. Lists grain and produce prices from Chicago.

YOU CAN GET A PORTION OF \$100,000.00 7% First Mortgage Gold Bonds OF THE Porto Rico General Telephone Co.

THE INVESTOR HAS—A gilt-edged First Mortgage on a valuable property which is at present earning big returns, and he gets 7 per cent semi-annually.

PRODUCE PRICES IN CANADIAN CENTRES. Montreal, May 13.—OATS—Canadian western No. 2, 55 1/2 to 56 c.

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Crystal Stream S.S. FREDERICTON Str. D. J. Purdy will leave St. John every Tuesday at 8.30 a.m.

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WASHADEMOAK Str. D. J. Purdy will leave St. John every Saturday at 10 o'clock, day and Friday.

REAL ESTATE THE BEST INVESTMENT IN CANADA

RAILWAYS. CANADIAN PACIFIC. HOMESEEKERS EXCURSIONS. May 1, 15 & 29. June 12 and 26. July 10 and 24. Aug. 7 and 21. Sept. 4 and 18.

INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY. AFTER OCTOBER 29TH. Maritime Express. Will Leave St. John 18.30. daily except Sunday for Quebec and Montreal making connection.

THE INTERNATIONAL RAILWAY. Uniting CAMPELLTON, at head of navigation on Bale Chaleurs with the ST. JOHN RIVER VALLEY at ST. LEONARDS.

DOMINION ATLANTIC RAILWAY. S. S. Yarmouth leaves Reed's Point Wharf daily at 7.45 a. m., connecting at Digby with trains East and West, returning arrival at 8.30 p. m., Sun. days excepted.

STEAMSHIPS. ALLAN LINE. From Montreal and Quebec to Liverpool. Virginian... May 10, June 7, July 5, Corsetan... May 17, June 14, July 12, Victorian... May 24, June 21, July 19, Tunisian... May 31, June 28, July 26.

Crystal Stream S.S. Co's Sailings. FREDERICTON ROUTE. Str. Malecite will leave St. John, N.B., Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 8.30 a. m. Returning on alternate days.

For Sale. The Schooner CALABRIA, of 451 Tons Register, and Schooner ORION of 124 Tons Register. Enquire of J. S. PLANE, CO., 61 and 63 Water St., St. John, N. B.

THE ROYAL LINE. SUMMER SERVICE. Montreal Bristol May 15 Royal Edward May 29 June 12 and 26. July 10 and 24. Aug. 7 and 21. Sept. 4 and 18.

WHITE STAR DOMINION. LARGEST STEAMERS IN CANADA. MONTREAL-QUEBEC LIVERPOOL. SAILINGS EVERY SATURDAY by the "LAURENTIC" and "MEGANTIC".

PICKFORD & BLACK LINE. ST. JOHN, N. B. to DEMERARA. S. S. "Cornary" sails May 8th for Bermuda, St. Kitts, Antigua, Barbados, Trinidad, Demerara.

THE MARITIME STEAMSHIP CO. Ltd. Commencing Jan. 28, and until further notice the S. S. Conroy Bros will run as follows: Leave St. John, Lawton Saw Company's wharf, on Saturday, 7.30 a. m., for St. Andrews, calling at Digby Harbor, Beaver Harbor, Deer Island, Red Store, St. George's, returning leave St. Andrews Tuesday for St. John, calling at Letete or Back Bay, Black's Harbor, Beaver Harbor and Digby Harbor.

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SLIPPING NEWS. DAILY ALMANAC. Tuesday, May 14, 1912. Sun rises... 4.58 a. m. Sun sets... 7.41 p. m. High water... 9.39 a. m. Low water... 3.46 p. m. Atlantic Standard Time.

PORT OF ST. JOHN. Arrived Monday, May 13. Str. Orozimbo, (Am), 121, Tufts, from Boston, A. W. Adams, with 200 bbls. tar, 100 bbls. pitch.

DOMINION PORTS. Str. Anns, C. B., May 7.—Sld str. Fraser, (No. 3, Chester, Pa., 1200 tons register, arrived at P. S. Roads yesterday from Cardiff and will load for the United Kingdom.

BRITISH PORTS. Barbados, May 1.—Sld str. Nellie Louise, St. Johns, Nfld., 1200 tons register, arrived at P. S. Roads yesterday from Cardiff and will load for the United Kingdom.

FOREIGN PORTS. New York, May 11.—Ar. str. Eids (Nor), Meridian, from Nancy, N. B., 1000 tons register, arrived at P. S. Roads yesterday from Cardiff and will load for the United Kingdom.

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CANADIAN PACIFIC EMPRESSES AND OTHER STEAMSHIPS. ST. LAWRENCE ROUTE. Empress of Ireland, Fri., May 17. FIRST CABIN. \$92.50. ONE CLASS (Second Cabin) LAKE CHAMPLAIN... \$50.00. LAKE MANITOBA... \$50.00.

BACHE'S WEEKLY REPORT. New York, N. Y., May 12.—The country is awaiting for the solution of a number of questions to assure it that it will apply its full energy and resources to aggressive business.

NOTICE TO MARINERS. Maine—Off Sheepscot Bay—Bantam Rock gas and whistling buoy No. 10, B. R., replaced April 25 by a larger buoy, showing a flashing white light of about 820 candle power, 17 feet above water.

RECENT CHARTERS. Str. J. M. Harlow and Gen. Adelbert Ames, W. R. S., to St. John, N. B., p. t. Str. Wm. D. Hill, St. Martins, N. B., to New York, N. Y., p. t.

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BASE BALL WITH THE BIG LEAGUES

American League. At New York. Detroit 101101000-4 10 6. New York 0100452x-15 13 2. Works, Fernoll, Covington and Knauer; Vaughn and Street.

National League. At St. Louis. St. Louis 1000000021-4 13 2. Boston 0000100020-3 9 2. Ewing, Stern and Bliss; Hess, Dickson and King, Rariken.

International League. All scheduled games postponed.

WALSH AND JENNINGS IN TILT. Detroit, May 13.—Ed Walsh and Hugh Jennings have cut each other from their calling lists. A feud between these diamond notables started during a recent game.

CONTRACTORS PROMISED TO HAVE IT FINISHED BY THE MIDDLE OF JANUARY. The management of the Marathons received yesterday from Jack Nelson and Hugh Pinkerton, the contract-binding them to play ball with the local team in the New Brunswick and Maine league, this season.

WAS TROUBLED WITH Headache AND Constipation. After Suffering For Two Years Was Cured By BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS.

Headache of whatever nature is nearly always symptomatic of other diseased conditions, rather than a disease itself, but in most cases a disordered stomach, constipation, or bad circulation is the chief source of the difficulty. Burdock Blood Bitters removes the cause of the trouble through its cleansing, strengthening and tonic action on the stomach, liver, bowels and blood.

BICYCLES BICYCLE SUNDRIES BICYCLE MINION. 433 Spadina Avenue.

COOMBS A FAILURE AS A COLT

While it is not generally known, Connie Mack once gave up hope for Jack Coombs, now one of the best in the business. Mack had decided to make a scout of Coombs when the transformation took place.

Mack was in the throes of reconstruction, and thought Coombs might make an outfielder. He had showed much hitting ability during the few games he pitched. He was used in field and started at a strong clip.

MONCTON TO HAVE LEAGUE. Moncton, May 12.—At a large and enthusiastic meeting of baseball fans tonight, it was decided to take steps to organize a semi-professional league in Moncton.

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GRIPSACK SI COPS THE WRONG BALL AND GETS A SHANTY BUILT ON HIS EYE. A cartoon strip showing a man named Gripsack getting into a series of mishaps.

GRIPSACK SI COPS THE WRONG BALL AND GETS A SHANTY BUILT ON HIS EYE. I'll get it for you. Feller, our ball went over that fence.

