

RECOMMENDS \$5 A MONTH MORE PAY FOR THE ST. JOHN FIREMEN

Commissioner Thornton Submits Estimates—Four Employees of Water and Sewerage Department to be Retired on February 1.

Commissioner Thornton this morning recommended an increase of \$5 a month to all the permanent men in the fire department to bring them to the salaries paid two years ago. His appropriation for this department showed an increase of \$17,610.99 over that of 1923, the increase of \$2,980 in the salaries being partly met by decreases in other items. On motion of Commissioner Wigmore four employees of the water and sewerage department will be retired on February 1, at the pleasure of the council.

Table with 3 columns: Item, Expended, App. 1924. Includes categories like Salaries and wages, Fire alarm supplies, etc.

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Delegation to Capital Soon Likely

(Continued from page 1.) With the Minister of Public Works requesting that financial assistance be voted on at the forthcoming session of Parliament for whatever works are jointly agreed upon.

Removal of Rock The commissioner said there were some works needed that were not included in the tri-partite agreement but these should be incorporated in any application made to the Government.

Mayor Fisher said he thought the agreement should be carried out at the steps which were being taken in advance of any conference which might take place.

LOCAL NEWS

BOWLING CHALLENGE

Fred Gill and Joseph Harrington today issued a joint challenge to any two bowlers in the city to bowl them a ten-strike match, time and place to be agreed upon.

THEIR CHILD DEAD

Fred and Mrs. Gordon Arthur, South Bay, will sympathize with them in the death of the sixteen-month-old son, Murray, which occurred last night at the General Public Hospital.

MURDER CASE TOMORROW

The preliminary hearing in the case of Stewart Godwin of Little River, who is under arrest charged with the murder of Mrs. Clara Waldie at her home in East John, will be resumed tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the police court.

MR. GAGNON INVITED

L. A. Gagnon, chief game warden of the province, has been invited to attend the meeting in the Board of Trade rooms tomorrow evening at which the question of the petition of the Loch Aiva Fish and Game Association for a lease of the crown lands between St. John and St. Croix rivers will be thrashed out.

AGAIN TODAY

Louis Stephen of the Stephen Construction Company appeared before Magistrate Henderson in the police court this morning charged with having piled earth on Wright, Stanley and other streets in the Valley without permits and also for leaving a post hole uncovered. A fine of \$10 was struck and collected.

Commissioner Thornton, chairman of the buildings committee of the Municipal Council, will hold a meeting of the committee today at 10 o'clock in the City Council chamber. The committee will discuss the court house matter and the advisability of a public sale of the restoration of the old building or the construction of a new one.

MISS O'HARA IS DEAD IN BOSTON

Passed Away This Morning—Left Home Nearly Week Ago. Miss Margaret O'Hara, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles O'Hara, 45 Douglas avenue, passed away at the home of her mother in Boston, Mass., after a brief illness. She left here a week ago on Monday morning for Boston on a visit to her relatives and today they were prostrated with grief when the telegram of her death was received.

Mayor Opposed to Light Bill

(Continued from page 1.) A complaint of the Berrill Mills Telephone Co. with regard to rates was referred to Mr. Midram for examination and report.

W. M. A. SOCIETY HAS CRUSADE MEETING

The annual crusade meeting of the W. M. A. Society of the Ludlow street Baptist church was held last night. Representatives of the other W. M. A. societies of the city and Fairville churches were present.

PERSONALS

Major Forest Lindsay, London, England, inspector of agencies for Lloyd's, arrived from Montreal yesterday on an official trip.

E. Clinton Brown, George Coupe and E. R. W. Ingraham left for Halifax yesterday afternoon where they are to attend a conference of governors of the Maritime Pharmaceutical College.

Mrs. H. C. Road of Sackville is the guest of J. Willard Smith and his daughters.

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STREET CARS COLLIDED

A collision occurred yesterday between two street cars in Charlotte street as a result of which both fenders were damaged and three windows in one of the cars broken. One of the cars was No. 74 on the East St. John route, which was driven by Frank Dunham, and the other was car No. 122 on the West St. John route, and driven by Thomas Mitchell. Fortunately no one was injured.



Wash up with SNAP and have clean hands. SNAP moves stains and grime of all kinds.

For Men SNAP For Women

LIMITS NARROW AND IRREGULAR

Stock Prices Continue Fluctuation—Exchange is Reported Steady.

New York, Jan. 22.—Stock prices continued to fluctuate within narrow and irregular limits at the opening of today's market, but the main tendency appeared to be upward. United States steel and most of the other standard industrials improved fractionally, but weak selling broke out in tinplate and the Pan-American issues; United Fruit advanced 1/4 and Consolidated Cigar 3/4. Dropped one.

New York, Jan. 22.—Speculative interest was at low ebb during the morning, with price fluctuations generally small and unimportant. Buying power was centered largely in the steel, equipment and copper. Equipments were accumulated on the theory they would benefit by the installation of automatic train devices ordered by the Interstate Commerce Commission. Copper improved in sympathy with the higher price of metal and the expectation of the promising outlook for expanding operations and speculative investment of an extra dividend disbursement by U. S. Steel.

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MONTEAL MARKET

Montreal, Jan. 22.—Trading was dull and prices firmer at the opening of today's market. Laurentide was the only issue to register more than one board lot sale. That stock came out with an overnight gain of 1/4 to 3/8. Bell rights was up 1/4 to 1/2. Brantford at 4 1/2, was up 1/4. Car sold up 1/4 to 1/2, and Cement was down 1/4 to 1/2. Little price change.

EXCHANGE TODAY

New York, Jan. 22.—Sterling exchange—Great Britain, 4 1/2; France, 4.75; Italy, 4.34; Germany, 4.20; Canadian dollars 2 1/2 per cent. discount.

NEW YORK, JAN. 22

Table with 4 columns: Stocks to 12 noon, Open, High, Low. Lists various stock prices.

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CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET

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WINNIPEG GRAIN MARKET

Winnipeg, Jan. 22. To 12 noon. Open High Low. Lists various grain prices.

PORT OF ST. JOHN

Reported Yesterday. Str Tor Head, 3161, Suffren, Belfast and Dublin, 3159. Str Delaware, 3787, Aarvig, Copenhagen.

A Suite That Halts All Passers-By

A fine specimen of a Chesterfield Suite is bound to catch and hold the eye, in this age of wider understanding. There is comfort and richness of appearance in Chesterfields that nothing else compares.

But the Suite in the Marcus windows today strikes the eye as something far above the usual. Oval arms of Silk Plush Mohair, centred by a tasse. Seats and backs of Silk Tapestry with Gold threads to heighten the motif of Roses. Real Polychromed woodwork.

Other details of line and hue await your closer view.



Men Believe In Warm Feet

A man surely does love comfort, especially a cosy foot foundation to walk on. Midwinter mixtures of weather tell him to take no chances and have the habit of Overhoes or Overhoe Rubbers.

The outstanding value of the city is none other than a Two-buckle Waterproof with good weight of Rubber soles. \$3.45

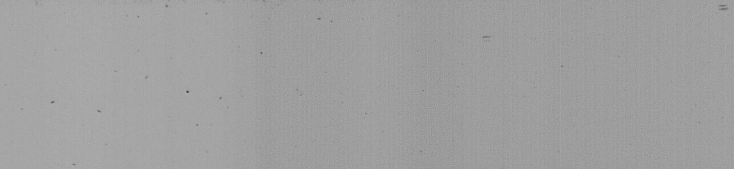
Four-buckle Jersey Cloth Overhoes, \$5.25 to \$5.95. Overhoe Rubbers, \$1.95 to \$2.25.

Choice includes correct shapes and fits, medium, recede and round toes.

Men Out All Day

Motormen, Teamsters, Winterport Workers and others out steadily in rain, sleet, snow, freezing air, get well set up in these—

Thick Overhoes needing no Boots. 9 in. high, \$4.75—7 in. high, \$3.95. They lace up and the rubber part comes up three inches all round.



KNOW WHERE TO GO FOR DINNER NOW

Resplendent Black and Gold Sign Identifies Station Dining Room

Column after column has been written in reference to the dilapidated condition of the Union Depot, the Court House and a few other of the important municipalities in the city. In these stories mention has always been made of the fact that never is there a change in the appearance of the buildings in question, but strange to say on entering the station yesterday a Telegraph-Journal reporter was surprised to find that there had been a small but more or less important change in the general plan of interior decoration, in the shape of a large sign, of black background on which the message "Dining Room and Lunch Counter" stood prominently forth in gold letters.

During the course of only one day's business there are hundreds of people who pass through the station. Many of them are incoming passengers, tired and hungry, who instead of going to a hotel would make use of the C. N. R. dining room, to appease their hunger, if they knew there was such a place in the station. Formerly there was but a small sign marking the entrance to the dining room, and anyone not seeing the sign and being unfamiliar with the layout of the station, could easily pass the dining hall by.

There is no chance for them to miss it now, and this institution, as a result of the additional advertising it is receiving, should profit to a considerable extent.

GREEN'S DINING HALL

King Square, Corner of St. John Street, St. John, N.B. Dinner... 50c. Supper... 60c. P.M. 5-8. Noon 12-2.30 P.M. 5-8

GILMOUR'S 68 KING

Clothing, Furnishings, Tailoring. 68 KING

SIGN RUM TREATY

Washington Office Attach Signatures—Senate to Pass on The Agreement.

Washington, Jan. 22.—The new rum treaty with Great Britain was signed today at the State Department. Senate ratification is required before the new arrangement, which has the approval of the British government, becomes effective, but there are indications that pending that formal approval the two governments tacitly follow a more lenient policy toward each other in dealing with the liquor question—until now one of the most serious to disturb relations between Great Britain and the U. S. in recent years.

Mexican Garrison Swings to Rebels

Brownsville, Texas, Jan. 22.—The garrison at Brownsville, capital of the Mexican State of Nuevo Leon, revolted and went over to the rebels at five o'clock today.

Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths, 50 cents

BIRTHS

SMITH—On Jan. 20, 1924, to Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Smith, 13 Olive St., West St. John, a daughter, Jean Grignon.

DEATHS

BOSSARDT—At Brooklyn, N. Y., on Jan. 18, 1924, Elia, beloved wife of Fred A. Bossardt and daughter of the late Nathaniel and May Maguire of Sea View. Besides her husband and one son, she leaves five sisters and three brothers.

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. E. S. Williams and family wish to thank their many friends for flowers and sincere sympathy extended to them in their sad bereavement; also special thanks to Mrs. J. W. W. A., and baseball team.

We Recommend for Profitable Investment

DOMINION IRON & STEEL 5% Bonds due 1939 Yield over 8% Full particulars on request.

You Be The Judge

We know of no better proof that Amland Bros.' policy and methods are right than our constantly increasing volume of business. We can offer no stronger argument for your patronage than our low values and easy terms and with no returns.

New Oilcloths just arrived in 1924 patterns, etc. Now 55c per yard. Blinds in good quality, etc. Complete at 69c. New Linoleums just arrived in latest patterns, etc. 44 yard widths at \$1.00 per yard.



A large assortment of beautiful floor coverings just arrived. Bring the measurement of your floor with you. CARPET SQUARES in all sizes. Wiltons, Axminster, Brussels and tapestry squares in all sizes. AMLAND BROS., LTD. 19 Waterloo St.

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Y. M. C. A. AUXILIARY OFFICERS ELECTED

Plans For Future Events and Names Delegates to Women's Council

Mrs. G. Wilford Campbell was unanimously re-elected president of the ladies' auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. for a third consecutive term at the annual meeting last night.

MORE HOPEFUL IN THE COAL STRIKE

Both Sides Negotiating in Effort to Reach a Settlement

Sydney, N. S., Jan. 22.—Negotiations with a view to agreement upon a wage contract were resumed this afternoon between representatives of the United Mine Workers and British Empire Steel Corporation.

CAN SEE THE FISH IN LAKE WITH THESE SPECS.

Here's good news for fishermen. Professor T. Gordon, an English scientist, has designed a pair of spectacles which will allow a person standing on the bank of a brook or lake to see clear to the bottom if not too deep.

GIVES CONCERT AT ASYLUM.

The City Cornet Band, under the direction of Bandmaster Frank Waddington, gave an excellent musical programme at the Provincial Hospital last night and was heartily thanked.

R. T. HAYES IN EXECUTIVE

Montreal, Jan. 22.—Present demand for shoes in Canada provides consumption for only between two-thirds and three-fourths of the Canadian shoe industry.

MOVIE MEN CONTRIBUTE.

Leaders of the motion picture industry contributed \$10,000 at a luncheon toward the Harding Memorial Fund.

MOTHERS—

Why allow "snuffles" and stuffy, wheezy breathing to torment your babies when quick relief follows the use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy?

C. P. Contracts For Vessels Placed

John Brown and Company, of Clydebank, Scotland, have been awarded the contracts for the construction of the 6,000-ton steamers to be operated in the Canadian Pacific, British Columbia coastal service.

YOUNG MEN OF ST. ANDREW'S DEBATE

Decision for Side Denying Municipal Employees Right to Strike.

An excellent debate was held at the regular weekly meeting of the St. Andrew's Young Men's Club last night. Having as its subject, "Resolved that municipal employees should be denied the right to strike."

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

The re-opening of dining room formerly known as Paradise Grill will take place Saturday, January 26, under new name and management.

TICKET SALE

Tickets for "Patty Makes Things Happen" by the Bonnie Doon Club, in the Knox Sunday School Hall, Jan. 24 and 25, are available at E. G. Nelson's, Short's Pharmacy and Pionograph Salon, King Square, 88c.

INDIANS LOOKING FOR BIG WAMPUM

Syracuse, N. Y., Jan. 22.—Canadian chiefs are taking part in a conference in the long house of the Six Nations of the Iroquois Confederacy at which claims of the confederacy to billions of dollars worth of land are being discussed.

FAVOR FLYING BOAT FOR FOREST FIRES

Montreal, Jan. 22.—Resolved, that the Canadian Society of Forest Engineers recommend to the Dominion Government, having in view the value of aircraft in forest conservation work, that steps be taken to hasten the design and construction of aircraft specially suitable for such work in Canada.

OFFICERS CHOSEN

At the monthly meeting of Maritime Fanthas, No. 46, Nomads of Altradak, held last evening in Temple Hall, Main street, Mrs. O. S. Dykeman in the chair, officers were installed for the coming term by Mrs. Anna T. Perry, imperial deputy, who was assisted by Mrs. A. Brown as marshal.

\$5,000 PLEDGED FOR BUILDING.

The building committee of the Natural History Society held a short meeting yesterday afternoon to discuss ways of raising funds. Already \$5,000 has been given or promised and it was the impression of the committee that the general public would be behind the campaign for funds to provide a fire-proof building to house the society's treasures.

Shine the Surface and Save the Shoe USE



Gives a jet black waterproof polish, softens and preserves the leather. Easily applied. Patent opener.

BUSINESS LOCALS

Good ice, tonight—East End Rink, 1-21 St. Choice cigars by the box by auction, No. 87 Charlotte street, tonight at 7:30 o'clock—F. L. Potts, Auctioneer.

RETURNS FROM EUROPE

Among the passengers who arrived at St. John on Saturday on the S.S. Montauclair from Liverpool was Mrs. Gertrude Cunningham, of Truro, N. S.

THE CLOSING DAYS OF OAK HALL'S 35TH BIRTHDAY SALE OFFERS AN ASTOUNDING OPPORTUNITY FOR MEN

OVERCOATS Regular \$35 \$15. Young Men's Double Breasted Chesterfield style with velvet collar. Light Grey English Meltons, Sizes—1 34, 2 35.

