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Sailor Myrtle 144, 201, Moravia, for
Apple River, N. B., A. W. Adams, mate,
to load for N. B., by 7:30 p.m.

MORNING NEWS OVER THE WIRES

An interesting debate took place in the rooms of the C. M. B. A. in Moncton last night when the question "Which is better for Moncton, a city council or a civic commission?" was debated. The affirmative side was awarded the decision.
Craig Lepinette, head of the J. B. Lipinette Company, publisher, in Philadelphia, shot and killed himself in his home there yesterday. He was fifty-five years of age.
Another notable victim of fraud has been unmasked in New York. It is said the government has been defrauded out of hundreds of thousands of dollars, through the under-valuation of olive oil at the port of New York. Importers have been calling oil for table use machine oil or soap oil and the pure olive oil was treated with powdered charcoal which was removed after the oil passed the customs.
Some 1,000 French-Canadiana repatriated from New England, left Montreal yesterday for Alberta and Saskatchewan where they are to settle on homesteads.
The North German Lloyd steamer Princess Irene is on the sands on the seaward side of Long Island, N. Y. The steamer was only fifty minutes from New York when she struck. She went on last night in a fog. She has 178 passengers.

MORNING LOCALS

At a meeting of the Hod Carriers' Union last evening, John Heberfeld, Robert Osborne and Charles Russell were appointed delegates to the Trades & Labor Council.
A slight fire last night in the kitchen of the Adams House caused a large crowd to gather in Charlotte street.
Wm. and Herbert Day, of Plaster Rock, were fined \$20 on Wednesday last before Hon. L. P. Harris, on a charge of liquor violation.
George M. Elliott, field secretary of the Canadian Defence League of Toronto, was in the city yesterday. The league is advocating military training in public schools.
While in the city Mr. Elliott conferred with Col. J. L. McAvity, Col. Armstrong and Dr. Bridges on the matter. He left for Upper Canada last night.
At the afternoon session of the Public Utilities Commission yesterday it was decided to adjourn the inquiry until June 6.
Ald. Wigmore said yesterday that he intended offering for Kings ward, G. W. Colwell, of Exmouth street, has been named as a probable at-large candidate.
At a meeting of the stationary engineers last night it was decided to organize in affiliation with the Canadian Engineers, Toronto. W. A. Cooper was chosen president, pro tem, S. Dunham, vice-president, F. Latham, secretary, and F. Watson, treasurer.
The following officers have been elected by Loyalist Division, S. of T.—Robert Carson, W. P.; Miss M. Moore, W. A.; Wm. Daley, R. S.; Hamilton, Fin. Sec.; Miss M. Simpson, treas.; Mrs. Oscar Grant, chaplain; Mrs. C. Hamilton, conductor; Mrs. Robt. Carson, inside sentinel; J. Cooper, O. S.; Miss Annie Carson, P. W.; Miss P. Nicole, organist.
At the executive meeting of the Anglican Synod yesterday a resolution was passed and feeling reference made to the death of W. R. Vroom. Copies were ordered sent to the bereaved family.
The pupils of Miss Annie Lagrin last night gave a very successful and enjoyable theatrical in the assembly rooms of Keith's Theatre. A large audience thoroughly appreciated the numbers. The work of the singers was very effective and reflected much credit upon Miss Lagrin. The opening number, Captive Memories was particularly well received. Those who took part in the recital were Miss Pauline Baird, Miss Cheyne, Mrs. S. K. Scott, Mrs. G. E. Gray, H. M. Jones, H. A. Allison, and D. B. Pidgeon.
At a meeting of the Trades and Labor Council which took place in their rooms last evening the following committee was appointed to draw up a fair wage clause, similar to that which was adopted by the federal government, and present it to the city council and the local legislature: John Heberfeld, William Peterson, James McGirr, John Martin, Thomas F. Palmer, John Hughes, H. T. Campbell, A. Dever and C. H. Stevens.
Lieutenants D. C. Clarke, C. J. Morgan and George Keefe, of the 62nd Regiment, will leave tomorrow for Fredericton, where they will take special military courses at the barracks, the first two in captaincy, and the last in lieutenantcy.