GETTING RID OF THAT PESKY DOUBLE STEAL THING

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BOXER'S WORK LAID OUT FOR THIS WEEK. Tuesday. Mike Gibbons vs Paddy Lavin, Buffalo. Carl Morris vs J. Ryan, East Chicago.

WEDNESDAY. Packer McFarland vs Young Ernie, Philadelphia. Phil Cross vs Willie Beecher, New York.

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DICK ARNST IN ENGLAND TO RACE BARRY

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To cure colic, in a horse or cow there is no remedy on earth in the same class as "Nerviline".

MEXICO CAN HAVE FIGHTING. Las Vegas, N. M., May 13.—That there is no law in New Mexico to prevent prize fighting was the opinion rendered today by Attorney General Frank W. Clancy.

LANGFORD DEFEATED JIM BARRY. Melbourne, Australia, May 13.—Sam Langford, the heavyweight nigger boxer, tonight defeated Jim Barry, the Chicago heavyweight. Barry was completely outclassed and the referee stopped the fight in the 11th round.

HI LADD QUITS GAME. Hartford, May 13.—It is with much regret that the Nutmeg League baseball players take the announcement of the retirement of Hi Ladd.

MORAN TO MEET WHITE. Syracuse, May 13.—Owen Moran, the English heavyweight, and Charlie White, the sensational Chicago feather who has made so many friends in Syracuse by his wonderful showing in his recent fight with Johnny Dundee, are at last matched and will meet before the Syracuse club on Monday May 20.

WINNIPEG WILL NOT BE REPRESENTED. Winnipeg, May 13.—The Winnipeg Rowing Club will not be represented at Henley or the Olympic regatta this year.

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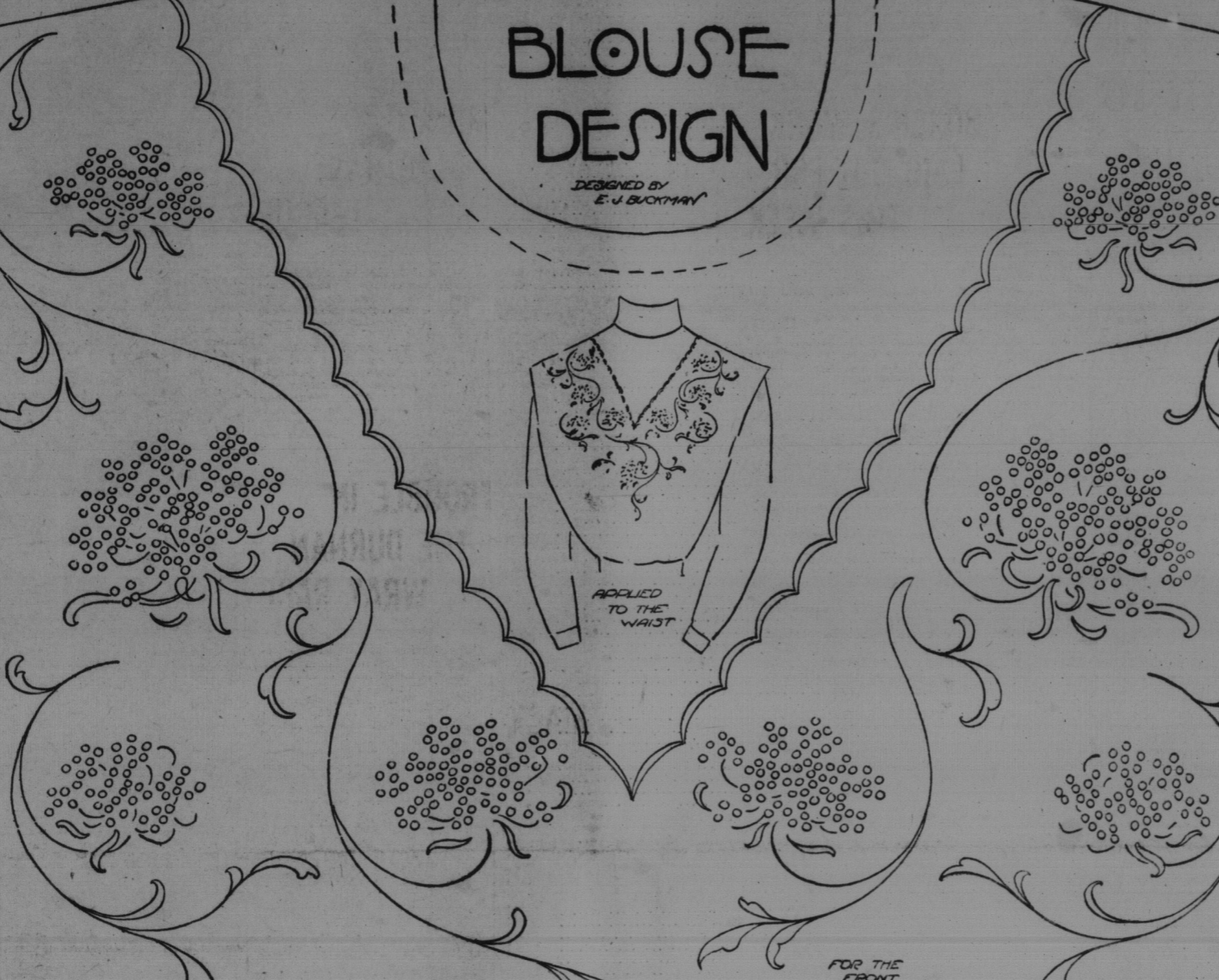


# For the INDUSTRIOUS NEEDLEWOMAN

By ADELAIDE BYRD

## A WILD CARROT BLOUSE DESIGN

DESIGNED BY E. J. BUCKMAN



THE popularity of French knots is still undiminished, and I gladly offer today a pretty blouse design that is planned for a transparent yoke of net, allover valenciennes or insertion whipped together in rows. This, by the way, may be based on the back of the material, and when the scallops are embroidered, the stitches may be made through the lace. Afterward the linen or cotton goods may be cut away and the raw edges oversewn. If you prefer adjustable gumples, it were well to strengthen the bias line of scallops by a straight cotton tape or fold of the goods. Apply this to the underside after working the scallops.

If you transfer the pattern, let me entreat you not to forget the back of your blouse. Continue the scallops in either a shallow curved line, following the curve of the neck line, or in a pointed effect that is not so deep. Yokes should never be quite so deep as back as in front.

After transferring the graceful design use soft mercerized cotton and make the blossoms with French knots that may be either of one size or of a smaller size toward the outer groups.

Work the slender leaves at the base in solid stitch. Use outline stitches for the stem, or very fine embroidery. The former can be given a cordlike effect by whipping the overlapped stitches together with a second treatment.

In working the leaves a slight padding only is necessary. Work solid, as they are slender, and I think that solid work is required on this design to relieve the French knots.

Put the scallops and work in buttonhole stitches. If you wish to make assurance doubly sure, buttonhole the edges a second time. This prevents fraying.

A part of the spray should decorate the back. Arrange it so that the stem begins at the shoulder seam, sweeping downward toward the hem at the center of the back.

Many colored effects are being shown this year. While combined with pale green in stem and leaves is lovely. The green tone can be repeated by piping the collar of the lace yoke with silk or running a double chain stitch along the

top in coarse thread. Allover lace can have patches of solid work embroidered on the flowers.

Any faint color scheme is lovely on either white or pale colors. Lavender, buff, pale blue and pink are suggested for summer wear.

You may take my word for the quickness and beauty of your work on this pattern. It is one of the daintiest designs that you could wish, and I am waiting to hear of your satisfaction and approval.

### Children's Hats

NOW is the time to fashion dainty lingerie hats for the small daughter. There are so many attractive models newly arrived from Paris which may be duplicated by any one who can sew. These smart, summery articles of headgear may be fashioned of batiste, lace, net, finest linen or chiffon. Ribbon in dainty shades and flowers adorn these fascinating bits of millinery.

Purchase a wire frame the desired shape and cover with a plain lining of lawn. Over this place a covering of dotted batiste or eyelet embroidery.