BOYS' OVERCOATS

Regular \$10, \$12 Overcoats \$6.95. Regular \$13.50, \$15 Overcoats \$9.75. Regular \$18, \$20 Overcoats \$12.75.

MEN'S UNDERWEAR

Penman's heavy natural wool shirts and drawers. Reg. \$3.25 for \$2.69. Wolsey, Turnbull, Stanfield, Tu-Knit, Jaeger, Hatchway, all reduced.

MEN'S SHOES

Selected from our regular stock, priced from \$6.50 to \$9.50. Entire stock shoes at Sale Prices.

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A NEW OPEN STOCK PATTERN "MONGOLIA"

Colored in Cobalt Flown Blue. High grade English Semi-Porcelain. Sold in complete sets or single pieces as required. SEE OUR WINDOW DISPLAY.

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BAKERY SPECIAL Trench Cake 19c lb.

DAIRY DEPARTMENT. You are cordially invited to visit our recently opened Dairy Dept. which is supervised by Mr. R. E. Morrell, a dairy products expert of 20 years experience.

SPECIAL FOR THURSDAY. Choice Dairy Butter 42c lb. Sussex Creamery Butter 50c lb. Cheese (New Brunswick and Ontario) 33c lb. Ice Cream 30c pint (bulk); Bricks 35c pt.

Take home an Apple Pie and a Pint of Ice Cream for supper.

Farnham Bakeries, Ltd. 213 Union Street. Tel. Main 889.

HOLD CONGREGATION SOCIAL

A congregation social was held in the Church of the Good Shepherd in Fairville last night when the members of the Y. P. A. gave the entertainment.

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We Need Eye Education

Safety first, in health matters generally, has well been learned—and now men live 15 to 20 years longer on the average than at the start of the century.

Learning to get more out of our bodies brings us next to the Eyes. Four in five need one trip to the Optometrist. Safety first!

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TO ANTWERP. S. S. Essex County, Feb. 12. TO HAVRE. S. S. Hastings County, Jan. 28. S. S. Brant County, Feb. 12. S. S. Brant County, Feb. 27.

TO ROTTERDAM. S. S. Persanger, Feb. 9. S. S. Welland County, Feb. 22 (Strocco Fair).

TO HAMBURG. S. S. Hastings County, Jan. 28. S. S. Persanger, Feb. 9. S. S. Brant County, Feb. 27.

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2 qts. White Beans 25c. 2 qts. Yellow Eyes 28c. 2 lbs. Evaporated Apples 25c. 20 lb. Bag Rolled Oats 90c. 4 doz. Spring Clothes Pins 25c. 3 Bottles Prepared Mustard 25c. Pickled Salmon, lb. 25c. Orange Pekoe Tea, lb. 55c. 2 Cans Carnation Milk 27c. 9-12 lbs. White Granulated Sugar \$1.00.

2 lb. Tin Sliced Pineapple 25c. 6 lbs. Onions 25c. 2 qts. Bottle-Lemon Extract 19c. Fancy Seedless Oranges, doz. 27c.

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4 lb. Tins Pure Orange Marmalade 59c. 4 lb. Tins Pure Strawberry Jam 79c. 1 lb. Jar Pure Strawberry Jam 35c. 1 lb. Jar Pure Raspberry 35c. Tumbled Strawberry and Apple 15c. 9 lbs. Granulated Sugar \$1.00. 9-12 lbs. Brown Sugar \$1.00. 5 lbs. Oatmeal 25c. 3 pkgs. Jello 25c. 2 pkgs. Raisins, seeded 25c. 2 pkgs. Seedless 25c. Choice Creamery Butter, lb. 48c. White Potatoes, per pk. 30c. 98 lb. Bags Cream of Wheat or Robinhood \$3.75. 24 lb. Bag Cream of Wheat or Robinhood \$1.00. Choice Bulk Tea, per lb. 60c. Try our West End Week Market choice Western Beef, Pork, Lamb, Chickens and Fowl also all kinds of vegetables. Phone W. 166.

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The Evening Times-Star

ST. JOHN, N. B., JANUARY 23, 1924

The St. John Evening Times is printed at 77 and 79 Canterbury street, every evening (Sunday excepted) by New Brunswick Publishing Co., Ltd., J. D. McKenna, President.

THE END OF AN ERA

Lenine is dead and Trotsky has ceased to be a dictator. The Bolshevik movement in Russia reached its height more than two years ago, when Lenine confessed that a change of policy was necessary. Up to that time he had hoped to spread Bolshevism all over the world, but he found instead that he could not impose his theories even upon the Russian people.

supervision of the very best kind. The farmer with too much land on his hands, will be likely to do everything in his power to help the settlers along, as apart from a natural desire to see them succeed, he has a very real interest in their success.

NATIONAL SPENDING

There is one journal in Canada which does not agree with the proposal of the City Council of Woodstock, N. B., that an effort should be made to reduce Canada's debt 25 per cent in five years. Here is what the Saskatchewan Star says:—

GETTING IMMIGRANTS

An interesting experiment in getting settlers is being made in a section of Alberta which has irrigated lands. The burden of the cost of irrigation is heavy upon the 478 rate-payers who live in this particular district, and they need to bring in more people. The Ottawa Citizen thus tells the story:—

SPEAKS ON JAPAN

Miss Loretta Shaw, returned missionary from Japan, spoke at St. James' Anglican church last evening. Rev. H. A. Cody, the rector, presided, and gave a short address of appreciation to the close of Miss Shaw's talk.

Press Comment

OLD MISSOURI CEMETERY.

(From the Missourian.) A family cemetery surrounded by a natural stone wall is one of the quaint places near Columbia. Over the gateway is inscribed "Any one not the husband, wife or child of a descendant of George Jewell cannot be buried here."

PACIFIC OCEAN HAS "ARRIVED"

(Vancouver Sun.) Last year when steamship companies of the Atlantic and Pacific found it desirable to confer on matters of common interest, Atlantic steamship companies are sending a full delegation to the conference at Vancouver for this purpose.

GEN. BUTLER'S SUCCESS

(Sydney Record.) Philadelphia's experience is showing what one capable, upright, energetic man can do to stop lawlessness, to clean up the streets, to bring order to Philadelphia's police department has been shameful and notorious.

HIGH COST OF MIDDLEMEN.

(New York Herald.) Farmers at Imbler, Oregon, gave the nation something to think of when they dined well on their own produce. The cost of 15 cents each while the same menu was being served in Portland, Oregon, restaurants at \$1.25.

CANADA'S GAIN IS AMERICA'S LOSS.

(New York Herald.) Swedish emigrants to the number of nearly 200 have landed in Halifax, Nova Scotia, by the Scandinavian-American Line which with that voyage began regular service between the United States and the Dominion.

ALADDIN

(Arkansas Gazette.) I have lost a priceless thing; I have lost a tallman— A dream that a little lad dreamed long ago.

LIGHTER VEIN.

(Correctly Described.) "Your son must be the idol of his family." "Yes, he has been idle for 21 years."

Up-to-date Chauffeur.

(Old Gentleman engaging a new chauffeur—"I suppose I can write to your last employer for your character." "Chauffeur—"I'm sorry to say, sir, each of the last two gentlemen I have been with died in my service."

A BIG BLIZZARD IN NEWFOUNDLAND

(St. John's, Nfld., Jan. 22)—With the thermometer at 14 above and a gale of northwest wind prevailing, the eastern section of Newfoundland is in the grip of a real old-fashioned blizzard. No advices have been received as to the full extent of territory covered by the storm.

To The Public

Owing to the Dufferin Hotel being torn down we have moved our business to 195 Union St. (near Grey House) where we will be pleased to receive you at any time.

K. W. Epstein & Co. Optometrists 1-24

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For Grip, Influenza COLDS

To get the best results, take Humphrey's "Seventy-seven" at the first sign of a Cold. Medical Book mailed free. At Drug Stores, Humphrey's Homeo. Medicine Co., 156 Williams Street, New York.

LUMBERING IN ALBERT BRISK

Many Crews at Work and no Man Need be Out of Employment

Hopewell Hill, Jan. 22.—Not for many seasons has there been such activity in the movement of lumber, in Albert county, as there is this winter. With the new portable mills saving in different sections, deals and boards are being made rapidly, and the hauling of the output of the various mills to the railway stations and other points of shipment, is now in progress on an extensive scale.

YOU CAN LIME YOUR OWN STOVE WITH

FOLEY'S PREPARED FIRE CLAY

To be had of—W. H. Thorne & Co. Ltd.; I. McAvity & Sons, Ltd.; Hopewell & Fisher, Ltd.; D. J. B. Retail, 155 Union street; J. E. Wilson, Ltd., 17 Sydney St.; Doyle's, 17 Water St.; J. A. Lesett Variety Store, 233 Prince Edward St.; Geo. W. Morrill, Haymarket Sq.; East End Store, Hopewell City Rd.; Valley Book Store, 8, Wall St.; Philip Grannan, 563 Main St.; Quinn & Co., 415 Main St.; C. R. Ritchie, 320 Main St.; Stanley A. Morrell, 533 Main St.; F. N. Rose & Son, Ltd., Indiantown; J. Stout, Fairville; W. E. Emerson & Sons, Ltd., 81 Union St.; West Side; C. F. Brown, Main St.; Robertson, Foster & Smith.

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For the quick slave at home for the young mother to heat baby's bottle or sterilize some clothing. Attached to a lamp socket, hot boiling water comes in a hurry. "Electrically at Your Service"

The Webb Electric Co., Phone M. 2152 91 Germain St.

"Tarey" flavor. What!

Advertisement for Tarey's 25¢ size Smoking Mixture, featuring a pack of cigarettes and the text "The NEW 25¢ size HERBERT TAREYTON LONDON SMOKING MIXTURE Import and Export Herbert Tareyton".

CAPTAIN AND TWO OF TACOMA KILLED

Vera Cruz, Jan. 22.—Captain Sparrow, one officer and two telegraphers of the United States cruiser Tacoma were killed on a storm which swept this city Sunday and Monday, after the Tacoma went on a reef.

A GRAND MANAN VESSEL WRECKED

Digby, Jan. 22.—The schooner M. Harvey, from Grand Manan to Westmouth, with herring, was reported to be ashore and pounding to pieces on the rocks at Centreville, this afternoon. The crew was rescued with difficulty.

NORTH EMPIRE

Fire Insurance Company Security Exceeds One Hundred and Fifteen Million Dollars Agents Wanted C. E. L. JARVIS & SON Provincial Agents ST. JOHN, N. B.

Advertisement for Emerson & Fisher, Ltd. featuring a speed skater and the text "They Go Like Lightning! SPEED That's the Other Name For Nestor Johnson's".

Advertisement for Church Union in Canada, featuring a church building and the text "Church Union in Canada Unionist 'Facts' Explained in Full from Basis of Union".

Advertisement for The Unionists' So-called Facts are, featuring a list of points and the text "The Unionists tell us that:—'Throughout the English-speaking world, there is evidence of a drawing together of the Christian Churches and of a growing confidence in the desirability of Church Union.'"

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ROYAL WEDDING IS TO BE SIMPLE

Earthquake Causes Edict in Preparations for Japanese Ceremony

Tokyo, Jan. 22.—(United Press.)—The most popular young couple in Japan, the "Imperial Sweethearts," Crown Prince Regent Hirohito and the Princess Nagako Kun, are preparing for their earthquake-postponed wedding.

The ceremony will take place Jan. 27, according to present plans, at noon, in the Imperial Shrine, a part of the Imperial Palace—that sacred and forbidden precinct, hidden behind great grey walls, and surrounded by ancient feudal moats, that covers a large area in the centre of Tokyo.

It will be a simple wedding—simple and inexpensive—that is, as much so as imperial affairs can be. For there has been an earthquake—just as the emperor regent has ordered no money and no show on his wedding, when that money and effort might be applied to reconstruction.

The wedding banquet in the Imperial Palace, attended by only the highest court officials and possibly the foreign ambassadors, will, it has been announced, be a very simple and modest affair, by comparison with the elaborate event that would have been the wedding feast had there been no earthquake.

MILLIONS SPENT DRILLING FOR OIL

Prospectors in Argentine Find Only Two Producers Out of 149.

Buenos Aires, Jan. 22.—(United Press.)—After fifteen companies have spent \$70,000,000 in drilling 149 oil wells in Argentina, the general opinion among representatives of these companies is that the oil business here is "highly speculative."

Of these 149 wells, only two are producing oil in commercial quantities.

One company, the Anglo-Persian, has withdrawn from the field, after spending \$1,000,000 prospecting.

Virtually all the oil companies are known to be dissatisfied with results.

There are said to be several reasons for this dissatisfaction, two of which are:

1. In comparison with efforts and money spent returns have been exceedingly small and prospects are speculative and vague.
2. The government's treatment of private capital. After fulfilling all the requirements of the Argentine mining code under which concessions are granted, and having gone to considerable expense to do this, numerous companies have been refused concessions on the ground new legislation was about to be passed which would revise the mining code.

The fact is the government is intensely adverse to exploitation of Argentina oil resources by private capital, for the government itself is carrying on a wide promotion movement.

A bill revising the mining code has been submitted to the legislature and while the oil companies operating here are thoroughly in accord with the government in the opinion that the old law ought to be amended, they are not prepared to place foreign capital invested in oil at a great disadvantage.

MAKE BABES WORK IN GREED FOR GAIN

Grim Tales Told of a Factory in New York Life.

New York, Jan. 23.—(By Canadian Press.)—Babies, two and three years old, are employed in the crowded unsanitary tenements of the city on home work for the factories, according to witnesses who testified at a recent public hearing of the New York State Welfare Commission in the City Hall.

Many children between the ages of four and ten and many more old, are employed in the legal below the age of fourteen, the legal age for the employment of children in the factories, work at home under similar conditions, according to the testimony.

The hearing was to determine whether further legislation is needed to regulate or restrict the manufacturing of articles in tenements and to make recommendations for such legislation if needed.

Mrs. Jean Herr of the National Child Labor Committee, testified that she had seen "hundreds" of children employed in manufacturing articles in the tenements. The parents' greed for money, not actual necessity, was given as the reason for the employment of the infants.

"I have seen some of the children making dolls and toys," said Mrs. Knott, a teacher who also gave evidence. "At recess they go to their homes and work during the noon hour, grabbing a piece of bread to eat on the street on their way back to school."

"A little old man, four years of age," was what Mrs. Knott called one of the children she found at work. She said she knew in many instances the children were forced to work and those refusing had been punished. Mrs. Herr said that in her investigations she had seen many children of four years old and under at work in the factories. She declared she saw a baby, two years old, employed in pulling apart petals for the manufacture of artificial flowers.

George A. Hall, executive secretary of the Child Welfare Commission, expounded the idea that most of the tenement work was given to poor widows to sustain them. He said that widows made up less than 10 per cent. of the entire human element engaged in this factory work. The aid of the family budget by this home work is very small, Mr. Hall testified.

"Taking 2,000 families as a basis," he said, "we found that 1,065 families made less than \$200 a year and the remainder less than \$100 a year in this work. We found none making more than that. The overcrowding in these factory-work tenements is such that the average for two rooms is seven persons. I have found many children

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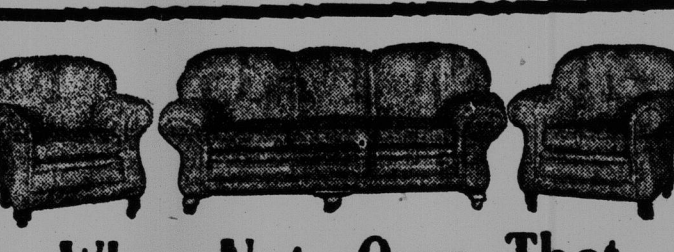
In winter when a crackling fire in the fireplace is so much appreciated—that's when a comfortable and beautiful Chesterfield Suite gives most enjoyment.