Wealthy Negro Dead

Philadelphia, Pa., April 6.—After a long illness John Trower, reputed to have been the wealthiest negro in the United States is dead at his home in Germantown, a suburb. Mr. Trower whose fortune is said to amount to \$1,200,000 was prominent in church work and founded a Baptist seminary in Downingtown, Pa., near here. He was 61 years old.
Mrs. Ruth Smith, 92 years old; Mrs. Hannah Rogers 85, and Mrs. Sophie Chase, 81, were guests last week, of their younger sister, Mrs. Olive Starr, 78 years old, in Dennis, Mass. All are in good health.

MARKED DOWN FOR SATURDAY

Good strong Wool Tweed Pants in dark stripes. A good strong pant, well made and shaped \$1.48. Others at \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.25 to \$4.50.
Men's Negligee Shirts, regular 85c. values, for 69c.
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Our "Sunkist" Oranges. Ask for them. You will know them by the tissue paper wrapper in which each "Sunkist" Orange is packed. You can buy them by the box or half box. On the wrapper note the label, "Sunkist." Keep all the wrappers. They are worth money to you.

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The Evening Chit-Chat

By RUTH CAMERON

WHAT kind of a man does a woman like best? Some weeks ago I put that question to my readers, promising them that some day we should have their opinions on the subject.

Attention, ye swains who desire to know how to please the fairer sex. Here is a chance to get some honest unadorned opinions on the subject.

I have received many more than I could possibly print, but many repeat the same story, so I'm just going to try to give you the widest variety possible.

It may be interesting to know first what masculine characteristics received the most votes.

Cleanliness of person and strength, both moral and physical, I should say, headed the list.

Ambition, a sufficient degree of generosity to make a wife sure of enough pocket money, reverence for God, chivalry for women, and an affectionate disposition, were also much in demand.

One lady who ought to know something about the matter, having had three trials, says that an affectionate disposition is by all odds the thing that counts the most. "I've had three husbands," runs her sad tale. "One and Two rest in the graveyard. The third is what the world calls a good man but he is not a bit soft. The second was soft and I would rather be with him in spirit than where I am. I was happy with the second. Give me a soft, loving man every time. I have tried three kinds."

Here is what some more women think about this matter:

The kind of man a woman can love must be strong, yet tender, true, honest and kindly, sympathetic. If the gods have added to this a sense of humor, belief and a man in brief who meets the test of the "Table Round" to reverence his king as if he were conscious of his conscience as his king.

"Of course I don't pretend to know anything about men for I am only a college freshman, but even that manner of girl may have an ideal—so here goes, here's mine in two words—an unselfish man and a clean one."

"What sort of a man do all women love? Why, the sort of man who was born with the gift, or has acquired the art of conveying the impression, 'You are different from other women and I'm glad of it.' Such a man, whether consciously or ferret from other women and I'm glad of it." Such a man, whether consciously or ferret from other women and I'm glad of it.

"I've doubted the existence of a woman who can understand and appreciate and inspire. With such a woman a man can do his best in the world, and as we women offer it to us."

"It is only necessary to go back to the Garden of Eden to establish the fact that women like best the man who is thoroughly imbued with the Devil. A good, straightforward, moral man is not in it with the other kind. Adam did not dominate the heart of Eve. She was dissatisfied and therefore went out of her way to find something to relieve her dissatisfaction. She ran up against the Devil and listened to him to her own undoing and that of the whole world. And still the daughters of Eve like best the man who has the most original Devil in his make-up." (Need we interpolate that this break in the symposium was contributed by a man?)

(To be continued in our next.)

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The entertainment in charge of the Young Ladies' Free-To-Serve Club and the Loyalist Club in Centenary church last night, was a distinct success. Refreshments were served, topics of interest discussed and a fine programme carried out. Solo by Dr. J. Leonard and Miss Baskin were pleasing features.

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New Brunswick's Independent newspapers. These papers advocate: British connection, Honesty in public life, Measures for the material progress and moral advancement of our great Dominion.

CITY GOVERNMENT

One would have thought that the experience of other Canadian cities with the board of control system would have discouraged the citizens of Halifax from entertaining any serious thought of adopting that system of city government.

Under the city council and board of control system, politics and patronage, which should have no place in civic affairs, have to be reckoned with; under the commission plan they are eliminated.

The movement that is behind the commission plan of city government, sweeping in such a remarkable way over this continent, has behind it a desire and a determination to secure better government.