Gather the batiste about the extreme edge of the netting, allowing a half-inch heading, which forms a frill.

Shir this close at the base of the crown and draw together at the top. To make a neater finish, sew a medallion over the top of the crown.

A yard and a half of batiste or eyelet is required to make a medium-sized hat.

Trim the hat with light-blue or pink ribbon, folding it softly about the crown. Arrange a choic of the ribbon to adorn the side.

The quaint little Breton hats are, as a rule, becoming and are not difficult to make. The puffed crown is made of a circular piece of allover embroidery or lace. This should be slightly over a half yard in diameter. Gather and sew this to a straight band which fits the head. A pleated frill of the lace or embroidery frames the face.

Three-quarters of a yard of pleating is sufficient. If desired, the frill may be of embroidery edging. A wreath of tiny flowers adorns the band.

### CORSET COVERS FOR THE BRIDE

IF YOU wish to give the bride-to-be a gift worth remembering, why not make a corset cover that she can add to her trousseau and for which she will thank you for many months? A corset cover can be the simplest type of a garment or a very elaborate piece of lingerie. In either case the handwork that you put on it raises it to a desirable plane and speaks of the thought of the maker.

Nainsook, fine cambric and long-cloth can be used to make corset covers. The first requisite is the correct size. Experiment with a pattern and find out one that is the right measurements in all particulars. Many ill-fitting dresses can trace their imperfections and wrinkles to the corset covers worn underneath.

All seams should be the French seam. This means sewing on the right side first, cutting close and running the seam on the wrong sides, thus incasing the raw edges. The double line of stitches gives double strength. If handwork be carefully done, there need be no cause for doubting its durability.

If your bride friend has a favorite color in her idea for a trousseau, it will please her to follow it in the hand-made gift. What can be daintier than a white corset cover of fine linen, barred muslin or dimity, with a narrow border of small flowers trailing around the top? This flower idea is especially easy if the happy woman be named Rose, Violet, Lilian, etc. Her name flower should be used and dainty colors combined with white in the decoration.

If the flower border be not to your liking, work a pretty wreath in which the monogram or initial of the bride could be marked.

Perfectly plain corset covers can be headed with a casing and a narrow edge of picot, tulle or tulle. The armholes should be similarly treated, and if there be a shallow circular neckline, edge this in the same way. Work buttonholes and attach washable crocheted buttons to the front fastening, placing them about two inches apart. There is nothing so annoying as gaping underwear.

If your friend has shown you an exquisite white silk petticoat, why not make a corset cover to match? In this way you will complete the underlip of silk to be worn by her with lingerie frocks of open design. In some of

these silk covers there are short sleeves of silk edged with lace, batiste or attached, and great comfort results. Medallions of lace can be set to form a yoke at both back and front; hand yoke points of heavy and fine lace are easily applied, while alternating rows of tucks and lace can trim any corset cover at the upper part.

Care must be taken to have a corset cover sufficiently free from large spaces. The corset must never show through a corset cover, or the garment will defeat its own end.

Generally speaking, the white ribbon for the drawing is better than the colored. No undergarment should be obtrusive in its decoration. I remember one man who had his eyes on a woman who had in front of him in a summer car. His attention to the conversation of his companion was desultory, to say the least. "What are you doing?" the other said, when he had asked a question and had received no reply. "I'm following the ribbons," he said. I looked, and there was a corset cover trimmed with yards of vivid pink ribbons, applied in many rows and all directions. The dress worn over it sank into insignificance.

Let not any underwear proclaim its presence by way of vivid colors. It is very bad form. So, when preparing for the bride, make her corset cover dainty, individual and fine in material and work. She will be grateful to you for it.

### To Adorn a Hat

A MOST attractive trimming worn upon a hat of burnt straw by a lady whose good taste is undisputed was fashioned in this manner:

A pattern for a large petal was cut and used as a guide to fashion petals from tan-colored corded silk.

Two thicknesses of silk were used for each petal; these were stitched together by the machine, turned and stitched again, a quarter inch from the extreme edge.

Twelve of these were sewn to a small disk of buckram to form a flower.

In the center of this was a choux of narrow silk fringe of tan. The center of the fringe was formed by a disk of gold cord adorned by two small tassels.

A cord of the silk finished by a row of fringe trimmed the base of the crown.

This makes an altogether smart hat. A yard of silk, five yards of fringe and two yards of gold cord are required.

### OLD-FASHIONED TRIMMINGS

A FEATURE of the newest summer frocks is the old-fashioned trimmings that recall those quaint pictures published in the "fashion plates" of nearly half a century ago.

Our mothers and grandmothers took particular delight in putting all sorts of curious stitchery on their "best dresses." Housekeeping was laid aside when the dressmaker made her semiannual visit to their homes, for the amount of work required on a single costume occupied the time for an entire week. Although women of today have less time to spend on needlework, there are many dainty trimmings that can easily be made at home and are fascinating pick-up-or-paraph work. Frills, ruffles and quiltings require handwork. The taffeta gown must have yards of quaint adornment.

For the popular scalloped ruffles, cut the silk on the bias the desired width, lay it flat on a table and, having previously cut a pattern of the scallops from stiff cardboard on which a saucer or small plate has been laid to mark the curved edge, then cut scallops evenly on the taffeta.

Turn the edge back one inch and stitch on the machine, or finish with a narrow cord on the edge.

Run two drawthreads through the top of the ruffle, one-half inch apart and one inch from the edge. This is a very effective trimming.

Another pretty way to finish scalloped edges is to turn the material back one-half inch and buttonhole the edge with a contrasting color of silk, using the "basket" stitch. If the material is plain, work a small coinplot in each scallop.

"Roses" quilting is made of strips of silk cut on the straight or the bias and having each edge pinked. Double box pleats are then laid close together, having the edge of each top pleat tucked together in the center.

A box-pleated ruche differs slightly from ruche quilting. In this the material has the edges hemmed, while single box pleats are caught together at the center. "Shell" trimming is made of two-inch

wide ribbon, or silk strips having hemmed edges.

Run a dark thread the length of the ribbon, forming a series of 'y's on the true bias. When this is drawn up two-thirds its length an attractive futed trimming is obtained.

Striped material is trimmed effectively with cross lines of soutache braid sewed on by hand and having a series of embroidered dots between the lines of braid.

The daintiest trimming for small checked or cross-bar material is a small conventional design worked out in cross stitch done in a contrasting color of silk thread. Narrow pleating and plain ruffles are easily made and are easily applied. Puffs are made by running a drawingstitch both edges of a ruffle; a double puff has a central drawingstitch or a narrow cording run through the center, over which the material is drawn up one-third its length.

These are the simplest handmade trimmings for this summer gown; all are dainty, effective and decidedly in mode.

### How to Transfer

HERE are suggestions for transferring the pattern before you cut to any material before working.

Perhaps the easiest way is the "window-pane" method. This is successful when the material is thin, like linen, batiste, etc. Pin the sheet of paper and the material together and hold them up against the glass of a window. With a sharp pencil draw on the material the design, which can be easily seen through the glass. If one-half of the design only be given, unpin the paper and turn the other side to the fabric. The strong light behind will make it plain.

If you have carbon paper, you should place the sheet between your fabric and the newspaper. This latter is on top. With a sharp pencil go over the design. The impression will be left in fine lines and will last until worked. This method is successful on heavy material.

### Dolly Made Useful

THE doll is no longer considered a mere plaything, and is generally making herself useful these days. They are decorating workbags, concealing spoils of silk or bolts of ribbon in their full skirts; they are made into "tea-caddies," to place over tea-pots that they may retain their heat.

The good-natured Billikens are used for picnics, and in their skirts they suffer from the physics, their smiles glow all the broader.

Some of the novelty shops are displaying dainty dolls attired in quaint costumes of 1860.