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Our Home Maker's Plan offers the purchaser of furniture amounting to \$100.00, and over the privilege of paying one-quarter of the price at time of purchase and the balance in specified amounts extending over a period of six months.

Why not take advantage of this privilege and have that Chesterfield Suite now? \$154.00 and up.

(Furniture Store, Market Square.)



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Women's Winter Coats Very Low Priced in a Final January Clearance Sale

That New, Warm, Winter Coat you have been wanting—it is here waiting for you at an astonishing low price. You may choose from plain or fur trimmed styles and types suitable for everyday or best wear. The extraordinary values offered in this sale make it decidedly worth your while to make your selections now.

Coats of Tweeds and Heather Mixtures

Mostly the popular, plain, tailored manish styles with roomy pockets, belts, raglan or set-in sleeves and large convertible collars. January Clearance Prices.

\$10.75, \$12.75, \$18.75, \$19.75

Velour Coats Fur Trimmed

Not a great many of them, but every model thoroughly up to date and desirable. Any one of these coats worth a great deal more than the price offered in the January Clearance Sale.

\$15.75, \$19.50, \$35.00

Handsome Model Coats No Two Alike

Fashioned from soft, velvety Marvella, Veldyne or Bolivia cloths in fawn or black. High grade fur trimmings to match or in contrasting shade.

Original price \$110.00 to \$135.00. January Clearance Price.

\$69.00

Sale commences Thursday morning. (Costume dept.—2nd floor.)

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Children's Flannelette Underwear At Clearance Prices

These are odd garments left from the winter's stocks and they are all very low priced for immediate disposal.

Night Gowns—For ages 2 to 14 years. White only. High or low neck styles. 75c gar to clear.

Bloomers—For ages 4 to 14 years. Clearance Price 35c garment.

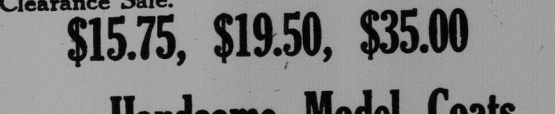
Baby's Flannelette Gaiters—Clearance Price. . . . 45c gar (Children's Shop, 2nd Floor.)

New Millinery Adds a Zest To Winter Modes

New models showing at this store now are especially attractive. Made from velvet, satin, metal cloth and ribbon. Many are in the small close fitting shapes considered so smart for the coming season.

There are larger shapes too. Types pure 20s Lux toy practically a n'y preference.

(2nd Floor.)



NEGATIVE SIDE WINS.

The negative side won last night in the debate on the resolution: Resolved that municipal employees should be denied the right to strike, at the St. Andrew's Young Men's Club. Rev. Hugh Miller, of St. David's church, was judge, and Rev. J. S. Bonnell, of St. Andrew's church, introduced the speakers who were. On the affirmative side, Fred Cery, G. Woodworth and Gordon Lewis, and on the negative, Fred Smith, Stewart Testowaky and James Cery.

MUNICIPAL MISGOVERNMENT.

(Kansas City Star.)

The burden of city government is not from the demands of city growth. A city's ability to pay taxes increases with its size. The trouble is with the administration of city funds; with the divided authority and responsibility that are bound up with many forms of municipal government; with useless employees, boards and offices; with the use of political methods where business methods are needed.

A speed of 105 miles an hour has been attained by an electric locomotive in tests before 200 steam and electric railroad men from all parts of the country at Erie, Pennsylvania. An electric locomotive and a big Mikado steam locomotive engaged in a tug of war. The electric proved superior in pulling after giving the steam engine a start at five miles an hour.

THREE TIMES A DAY TEN HUNDRED AND NINETY FIVE TIMES A YEAR.

THE use of Gold Dust for washing dishes saves time and labor. It quickly dissolves the grease. No other soap required.

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Thursday Only, 9 to 11 a. m.

Men's Wool Work Sox

Pair **15c**

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DEATHS

Mrs. Annie A. Mayes.
The death of Mrs. Annie A. Mayes occurred yesterday afternoon at her home, 83 Kennedy street. She was the widow of D. B. Mayes. Mrs. Mayes had been ailing for several years but had been seriously ill only for the last three weeks. Besides her son, Roy D. Mayes, daughter with T. J. Durick, Main street, Mrs. Mayes leaves one daughter, Mrs. R. H. Carr, and one grandson, Otto M.

Mrs. Catherine Cogger.
Mrs. Catherine Cogger, a much respected lady of Norton, N. B., passed away on Saturday morning, Jan. 20. Mrs. Cogger had been in failing health for some months. Her death occasioned great regret among her large circle of friends and relatives. She leaves to mourn the loss of a kind and loving mother, four sons and two daughters—John Patrick, Thomas and Bryan, all of Norton, and Mrs. James McBride of St. John and Miss Sara Cogger, now of Portland, Me. The funeral was held on Tuesday morning, Jan. 22, from the Sacred Heart Church, Norton, where requiem high mass was sung by Rev. M. O'Brien. Interment took place in the Sacred Heart cemetery. A large number of mass and floral offerings were received.

CONGREGATIONAL BIRTHDAY SOCIAL

A congregational birthday social and entertainment programme was given last night under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid of the Carleton Methodist church and was greatly enjoyed by the large number present. A sale was conducted and Mrs. MacBeath was in charge of the apron table while ice cream and cake were in charge of Mrs. C. Parsons, Mrs. C. Wright, Mrs. Edward Woodworth, Mrs. Bondington and Mrs. E. Runson. Other members of the aid assisted in the activities. The entertainment programme consisted of the following numbers: Choruses: solos, Miss Helen Henderson, F. J. Punter, Mrs. J. Shonyo and Miss Margaret Henderson; reading, Mrs. Charles

SALE OF WINTER FOOTWEAR

FELT BOOTS OVERSHOES MOCCASINS SKATING BOOTS

Ski Boots, Caps, Snowshoes and Slippers.

FOR WOMEN		FOR MEN	
Felt Slippers	\$1.00 up	Felt Slippers	\$1.40 up
Felt Boots	\$2.40	Felt Boots	\$3.20
Snowshoes Moccasins .	\$1.20	Snowshoes	\$2.80
Overshoes, 3 buckles .	\$2.65	Moccasins	\$1.40 and \$1.80
Overshoes, 4 buckles .	\$3.45 and \$3.85	Rubber Boots	\$3.85
Skating Boots	\$3.48	Overshoes, one buckle—	\$2.30 and \$2.65
Kid House Slippers .	\$1.85	Two buckle	\$3.05 and \$3.70
Colored Gaiters . . .	\$2.00 and \$2.76	Four buckle	\$4.45
Broadcloth Gaiters—	\$3.20 and \$3.40	Dull Pumps for dress .	\$3.50
Pumps, to wear under rubbers	\$1.00	Shoe Packs, at wholesale prices.	
Felt Juliets	\$1.56	Skating Boots	\$3.60

95c Misses' and Children's Black Cloth Leggings 95c
 \$1.00 Women's Oxfords in Black or Patent leather, with Louis heels. \$1.00
 \$1.45 Women's Boots in Black, Brown and Patent, with Louis heels. \$1.45

General Reductions in Men's and Boys' Rubber Boots.

Fancy Workers Have Their Day At Sale

The way prices fell in the Grand Finale Sale at London House can be seen still another of the twenty departments. The Sale is swiftly moving towards a close. Saturday Night is soon upon us. Look around, you'll like it and make money, as only you did a year ago.

Lace and Edging

Wale Lace—3 yards for 10c.
 Embroidered Insertion up to 2 in. wide—Sale 8c yard.
 Hamburg Edging, fine Swiss and 3 in. wide—5 yards 35c.
 Hamburg Edging, up to 4 in. wide—5 yards 48c.
 Hamburg Edging, 5 in. wide—2 yards 25c.

Yarn Odd Lots

Slightly soiled Yarns that were 20c ball—now 16c.
 Odd line Gray Yarn, quarter pound skein—Sale 38c.
 Odd line slightly soiled Silk and Wool blended Yarn, 35c balls for 19c.

House Dresses

Many at half price in small clearance of assorted sizes and patterns in House Dresses of colorful Gingham and Chambray. Extraordinary choice at half prices from 98c to \$2.68.

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THE SLIPPER OF RED BROCADE

BEGIN HERE TODAY
A novelist seeking nocturnal adventure leaves the ball room of the Marchioness of Drimming early in the morning...

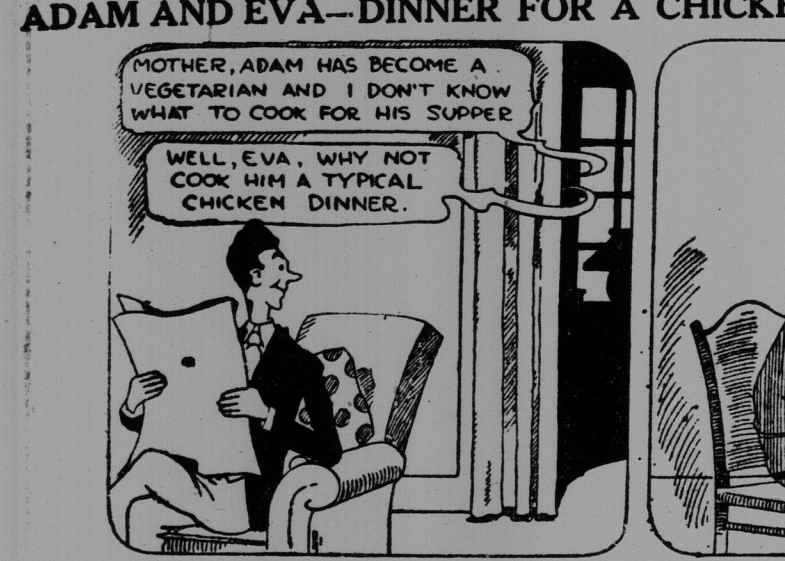


SHE FLUNG ME A SMILE, ADDING: 'I SHALL NOT OBJECT TO NO. 9'S PREFERENCE FOR THE KNIFE!'
You are escaping by having a taxi in readiness...

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS—JUST LIKE ALL DADS



ADAM AND EVA—DINNER FOR A CHICKEN



TAKEN FROM LIFE—MAN OVERBOARD



THE OLD HOME TOWN By Stanley



DOCTOR PILLSBURY PREPARED A SPECIAL TREATMENT FOR AUNT SARAH PEABODY, LEADER OF THE SOCIETY FOR THE SUPPRESSION OF PIPE SMOKING...

SAVE MONEY—BURN BESCO Household COKE. Gives off more heat, ton for ton, than Hard Coal—Burns clean without Smoke, Dust, Dirt or Soot. \$14.75 A TON.

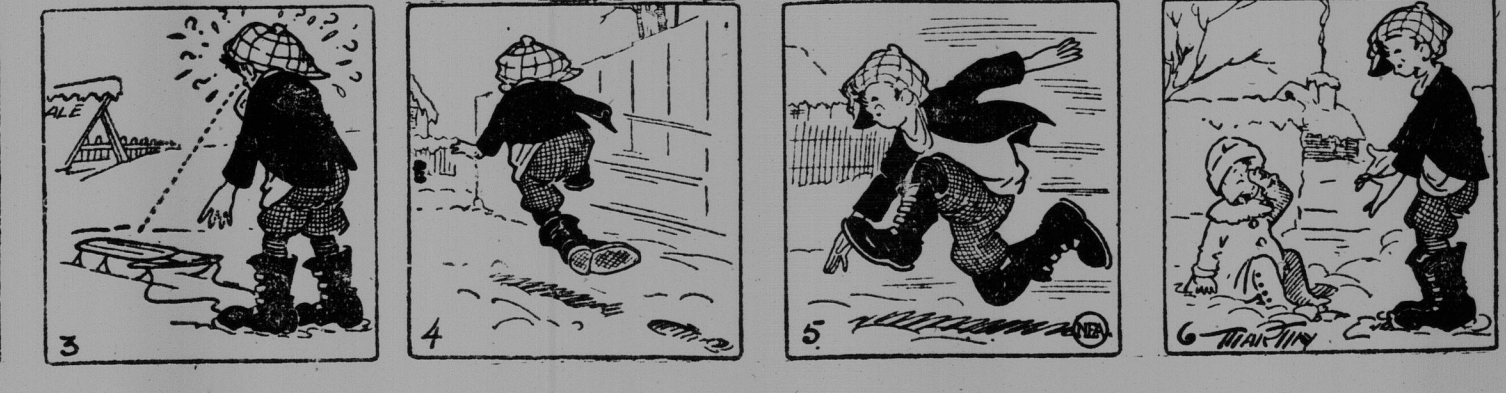
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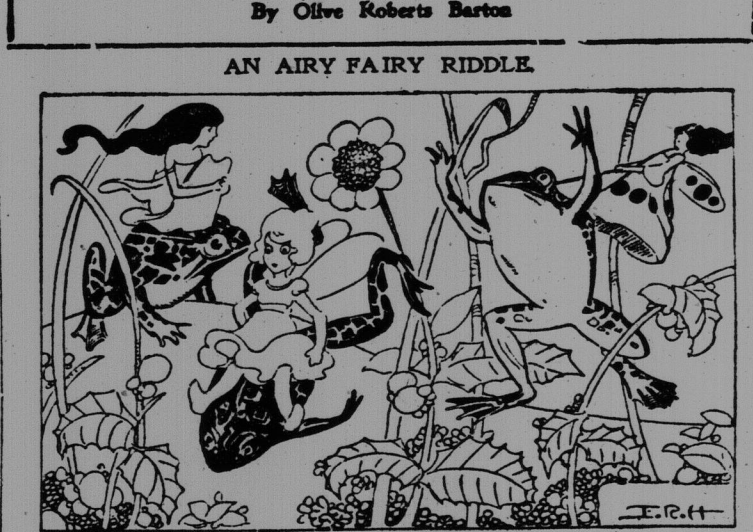
TAKEN FROM LIFE—MAN OVERBOARD By Martin



Your Health BY DR. CLIFFORD C. ROBINSON

Have you ever been guilty of a trade of anger and abuse against friend wife, if she should happen to be a little late serving dinner? The consequences of such action are far reaching, much more so than generally supposed.

ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS By Olive Roberts Barton



The next riddle, said the Riddle Lady, 'Is something you can't eat or see or hear, or smell or touch or taste! That is unless the Sandman or the Dream Maker are nearby, or you have some sort of magic with you. Now see who can guess!'

ARRESTED FOR SETTING BLAZE

Florenceville, Jan. 22.—Sheriff Foster was here on Saturday and arrested James McDonald on a charge of having set fire to the house recently burned, which was owned by Charles Irons.

DOCTOR BELIEVES COLDS WITH SCIENTIFIC VEGETABLE SYRUP

Prescribed by Dr. Thacher to Build Up System So You May Quickly Throw Off Cold and Feel Your Best Again. It is impossible to get rid of a disagreeable cold so long as your system is too run-down to throw off the cold as Nature intended.

Social Notes Of Interest

SOCIETY WOMAN GOES INTO BUSINESS

Exclusive Shops in New York's "Upper Fifties" Managed by Members of Social Four Hundred

One of the most brilliant functions of the year was the benefit bridge of eighty-four tables, given yesterday afternoon in Pythian Castle Hall...