"More than one hundred cities have adopted the commission plan of government. I am assured that no city, after once adopting the plan, has ever rejected it.

Some persons, however, have a great prejudice against United States systems and methods, and ask why an appeal is not made to English authority.

What to give the children for cough and colds is the problem mothers now have to solve. Most of them finally decide on Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine.

WHAT DO YOU THINK ABOUT TAXATION?

Let us glance at these few paragraphs from "The Square Deal," the little tax reform paper published in Toronto which leads the Canadian movement for justice in taxation matters.

"The only things taxed in Vancouver are land, dogs and liquor licenses. In Ontario and Quebec houses are taxed, too.

St. John taxes dogs and liquor licenses, but chiefly it taxes improvements, thrills, and industry; and it offers a premium to those who hold land and property unimproved year after year.

Owing to the policy of drift pursued for many years at City Hall, the question of taxation has been neglected. Some years ago, when a taxation commission was appointed, its report was neglected, and finally buried.

Hon. Mr. Fielding, in the House of Commons yesterday, pointed out that Conservatives are telling the farmer that under reciprocity he will get no higher prices, while at the same time they are saying to the consumer that reciprocity will increase the cost of living.

BORED OF CONSTIPATION

Mr. Andrews praises Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills. For many years I have been troubled with chronic constipation. This ailment never comes single-handed, and I have been a victim to the many illnesses that constipation brings in its train.

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WALL STREET NOTES

New York, April 7.—Americans in London irregular 14 decline to 12 advance. Copper producers' monthly statement today.

COULD NOT CROSS THE FLOOR PAIN WAS SO GREAT

Miss Hazel Hess, Winchester Springs, Ont., writes: "I was troubled with my kidneys for five years. They were so bad, at times, I could not cross the floor for the pain. The doctor could not do me any good and a friend advised me to use Doan's Kidney Pills."

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TORIES TRY NEW TACTICS AND FAIL

Ottawa, April 6.—A new tack of the opposition on the reciprocity issue developed in the commons today. A concerted demand for information as to comparative prices, cost of production, etc., in Canada and the United States of the commodities affected by the agreement was led by Mr. Perley. He asked for more light before the critics could intelligently discuss the tariff changes.

Hon. Mr. Fielding let in the light, but in a manner utterly disconcerting to his listeners, whose attempted shafts at the gle of the minister of finance invariably came back on their own heads. It was one of the finest exhibitions of apt and crushing retort that parliament has heard this session.

In moving his amendment, the Conservative chief reiterated the complaint of lack of information to determine "whether this reciprocity pact was going to result in good or evil." Mr. Perley maintained that it was the duty of the government to supply all the data called for in his resolution.

Hon. Mr. Fielding said he was somewhat surprised to find the new phase of the opposition to reciprocity took no note of the matters which a few days ago were the principal stock in trade.

The division was taken at 11 o'clock and resulted in the defeat of Mr. Perley's amendment by 34, the vote being 66 to 32. It was a straight party affair with the ex-

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LIEUT-GOVERNOR GIVES HIS ASSENT IN HOUSE TO FIFTY-NINE BILLS

Election Matters Subject of Legislation to Be Taken up—Yesterday's Business in Legislature

Fredericton, April 6.—Fifty-nine bills were assented to this evening by the lieutenant-governor, after which the house settled down to consideration of other bills that had been recommended.

Among the measures that did not reach the house was one to amend the election act providing for purer elections. There are many members on both sides of the house anxious to see this part of the election law strengthened, but the bill before them was considered to be an imperfect and incomplete character. While it provided that when twenty-five electors made affidavits that there had been corrupt practices one or two judges would be appointed to investigate the same and the attorney-general would then be called upon to prosecute the offenders, if upon investigation it was found that there had been violation of the act.

Members of the committee did not think that it would be pleasant or desirable to ask the attorney-general to prosecute, and it was decided to ask those who presented the bill of Westmorland Electoral Reform League to be represented before the committee.

Fredericton, N. B., April 6.—Hon. Mr. Hazen introduced a bill to amend the act respecting juries. He explained that the main purpose of the bill was to make it unnecessary to summon a grand jury unless for a circuit court, and there was criminal business before the court.

The bill to amend the dental act was agreed to with amendments, placing the fees at 85c.