These dolls attend millady when she dresses. The soft puff of the pokebonnet holds pins of all colors and sizes, her reticule contains rings and brooches and her parasol holds hatpins. Sometimes the small daughter's favorite doll meets with an accident which leaves nothing intact but the head. Make one of these attractive dolls in the following manner:

Cut a cone-shaped framework of buckram or cardboard. This is formed of a semicircle, with an opening in width to fit the doll's head.

Make a paper pattern first, so that the size may be exact. Paste the sides together and sew the doll into her stiff skirt.

Sew leaden weights at the bottom of the frame, so that she may stand firmly. To attractively dress dolly, use scraps of silk, ribbon, lace or figured dimity. One lovely doll wore a frock of cream silk dotted with pink roses.

The skirt should be very full and the bodice short-waisted. Over this silk and the reticule of the same material, opening and closing with a drawingstitch of ribbon.

The parasol, also pink, should be pleated silk attached to a "crooked" handle of wire wound with ribbon.

A large muff may be substituted for the parasol. If desired.

This fascinating little maid is a delightful addition to the dresser, and at the same time performs a mission in life.

### Little Bags

FROM small pieces of chambric, silk and linen there can be made countless little bags that can be used for various things.

Is there anything more practical and comforting than the money bag, that can be worn around the neck and fastened by means of a small safety pin to the corset? To make assurance doubly sure? This can be of heavy ribbon, made in a square form, with a deep flap that fastens down over the top and is either clasped or buttoned over the opening. An inner lining of chambric prevents the perspiration of the body from touching the bills that are its precious contents. The band of ribbon, or the tape, which is passed over the head, should be narrow and sewn firmly on the bag. A printed name and address should be added as a precautionary step in case of loss.

Jewel bags are very necessary for travelers. These are best of chambric, and should have very secure fastenings on the flap. An outer covering of linen, silk or rep should be made and finished with another drawingstitch. The best and safest method of carrying is around the neck.

Dainty little sachet bags can be made of pieces of ribbon that are usually three or four inches long. They can be filled with cotton perfumed with sachet and attached to silk cord or narrow ribbon. These can be added to a coatbag, a handbag or to a hat. The sachet bags have their allowance of tiny scented bags attached to bodice and skirt on the under surfaces. You can add this individual touch to any of your own garments.

The crocheted bag for carrying the washcloth is a joy to the week-end guest or the traveler. This can be of linen or rep if cotton be too stiff. A lining of rubber or oiled silk is necessary. The outer and inner materials should be basted and bound with ribbon or tape. Patent clasps are best for this type of bag.

For the powder leaves or puff, a tiny bag that can protect the outfit and be tucked away in the handbag can be made of Dresden silk. The addition of a small reducing collar in the bottom of the bag is worth while.

This is an interestingly larger bag for slippers, opera glasses, handkerchiefs, etc., that occupy such an important place in the realm of accessories.

### Detachable Flounces

WITH the advent of the thin summer frock comes the demand for the lingerie petticoat. Detachable flounces are a practical article to have, especially when traveling.

A strip of linen four yards long and a half yard wide is necessary to make a flounce. This may be tucked in groups of five tucks, with strips of lace insertion between, or it may be plain, with strips of the lace placed every three inches.

The bottom of the flounce should be finished by an edging of the lace. Gather this strip and sew it to a strip of material. This may be buttoned or basted to the skirt, if desired.

The one-piece slips often have flounces of silk; these may be removed when the slip is laundered.

Flounces formed of narrow pleatings of silk and muslin are extremely dainty. The narrow pleatings are sewn to a wide flounce of plain lawn.



# Determination to Win Is Half of the Battle

Don't Let Others Have All the Good Things of Life—Get Your Share

ONLY A SHORT TIME IN WHICH TO DO IT

The Opportunity May Never be Yours Again—Take Advantage Of It Now

Winners of Extra Cash Prizes for Period Ending May 11.

M. R. Benn, Dist. 8	50
Mrs. E. A. Boone, Dist. 8	25
J. Wesley Dull, Dist. 6	25
Mrs. Ghas. M. Brannen, Dist. 5	10
Mrs. Hazel Towse, Dist. 7	10
Miss Edith Simpson, Dist. 3	10
Mrs. Geo. W. Lee, Dist. 4	10
Miss Helen Hallett, Dist. 4	10
Miss Bessie P. Dought, Dist. 8	10
Glendon H. Allan, Dist. 3	10
Hedley S. Bisset, Dist. 3	10
Frank H. Dickson, Dist. 6	10
Miss Dora Sinnott, Dist. 5	10
Florina F. Gaudet, Dist. 5	10
Miss Lucy McAuley, Dist. 5	10
W. R. McDonald, Dist. 5	10
Miss Fay Mercer, Dist. 4	10
W. J. McAuley, Dist. 5	10
Miss Nellie Mooney, Dist. 7	10
Miss Ruth Calhoun, Dist. 5	10
Miss Elvina A. Johnson, Dist. 6	10
Mrs. T. W. Reid, Dist. 5	10
Randolph Crocker, Dist. 8	10
Hazen Folkins, Dist. 5	10
Miss Elsie Clinch, Dist. 7	10
Miss Ella May Wise, Dist. 7	10
G. W. McKay, Dist. 7	10

close draws nearer. This is due to the fact that the candidates entered—those of them who have been vitally interested in winning their prizes—have done so well up to date and have preached their cause to their many friends.

The Standard itself has done what it has considered just and right in the matter, and will continue to do so. "Impartiality" has been, and is, the motto, and those interested may rest assured that the prizes offered will go to the candidates who rightfully win them, and who, through popularity and dint of effort, are solely entitled to them. The field is filled with bright contestants in whom the public is interested, and we feel that a popular chord has been struck in inaugurating a contest of this kind and carrying it on so successfully and impartially up to this time.

Never before has a contest in St. John taken such a grip upon the public interest. It has been fair and square throughout, and absolute fairness which has characterized it from the beginning will continue to do so until the end. Those who win will know that they have done so honestly and fairly. This is a pure test of your willingness to work and it is utterly impossible for those to win who are unwilling to work.

Pitch right in with a firm determination to win, and if you are not the winner yourself, give the one who does win a fight he or she will remember. Nothing is to be gained by lying back and allowing your more enterprising brothers to pick up the good things of life.

Such a proposition as this may never be made to you again, and the opportunity to win such prizes should be grasped immediately and striven for earnestly.

### NOMINATE A CANDIDATE

NOMINATION BLANK—GOOD FOR 1,000 VOTES.

THE ST. JOHN STANDARD'S GREAT PRIZE CONTEST.

I nominate \_\_\_\_\_

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Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Signed \_\_\_\_\_

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ONLY THE FIRST NOMINATION BLANK CAST FOR EACH CANDIDATE WILL COUNT AS 1,000 VOTES.

### STANDING OF CONTESTANTS IN THE STANDARD'S \$6,000 PRIZE CONTEST UP TO 5 P.M. MONDAY, MAY 13

DISTRICT 1.	
This district will receive three prizes in addition to the two Ford touring cars. Each contestant has an equal chance to win a Ford car or one of the other prizes. Contestants who fail to win one of the regular prizes will be paid ten (10) per cent. cash commission on every dollar they turn in during the contest. You cannot lose.	
W. J. McAuley, 39 Sewell St., Chatham	22450
Charles E. Hayward, 213 Rockland Rd., Chatham	22380
Mrs. L. Green, 137 Mercall St., Chatham	13691
Miss Ada Calhoun, 12 Bentley St., Chatham	10680
Joseph Stanton, 199 Waterloo St., Chatham	10680
W. J. Brown, 18 Garden St., Chatham	9875
Geo. C. M. Warren, 39 Sewell St., Chatham	9960
Ernest Flawling, 46 Bellevue Ave., Chatham	5295
Miss Elizabeth Johnston, 74 Dorchester St., Chatham	2990