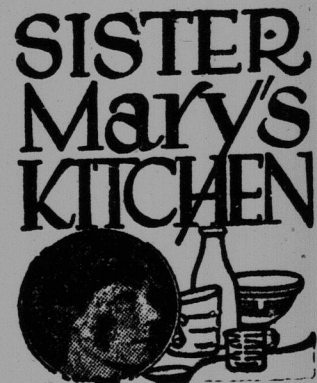
By MARIAN HALE. New York—The social register and the classified business directory no longer have separate clienteles so far as feminine entries are concerned...



MISS MARJORIE CLEVELAND, Advertiser.

MISS MARY A. KING, Woollens Importer.

MRS. CHARLES DE LOOSY OELRICHS, Perfumier.



(Unless otherwise specified, these recipes are planned for four persons.) BEANS. Dried beans mean much to the woman who would serve nourishing muscle-building foods to her family...

Spring Things Seen In Winter Stores

New York, Jan. 22.—(United Press)—A long, thin, wispy chiffon veiling flutters from many a spring straw hat, and half the hat is buried under folds of the same chiffon...

with a longing sigh. Only the slender-faced patrician can affect such a fashion and not suffer for style's sake...

The idea of converting from into steel originated in Bessemer's effort to devise heavier cannon balls.

Hydraulic mining of coal in Alabama has eliminated considerable hand labor.



"The last drop is as good as the first." The delicious fragrance of Baker's Breakfast Cocoa. Its unquestioned purity, uniformity and palatability make constant users of all who try it...

BLACK MAGIC!

Once More Ancient Superstition Is Pitted Against Modern Science in Poison Murder Mystery



MRS. FANNIE COSTANZA (LEFT) AND MRS. EMMA COLAVITO, CHARGED WITH MURDER IN CLEVELAND'S SECOND POISONING CASE TO GROW OUT OF BELIEF IN POTENCY OF "BLACK MAGIC."

Cleveland, O.—Black magic and sorcery are again to figure in a Cleveland murder trial. And hundreds of superstitious believers in sorcery are eagerly waiting to see if Emma Colavito is again enabled to stand trial for murder and go scot free...

Chili Con Carne

One pound round steak, 1 pod red chili pepper, 6 onions, 3 cups tomatoes (canned), 1 cup dried beans, 2 tablespoons flour, 1 teaspoon salt. Remove and discard seeds from pepper, soak in warm water to cover until soft...

Baked Lima Beans With Pork

One and one-half cups dried lima beans, 1/2 pound salt pork, 1 teaspoon mustard, 1-4 teaspoon pepper, 2 cups canned tomatoes, 4 tablespoons molasses, 1 onion. Wash beans over through several waters. Let stand overnight in cold water to more than cover...

Pressing at Half

You get a better job at half the cost by the ticket plan of the New System Laundry. Four tickets for \$2 lets you phone any time for them to take your Suit or Overcoat and bring it back sponged and pressed—on four different occasions...

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Beauty

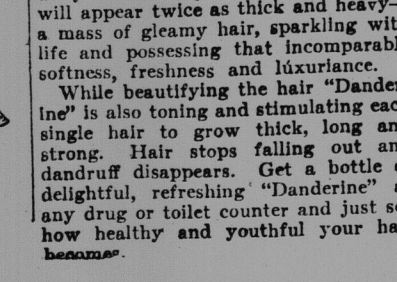
Bright fire glowing in the grate and a gleamy mass of hair. 35c "Danderine" does wonders for any girl's hair.

Dear Marie, "Shells, shells! We won again! And I felt so proud sinking out beside the 'lars'. But I nearly concealed between periods. And then afterwards there was a full fledged blyard raging outside. But I just looked on some Campana's Italian Balm and fearlessly faced it. I also find Campana's good for chelidons and burns. Peggy



A Gleamy Mass of Hair

35c "Danderine" does wonders for any girl's hair. Try this! When combing and dressing your hair, just moisten your hair brush with a little "Danderine" and brush it through your hair. The effect is startling! You can do your hair up immediately and it will appear twice as thick and heavy...



Choir Members Entertained

The Guild of St. Monica of the Mission church, St. John Baptist, last night entertained the choir members at a very pleasant supper gathering. Twenty-five of the men and women members of the choir enjoyed the function...

Simple Way to Get Rid of Blackheads

There is one simple, safe, and sure way that never fails to get rid of blackheads, that is to dissolve them. To do this get two ounces of peroxide powder from any drug store—sprinkle a little on a hot, wet cloth—rub over the blackheads briskly—wash the parts and you will be surprised how the blackheads have disappeared. Big blackheads, little blackheads, no matter where they are, will dissolve and disappear. Blackheads are a mixture of dirt and dust which has become firm in the pores of the skin. The peroxide powder and the water dissolve the blackheads so they wash clean out, leaving the pores free and clear and in their natural condition.

Guest Yesterday at the Benefit Bridge

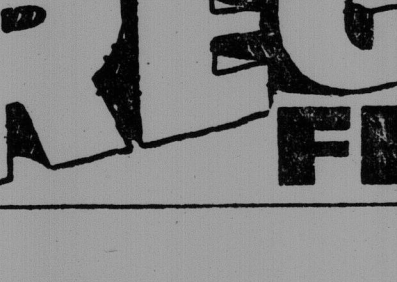
Mrs. A. W. Ester, who attended the annual convention of the N. B. Local Council of Women held in Moncton on Friday, spent the week-end there, the guest of her sister, Mrs. F. G. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. George Miller Leave Today

Mr. and Mrs. George Miller leave today for their home in Halifax, where they formerly resided before Mr. Miller took up his position here in the Canadian Bank of Commerce. Mr. Miller has received a promotion by the transfer. Mr. Miller has been the occasion of several social functions given by her many friends. Mrs. E. Stanley Bridges entertained at a large tea last week in her honor and there were several teas given by girl friends, among whom were Mrs. Harold O. Clark, Mrs. Alex. Orr, Mrs. T. McAvity and others.

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THE EVENING TIMES-STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B., WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 23, 1924

ESKIMOS TO BE HANGED ON FEB. 1

Final Chapter of Arctic Feud to be Written in a Few Days.

Winnipeg, Jan. 23.—The final chapter of an Arctic feud, caused by the desire of a white man to marry an Eskimo maiden, will be written in the picturesque barracks of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police at Hershell Island on February 1.

On that date, Aik Omik and "Eskimo" Tetamangma, of the uncivilized Eskimo tribe of Prince Albert Sound, will be hanged for the killing of Corporal Doak of the Mounted Police and Otto Binder, a trader of Coronation Gulf.

Binder, in his quest for the treasures of the north, met and loved a girl who already was betrothed to a member of her tribe. The adventurous white man had made friends among the inhabitants of the bleak and barren regions, and the tribe was divided as to who should win the hand of the daughter of the Arctic. Bitter feeling grew into hatred and tragedy was the result.

Besides the two white men several Eskimos were killed, including a four year old girl, who was strangled after her parents had been murdered because the tribe did not want a charge on their hands.

Corporal Doak was killed by Omik whom he had arrested for complicity in the murders. In the unique setting of the Arctic island post of the Mounted Police five persons were tried before a jury of steamboat men, trappers and traders. Eskootak, medicine woman and sorceress, was found guilty of manslaughter, and sentenced to one year's imprisonment, while two others were released.

The death sentence for Omik and Tetamangma aroused indignation in various parts of the Dominion, many persons holding the time was not ripe to try uncivilized Eskimo in the same manner as white men. After reviewing the case the Dominion Cabinet decided to intervene and the execution date was first set for December 7, but later it was changed to February 1.

Sergeant Tjorse, veteran member of the Mounted Police, began his long trek to Hershell Island with the death warrants early in September. His 2,000 mile journey involved many modes of travel, including ocean going steamers in the Alaskan service, dog sleds and canoes.

ENGLAND'S OLDEST MAN 106 YEARS

Average Span of Life is Increasing in the British Isles.

London, Jan. 23.—The beginning of the New Year brought into prominence remarkable instances of longevity in the British Isles.

They have demonstrated that a "ripe old age" is becoming more the rule than the exception, and that the average span of life is increasing. Even more remarkable is the fact that in most cases the health and lives of these grand old men and women of England during their latter years are evidence of the beauty and quiet joy of great age in the social conditions of the year 1923.

The honor of being the oldest living Englishman is claimed on behalf of William Mugford, a retired farmer, living in the village of Gollant, in the Truro district, who recently celebrated his 106th birthday. Mr. Mugford had many visitors, and showers of telegrams and letters wishing him many happy returns of the day, and merry peals were rung on the church bells.

Mrs. Rachel Allison of Chester, another fine centenarian, celebrated her 102nd Christmas by enjoying a Christmas dinner of turkey and plum pudding. She, too, is in wonderful health.

George Dash of Carlisle, the oldest resident of the Isle of Wight, and Mrs. Barbara Peace of Chester both lived through Christmas, but died at the week-end. They were 99 and 100 respectively.

Mrs. Rachel Betty of Noble street, Bolton, the oldest cotton operative in England, had retired at the age of 88. Unfortunately, in this case, the veteran toiler has no relatives on whose care she can fall back.

Christmas diamonds and golden weddings were celebrated all over the country. The family of the late William United of Hastings boasts four couples, all of whom have celebrated their golden weddings.

Two centenarians at Romford Infirmary—Granny Chandler and Sophia Mitchell—entertained their fellow inmates with a concert a few nights ago.

While touring the wards the visiting committee found Sophia Mitchell, who is 108, rehearsing to the delight of the other old dames—several of whom are over 90—the old song "Ben Bolt."

In the next ward Granny Chandler, who is also nearly 100, still reigns supreme. She has not sung lately, as she has not been well. Sophia still smokes her clay pipe, but Granny Chandler looks with disdain on such luxuries.

KING'S HEALTH BUDGET PASSED

Dr. Anglin Addresses Municipal Council at Yesterday's Session.

The Board of Health estimates for 1924 for the County of Kings were passed by the Council Council yesterday at \$1,423 without much discussion as they were much less than the amounts asked for in previous years.

The report showed the health of the county to be particularly good and pointed out that \$2,250 had been saved annually to the county by the taking of school inspection out of the hands of the local boards.

Dr. Anglin Makes Address.

A feature of the meeting was an address from Dr. J. V. Anglin, of the Provincial Hospital, who dealt interestingly with the subject "Unnecessary Burden of the Insane in New Brunswick." Dr. Anglin followed closely the text of his address delivered some time ago before the New Brunswick Union of Municipalities. The subject matter was of such high order on that occasion that Warden Garham invited the doctor to talk along similar lines before the Kings County Council. Dr. Anglin was given a most attentive hearing and at the conclusion of his remarks was thanked by members of the council who had been made to receive a fund of information which would enable them to deal more intelligently with kindred subjects when they came before them.

BOARD OF HEALTH

The Board of Health report which was somewhat lengthy was read by Secretary of the Kings sub-board, E. A. Pearson. It showed that during the year there had been 407 births, 118 marriages, and 234 deaths. Various contagious diseases were reported from some of the parishes, but there were not any serious outbreaks, and on the whole the health of the community was particularly good.

Kings County Home.

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MUCH INTEREST IN NEW C. G. M. ROUTE

Arrival of Canadian Winner at Avonmouth Creates Stir in English Port.

The Canadian Government Merchant Marine, limited, is carrying out its announced policy of opening up and developing new trade routes. This service will also be a factor in the development of the prairie grain and British Columbia lumber industries, and it is the intention of the Canadian Government Merchant Marine, Limited, to keep on this route four of their \$400,000 oil-burning steamers to operate a monthly service.

While Avonmouth will be the principal port of discharge, the steamers will make another port of call in the English Channel with decksloads of lumber, thus catering further to the British Columbia lumber mills.

This service also provides extra tonnage for the export of Canadian products to the markets of Great Britain and doubtless much butter and dairy products from the prairie and British Columbia oil-burning steamers to the port of Vancouver in conjunction with this direct service.

ENGLAND'S OLDEST MAN 106 YEARS

London, Jan. 23.—The beginning of the New Year brought into prominence remarkable instances of longevity in the British Isles.

They have demonstrated that a "ripe old age" is becoming more the rule than the exception, and that the average span of life is increasing. Even more remarkable is the fact that in most cases the health and lives of these grand old men and women of England during their latter years are evidence of the beauty and quiet joy of great age in the social conditions of the year 1923.

The honor of being the oldest living Englishman is claimed on behalf of William Mugford, a retired farmer, living in the village of Gollant, in the Truro district, who recently celebrated his 106th birthday. Mr. Mugford had many visitors, and showers of telegrams and letters wishing him many happy returns of the day, and merry peals were rung on the church bells.

Mrs. Rachel Allison of Chester, another fine centenarian, celebrated her 102nd Christmas by enjoying a Christmas dinner of turkey and plum pudding. She, too, is in wonderful health.

George Dash of Carlisle, the oldest resident of the Isle of Wight, and Mrs. Barbara Peace of Chester both lived through Christmas, but died at the week-end. They were 99 and 100 respectively.

Mrs. Rachel Betty of Noble street, Bolton, the oldest cotton operative in England, had retired at the age of 88. Unfortunately, in this case, the veteran toiler has no relatives on whose care she can fall back.

Christmas diamonds and golden weddings were celebrated all over the country. The family of the late William United of Hastings boasts four couples, all of whom have celebrated their golden weddings.

Two centenarians at Romford Infirmary—Granny Chandler and Sophia Mitchell—entertained their fellow inmates with a concert a few nights ago.

While touring the wards the visiting committee found Sophia Mitchell, who is 108, rehearsing to the delight of the other old dames—several of whom are over 90—the old song "Ben Bolt."

In the next ward Granny Chandler, who is also nearly 100, still reigns supreme. She has not sung lately, as she has not been well. Sophia still smokes her clay pipe, but Granny Chandler looks with disdain on such luxuries.

KING'S HEALTH BUDGET PASSED

The Board of Health estimates for 1924 for the County of Kings were passed by the Council Council yesterday at \$1,423 without much discussion as they were much less than the amounts asked for in previous years.

The report showed the health of the county to be particularly good and pointed out that \$2,250 had been saved annually to the county by the taking of school inspection out of the hands of the local boards.

Dr. Anglin Makes Address.

A feature of the meeting was an address from Dr. J. V. Anglin, of the Provincial Hospital, who dealt interestingly with the subject "Unnecessary Burden of the Insane in New Brunswick." Dr. Anglin followed closely the text of his address delivered some time ago before the New Brunswick Union of Municipalities. The subject matter was of such high order on that occasion that Warden Garham invited the doctor to talk along similar lines before the Kings County Council. Dr. Anglin was given a most attentive hearing and at the conclusion of his remarks was thanked by members of the council who had been made to receive a fund of information which would enable them to deal more intelligently with kindred subjects when they came before them.

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GOT 'EM!

Indian Princess Uses Radio To Foil Robbers

Memphis, Tenn., It's a far fling from up-land to use the white man's radio a twentieth century crook-catching device.

But Mrs. J. W. Buchan, Cherokee princess here, minded not the primitive heredity of a long strain of prairie-wandering ancestors when she "turned in" with police and caused the arrest of a desperate band of potential bank robbers here.

Her S. O. S. on the wings of wireless came as the aftermath of cautious strategy, indigenous to her race.

For many hours the little red woman hung patiently to the edge of a slippery roof listening to her "roomers" below plan a local climax to their long series of overheard crimes.

Murder and plunder was to have been included in the Memphis sortle of the band. And long they talked over plans for execution of their nefarious work.

