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WORK ON A NEW PLAN TO CHECK SUFFRAGETTES

Effort to Bring Whole Body Within the Law on Conspiracy Charge

PRESENT METHOD USELESS

Police Seek Evidence on Which to Build the Broader Charge—If Present Law Does Not Meet Case There Will be Wide Demand for Change

(Canadian Press) New York, March 5.—A cable from the London correspondent of the Tribune says: "Londoners are more excited about the wild doings of the suffragettes than they are about the progress of the coal strike."

"The government is, of course, being blamed for its failure to cope with the situation, while the police say they cannot possibly be in every part of London in sufficient numbers to frustrate organized campaigns of violence and destruction."

"Mr. Asquith's reply to a question put to him yesterday in the House of Commons, shows that the government is considering how far the conduct of the window smashers can be brought under the general law of conspiracy. To send individual women to prison for a couple of months or so for wanton attacks on property has been proved to be almost useless."

"The one thing certain is that if the present law is found to be inadequate to meet the case, there will be a widespread demand for its immediate amendment."

London, March 5.—Two of the suffragettes who took part in last night's riotous campaign in Victoria street, in the vicinity of the houses of parliament, were sentenced by the Bow street magistrate this morning to two months imprisonment with hard labor. He said that there are many cases against the suffragettes still to deal with.

Shaver and Lister Toronto, Ont., March 4.—Studied in the depths of their great coats and swathed about with furs, five or six hundred men and women last night sat in the freezing unheated atmosphere of Association Hall for two hours while Miss Sylvia Pankhurst, stoutly cheerful in a short sleeve and round necked demit-toilette, held forth on the suffrage question. She was enthusiastically received by the shivering audience. The meeting was marked by strict order.

WEATHER BULLETIN table with columns for location, temperature, and weather conditions.

CASE HAS BEEN IN COURTS SINCE 1907

Judge Barry Gives Decision in Allis Chalmers Bullock Co. vs. Hutchings

Mr. Justice Barry this morning delivered judgment in the case of the Allis Chalmers Bullock Company, Ltd., vs. Charles H. Hutchings et al. In April, 1908, the plaintiff company, with head office in Montreal, sold to the Bush Bay Golden Horn Mining Company a Huntington gold mill with feeder, classifier, and overton table for operating the property of the defendant company, twenty-seven miles from Kenora. The price of the mill was \$4,257, of which 25 per cent. was paid at the time the contract was signed, 25 per cent to be paid on delivery of the mill, and the balance secured by promissory notes endorsed by the directors of the mining company—Joseph B. Lewis, of Yarmouth, William Robertson, of St. John; W. R. Johnson, of Bathurst, and Charles H. Hutchings, of St. John.

OTTAWA M.P.'S COMING ON A VISIT HERE

Look Over Developments—Courtney Bay Let Goes up \$500 in a Day

An invasion of St. John by a group of members of parliament looking for opportunities for investment in real estate was announced last night. The Ottawa M.P.'s are coming on a visit here.

The corner lot in the Tisdale Place which was offered by the purchaser for sale at \$2,000, has been sold to Charles B. Adams, who has conducted the Adams House in Princess street, has secured the property of the Metropolitan Hotel, and will transfer his business to the new stand April. The Adams House is being refitted by the purchaser, John Flood, for hotel purposes, and the new Adams House will also be extended and repaired and refitted before Mr. Adams takes it over. Charles B. Goggin, who has conducted the Metropolitan, will retire from the business and is planning to leave the city.

R. H. Holden, vice-president of Ames-Holden, Ltd., Montreal boot and shoe company, is in the city looking after the local situation and arranging for the extension of his business in this territory. When asked about the warehouse which the company had been planning to build in St. John, Mr. Holden said that they had not yet arrived at a decision in the matter.

The following real estate transfers have been recorded at the registry office during the last few days: Diocesan Synod to Hon. H. A. McKeown, et al, \$500, property of Douglas Avenue.

Trustees of Wm. Dunlavy, to A. R. C. Clark, \$880, property in Carleton. T. L. Galtan to Mrs. P. J. O'Connor, interest in estate of John Gallivan. H. J. Garson to H. H. Peters, property in Prince William street. T. A. Godose to C. J. Kane, property Crown and Leinster streets. W. V. Hatfield to Wm. Levi, lot in Wright street. Wm. Hawker to H. E. Darling, property in Simonds.