DISTRICT 2.	
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J. R. McDonald, 109 Queen St., Chatham	48865
George Titus, Victoria Hotel, Chatham	18995
Miss L. Andrews, Partridge Island, Chatham	14260
Alex. McDermott, 210 Brussels St., Chatham	14141
J. W. McCoish, 30 Pitt St., Chatham	13271
Miss Annie Noddin, 121 Broad St., Chatham	11208
Daphne Ross, 177 Elliot Row, Chatham	10180
Samuel D. Lewis, 19 Horsefield St., Chatham	10150
Frank Swanton, 168 St. James St., Chatham	7380
S. C. Matthews, Western Union, Chatham	4960
Harry C. Simmons, Mecklenburg St., Chatham	2260

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Glendon H. Allan, Fairville, Chatham	45290
Hedley S. Bisset, 210 Duke St., Chatham	41010
Miss Edith Simpson, 181 Tower St., Chatham	18690
Roy C. Baskin, 247 King St. West, Chatham	14520
W. C. Wilson, Druggist, West St. John, Chatham	33150
E. R. W. Ingraham, West St. John, Chatham	9460
James J. Toie, Lancaster Heights, Chatham	8560

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Mrs. Geo. W. Lee, Woodstock, Chatham	23602
Miss Fay Mercer, Woodstock, Chatham	23990

Clarke A. McBride, Pioneer, Carleton Place	28220
John A. Squires, Upper Kent, Carleton Place	27895
Ira B. Barley, Upper Kent, Carleton Place	20750
Miss Helen Hallett, Grand Falls, Carleton Place	19360
Miss Lena Scott, Bairdville, Carleton Place	17980
T. B. Thistle, Hartland, Carleton Place	17360
Mrs. Kestie Trestler, Carleton Place	15880
Mr. Harold Turner, Aroostook Jet, Carleton Place	13860
Miss Grace E. Wright, Plaster Rock, Carleton Place	12295
Miss Alice B. McBride, Glasville, Carleton Place	12295
Miss Eva Smith, East Florenceville, Carleton Place	12180
Arch McDougal, Woodstock, Carleton Place	12160
Mrs. Jack Avey, Knowltonville, Carleton Place	11900
Elmer Gance, Riley Brook, Carleton Place	10870
Miss Helen Fleming, Grand Falls, Carleton Place	10690
R. LeB. Sloan, Perth, Carleton Place	10480
H. B. Dague, Carleton Place	10395
Miss Helen Stevens, Campbellton, Carleton Place	10190
Mrs. J. W. Montgomery, Hartland, Carleton Place	10160
Miss Dora Sinnott, Apolauit, Carleton Place	10160
Geo. M. Sutherland, Red Rapids, Carleton Place	10150
Mrs. W. Tompkins, Bath, Carleton Place	10011
T. H. Manser, Aroostook, Carleton Place	9852
Jerome LeClouffe, Jaquet River, Carleton Place	9560
Miss Annie Irvine, Andover, Carleton Place	9235
Miss Ruth Donnelly, Jaquet River, Carleton Place	8860
William Wilson, Lakeville, Carleton Place	8460
W. D. Keith, Hartland, Carleton Place	8410
Ray E. Hatfield, East Coldstream, Carleton Place	8248
Mrs. Arch Hanson, Perth, Carleton Place	7892
John T. Payne, South Tilley, Carleton Place	7560
Thos. Everett, Everett, Carleton Place	6780
Miss Josephine Culligan, Jaquet River, Carleton Place	4420
Geo. J. Payne, Plaster Rock, Carleton Place	4420
Irvine Ullrich, Jaquet River, Carleton Place	4420

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Mrs. Chas. H. Brannan, Sussex, Carleton Place	41280
Miss Ruth Calhoun, Sussex, N. B., Carleton Place	28260
Miss Lucy Macaulay, Lwt. Millstream, Carleton Place	25280
Percy E. Gagey, Hampton, Carleton Place	24380
Miss Pauline Erb, Apolauit, Carleton Place	23292
Geo. Hazen Adair, Sussex, Carleton Place	23180
Miss Sylvia Turner, St. Stephen, Carleton Place	21880
Miss Grace Lingley, Westfield, Carleton Place	21860
Miss Sadie E. A. Mott, Hatfield's Pt., Carleton Place	19630
J. Percy Long, Carleton Place	19160
Miss Marguerite Nobles, The Grants, Carleton Place	18520
Miss Grace Murray, Penobscot, Carleton Place	18490
Harry Jones, Sussex, Carleton Place	17490
Miss Sylvia Turner, St. Stephen, Carleton Place	17180
W. A. Shannon, Sussex, Carleton Place	14180
Wm. H. Creighton, Sussex Corner, Carleton Place	13995
Miss Josephine Culligan, Jaquet River, Carleton Place	13960
Wm. Crawford, Holdville, Carleton Place	13610
Mrs. T. W. Reid, Upham, Carleton Place	12960
Geo. O. Thompson, Hampton, Carleton Place	12360
Ivan I. Price, Wards Creek, Carleton Place	12290
Harold Graves, Angouac, Carleton Place	12280
Miss Marjory Barrow, Carleton Place	11980
William Johnson, Chatham, Carleton Place	11210
Obert Allaby, Norton, Carleton Place	11190
Miss Marjory Barrow, Carleton Place	10950
Albert W. Eveleigh, Sussex, Carleton Place	10760
Miss Seeley, Havelsok, Carleton Place	10480
Miss Jessie Sargent, Hatfield's Pt., Carleton Place	9860
Harry Larles, Perth, Carleton Place	9680
William G. Dyrast, Sussex Corner, Carleton Place	6960

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J. Wesley Dull, Sackville, Carleton Place	24792
Jack Price, Moncton, Carleton Place	20580
Miss Hattie Brown, Richibucto, Carleton Place	19600
Florin Gaudet, St. Joseph, Carleton Place	17022
Miss Marjorie McKinnon, Richibucto, Carleton Place	16720
Frank H. Dickson, Sackville, Carleton Place	16260
Moody Demille, Rexton, Carleton Place	12960
Geo. E. Call, Rexton, Carleton Place	12780
Miss Florenz, Sackville, Carleton Place	12260
Miss Georgiana Phinney, Sackville, Carleton Place	12260
Mrs. John Cunningham, Waterford, N., Carleton Place	12280
Arthur Peters, Sackville, Carleton Place	11390
Miss Martha A. Sackville, Carleton Place	11290
Miss Elvina A. Johnson, Richibucto, Carleton Place	10890
Felix Michaud, Bouchenois, Carleton Place	10890
Andrew Gaudet, Bouchenois, Carleton Place	10890
Odell Stiles, Albert, Carleton Place	10522
Joshua Hastings, Dorchester, Carleton Place	10160
Miss Lula Daman, Sackville, Carleton Place	9960
Miss Bella Larkin, Harcourt, Carleton Place	8660