With an improvised radio set hooked in with the telephone wires leading to the desperado's room the Cherokee princess got every word that was said.

Then she flashed her warning.

Police rushed up and grabbed the gang.

Mrs. Buchan assisted them by covering the leader with a shotgun until manacles could be put on his wrists.

She was very happy when it was all over, and smilingly received the plaudits given by authorities for such display of courage and wit.



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HELPED TO BREAK MERCHANTS' BANK

Montreal, Jan. 22.—That it may be necessary to send a rogatory commission to Vancouver, to take evidence from Hugh Davidson to be used here in the trial of Colin O. Cameron, charged with stealing \$300,000 from the defunct stock broking firm of Thornton Davidson and Co., was intimated here this afternoon by the defending counsel.

Proceedings were largely taken up by the cross-examination of L. A. Wyse, former partner in the firm. Mr. Wyse said he had "physically" authorized a number of checks, through which Cameron is alleged to have profited illegally by signing them. He declared he had been adverse to the prosecution of Cameron, and admitted that the Merchants' Bank had exercised a certain control over the firm of Thornton Davidson and Company. The firm was a large factor in the collapse of the Merchants' Bank, having owed the bank \$3,000,000. This amount was specified in the evidence of George C. Macdonald, auditor, who prepared a report on the firm's condition, who followed Mr. Wyse in the witness stand.

HERE ON INSPECTION.

W. N. Rippey, superintendent of the Canadian National Railways, eastern division, was in the city yesterday on one of his numerous inspection trips. Following an all-afternoon conference with L. B. Ross, inspector of terminals, and various other officials, he returned to Moncton last evening.

Hold On



Mrs. Dessie Parker Bruggeman is the only woman chairman of an independent federal commission in the United States today. She heads the U. S. Employees' Compensation Commission under an appointment made by the late President Harding.

FINE'S SHOE STORE

233 UNION STREET

OFFERING A TREASURE CHEST OF SAVINGS

SALE STARTS THURS. JAN. 24

A ONCE A YEAR EVENT

That is Always Attended by Throngs of Eager Shoppers

If you could only realize the vast amount of money you could save now by attending this sale we know you would be eager to get here and share in the unusual economy. It is a time when worthwhile merchandise can be secured at extremely low prices and these liberal reductions apply to our regular lines and in no way reflect stinted quality. Spring goods will soon be piling in on us and in order to clear our shelves of winter goods we planned this stroke of selling, so we suggest that you set your alarm clock an hour ahead to be on hand when the doors open Thursday, Jan. 24

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ALL OUR WINTER GOODS GO OUT ON THE BARGAIN TABLES AT QUICK ACTION PRICES

<p>Women's Pat. One Strap Black Suede trim and Patent Ox-fords; Cuban heels, medium toe; all sizes. Were \$3.95 \$6.50. Clearance Price</p>	<p>Boys' Boots in Brown Calf, full fitting last; sizes 1 to 5 1/2; regular values \$3.85 to \$2.95 \$4.50. Clearance Price</p>	<p>Girls' Boots—Solid leather, good full fitting last; sizes 11 to 2. Were \$3.50 \$2.45. Clearance Price</p>	<p>Men's Dress Shoes—Fine quality, Brown or Black Calf, medium toe. "Goodyear welt." Were \$6.95. \$4.95. Clearance Price</p>
<p>This Is But One of the Countless Economies Awaiting You Here</p> <p>Women's Evening Slippers—Up-to-the-minute styles, made of high grade Satin, Patent and Suede Leather. All sizes. We've grouped all our \$6.00 and \$7.50 grades and marked \$4.45. 43 pairs Evening Slippers—Were \$9.00 pair. \$5.95. Clearance Price</p>		<p>We Predict Speedy Selling When Men See These Values</p> <p>The "Astoria Shoe" for Men; known from Atlantic to Pacific as the highest grade of Footwear. Made in Canada. We've placed on our bargain racks just 100 pairs of these good shoes that we have sold at \$9.00 to \$12.50. \$6.95. Clearance Price</p>	
<p>Women's Oxfords and Strap Pumps, 140 pairs in these lots. Brown and black calf, patent and kid. Were \$3.95 and \$4.85. \$1.85. Clearance Price</p>	<p>Women's Hose, Silk, Wool and Silk and All Wool. Variety of colors. Were \$1.25 to \$1.75. 85c. Clearance Price</p>	<p>Men's Boots and Oxfords; 200 pairs of Black and Brown leathers for dress or work boots. Were \$4.85 to \$7.50. \$2.95. Clearance Price</p>	
<p>Women's Gun Metal One Strap, Cuban heels, and "Goodyear welts." All sizes and widths. Were \$6.50. \$4.65. Clearance Price</p>	<p>Lovers of Economy should see this Unusual Offering of Shoes at the Lowest Reduction of the Year.</p> <p>Hockey and Skating Boots—Men's and Women's Skating Boots \$3.95 in all sizes. Were \$5.75. Clearance Price \$2.95</p> <p>Boys' and Girls' Skating Boots in all sizes. Were \$3.95. \$2.95. Clearance Price</p>		
<p>Women's Gray Suede Oxfords and Bombay Suede One Strap Shoes, "Goodyear welts." Were \$6.50 and \$7.50. \$4.85. Clearance Price</p>	<p>These are Shoes that will Interest Women who had Planned to Pay Ever and Ever so much more.</p> <p>60 pairs of Stylish Oxford Shoes for stout ankles; extra wide fitting Cuban heels, medium toes. Black or tan calf and Vici kid. \$3.85. Were \$5.50. Clearance Price</p>		
<p>Women's Felt and Kid Slippers. All the wanted colors. Were \$1.50 to \$1.85. 95c. Clearance Price</p>	<p>To Save as much as \$2.00 on the Gaiters you want is something Few People will Overlook.</p> <p>Women's Gaiters, made of a high grade English Broadcloth. Brown and Fawn shades. Regular \$3.50 to \$4.50 value. \$2.50. Clearance Price</p>		
		<p>Women's French Heel Rubbers. Were \$1.00 Pair. 19c. Clearance Price</p>	<p>Infants' Shoes, Brown Kid lace; size 4 to 6. Were \$1.50. 95c. Clearance Price</p>
		<p>Doctor Special Boots for Men, Tan or Black Calf, leather lined, waterproof. \$6.95. Clearance Price</p>	

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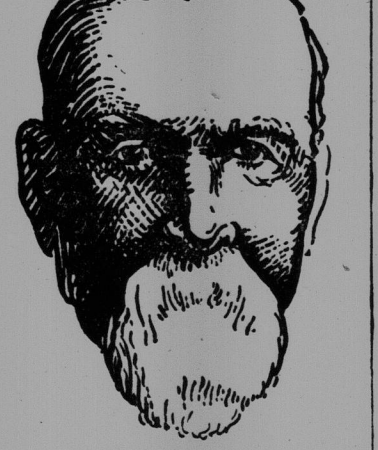
AWAIT SOLICITOR'S VIEW ON VALIDITY OF HAVING PLEBISCITE ON COURT HOUSE

Two Employees, Long in City Service, to be Retired on Half Pay

The question of whether a plebiscite should be held at the coming civic election to decide whether to repair the old court house or to construct a new municipal building was discussed at the City Council yesterday afternoon but action was deferred until the opinion of the city solicitor had been secured on the legality of such a vote on the civic ballot. The report of the citizens' committee on port development and administration was referred to the committee of the whole.

Advancing Years Need Stomach Help

If Inclined to Sour Stomach, Heartburn, Gasiness, Stomach's Dyspepsia Tablets Sweeten and Bring Quick Relief



Our digestive system, with a little help, will pick out of a diversified diet what the body needs to sustain health. It is the sour stomach, gasiness and acid condition that starts trouble all along the line, particularly with people getting on in years. If they will use Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets after eating, the stomach will sweeten; eggs, milk, cheese and meat will be digested, gas will not collect and the system will thus get nourishment and strength unhindered by indigestion and harmful fermentation. Get a 60-cent box of these wonderful tablets and learn what it means to enjoy meals without consequent indigestion.

HEARTBURN GONE, DREGO DID IT

C. P. R. Employee at St. John, N. B., Has Found Relief in This Wonderful Root, Herb and Leaf Remedy—Indigestion and Attending Ills Disappear.

"I have used only one bottle of Drego and have found great relief from my stomach trouble and indigestion," is the comment of Mr. Fred McLeod, a St. John by trucker, who resides at 103 Charlotte Street, St. John, N. B. "I had heartburn terribly, but now I am better and I am no longer constipated. I am feeling fine since I began to take Drego. I can strongly recommend it anybody."

SHOEMEN OBJECT TO COMPETITION

Montreal, Jan. 22—The National shoe retailers, who met here today, passed a resolution, yesterday, regarding the practice of manufacturers and wholesalers operating or controlling retail shoe stores.

CHURCH LOST N HOME BANK CRASH

Bishop Fallon Explains How He Lost Money in Few Minutes

Toronto, Jan. 22—On Aug. 17 last the Roman Catholic Episcopal Corporation of the diocese of London, Ont., owed the Home Bank \$49,000 and had on deposit in various branches of the Home Bank some \$37,000. On that day Bishop Fallon deposited a check for \$22,070 with the Home Bank for the purpose of reducing the indebtedness. Had the bank continued in business it would have meant that the deposits against the indebtedness, the corporation would have a credit balance of some \$20,000. But with the suspension of the bank on the very day that the deposit was made it means that the corporation may realize only a fraction of the sum.

BOARD OF MISSIONS DEFICIT IS REDUCED

Standing Committees of Anglican Synod in Session Here

A reduction of about \$2,000 in the deficit of the Board of Missions of the Fredericton Diocese Synod was shown in the report of J. H. A. L. Fairweather, treasurer, presented at the meeting of the board last night. There still remained a deficit of between \$2,000 and \$3,000, but the reduction was felt to be a matter for congratulation. The Board of Missions met in the evening and further consideration. A sub-committee of the synod which met with the Rev. J. V. Young, president, and the Rev. J. H. A. L. Fairweather, treasurer, in session at the Church of England last night. His Lordship Bishop Forster was present and occupied the chair at the majority of the meetings.

Constipation Banned

A druggist says: "For nearly thirty years I have recommended the Extract of Roots, known as Mather's Siga's Curative Syrup, for treating and permanently relieving constipation and indigestion. It is an old reliable remedy, and never fails to do the work. 30 drops three daily. Get the Gemint at your druggist."

TONGUE COATED BAD TASTE IN MOUTH EYES TINGED WITH YELLOW

Mrs. A. C. Brown, Ormiston, Ont., writes: "I have been troubled with my liver for a few years back, and so bad I did not feel able to do my work. I had severe pains in my stomach, so bad I could hardly stand them at times; coated tongue; bad taste in the mouth, especially in the morning; whites of eyes tinged with yellow, and had a muddy and sallow complexion. I had read a great deal about Milburn's Laxa-Liver Pills and decided I would try a trial, and after taking two or three I found I was greatly improved, and can truthfully say that I feel more like living and can now do my own work without any trouble."

MATHIEU'S SYRUP of Fraz Cod Liver Extract STOPS COUGHS

Woman Choked By Gas On Stomach

"I have been to many doctors and also to a specialist who took X-rays, none could tell what caused my stomach trouble. I was bothered with gas so much I thought I would choke. I was nervous, by heart acted bad and was dizzy. Adierka (intestinal antiseptic) has done wonders for me. It gives me heart acts better and no more dizzy spells. I am very thankful." (Signed) Mrs. J. A. Deravia.

OFFICERS INSTALLED IN COURT A TOUR

Past High Chief Ranger Conducts Foresters' Ceremony

Court La Tour, No. 125 of the Independent Order of Foresters, elected and installed its officers last evening, with M. E. Grass, past high chief ranger in the chair. He addressed the members in the chair, and declared that a wide impression prevailed in the west that the failure of the branch line bill to become law last summer was due to eastern Canada influence.

EASTERN CANADA HELD RESPONSIBLE

Montreal, Jan. 22—Addressing the Rotary Club here today, Hon. W. R. Motherwell, Minister of Agriculture, portrayed western Canada's need of railway branch lines, and declared that a wide impression prevailed in the west that the failure of the branch line bill to become law last summer was due to eastern Canada influence.

HOME BANK TO GO TO GOVERNMENT?

Toronto, Jan. 22—Representatives of the depositors of the Home Bank of Canada will meet the Dominion Government to-day to discuss the proposed sale of the bank and the depositors' 100 cents on the dollar and relieve shareholders of liability.

MAY BE OLDEST PENSIONER

That his grandfather, John Sloan of Gateside, England, is the oldest pensioner on the list of the United States Army is the belief of Police Officer Robert Storey, who has just received word from Washington that they have a John Sloan on the pension list who served in the Mexican war of 1846-48.

WOMAN DEAD IN A \$500,000 BLAZE

Lyndonville, Vt., Jan. 22—One woman was killed and several persons were injured in a fire which virtually wiped out the business section of this village early today. An estimated loss is estimated at about \$500,000.

BOTH LANGUAGES ARE NECESSARY

Ottawa, Jan. 22—Knowledge of both English and French languages will be one of the necessary qualifications for any Canadian representative at European international conferences in the future, Hon. George P. Graham, Minister of Railways and Canals, told the House of Commons today.

ARE WOMEN OVERWORKED?

Yes, hundreds of thousands of them. This applies to the housewife and mother who struggles to get the children ready for school, to the woman who washes, irons, cooks, mends and mends for a large family, to the woman who works in a factory, in a store, or in an office, but often have no time for rest or recreation.

CHILDREN OF MARY ELECT

There was a good attendance of the members of the Children of Mary, when they met at an adjourned meeting last evening to elect officers for the ensuing year. Rev. William M. Duke, P.P., of the Cathedral, was present. Miss Mary O'Brien, president of the society, was re-elected and the other officers were chosen as follows: Recording secretary, Miss Josephine Dolan; treasurer, Miss Josephine Dolan; secretary, Miss Grace Holman; instructress of novices, Miss Mabel Kelly. The additional members of the executive are as follows: Miss Ella Lee, Miss Ethel Callahan, Miss E. Carey, Miss L. Gillis, Miss T. Foley and Miss Mary Callahan.

STEEL PLANT LAYS OFF THOUSAND MEN

Sydney, N. S., Jan. 22—As a result of the uncertainty of the coal supply at the steel plant following the tie-up at the colliers, the steel company has been compelled to lay off 7 blast furnaces, and shut down the blooming mill, the rod, nail, and wire mills, although a little finishing has to be done near the latter mill.

DISAPPROVES OF PULP COMMISSION

Montreal, Jan. 22—Disapproval of the actions of the Royal Pulpwood Commission was expressed at the session of the Canadian Forestry Engineers' annual meeting here today in an address by Elwood Wilson.

TRIAL FOR MURDER SEQUEL TO DANCE

St. John's, Nfld., Jan. 22—Anthony Hawco, Harbor Main, faced a jury today in the Supreme Court on trial for the murder of Michael Fower, Clagell's Cove, on Sept. 2 of last year. Fower and Hawco were said to have been in a mix-up at a dance following a garden party.

STOP THAT COLD in a few hours with DOMINION CBO TABLETS

TRANSFERRED TO BROCKVILLE Rev. E. A. Howard, C. S. S. R., son of Mr. and Mrs. David Howard, Main street, who had been stationed at Quebec since August, 1923, has been transferred to St. Mary's College, Brockville, Ont., where he will be on the teaching staff.

Wonderful For Indigestion

When your stomach feels bad; when Gas, Sourness, Nausea or after-eating pains make you feel miserable—a single dose of pure Blurred Magnesia will give you instant relief!