QUARTER MILLION THROWN OUT OF WORK BY THE STRIKE

Ten Thousand In One City Today OTHER LANDS AFFECTED

Business Houses in Spain Forced to Close Doors—Miners in Britain Meanwhile Enjoying Seaside Trips and Sporting Events—Views on the Government's Course

(Canadian Press) New York, March 5.—A cable from London to the New York Times this morning says: "London has begun to realize what the prolongation of the coal strike may mean. Reduction of the railway service by some 300 trains, has brought the seriousness of the situation home to the huge traveling public of the metropolis."

"No coal trains were run yesterday, whereas in normal times more than a million tons of coal are in transport daily throughout the country, representing receipts of about \$400,000 to the railways, a quarter of a million of them, besides three directly employed in the mining industry, are already out of work."

"The miners themselves are looking upon the strike, which is pursuing its fatal course to what Premier Asquith described in the House of Commons as a 'national catastrophe', as a junket, and are making trips to the seaside, going to football matches, dog races and pigeon flying competitions, and otherwise making a holiday."

"Mr. Asquith's statement caused considerable change in public opinion on the strike of the British coal conducting its country, from which a large quantity of iron ore is exported to Great Britain, struck today. Nineteen of the men have been arrested on a charge of coercing the other strikers."

Castellon De La Pansa, Spain, March 5.—In consequence of the British coal strike numerous steamers usually engaged in the transportation of fruit from Spain to England have been suspended and the exporters have closed their business. The cultivators in this province are menaced with ruin and thousands of workers have been thrown out of employment.

Southampton, England, March 5.—The sailings of the Lusitania line steamship company have been suspended as a consequence of the coal strike.

Washington, March 5.—The arbitration treaties with Great Britain and France will be disposed of before the close of the legislative today. The advocates of the treaties express complete confidence in the ratification of the treaties.

Montreal, March 5.—S. S. Empress of Japan sailed from Yokohama for Vancouver on Sunday afternoon, March 3. M. S. Montserrat arrived at Hong Kong at eight a. m. Saturday, March 2.

YEARS FROM BROTHER AFTER MANY YEARS

Postman Brings Welcome Letter to Wm. H. Dunham of Albert Street

When John MacDonald, a letter carrier, yesterday afternoon delivered to William H. Dunham, of Albert street, north end, a letter bearing the postmark, "Cincinnati," he little knew that he was presenting to him a very agreeable surprise, for the envelope contained a letter from a brother, whom he had not seen in more than fifty and from whom he had not heard for twenty-three years. The brother, George Cromley Dunham, left his home in north end when he was but fourteen years of age, and has made a success of life in the State of Ohio, and he is now looked upon as one of the most successful manufacturers in Cincinnati.

SLAUGHTER AND LOOTING ARE FEARFUL

Terrible Scenes Are Being Enacted Daily in Many Parts of China

Powers Strengthen Forces

FATHER WHO REFUSED TO COMPLY WITH DESPERATE DEMANDS FINDS FAMILY MURDERED—ANARCHY AND SAVAGERY RAMPANT, IS REPORT OF LONDON NEWSPAPER CORRESPONDENT

(Canadian Press) Hong Kong, March 5.—Serious unrest continues in the province of Kwang Tung and Kwang Si where large numbers of disarmed soldiers have taken to murdering and looting. The hills along the shore of the west river have been fortified as a protection against the marauding bands. Assassinations are of frequent occurrence, and corpses are seen daily floating down the river.

ASQUITH MAY GIVE HOME RULE TALK IN DUBLIN

Dublin, March 5.—It is reported that Premier Asquith is coming here at Easter to address a home rule meeting.

CAR GOES THROUGH A RAILWAY BRIDGE AT SASKATOON, 12 HURT

Saskatoon, Sask., March 5.—Twelve people were injured, several seriously, when the Regina express, crossing through the Canadian Northern Railway bridge and fell fifty feet to the frozen bed of the river below. The car was the last of the train.

PROGRAMME FOR THE IMMIGRATION CONGRESS

The programme for the immigration congress in Fredericton, March 8, is as follows: Resolution No. 1.—To be handled by J. D. McKenna, Somerset.—The need of greater publicity for the Province of New Brunswick.