The house went into committee with Mr. Sproul in the chair, and agreed to a bill to amend the liquor license act, with amendments to make it clear that the \$5 deposit paid the inspectors on making the application for licenses shall go in with the balance of the bill, and also making provisions in the act regarding the adjustment of liquor license funds and the payment of expenses.

The bill to consolidate and amend the public health act and acts in amendment thereof and in addition thereto was considered. The corporations committee met again this afternoon.

The bill to further amend the act incorporating the Imperial Drydock Company of St. John was agreed to; the bill to incorporate the Bel River Light & Power Company was further considered. Amendments were made whereby the company could not operate lands without the consent of the lieutenant-governor-in-council; expropriation could not take place until the lands were paid for. A new resolution was inserted providing that the company shall be permitted to export upon one year's notice by a Canadian company, desirous of purchasing power, this company shall supply power to the applicant. The bill was agreed to as amended.

April Canada Monthly

"Three billion four hundred million dollars' worth of nitrogen is required to produce a single harvest in the United States, reckoning the chemical at its present price of 16c. cents a pound. Does it get to you?" asks Rex Crosswell, in the first of a series of three articles on "Money-Mad Farming," the first one of which leads April Canada Monthly (formerly Canada-West), and which sounds a note of warning to western Canadian farmers. Mr. Crosswell says that every scientific farmer knows that it takes nitrogen to grow wheat, but it is not until the farmers of the great wheat-producing areas of the United States in their eagerness to get rich quick, have shipped out wheat year after year and with it shipped out the fertility of the soil until after twenty years of continual wheat-cropping they have cut down their yields from thirty and forty bushels to a niggardly ten or fifteen.

Mr. Crosswell's remedy for this is nitrogen-restoring crops of legumes—alfalfa, clover, field peas or vetches every fourth year. His argument seems convincing and will at least bear consideration from the farmer, whether he grows wheat alone or is a mixed-farming advocate.

"The Scarlet Strand," a mystery story by E. H. Watrous, begins its first installment in April. Norman Rankin tells how the grandson of Captain Logie Armstrong, one of the early St. Lawrence pilots, chartered, built a steamer, navigated and still continues to navigate the bumpy Columbia river in the Rocky Mountains. Parker Butler talks about "The Hopeless Case of Arabanus Bille," whom no girl ever took in hand; Jeanette Marks, in "After Fifty Years with Job," recounts the result of a patient wife; and there is other material by Roy Campbell, Bonny castle Dale, T. A. Daly, Cy Warman, Mary Wheelwright, "Kit," Sara H. Richards, Leslie Garvin and others. Illustrations are by Percy E. Anderson, Peter Newell, Charles A. McEldan, Donald McGivern, Frederick M. Grant and others. The cover is an interesting example of three colored reproduction in a printing representing the money-mad farmer sowing to the Devil of Immediate Gain the inheritance of future generations.

White's Cove Notes

"White's Cove, April 3.—The snow is about all gone. The ice in Grand Lake is solid yet, teams are travelling everywhere on it. Robins and wild geese have made their appearance.

Harry Orchard has been doing a rushing business with his steam grist mill. He is soon going to start his saw mill. Knight Bros' grist mill at Mill Cove has started again, having been down for some time for lack of water.

Wm. McKinley, who has been suffering from an attack of la grippe is slowly recovering. Capt. E. M. Young had the misfortune to lose a valuable brood mare a few days ago. S. A. McIntosh also lost a good beast.

Leslie Colwell who suffered a stroke of paralysis some time ago is rapidly recovering.

Peter Knight of White's Point is spending a few days with his daughter, Mrs. S. B. Orchard of this place.

WHERE THE SEA IS DEEPEST

(From Harpers Weekly)

The ocean has been sounded in nearly all directions with modern appliances and these soundings show that the floor of the ocean consists of vast undulating mountains lying at an average depth of about two and a half miles beneath the surface of the waves. In some places high ridges and cones rise from these submerged plains to within a few hundred fathoms of the sea surface, they may rise above the surface as volcanic islands and coral atolls.

The greatest depth hitherto recorded is in the Challenger (or Nero) Deep in the north Pacific—3229 fathoms. If Mount Everest were placed in this deep 2900 feet of water would roll over the peak of this highest mountain in the world.

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A limited amount of fancy Etamine Scrim in Oriental and Conventional border effects, both plain and figured grounds.

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