Makes a Family Supply of Cough Remedy

Really better than ready-made cough syrups and saves about \$2.00 a year. It is a simple home-made cough syrup, which is easily prepared in a few minutes.

BARNJUM MAKES A NOVEL OFFER

Montreal, Jan. 22—Concluding an address before the Canadian Society of Foresters Engineers here tonight in which he reiterated his long continued advocacy of an embargo on Canadian pulpwood export, F. J. D. Barnjum, Canadian lumberman, gave the following "definite and serious" pledges:

7 SUTHERLAND SISTERS SCALP CLEANER (SHAMPOO)

As your druggist. LADIES—it keeps the hair soft and clean.

DON'T TRY THE DO THIS WATCH THIS TEST

Can You Hear? Place watch to ear then draw away. Does a ringing in your ears persist? This is a sure sign of LEONARD EAR OIL.

STOMACH "QUEER" GAS, INDIGESTION

Chew a few Pleasant Tablets, Instant Stomach Relief!

Pape's DIAPEPIN FOR INDIGESTION

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS

MARK H. JACKSON No. 155-K Durston Bldg., Syracuse, N. Y.

RHEUMATISM

A Remarkable Home Treatment Given by One Who Had it.

In the year of 1893 I was attacked by Muscular and Sub-acute Rheumatism.

I suffered as only those who are thus afflicted know, for over three years. I tried remedy after remedy, but such relief as I obtained was only temporary. Finally, I found a treatment that cured me completely, and such a pitiful condition has never returned. I have given it to a number who were terribly afflicted, even bedridden, some of them seventy to eighty years old, and the results were the same as in my own case.

I want every sufferer from any form of muscular and sub-acute (swelling at the joints) rheumatism, to try the great value of my improved "Home Treatment" for its remarkable healing power.

Don't send a cent; simply mail your name and address and I will send it free to try. After you have used it and it has proven itself to be that long-looked-for means of getting rid of such forms of rheumatism, you may send the price of it, one dollar, but understand, I do not want your money unless you are perfectly satisfied to send it. Isn't that fair?

Why suffer any longer when relief is thus offered you free? Don't delay. Write today.

Mr. Jackson is responsible. Above statement true.

TIMES-STAR CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

The Average Daily Net Paid Circulation of The Times-Star for the 12 Months Ended September 30th, 1923, Was 15,489

Want ads on these pages will be read by more people than in any other evening paper in Eastern Canada.

Two Cents a Word Each Insertion Cash in Advance. No Discount. Minimum Charge 25 Cents. Situations Wanted, One Cent a Word, Minimum Charge 15 Cents.

FOR SALE

Own Your Home
It means an end of the uncertainty, inconvenience and discouraging extravagance of living in rented apartments.

FOR SALE

Always a few good used cars which we sell at what they cost us after thorough overhauling. Payment, one-third cash, balance spread over twelve months.

LOOKING FOR WORK?

For those seeking employment, this newspaper offers a special price of one-half the regular classified rate. One cent a word per insertion will be charged for all such advertisements with a minimum of 15 cents.

TO LET

FLATS TO LET.
To LET—Unfurnished flat, six rooms and bath; furnace; immediate possession or May 1st.—432—1-25

WANTED

WANTED—Dishwashers. Apply Venue Cafe, 87 Charlotte St. (formerly Passadas Grill). 538—1-25

SHOPS YOU OUGHT TO KNOW

Designed to Place Before Our Readers the Merchandise, Craftmanship and Service Offered by Shops and Specialty Stores.

COAL AND WOOD

COAL
SOFT, AMERICAN HARD, SCOTCH, BESCO COKE, DRY HARD AND SOFT WOOD.

Store Fixtures For Sale

As we are making improvements in our King street store we have for sale 200 Quatered Oak Drawers.

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HOSPITALS SHUN SEIZED WHISKEY

Liquor Found to be Dangerous, Say New York Officials.

New York, Jan. 22.—The quality of bootleg liquor seized by the police is as bad as that taken by Federal agents and described by United States Attorney Colonel William Hayward as so dangerous that he no longer risks furnishing it to about thirty hospitals in New York City for medicinal purposes. Colonel Hayward's statement among other things disclosed that ships in the liquor fleet were nothing more than "floating chemical laboratories" for "cutting" or diluting, coloring, flavoring and otherwise faking genuine liquor.

Colonel Hayward's disclosures were corroborated by hospitals and city authorities who are familiar with the analyses of bootleg seizures. Those questioned said it was true that the liquor seized by the police no longer included genuine whiskey which could be used for medicinal purposes by any of the hospitals under municipal control.

Because there is no good liquor among the bootleg seizures, the city is compelled to seek elsewhere for medicinal whiskey for hospitals. Bids are solicited for and purchases are made from licensed dealers.

In the meantime the police continue to make seizures, and the quantity of confiscated liquor in the hands of the department is so large at present that commissioner Earlight is in a quandary because storage facilities are inadequate. A large proportion of the bootleg liquor has spoiled or is spoiling. This condition is said to be true particularly with regard to red wines and beers of the home brew variety. The red wine turns to vinegar, and the beer grows stale.

The police are powerless to dump the stuff because it must not be disposed of until the courts have settled the cases involving the seizures. Commissioner Earlight has appealed to other departmental heads for storage space.

To relieve the situation a survey of all confiscated liquor in the hands of the police is now being made. If any genuine whiskey is found it will be used for medicinal purposes.

The whiskey bought now for medicinal purposes is obtained through the Department of Purchase, according to Dr. John O'Hanlon, Superintendent of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals. Dr. O'Hanlon said that these hospitals used approximately one barrel of whiskey a month, and that they usually had a supply to last for six months or a year.

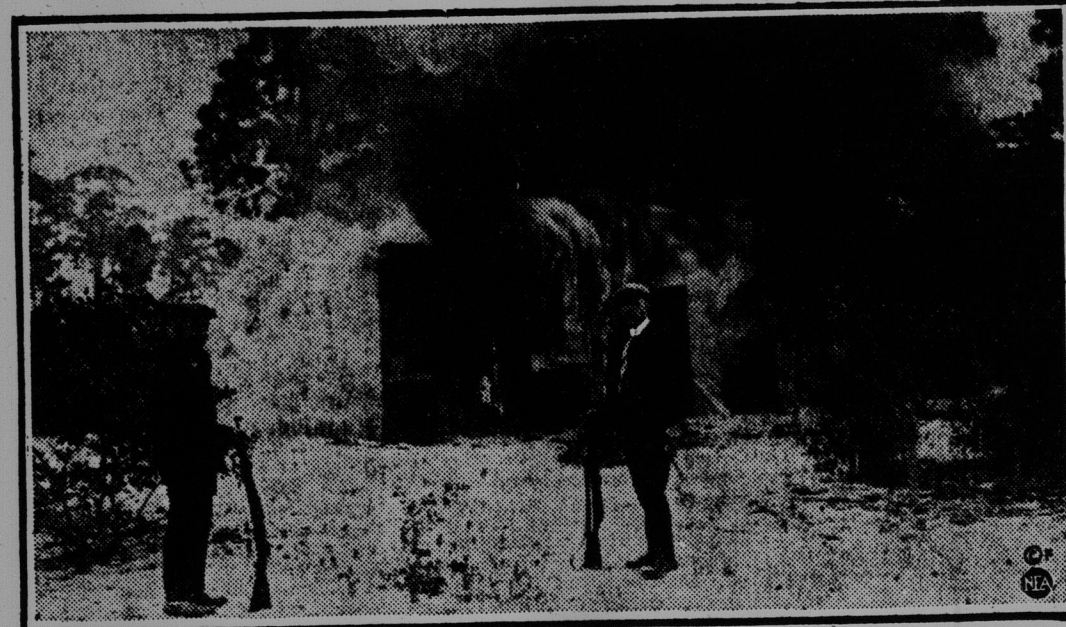
Commissioner Edward Buckley of the Department of Purchase said that his department bought approximately 20,000 gallons of alcohol and 7,500 gallons of whiskey annually for medicinal purposes for the city hospitals, and in addition a large quantity of wines and brandies for medicinal use.

"We buy it tax exempt," he said, "and through a licensed dealer. We pay about 61 cents a gallon for alcohol and \$6.44 a gallon for whiskey. Of course, we call for whiskey 100 proof. On the whiskey we have to pay the regular vendors' tax. We buy for Bellevue

Everglades Man-Hunt!



During an all-day gun-fight in the Everglades of Florida, Deputy Sheriff Fred Baker, leader of a posse, and John Ashley, leader of a bandit gang, were killed. Several others were wounded, and some members of the alleged gang captured. The Everglades bandits have terrorized citizens for years. Photo shows Sheriff Bob Baker, brother of the dead deputy, pointing to men of his posse the direction they should take.



While on the trail of the Florida Everglades bandits, a posse discovered a 50-gallon still which had been operated by the bandit gang that has terrorized citizens in that vicinity for years. Photo shows how the posse destroyed the still—by fire.

and Allied Hospitals, and the group including Gouverneur, Harlem, Fordham and Neponset Hospitals. We also buy for the hospitals in the Department of Public Welfare group, including the City Hospital, Metropolitan, Kings County, Bradford Street, Cooney Island, Cumberland Street, Greenpoint and Seaview Hospitals. The Health Department hospitals also are supplied by us, and that group of hospitals includes Willard Parker and North Brothers Island.

"Under the jurisdiction of the Department of Corrections there are additional small hospitals run in connection with the prisons, and all of them get their medicinal whiskey supply through the Department of Purchase."

"Samples of all whiskey, alcohol and wines we buy are sent for chemical analysis to the Central Testing Laboratory. Then it is turned over to the General Drug Supply, which distributes it to the hospitals according to

their requirements. We never buy any kind of liquor without testing it before it is sent to the city's hospitals."

Commissioner Buckley said that since he took charge of the Department of Purchase chemical analysis had shown that practically all whiskey seized by the police was of a poor grade and that a large part of it was home-made.

DUBLIN EXPECTS MANY VISITORS

Dublin, Jan. 22.—A large number of visitors, including many Americans, are expected in Dublin during the Tallinn games next August. The authorities are confronted with the problem of accommodations for the visitors and a committee now is making a study of the situation.

Since 1914 Dublin has lost 20 hotels and now has fewer good hotels than any city of its size in Europe.

ST. JOHN CASE IN DIVORCE COURT

Fredericton, Jan. 22.—Two cases were taken into consideration by Mr. Justice Crockett in the divorce court this afternoon after hearing the evidence. These were Gertrude Dunham vs. Murray Dunham, of St. John, and Etta Anderson vs. Sanford Anderson, in each case the plaintiff resides at Sunny Brae and the defendant in the United States.

At the opening session a divorce was granted in the case of Gogav vs. Gogav, in which the parties formerly resided at Moncton. The defendant afterwards lived at St. John, where she was alleged to be proprietress of a house which was raided by the police.

Miss Bertha von Suttner is the only woman who ever received the Nobel peace prize.

BURN OFF DOOR; GET RICH HAUL

Police Say Robbers Used Acetylene Torch to Cut Through Steel.

Irvington, N. J., Jan. 22.—Robbers burned off the hinges of a four-inch steel door and the combination and hinges of a steel safe in the offices of Alberts & Kantmann Co., Inc., manufacturing jewelers, at 648 Nye Avenue, and obtained unset diamonds, settings and rings valued at \$35,000.

Police said they believed the robbers used an acetylene torch. A diamond the pin found near the safe which is believed to have been worn by one of the robbers is the only clue discovered by police. Gordon Otto, a salesman for the company, was to have left this morning for California with the diamonds. They were packed in salesman's pouches last night and placed in the safe.

The robbers forced a door in the rear of the building on the first floor. Then they entered the offices of Fried & Mills, goldsmiths. Passing by several safes, they broke through a door to reach a hall. They went upstairs to the second floor and burned off the hinges of the steel door which barred the way to the room in which the safe with the diamonds was located.

The police stated they were working on the theory that the robbery was the work of persons familiar with the construction of the building and the location of the company's safes. They pointed out that several safes which contained gems and setting of little value were not molested.

The charred condition of a partition directly above the safe and water on the floor indicated that the robbers had started a fire in the room with their torch. Pails which contained water for emergency in case of fire had been emptied. All evidence con-

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WOMEN'S HOME

The W. C. T. U. at its meeting yesterday afternoon voted to send \$50 yearly to the Inter-provincial Home for Women at Moncton. Mrs. Hope Thomson, the president, was in the chair and led the opening devotions, speaking of God's knowledge of all thoughts and God's love for all His creatures. Mrs. Mary Seymour was the first to lead in prayer. The meeting voted to send money to the Armenian Relief Fund for which Mrs. M. F. Brown had appealed. It was decided to cancel the meeting of next week as the Social Service Council of Canada will be in session here.

ENGLISH MEZZOTINTS SOLD.

London, Jan. 22.—During a recent two-days sale of English mezzotints \$80,000 was realized. The event of the sale was the proof by James Ward of "Mrs. Michel Angelo Taylor as "Miranda" after Hopper, which brought \$7,350. A first state of "The Standard Bearer" after Giorgione, by Prince Rupert, the alleged inventor of mezzotints, sold for \$835.

LIGHTHOUSE MEN IN SESSION HERE

The Brotherhood of Lighthouse Keepers, held their annual meeting in the Victoria Hotel last week. In the absence of K. R. McLellan, president, J. D. Day, vice-president, occupied the chair. There was only a small number of members present at the meeting. Alonso Conolly, of Leonardville, Deer Island, was appointed secretary. It was decided to change the date of the annual meeting to the first Tuesday in October, the reason for the change being that it would afford a better opportunity for the members to get ashore during good weather.

Several lightkeepers who are isolated while on duty were unable to receive word of the time of meeting.

Considerable routine business was transacted during the session and it was decided to delegate Alonso Conolly, the secretary, to go to Ottawa next month to represent the Brotherhood at the annual convention, and to meet the Minister of Marine and Fisheries during that time.

The Brotherhood in this section of Canada is comprised of lighthousekeepers in Prince Edward Island, Nova Scotia and New Brunswick.

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No one realizes better than she the great importance of a clear, smooth, and supple skin, and in spite of the way she taxes it—loading it with heavy cosmetics, and keeping late and weary hours—her complexion is nearly always radiantly lovely.

That is because she takes care of it. She has learned the two essentials of skin care—the right kind of cleansing and unflinching protection. And thousands of other women, who realize the importance of a perfectly cared for

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Every night and always after exposure, the face and neck are cleansed with a liberal application of Pond's Cold Cream. The fine oil in it sinks deep into the pores and removes all the dirt, the powder, the excess oil of the skin. After it is wiped off the skin is not only deliciously clean but there's a youthful satiny quality, a charming suppleness to it.

After cleansing, before powdering, always it she is going out, the woman who cares about her skin, smooths in a little Pond's Vanishing Cream. This exquisite preparation will protect the most delicate skin against the drying and coarsening effects of exposure, keeping it soft, clear, and unlined. It gives, moreover, a special fineness of texture, a glowing pearly radiance to the skin. And it provides a perfect foundation for powder.

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- Fur Collar Coats, some with cuffs. **\$13.95, \$17.75, \$21.00, \$24.75, \$29.75**
- One Muskrat Coat \$175 value, for **\$100.00**

DRESSES

- Silk, Satin, Canton Crepe . . . **\$8.75**
- Cantons— **\$12.95, \$18.75 up**

FURS

- Sealine Stoles— **\$14.95**
- Fur Stoles— **\$3.95, \$6.95**

SKIRTS

- Pleated and plain— **\$1.50 to \$8.75**

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SPORT NEWS GLEANED FROM WORLD'S CENTRES

JOE PAGE IN THE LIME LIGHT; IS TERMED "A WIRE PROMOTER"

Magazine Writer Reviews Organization of Eastern Canada League.