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Miss Hazel Towse Amherst, N. B., Carleton Place	34580
Miss Elsie Clinch, Clinch's Mills, Carleton Place	31980
W. W. McKay, Sussex, Carleton Place	29260
Miss Jessie M. Dyer, Dyer Station, Carleton Place	20582
Miss Florence Giles, New River Sta., Carleton Place	19172
Miss Helen Lindsay, St. Stephen, Carleton Place	17380
Miss Jessie Sargent, Hatfield's Pt., Carleton Place	16680
Mrs. James E. Moody, Musquash, Carleton Place	14180
William Q. Ajer, Amherst, N. B., Carleton Place	14150
Chas. McCreery, Sussex, Carleton Place	13160
Mrs. Wm. Stevens, Musquash, Carleton Place	11282
Thomas Johnson, Ben Lomond, Carleton Place	11690
Douglas M. Lawson, Sackville, Carleton Place	11290
William Sawhney, Mace Bay, Carleton Place	11120
Miss Florence Atkinson, Amherst, N., Carleton Place	10690
Samuel Merrill, St. Martins, Carleton Place	10390
Miss Josephine Culligan, Jaquet River, Carleton Place	10380
Miss Rena Thompson, Clinch's Mills, Carleton Place	10380
Mrs. Arthur Appleby, Musquash, Carleton Place	10380
James H. Brown, Sackville, Carleton Place	10260
Mrs. David McAdam, Dipper Harbour, Carleton Place	10180
R. Power, Black River, St. John Co., Carleton Place	10150
Mrs. Wm. Campbell, Musquash, Carleton Place	10150
Miss Beatrice L. Eldridge, Beaver B., Carleton Place	10040
Miss Josephine Doore, Honeydale, Carleton Place	9880
Miss Mary Botes, Basswood Ridge, Carleton Place	9960
Miss Blanche Turner, Chance Harbour, Carleton Place	89560
Frank Murray, Amherst, N. B., Carleton Place	8852
Miss Kirkpatrick, Kirkpatrick's, Carleton Place	8680
Miss Josephine Culligan, Jaquet River, Carleton Place	8560
Fulton Ingalls, Grand Harbour, Carleton Place	9010
Miss Bella Stewart, Garnet St., Carleton Place	8960
Miss Ida Speer, St. George, Carleton Place	8395
Miss Blanche Greder, Wilew Grove, Carleton Place	7872
Arthur Mitchell, Weichpook, Carleton Place	7576
William Smith, St. Martins, Carleton Place	6920
James Brown, Wilson's Beach, Carleton Place	6890
James Fowles, St. Martins, Carleton Place	4890
Sherwin Lawson, North Head, Carleton Place	4720
Miss Roberta Hawthorne, Wawley, Carleton Place	3960

This district will receive three prizes in addition to the two Ford touring cars. Each contestant has an equal chance to win a Ford car or one of the other prizes. Contestants who fail to win one of the regular prizes will be paid ten (10) per cent. cash commission on every dollar they turn in during the contest. You cannot lose.

M. R. Benn, Nordin, Carleton Place	25990
Mrs. E. A. Boone, St. Marys, Carleton Place	25560
Miss Ella May Wise, McAdam Jet, Carleton Place	25750
Ray C. Baskin, 247 King St. West, Carleton Place	27590
Miss Ella W. French, Meductic, Carleton Place	26880
Edward C. Armstrong, Westover, Carleton Place	18320
Moses J. Perry, 2507's Beach, Carleton Place	15290
Miss Bessie P. Dought, Hampstead, Carleton Place	15290
Clarence Jones, Newcastle, Carleton Place	17680
R. C. Ritchie, Chippewa, Carleton Place	17680
Clarence Russell, Newcastle, Carleton Place	14180
Miss Theresa Willis, Wolford, N. B., Carleton Place	13860
James Robertson, Tupper, Carleton Place	13490
Havenage Ingalls, Newcastle, Carleton Place	12840
Miss Bernetta Ring, Red Bank, Carleton Place	12840
Miss Bernetta Sleep, Harley Road, Carleton Place	12290
James Sullivan, Newcastle, Carleton Place	12140

Miss May Oakley, Cambridge, Carleton Place	11960
Alisa V. Barr, Upper Barton, Carleton Place	11560
Miss Annand Kirk, Fredericton, Carleton Place	11160
H. H. Fraser, Chippawa, Carleton Place	10872
Fred H. Fowler, Lakeville, Carleton Place	10860
Mrs. Wallace Risop, Linton, Carleton Place	10612
John Newman, Church, Carleton Place	10510
W. A. Allan, Lower Neguac, Carleton Place	10160
Mrs. J. Duff Mitchell, Lincoln, Carleton Place	10150
Edwin Hannan, Sinton, Carleton Place	10150
Geo. McDougal, Upper Gaspareau, Carleton Place	10152
Miss Hattie Brown, Lakeville Corner, Carleton Place	10110
Arch Alchorn, Blackville, Carleton Place	8660
Miss London, Maquapit Lake, Carleton Place	8560
Miss Coy, Oromocto, Carleton Place	8980
Elgin Barton, Salmon Creek, Carleton Place	8796
Jerome Porter, Meductic, Carleton Place	8796
Daniel V. Urquhart, Harvey Station, Carleton Place	8390
William Hanson, Upper Gaspareau, Carleton Place	8235
Miss Thyrta Fowler, Gaspareau Forks, Carleton Place	7980
Miss Ruth York, Mouth of Keswick, Carleton Place	7320
Mrs. Leonard Fleet, Fredericton, Carleton Place	6820

### CLOSING EXERCISES AT MT. A.

Sackville, May 12.—The following is the programme of the closing exercises at Mt. Allison: Thursday, May 23, 8 a. m., Charles Fawcett Memorial Hall—Concert by Hamburg Brothers, assisted by Miss Lucia Fydel, contralto.

Friday, May 24, 1.30 p. m., Basketball contest, Hart Hall.

Friday, May 24, 8 p. m., Charles Fawcett Memorial Hall—Concert by Hamburg Brothers, assisted by Miss Lucia Fydel, contralto.

Friday, May 24, 8 p. m., College Law—Physical culture drill, students of ladies' college.

Saturday, May 25, 11 a. m., Bethel hall—Exhibition of work of household science students. Inspection of household science rooms.

Saturday, May 25, 2 p. m., Athletic grounds, sports of Mount Allison Athletic Association.

Saturday, May 25, 7 p. m., Closing reception ladies' college.

Sunday, May 26, 11 a. m., Methodist church—Annual sermon before the theological union, by E. Crowell, B.A., B.D., Dartmouth, N. S.

Sunday, May 26, 3 p. m., Memorial hall—Farewell meeting of the Y. M. C.

Sunday, May 26, 7 p. m., Charles Fawcett Memorial Hall, bassalaurate address by Rev. Thomas Hicks, B.A., U.L.L., Principal Wesleyan Theological College, Montreal.

Monday, May 27, 10 a. m., Charles Fawcett Memorial Hall—Concert by conservatory students.

Monday, May 27, 2.30 p. m., Charles Fawcett Memorial Hall—Anniversary exercises of the ladies' college.

Monday, May 27, 4.30 p. m., University Library, meeting of senate.

Tuesday, May 28, 9 a. m., Charles Fawcett Memorial Hall—Anniversary exercises of the ladies' college.

Tuesday, May 28, 9.30 a. m., Memorial Hall—Annual meeting of Theological Union with lecture before Union by Rev. Thomas Hicks, B.A., U.L.L., subject Christianity and Islam—A study in Comparative Religion.

Tuesday, May 28, 9 to 12, Engineering Shops in the Science Hall open to visitors.

Tennis Tournament, May 28, 11 to 12, Lawn Tennis.

Tuesday, May 28, 2.30 p. m., Memorial Hall—Business meeting of the Alumni Society.

Tuesday, May 28, 7 p. m., Ladies' College—Business meeting of the Alumnae Association.

Tuesday, May 28, 7 p. m., Charles Fawcett Memorial Hall—University Convocation.

Tuesday, May 28, 9.30 p. m., Dining room, University Residence—Annual banquet of Alumni and Alumnae societies.

Tuesday, May 29, 10 a. m., University Library—Annual meeting of the Museum of Fine Arts will be open to visitors free of charge as follows: Friday, May 24, 10.30 to 12.30 a. m.; Saturday, May 25, 9.30 to 10.30 a. m.; 2 to 5 p. m.; Monday, May 27, 9.30 to 12.30 a. m.; 2 to 5 p. m. The work of the students for the year will be found in the studio rooms. The studio of this parade, every office non-commissioned officer and man must be present.

Dress: Drill order. Staff to be mounted.

J. R. MILLER, (Captain) Adjutant.

### ONE MORE ADDED TO THE GREAT ARMY

Who are Shouting the Praises of Dodd's Kidney Pills

Chiewick man's Kidney Trouble developed into Rheumatism, and finally into Diabetes—story of his complete cure.