In the January issue of the Baseball Magazine a lengthy article appears from the pen of John J. Ward which eulogizes Joe Page for his ability as a promoter and for the success that attended his efforts in organizing the Eastern Canada League.

By JOHN J. WARD.

The prospect in virgin territory is always an interesting character whether he is seeking for gold in deserts and inaccessible mountains, or hunting for rare orchids in the jungles of South America. There is always a spice of romance, a tang of adventure to his operations which fires the fancy.

Joe Page is just such a prospector. Everybody knows Joe Page. He lives at Montreal and anywhere else that he is giving fancy pitches to carry him. He has as many irons in the fire as fingers and toes. He scouts for Comiskey when not otherwise occupied. He represents the Spalding Sporting Goods house. He has an indeterminate connection with the Canadian Pacific Railway. He was responsible for the annual excursion of four picked baseball scrubs into the Canadian wilderness or as spectators of Canadian sports. Lastly, he is the organizer and president of the Eastern Canada League of professional baseball clubs.

And it is that particular phase of his manifold activities that we will here discuss. The Eastern Canada League was Joe's pet hobby. To a certain extent he planned it so that others had no chance. He chose Montreal, which once had a club in the International League. But he also explored virgin territory. He made ball clubs prosper where ball clubs were unknown before. As a pioneer in baseball promotion work the organized leagues should give Joe Page some prominent medals like the Iron Cross or the insignia of the Legion of Honor. Not that Joe is looking for such recognition. All he asks from anybody is an even break and he'll generally go a little more than his half of the league to make that break possible.

Joe had in mind a league of six clubs, but there seemed to be a great dearth of available territory. He couldn't create cities just to be desirable sites for a ball park, so he cut his garment to suit the cloth and launched a full fledged league of four clubs. These four clubs were Montreal, Quebec, Ottawa and Three Rivers.

There is probably no riskier or ambitious venture than launching a minor league. Baseball history is strewn with the wreckage of just such circuits. But Joe has an unflinching spring of optimism in his nature. Things that are difficult, if not impossible, for most men, are merely interesting to Joe Page.

Following the logic of the born promoter, Joe set about launching his new league. That was for the season of 1922. He went to his four selected cities, each in turn, and sought out the Chamber of Commerce, Board of Trade or any other social or business gathering which would bring him in touch with the leading men of the community. To them he represented his venture as a purely business proposition. Membership in a live baseball league would give their town \$50,000 worth of free advertising in a season. It would promote industry, turn the wheels of progress, add zest and pep to civic institutions. In short, it would put their town on the map.

Why the Mystery?

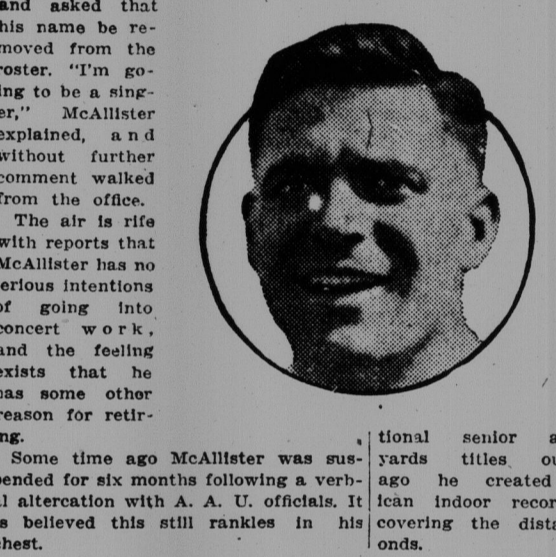
MORE BEHIND STAR SPRINTERS' THREAT TO QUIT THAN A CONCERT SINGER'S JOB

New York—Track and field enthusiasts are puzzled by the announcement that Bob McAllister, "The Flying Cop," is to quit the cinder path for a concert career.

A week or so ago McAllister appeared at local headquarters of the Amateur Athletic Union and asked that his name be removed from the roster. "I'm going to be a singer," McAllister explained, and without further comment walked from the office.

The air is rife with reports that McAllister has serious intentions of going into concert work, and the feeling exists that he has some other reason for retiring.

Some time ago McAllister was suspended for six months following a verbal altercation with A. A. officials. It is believed this still ranks in his chest.



McAllister, who has always thought pretty well of himself, may feel that he has slipped to such an extent that he can no longer hold his own with the stars of the sprinting world.

GAMES IN CITY BOWLING LEAGUES

Table with columns for League Name, Team Name, Score, and Date. Includes Y. M. C. I. House League and The City League.

Results of Last Evening's Candle Pin Matches on Local Alleys.

Table with columns for League Name, Team Name, Score, and Date. Includes Y. M. C. I. House League and The City League.

CLERICAL LEAGUE.

Table with columns for Team Name, Score, and Date. Includes St. John's and St. Stephen's.

G. W. V. A. HOUSE LEAGUE.

Table with columns for Team Name, Score, and Date. Includes St. John's and St. Stephen's.

C. P. R. LEAGUE.

Table with columns for Team Name, Score, and Date. Includes St. John's and St. Stephen's.

CHAMPION WILDE ENDS RING CAREER

English Flyweight Title Holder Says He Has Definitely Retired.

New York, Jan. 23.—Jimmy Wilde, English flyweight champion, has retired definitely from the ring and carries with him into his retirement the best wishes of many friends on both sides of the Atlantic.

Wilde's career in the ring was a sensational one. He won the world's flyweight championship in 1922, beat 15 of the country's greatest stars in both indoor and outdoor sprints, and won the national senior and junior 100-yard titles outdoors. A year ago he created a new record in an indoor race for 150 yards, covering the distance in 14.3 seconds.

WOULD SUPERVISE SALE OF TICKETS

Introduces Bill in Legislature to Put a Stop to Speculation.

Albany, Jan. 19.—Asserting that if speculation in tickets can be stopped, boxing may be saved in New York State, Assemblyman John P. Nugent, New York Democrat, has introduced in the Legislature a bill which he says will check this evil.

COMMERCIAL LEAGUE.

Table with columns for Team Name, Score, and Date. Includes St. John's and St. Stephen's.

THISTLES TO CURL AT ST. STEPHEN

Six rinks from the Thistle Curling Club will go to St. Stephen to play the local curlers on Thursday afternoon and evening.

THISTLES WIN MATCH

A match game was played last evening between the Thistle and Carleton Curling Clubs, six rinks competing. The Thistles won by a total of 91 to 81 points.

A KNOCK-OUT

Newark, N. J., 23.—Jack Zivic of Pittsburgh, knocked out Al Delmont of New York in the fourth round of a ten round bout here last night.

SAYS FIGHTER FAKED KNOCKOUT

Toronto, Jan. 23.—Lou Marsh, who refereed the fight Monday night between Jack Roddick, Winnipeg, and Homer Robinson, Pittsburgh, which Roddick won in the sixth round, has reported to James P. Fitzgerald, secretary of the Boxing Commission that a disqualified Robinson for faking a knockout.

SAYS KEITHS PAID \$250,000 TO STOP ALL COMPETITION

Lawyer Alleges Threat by Albie to Follow Competitors West.

New York, Jan. 22.—The Klav & Erlanger Exchange and the Shubert Club paid \$250,000 to cease booking vaudeville acts for ten years from February, 1908, to February, 1918, according to a deposition of Marc Klav, submitted in evidence at the trial of the \$325,000 damage suit brought by Max Hart against the D. F. Keith Vaudeville Exchange, the Orpheum Circuit and Excelsior Agency and others before Federal Judge A. N. Hand.

THUNDERBORG OF FINLAND

Davos, Switzerland, Jan. 23.—The international skating races opened here with the 500 and 5,000-meter speed contests. The 500-meter race was won by the European champion, Thunberg of Helsinki, Finland, in 43.4 seconds, which is two-fifths of a second slower than the world's record.

BOXED JOHNNY WILSON WHEN HE HELD THE MIDDLEWEIGHT TITLE.

When Jim Montgomery, Irish middle and light heavyweight champion of Ireland, passed through this city a few weeks ago enroute from England to New York a lengthy article appeared in The Times giving details of his record. The Irish champion had a large book of clippings from leading papers throughout the United States and it was from these that the information printed was selected.

WILLIE HOPPE BACK IN LEAD

Chicago, Jan. 23.—Willie Hoppe, defending his title as world's 182 lb. bantamweight champion, last night came from behind and led young Jake Schaefer, 1,000 to 1300 at the end of the second block of their 7 round match. The final block will be played tonight.

MARKS IS VICTOR

New York, Jan. 23.—George Marks won the decision over Buck Josephs in a ten round bout last night. Marks, who weighed 116 1/2 lbs, was matched with the Keith people in the West. They had two meetings in the woods, after which a conference was held in New York.

ARENA FRIDAY NIGHT (January 25th) Arena

Sussex vs. St. John Also GYROS vs. LAW STUDENTS Big Game Starts 8 p.m. sharp. HOLD THIS NIGHT OPEN 50 cent tickets on sale at deForest's Tobacco Store, Prince William street; Bailie's, King Street; Herman's, Charlotte street; Phonograph Salon, Limited, King Sq. Boxes 75 cents. Phone Arena 5067. TWELVE BANDS AT ARENA TONIGHT

GAME AT SUSSEX WAS A THRILLER

The St. John Team Lost, But Put up a Fast Exhibition.

Playing a superior brand of hockey to any displayed so far this year, the St. John hockey team both surprised and pleased Sussex last evening, although they were defeated by a score of 5 to 3. From the play-off until the termination of the third period the St. John boys fought hard and forced the fast Sussex sextette to extend themselves to win. The first period ended 0 to 2 in favor of the home team, and the second period 4 to 0. The last period was bitterly contested and while Sussex succeeded in securing another goal the St. John boys had the better of the play in the closing stages.

CLAIM GOAL WAS NOT REGISTERED

Frederick Team Refuse to Play Overtime at St. Stephen.

St. Stephen was awarded the game in the border town last evening when Frederick refused to continue play when ordered to do so to break an impasse. A dispute started over a goal in the second period, when Vanstone drew a fast one at the Frederick net and the puck went right through the twine. When the goal signaled that it was a counter the referee faced off the puck on the right wing instead of in centre. This resulted in a protest and at the end of the game the visiting team refused to continue.

ALL PITCHERS TO GO

Cleveland baseball club has ordered its recruit pitchers, as well as the veterans, to report to Hot Springs for early conditioning before going to the training camp at Lakeland, Fla. It is customary for some major league clubs to send their regulars to the Arkansas resort but this is said to be the first time that a club has ordered its entire starting staff to Hot Springs.

FULTON TO MEET GEDFREY

St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 23.—Fred Fulton, Minnesota heavyweight, has been signed to meet George Gedfrey, negro, at Philadelphia Feb. 4 in a ten round bout.

TOMORROW NIGHT AT ODDFELLOWS HALL

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By "BUD" FISHER

Why the Mystery?

MORE BEHIND STAR SPRINTERS' THREAT TO QUIT THAN A CONCERT SINGER'S JOB

New York—Track and field enthusiasts are puzzled by the announcement that Bob McAllister, "The Flying Cop," is to quit the cinder path for a concert career.

A week or so ago McAllister appeared at local headquarters of the Amateur Athletic Union and asked that his name be removed from the roster. "I'm going to be a singer," McAllister explained, and without further comment walked from the office.

The air is rife with reports that McAllister has serious intentions of going into concert work, and the feeling exists that he has some other reason for retiring.

Some time ago McAllister was suspended for six months following a verbal altercation with A. A. officials. It is believed this still ranks in his chest.

GAMES IN CITY BOWLING LEAGUES

Table with columns for League Name, Team Name, Score, and Date. Includes Y. M. C. I. House League and The City League.

Results of Last Evening's Candle Pin Matches on Local Alleys.

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CLERICAL LEAGUE.

Table with columns for Team Name, Score, and Date. Includes St. John's and St. Stephen's.

G. W. V. A. HOUSE LEAGUE.

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C. P. R. LEAGUE.

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CHAMPION WILDE ENDS RING CAREER

English Flyweight Title Holder Says He Has Definitely Retired.

New York, Jan. 23.—Jimmy Wilde, English flyweight champion, has retired definitely from the ring and carries with him into his retirement the best wishes of many friends on both sides of the Atlantic.

Wilde's career in the ring was a sensational one. He won the world's flyweight championship in 1922, beat 15 of the country's greatest stars in both indoor and outdoor sprints, and won the national senior and junior 100-yard titles outdoors. A year ago he created a new record in an indoor race for 150 yards, covering the distance in 14.3 seconds.

WOULD SUPERVISE SALE OF TICKETS

Introduces Bill in Legislature to Put a Stop to Speculation.

Albany, Jan. 19.—Asserting that if speculation in tickets can be stopped, boxing may be saved in New York State, Assemblyman John P. Nugent, New York Democrat, has introduced in the Legislature a bill which he says will check this evil.

COMMERCIAL LEAGUE.

Table with columns for Team Name, Score, and Date. Includes St. John's and St. Stephen's.

THISTLES TO CURL AT ST. STEPHEN

Six rinks from the Thistle Curling Club will go to St. Stephen to play the local curlers on Thursday afternoon and evening.

THISTLES WIN MATCH

A match game was played last evening between the Thistle and Carleton Curling Clubs, six rinks competing. The Thistles won by a total of 91 to 81 points.

A KNOCK-OUT

Newark, N. J., 23.—Jack Zivic of Pittsburgh, knocked out Al Delmont of New York in the fourth round of a ten round bout here last night.

SAYS FIGHTER FAKED KNOCKOUT

Toronto, Jan. 23.—Lou Marsh, who refereed the fight Monday night between Jack Roddick, Winnipeg, and Homer Robinson, Pittsburgh, which Roddick won in the sixth round, has reported to James P. Fitzgerald, secretary of the Boxing Commission that a disqualified Robinson for faking a knockout.

SAYS KEITHS PAID \$250,000 TO STOP ALL COMPETITION

Lawyer Alleges Threat by Albie to Follow Competitors West.

New York, Jan. 22.—The Klav & Erlanger Exchange and the Shubert Club paid \$250,000 to cease booking vaudeville acts for ten years from February, 1908, to February, 1918, according to a deposition of Marc Klav, submitted in evidence at the trial of the \$325,000 damage suit brought by Max Hart against the D. F. Keith Vaudeville Exchange, the Orpheum Circuit and Excelsior Agency and others before Federal Judge A. N. Hand.

THUNDERBORG OF FINLAND

Davos, Switzerland, Jan. 23.—The international skating races opened here with the 500 and 5,000-meter speed contests. The 500-meter race was won by the European champion, Thunberg of Helsinki, Finland, in 43.4 seconds, which is two-fifths of a second slower than the world's record.

BOXED JOHNNY WILSON WHEN HE HELD THE MIDDLEWEIGHT TITLE.

When Jim Montgomery, Irish middle and light heavyweight champion of Ireland, passed through this city a few weeks ago enroute from England to New York a lengthy article appeared in The Times giving details of his record. The Irish champion had a large book of clippings from leading papers throughout the United States and it was from these that the information printed was selected.

WILLIE HOPPE BACK IN LEAD

Chicago, Jan. 23.—Willie Hoppe, defending his title as world's 182 lb. bantamweight champion, last night came from behind and led young Jake Schaefer, 1,000 to 1300 at the end of the second block of their 7 round match. The final block will be played tonight.

MARKS IS VICTOR

New York, Jan. 23.—George Marks won the decision over Buck Josephs in a ten round bout last night. Marks, who weighed 116 1/2 lbs, was matched with the Keith people in the West. They had two meetings in the woods, after which a conference was held in New York.

ARENA FRIDAY NIGHT (January 25th) Arena

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News Notes Gathered From the World of Stage and Screen

PERFECT BODY WINS FOR GEORGE WALSH ENVIABLE "BEN HUR" ROLE

Life of Strict Self-Denial is Rewarded in Bestowal of the Part.

(By Jack Jungmeyer.) Hollywood—The lifelong physical training of George Walsh brings as one of its rewards the role of "Ben Hur" in the heroic spectacle soon to be started through the Goldwyn Pictures—one of the most coveted parts yet provided by the screen.

Is Chosen For Ben Hur Part



GEORGE WALSH

LAEMMLE HAS HAD METEORIC CAREER

Leader in Movie Industry Practically Penniless 40 Years Ago.

The remarkable success of some of the leaders in the motion picture industry is of much interest. Here is an account of Carl Laemmle's career.

AFGHAN HOUNDS WILL BE SHOWN

Will Exhibit Old Breed at Westminster Kennel Club Feb. 11.

New York, Jan. 23.—One of the oldest breeds of dogs will make its first appearance in an American bench show when the Westminster Kennel Club opens its forty-eighth annual exhibition on Feb. 11.

Canadian Girl Is One of 3 Stars On The London Stage

Andre Chazlot would probably never be spendthrift enough to present three such people as Beatrice Lillie, Gertrude Lawrence and Jack Buchanan in a single revue in any of the London theatres he controls and directs.

While each of his stars have been released sometimes by Mr. Chazlot for other productions, they have been so closely associated with him in London during the eight years of his producing activities that the professional history of Beatrice Lillie, Gertrude Lawrence and Jack Buchanan is practically the history of the Chazlot Revue.

TO HIS DESTINATION BY DEVIOUS ROUTE

Actor, Here Last Week, Uses Various Conveynances to Reach Worcester

The many friends among the theatre going public of the city, whom Tom Martelle, famous feminine impersonator, made during his portrayal of the leading role in "The Fashion Girl" here last week, will be pleased to learn that he has arrived at Worcester, Mass., where he has a week's engagement, without contracting a heavier cold, despite the fact that he had to take a long, tiresome and somewhat broken trip.

McCormick Aspires To Be Diplomat

Asheville, N. C., Jan. 22.—John McCormack, tenor, is considering entering diplomatic life after his career as a singer, he said at Grove Park Inn, where he is passing a week.

"I do not always desire to sing before the public," Mr. McCormack remarked. "Six years from now, on my forty-fifth birthday, I would not be averse to renouncing my present work for an appointment as ambassador to some European country, preferably Italy, as I speak Italian fluently, and my musical background fascinates me."

APPEAL PROBLEM IN PHOTO-PLAYS ALWAYS PRESENT

Producers Differ as to What Will Please the General Public.

Producers differ in their conceptions concerning what will appeal to the public. To have a line outside the box office is always a dream of every motion picture theatre owner, and there is no doubt but that these showmen study the desires of their patrons, the spectators differing according to the locality in which the theatre is situated.

SWIMMING STARS GOING TO FLORIDA

Aileen Riggan, Gertrude Ederle and Others Will Go South.

New York, Jan. 23.—Many of the best men and women swimmers of the country will take part in an outdoor six-day swimming and diving carnival to be held at Miami, Fla., early next month.

Queen Square—Today and Thursday

Behind the Scenes in Politics

Special presentation of "The Governors' Lady" by William Fox. A Harry Millarde production.

Advertisement for Queen Square theatre featuring "The Governors' Lady" and "Behind the Scenes in Politics".

Advertisement for Opera House featuring "Carroll Players" and "The Old Homestead".

Advertisement for Imperia theatre featuring "A Chapter in Her Life" and "The Old Homestead".

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"On Account" Baby Peggy Comedy

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Advertisement for Gaiety theatre featuring "You Can't Fool Your Wife" and "Uncle Sam".

Advertisement for Venetian Gardens theatre featuring "A Chapter in Her Life" and "The Old Homestead".

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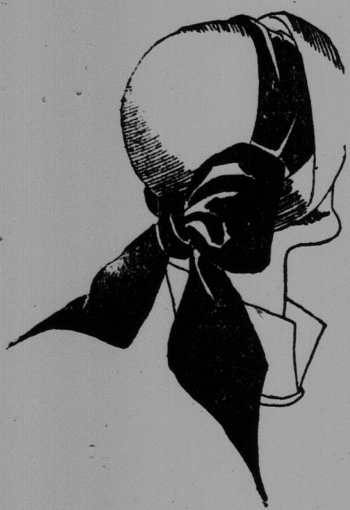
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MANY AT FUNERAL OF MARTIN DOLAN

Notable Tribute Paid to the Worth of Citizen Suddenly Stricken.

Marching in solemn procession in one of the largest morning funerals seen in the city in some time, and especially large for a morning marked by a heavy downfall of snow, hundreds of friends of Martin R. Dolan paid tribute to his memory today by attending the obsequies.

The funeral of the late Martin R. Dolan was held from his late residence, Haymarket square, to the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, where a high mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. E. Reynolds, with Rev. R. McCarthy, deacon; Rev. R. McDonald, sub-deacon; Rev. W. M. Duke, master of ceremonies, and Rev. J. B. Walker, Rev. J. Brown, Rev. F. F. Walker and Rev. P. Casgrain in the sanctuary.

The funeral of the late William Morrison, who died on the steamer Botford, was held this afternoon at the undertaking parlors of W. E. Brennan, West Side. Service was conducted by Rev. W. H. Sampson. Interment was in Fernhill.

CREWS DEMOLISH INSIDE OF HOTEL

Outside Work Likely Will Not Start for Two Weeks at Least.

In the concerted attack which crews employed by John Flood & Sons on the interior of the Dufferin Hotel yesterday, in the preliminary move to clear the site for the erection of the big new Admiral Beatty Hotel, satisfactory progress was made.

RELATIVES FROM ST. JOHN ATTEND HALIFAX WEDDING

Rev. Walter Dunlop, formerly curate of St. Paul church, Halifax, was in St. John, Toronto, was married at St. Anne's, Toronto, to Miss Ruth Glad of Halifax, by Rev. Archbishop Armitage, Murray Tretway of Toronto, was groomsmen.

SUIT OVER MOTOR CAR IS COMMENCED

In the Circuit Court chambers this morning before Chief Justice H. A. McKinnon, the case of the Nova Sales Company, Ltd., vs. Quigley was commenced. The amount in dispute \$8667.60 alleged due on the purchase price of a Chevrolet baby grand automobile, purchased from the plaintiff company in 1922.

WILL LECTURE HERE

At a meeting of the executive of the Canadian Club, last evening at the office of W. Grant Smith, with the vice president, W. J. S. Myles, in the chair, final arrangements were made for a lecture by Dr. Robert Norwood, of Philadelphia, which will be given next week.

ALMANAC FOR ST. JOHN, JAN 23.

High Tide... 6:24 High Tide... 12:40 Low Tide... 6:34 Low Tide... 12:50 Sun Rises... 7:58 Sun Sets... 5:18

LOCAL NEWS

TO SAIL ON FRIDAY The Canadian Pacific steamer Montaurier is due to sail from here on Friday.

BASKETBALL There will be two games of basketball at the Y. M. C. A. this evening in the city league. The first will be between the Harriers and Fairville and the second between the Intermediate Trojans and the Rothesay College boys.

NOT "MISS FREDERICKON" Miss Aureole Cormier of Fredericton was as the Arena last evening. She was mistaken for "Miss Frederickon" Miss Cormier, when asked at the Arena if she were the holder of the beauty title answered in the negative, but apparently did not convince the questioners.

ON CRUISE TO WEST INDIES Word was received at the local offices of the C. P. R. that the steamer Empress of Britain left Yonk yesterday at noon on a cruise around the West Indies. Amongst the passengers were Mrs. William Beer of Sackville, and Mrs. Laura Osman and Mr. and Mrs. Conrad J. Osman of Hillsboro.

IS PROGRESSING WELL. The progress made by Rev. Dr. David Hutcheon, who was recently operated on at the General Public Hospital, continues most satisfactory to his physician and Mrs. Hutcheon recovered as to be able to go out for short drives. High praise for the hospital is given by Rev. Dr. Hutcheon.

Y. P. A. ENTERTAINS. The St. Paul's Y. P. A. were hosts to the Y. P. A. of the Mission church on Monday evening and an enjoyable time was spent. The chair was occupied by Lester Rowley, president, and the address of the evening was given by Rev. Eldon Merritt, who gave an interesting account of his work among the Eskimo. Refreshments were served under the convenship of Mrs. J. D. Hunter.

LAST CAR CLUB. Eighteen members and two guests met at the home of Mrs. Britcher, 10 St. James street last evening. Mrs. E. J. Smith was the hostess of the evening. A most pleasant time was spent at progressive whist.

MRS. ELLA BOSSARDT. The death of Ella, wife of Fred A. Bossard, occurred at Beeklyn, N. Y., on January 18. She was formerly Miss Maguire, daughter of the late Nathaniel and Mary Maguire of Sea View. Besides her husband and one son she is survived by five sisters—Mrs. Robert Gillespie, of East Boston, and Mrs. Cordelia Gilman, Mrs. Andrew Wilson, Mrs. James Ewart and Miss Theresa Maguire, all of St. John, and three brothers—William, John and Robert. Burial took place from the home of her sister, Mrs. Gillespie, East Boston.

SEASON'S THEME OF DEBATE

The Wapomeo Taxis square of the Ludlow street Baptist church met last evening for the winter season. The chairman, Mr. Andrew Wilson, of St. John, and John Maguire, of Sea View, both took place from the podium.

NAVAL BURIAL HERE FIRST IN 50 YEARS

The first naval funeral in some fifty years took place this afternoon, when Stoker Henry J. Fairweather of the Royal Navy, who died on his way to England from the West Indies, was laid to rest in the Soldiers' and Sailors' Plot in Fernhill, with naval honors.

Stoker Laid at Rest in Fernhill—Firing Party and Last Post.

The funeral party was supplied by the local company of the Royal Canadian Naval Volunteer Reserve, under Lieut. H. A. Morrison, R. C. N. V. R., as representatives of the Royal Navy. As the flag-draped casket was borne from P. J. Fitzpatrick's undertaking rooms by the pallbearers under Chief Engine Room Artificer Bell, the firing party, under Chief Petty Officer Instructor Thompson, and the mourners, under Motor Mechanic Sowers, came off at slow march, the firing party, with reversed rifles, leading, then the body with the pallbearers abreast, followed by the mourners and the officers.

At the cemetery the firing party formed a lane, resting on their arms with bowed heads as the cortege passed through. Then came the final marks of respect; the three volleys fired by the firing party, after the first and second volleys the bugler sounded the "Commodore's Salute" and after the third the "Last Post." The firing party then fixed bayonets, the last salute was given, and the funeral party returned to the Armoury at the quick march.

CUTTING ICE, BUT ONLY FOOT THICK

Mild Weather Makes Double Work in Harvesting Crop for Summer.

On account of the comparatively mild weather that has prevailed, the harvesting of the ice crop in this locality this year will entail practically double the work of ordinary years, according to E. P. Scully, of the Union Ice Co., in conversation with a Times reporter this morning. Although crews have been engaged in cutting on both Lily and Spruce Lakes for the last week, the average thickness of the ice has been around 12 inches, as against the ordinary thickness of 24 to 30 inches. Accordingly, this means a greater area to be cut in order to get the usual harvest, and consequently an increase in the labor of handling. On account of the lateness in the arrival of the cut, existing stocks of ice were also depleted to a greater extent than formerly, thereby necessitating a greater cut to bring the storage quantities up to normal.

Girl Gets One Prize; Other Goes to a Boy

The Imperial started quite an agitation amongst the school children last evening when the two evening papers were used to ask some historical questions. The Times had a picture of the burning of Moscow with the question "What? When? Why?" and the Globe displayed a floating Union Jack with the word "Waterloo" beneath it and the question "What Happened?"

Obviously the school children caught the idea immediately for as early as 5 o'clock a lad rushed to the Imperial with a neatly penned answer to the Moscow question. Then the procession of answers began. Up to supper hour well onto closing time the Russian rather than the French winter there, set the city on fire and Napoleon without food or shelter had to retreat.

The question asked in the Times was best answered by Frances Kennedy of Richmond street as follows: "This picture represents the burning of Moscow which took place in 1812 when Napoleon with an army of half a million went to Russia with the intention of conquering that country. The Russian winter rather than the French winter there, set the city on fire and Napoleon without food or shelter had to retreat."

CONCERT GIVEN BY SUNSHINE CIRCLE

An excellent concert programme was given last night by the Sunshine Circle of the Carmarthen street Methodist church, aid of church and missionary funds. The proceeds will be divided equally between the two funds. The programme was as follows: Solo, E. Clyde Parsons; reading, Miss Hazel Byles; vocal solo, Miss Frances Wilber. The Sunday school room was filled by the large audience and the hearty applause evidenced the appreciation of those present.

PROPERTY CASES UP NEXT WEEK

The injunction order in the case of Watson vs. Garson returnable before Chief Justice Sir Douglas Hazen today has been set aside to be returnable on Monday, Jan. 28, at 10.30. The injunction restrains the defendant, Harry Garson, from selling the property of the plaintiff, Mrs. Bertha Watson, in Douglas avenue.

Another case arising out of the first in which the same parties are interested also has been deferred until Jan. 28 owing to the absence of Hon. Dr. J. B. Baxter from the city. This is a case of alleged non-performance of an agreement to effect considerable repairs on the property which Mrs. Watson purchased. Francis Kerr is acting for Mrs. Watson in these cases.

As Hiram Sees It

"Well, sir," said Mr. Hiram Hornblum to the Times reporter, "me an' Hanner was talkin' last night about them Rooshian fellers, 'Trotzky an' Lenin. It's just a little over seven year since they termed Rooshie upside down an' started in killin' off everybody 'that wouldn't line the Bolshies—' an' kilt 'off lots o' folks 'st because they hed titles when that was the fashion. Lenin's he's dead an' Trotzky he's left his grip. 'The house they tried to build aint finished—' an' never will be on their plan—even if that there Soviet is still runnin' things. I don't s'pose they hed any too much reel religion in Rooshie in the ear's time—but a man that thinks he can make the world over an' hev no religion at all—he'll find that the mills of the gods, as the poet says, is still a grindin'—an' 'll git him sooner or later. I don't s'pose the world ever seen sich cold-blooded killers as them two. They thought they'd beat the laikes in grabbin' power all over the world. I'd rather be the feller that dips off of that steamer an' save wat. Yes, I would so. An' when Rooshie comes to herself she won't hev no Lenins or Trotzky's bossin' the job—no, sir."

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Advertisement for OAK HALL'S 35th Birthday Sale, featuring text: Only 3 More Days for OAK HALL'S 35th Birthday Sale. Thousands have already made big savings at this event. Have you? Better hurry, there's a time limit now. After Saturday you'll be too late.

Advertisement for OAK HALL - KING ST. featuring various clothing items and prices: Envelope \$1.47, Chemise, Hosiery, Brassieres, Underskirts, Gloves, Women's Coats \$29.97. WOMAN'S SHOP—3RD FLOOR. SCOVIL BROS., LTD. GERMAIN ST.

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