Chawick, Ont., May 13.—(Special) Rheumatism, which developed into Diabetes, had made life a burden to Octave Labraque, of this place. Dodd's Kidney Pills cured him, and he is added to that great army of Canadians who glory in telling their neighbors that Dodd's Kidney Pills are one sure remedy for all kidney ills.

"My limbs would swell and I had a dragging sensation across the loins," Mr. Labraque says, in giving his story. "I could not attend to my work properly as I had to keep resting and I was troubled with rheumatism, and my troubles finally developed into Diabetes.

"I tried different medicines and doctors but got little relief. It began to get worse and I never could be cured without an operation, but thanks to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I am cured of that affliction and have recommended it to more than one of my friends with the best results."

—Mrs. ELLA JOHNSTON, 324 Vine St.

If you want special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (consultant) Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.

### REGIMENTAL ORDERS.

By Lt. Col. J. L. McAvity, O. C., 62nd Regt. St. John Fusiliers, St. John, N. B., May 10, 1912.

The regiment will parade at the drill shed on Wednesday evening the 15th inst., at 8 o'clock, for a route march and battalion drill; the brass band, drum and bugle band, signalling section and stretcher bearer section will attend this parade; every officer non-commissioned officer and man must be present.

Dress: Drill order. Staff to be mounted.

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### THE CONFESION.

The Confession, in four acts, by James Hallett Reid, is a perfect transcript of life. Its characters are real people, whose troubles and joys are real as are their comedy and pathos, which invariably brings laughter and tears. This splendid drama will be given at the Opera House on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week.

### Conditions on the Belleisle.

One of the farmers to come to the city on the Champlain yesterday afternoon was S. A. Upton of Cambridge on the Belleisle river. Mr. Upton reports that the weather is in full swing on Belleisle and that the logs are running freely from the different brooks. When speaking of the prospects for a successful summer, Mr. Upton said at present the farmers of the vicinity are busy with the spring ploughing and the sowing of the early crops, while the strawberry plants were also coming in for much attention. Farmers are beginning to realize the tremendous profits which come from this fruit and are taking a greater interest in it every year.

### Officers Elected.

The annual meeting of the ladies' auxiliary of the Sennevis Mission was held yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Edgar Archibald was re-elected president and the other officers chosen were: Mrs. J. W. Seymour, 1st vice-president; Mrs. Dorcas Graham, 2nd vice-president; Mrs. Bennett, 3rd vice-president; Mrs. Watt, secretary; Mrs. McKee, treasurer. Her reports submitted showed a very successful year and votes of thanks were voted to the retiring officers.

### OFFICERS OF EXCHANGE.

New York, N. Y., May 15.—In the annual election today of the New York stock exchange, James R. Mahon was elected president, and Henry C. Swords, re-elected treasurer.

### HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Park.

F T Corcoran, New York; A McDonald, Toronto; L A McAdam, Sussex; R Johnston, McDonald, Portland; J T McGrath, Mrs McGrath, Boston; T A Carroll, S F Cooney, Donald Patterson, New York; Chas Snow, Ball, Hartford; S Berry, Winnipeg; Mrs S Berry, Winnipeg; John Milne, (Cochbrook), I. McDermott, Boston; G S Hubby, Halifax; A McDonald, Halifax.

Victoria.

H C Gallant, Restigouche; Grant Sherman, Brownville Jet; A F Grant; Thomas Fyles, New York; J W Braukley, do; George J Green, McAdam Jet; J M Queen, O H McLean, do; Joshua Tobin, Ottawa; S W Moore, Clifton; C F Leonard, do; Scott D Gupill, Grand Manan; J L Kennedy, Salisbury; H J Dickson, Halifax; T M Carpenter, Wickham; J F Elphinst and wife, Yarmouth; A G Bels, Clifton; H. H. Charlett, Clifton; F S Milligan, Albert; E H Hurst, Cleveland, O.

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O Hunt, Toronto; R F Forbes, E R Harris, G G Partridge, A Mervay, Halifax; D P Sullivan, Paterson, N.J.; E W Peterson, W J Turnley, J A Pelletier, J J Curran, Montreal; Major Havens, Fredericton; R C Ritchie, Clifton; A H Sheppard, F S Falcoeur, Ottawa; Z H Whitman, Philadelphia; C F Cowley, New York; H Rich Chat-

### DOCTORS SAID IT WAS HEART FAILURE

### And Gave Me Up—But "Fruit-a-lives" Cured Me

Moorestield, Ont., March 25th, 1910.

"I suffered from severe indigestion and Dyspepsia for nearly two years. I could not take food without fearful distress. Two doctors thought my disease was Heart Failure and incurable, and I expected to die in a short time. My son asked me to try 'Fruit-a-lives'.

"From the outset, I was better and gradually this fruit medicine completely cured me.

"I took perhaps a dozen boxes—now I am cured and have gained over 30 pounds in weight."

HENRY SPEERS.

Justice of Peace, C. L. Seaver, Portland; Geo S McGowan, Toronto; J R Sanderson, Toronto; R K Oliver, Brownville; P Doyle, Montreal; H McDonald, Shelburne; Miss Nora Palmer, Hartgrove, Eng; C H Jackson, Oxford; W M Wallace, J H Dawson, Sussex; E Roy Toftman, Moncton; J F Dolan, Peterboro; Mr and Mrs R S Riddan, Annapolis; D W Burns, Mrs D W Burns, Stratford; Geo Stratton, G Peters, Moncton; C G Fraser, J Parrsho; T S Peters, Glastown; Mrs G Morgan, Bear River, Mrs H H May, Miss Marie Hay, Chippawa; C E Hart, Bridgetown.

### WIFE'S HEALTH RESTORED

### Husband Declared Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Would Restore Her Health, And It Did.

Ashland, Ky.—"Four years ago I seemed to have everything the matter with me. I had fevers, chills, and all the best doctors thought I could hardly rest day or night. I doctored with all the best doctors in town and took many kinds of medicine but nothing did any good until I tried your wonderful remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. My husband said it would restore my health and it has."

Mrs. MAY WATTS, Ashland, Ky.

There are probably hundreds of thousands of women in the United States who have been benefited by this famous old remedy, which was produced from roots and herbs over thirty years ago by a woman to relieve woman's suffering.

Read What Another Woman says:

Camden, N. J.—"I had female trouble and a serious displacement and was tired and discouraged and unable to do my work. My doctors told me I never could be cured without an operation, but thanks to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I am cured of that affliction and have

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- ☑ Votes count just the same on regular awards at end

**DOUBLE VOTES ON ALL SUBSCRIPTIONS**

To help you win one of the extra cash prizes we will allow just twice the usual number of votes on all subscriptions turned into this office between the dates of Monday, May 13, and Saturday, May 25, inclusive.

**DAILY STANDARD**

	Price By Carrier	Price By Mail	Votes Allowed
Three Months	\$ 1.25	-----	400
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One Year	5.00	3.00	2,400
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**SEMI-WEEKLY STANDARD**

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One Year	\$1.00	300
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## 27 EXTRA CASH PRIZES

- First Prize - - \$50.00
- Second Prize - \$25.00
- Ten Prizes, each \$10.00
- Fifteen Prizes, each \$5.00

First prize: \$50.00 to contestant securing largest number of votes issued on subscriptions between May 13 and May 25, inclusive.

Second Prize: \$25.00 to contestant securing largest number of votes issued on subscriptions between May 13 and May 25, inclusive.

\$10.00 each to the next 10 contestants securing the largest number of votes issued on subscriptions between May 13 and May 25, inclusive.

\$5.00 each to the next fifteen contestants securing the largest number of votes issued on subscriptions between May 13 and May 25, inclusive.

### All Votes Count on the Automobile and Other Prizes

In case of a tie for any of these prizes, prizes of equal value will be given to contestants who tie for same.

Winning a cash prize does not interfere with the ten per cent. cash commission paid to non-winners of one of the regular prizes.

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- ☑ Turn in subscriptions just as fast as you secure them.
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Send or bring in your subscriptions to the Contest Department of the St. John Standard as you receive them. A careful count will be kept of all votes issued on all subscriptions turned into the Standard Contest Department during the above mentioned dates. A full credit will be given you on the books as the subscriptions are turned in. These votes secured to apply on the special cash prizes count toward the regular prizes also, and do not interfere in any way with your chance of winning one of the regular prizes. Like the other votes issued on subscriptions you do not have to publish them at once, but you may hold them and publish them at any time up to the last day of contest as heretofore. No matter what your standing in the list of contestants may be you have an equal chance to win one of these cash prizes. The awards will be given to the winning contestants on Monday, May 27.

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**LOCAL ADVERTISING.**

Hereafter the following charges will be made on reading notices inserted in The Standard:

Church Notices, Sunday Services, 5c. per line of six words.

Church Concerts, Church Festivals, Lodge Concerts and Notices, and all other notices of meetings, 10c. per line of six words. Double rates for back page.

**NO MORE FREE LOCALS.**

**THE WEATHER.**

Toronto, May 12.—The depression which was situated over Lake Erie last night is now centered in Quebec, while the western high area is drawing to the south with diminishing energy. A gale has blown over the lakes to-day accompanied by rain and snow and rain has been general in Quebec. Very warm weather prevails in British Columbia and Alberta.

Minimum and maximum temperatures:—Victoria, 54, 84; Vancouver, 48, 76; Calgary, 36, 78; Edmonton, 40; Battleford, 46, 80; Moosejaw, 29, 66; Regina, 26, 62; Winnipeg, 28, 56; Fort Arthur, 28, 46; London, 35, 56; Toronto, 38, 44; Ottawa, 44, 55; St. John 46, 58; Halifax, 42, 70.

Lower Lawrence—Strong westerly winds, showers at first, then clearing, much cooler.

Quif—Strong southerly to westerly winds, showers, turning much cooler at night.

**AROUND THE CITY**

**Government Meets Here Today.**

A meeting of the members of the local government will be held at the government rooms on Church street, at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

**To Inspect Central Railway.**

P. S. Archibald, one of the commissioners for the Central Railway, came down to Toronto from Hamilton last evening and will make a trip of inspection over the road today.

**Found by the Police.**

The police report finding a brooch on Union street; an oyster opener on Main street; and a pair of eye glasses on Simons street. The owners of the articles can receive them on application at the central police station.

**A Small Fire.**

Box 144 was rung in yesterday morning at nine o'clock for a small fire in Quinn & Co.'s store on Main street. Luckily the brigade arrived before the flames had made any headway, no damage being done.

**The New Map of St. John.**

A. C. Sheppard and J. S. Falconer, engineer of the geographical department at Ottawa, arrived in the city yesterday. They will establish camps in a few days to begin the field work in connection with the preparation of a new map of St. John and vicinity which is to be issued during the year by the department.

**Extensions to General Hospital.**

Among the matters which will come before the meeting of the county council this afternoon, is the question of building a new wing to the general hospital, plans for which have already been prepared. It is understood a delegation from the Society for the Prevention of Tuberculosis will attend the meeting and urge speedy action in the matter of providing a sanatorium for consumptives.

**U. S. Lightship Tender in Port.**

The U. S. Lightship tender Hibiscus, Captain A. W. Tapley, arrived in port yesterday afternoon and docked at the Eastern Steamship Company's pier at Reed's Point. The Hibiscus comes from Portland where she is engaged in work similar to that of the government steamer Lanza. On her present trip the ship is hunting for buoys which were adrift some time ago, one of which was picked up and brought here by the Lanza. This morning the U. S. tender will shift to the marine department wharf where she will load the buoy before putting to sea.

**The Commissioners' Secret Meetings.**

Asked if he had anything to say about the letter of taxpayer to the Globe protesting against the commissioners holding secret meetings, the Mayor said that the writer of the letter seemed to be a little premature in insinuating that the commissioners wanted to hide anything from the public.

"Public meetings will be held every week," he said, "and that will give the public a better chance to learn what is going on than under the old system when the council met once a month. I don't see that it would do any particular good to require the commissioners to always have a reporter at their elbow."

**Factory Inspector Back From Trip.**

John Kenney, factory inspector, returned yesterday from a trip through Charlotte county. While away he inspected the hotels as well as the factories. He said he found most of the hotels had installed fire escapes, but some of them had neglected to put building ropes in the sleeping chambers. He did not institute any prosecutions as he found the proprietors were willing to comply with the law when it was explained to them. Speaking of conditions in St. Stephen, he said he found all the factories working full time, with a demand for girls in some of them, particularly Ganong's candy factory. During the last week the inspector received 20 applications from stationary engineers who want to take the examination for certificates of competency, and the board of examiners will probably be called together in a short time to dispose of these applications.

**Kings County Convention.**

Supporters of the provincial government in the County of Kings will meet in convention in the Court House, in Hantsport, on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock for the purpose of nominating candidates for the county representation in the provincial legislature.

**All non-commissioned officers and men of No. 8 Field Ambulance are requested to be present at the Armyory tonight at 8 o'clock.**

**EXCITEMENT ON MILLIDGE AVENUE**

Dancing Woman was the Attraction First - She was Followed by Lively Scrap Between Two Neighbors.

Millidge Avenue was the scene of much excitement last evening when the peculiar actions of a strange woman caused one of the timid residents of the vicinity to telephone to the North End police station for assistance. This woman attracted attention to herself by doing clog dances in the middle of the street winding up each step with a wild whoop and a dash into the nearest doorway. These actions frightened the children of the vicinity so much that they rushed into their respective homes and told their parents, one of whom communicated with the police. When the call man from the North End police station arrived on the scene he was just in time to see the woman vanish in the direction of Millidgeville in a hayrack. He at once gave chase, but it was not until the team had almost reached Millidgeville that he succeeded in catching up and arresting the woman.

When they arrived at the police station, it was thought that the woman's home was in Fairville, but inquiries elicited the information that she was not known there. A family bearing her name was then located on Simons street, but they also knew nothing of her. Finally after a long search her husband was located on Millidge Avenue and on being notified he took her home.

Excitement last evening when a woman named Mrs. Niles threw a bucket containing water at a Mrs. Coleman who was severely cut about the head as a result. The incident happened when the two women met at the tank from which both families draw water.

The case will be tried this morning in the police court when both sides of the story will be heard.

**FLEMING BANQUET AN IMPORTANT FUNCTION**

More than 200 Guests Expected at Dinner to Premier Tonight - Splendid Programme of Speeches Proposed.

The banquet to be tendered Premier Fleming in Keith's assembly rooms, at 8.30 this evening, will be a notable affair. All the members of the local government will be present, and it is expected that every county in the province will send a delegation of representative citizens to do honor to the leader of the best administration that has ever held the reins of power in New Brunswick. Hon. J. D. Hazen, minister of marine and fisheries, will attend, as will also Senator Daniel and G. S. Crockett, M. P., and it is hoped that Hon. George E. Foster will be able to reach the city in time to take part in the demonstration to Mr. Fleming. W. H. Thorne will preside at the gathering, and it is said there will be considerably over 200 prominent citizens of the province in attendance.

After the usual toast to the King, Senator Daniel will propose the toast to the governor general, which he will be honored as usual. The chairman, Mr. Thorne, will then propose the toast to the guest of the evening and after Mr. Fleming makes his response, Col. Baxter will propose the Dominion parliament, a toast which will be responded to by Hon. Mr. Hazen, G. S. Crockett, and other members of parliament who may be present.

The toast to the local legislature will be proposed by P. D. Tilley and responded to by Hon. Robert Maxwell, Hon. John Morrissy, Hon. Mr. McLeod, Hon. Dr. Landry and Hon. J. A. Murray.

Interspersed among the speeches there will be a number of songs by D. B. Pigeon, F. C. McNeill and others with D. Arnold Fox acting as accompanist. Wainmaker's musical program will be the closing act, and there will be an orchestra to provide a choice musical program.

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