STEAMER IS SUNK; CREW HAVE NARROW ESCAPE

Norfolk, Va., March 5.—The Italian bark Rosalia Dali, Capt. Manica, loaded with 1,800 tons of coal for Trinidad, Sicily, sank yesterday in forty feet of water off Sewall Point, after a collision with the old Dominion line steamer Princess Anne, bound from Norfolk to Newport News.

BRITISH WARSHIP TO BE BIGGEST THE WORLD HAS KNOWN

London, March 5.—The British admiralty, have ordered a battleship which will break all records for size and horsepower, and which will be built by the firm of John Brown, on the banks of the Clyde.

SAYS DEVIL COULD LEARN IN TORONTO

Toronto, March 5.—If the Satanic Majesty could, in the course of a walk over "The Snag Little Farm," chance to see the Toronto jail, he might, in the language of Coleridge, "get some hints for improving his poems in Hades," is the impression obtained from the description of the institution in an evening paper.

P. E. ISLAND AND THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT

Charlottetown, P. E. I., March 5.—(Special)—Premier Matheson has returned from Ottawa where he had gone, accompanied by Hon. A. E. Assinault and Hon. John McLean, two members of his government, to press the claims of the island for better financial aid by the federal government.

LIVE NEWS OF ST. JOHN TODAY

NEW UNIFORMS.—The members of the 3rd Regiment C. A. band met evening to discuss the new uniforms. The new tunics are very close fitting, and neat, and will give the men a tidy appearance when on parade.

LABOR UPHEAVAL IN GERMANY

Berlin, March 5.—The strike fever is now in Germany. Several thousand men are out at the famous Schichau warship building yard at Danzig, thousands are on the verge of a strike in the clothing trade, 2,000 are about to leave work in the Berlin paper box industry, and the chances highly favor the outbreak of an enormous strike in the Rheinisch Westphalian coal field, involving 250,000 men by the end of the week. The coal strike has already begun at one or two mines, where the miners have gone out in defiance of their leaders' orders instead of waiting for March 5, which many

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THE FINEST FLAVOURED TEA 'SALADA' is hill grown tea—grown on plantation high up on the hills in the Island of Ceylon.

THE YELLOW LETTER A Fascinating Mystery Story—By WILLIAM JOHNSTON

Having a telephone message from Louise Farrah with whom he is in love, he goes to the house in Madison Avenue...

CHAPTER VIII A New Clue. "So, Davis," I concluded, "you see that every new clue points to Hugh Crandall."

"What have they done with the dead woman's clothes?" he asked. "I want to see them at once."

"I had been anxiously awaiting Davis' arrival, not without some little feeling of complicity, to tell to him the startling developments in the mystery since I had left him hardly more than twenty-four hours before at the ferry."

"What's he been spending it for?" "Well, I noticed him the other day wearing a big diamond in his necktie and he bought himself a gold repeater watch and he's always going off to the livery stable and hiring out for drives in the evening."

"What's that?" "That's just like a man," I snapped Miss Cox. "How are you going to tell him I go over those books and see how much there ought to be? We'll open the cash-drawer after I'm through looking."

La MARQUISE de FONTENAY English King and French President to Exchange Visits—The Chosing of a President—Miss Duke's Husband-to-Be

President Fallieres has now entered upon the last twelve months of his seven years' term of office as chief magistrate of the French republic and before he retires into private life, will receive in Paris the state visit of King George and Queen Mary and return their visit in London, both of these events taking place, according to present arrangements, during the course of the summer.

It will be the second state visit of President Fallieres to London. The first took place during the reign of Edward VII. and next summer, on the last occasion, he will be lodged in St. James' Palace.

People are already beginning to discuss the most likely successor of M. Fallieres. But it is not a question which can be said to disturb the country at large, as a presidential campaign does in the United States, for there are no conventions for the nomination of candidates, and the election of a French president is accomplished merely by a joint meeting of the senate and the chamber of deputies, which assemble for the purpose in the palace of Versailles, and after various ballots which merely consume a few hours generally choose a compromise candidate.

The latter is mostly a saying-going, kindly man, who is regarded as amenable to the wishes of those who pull the political strings in France, while retaining more or less behind the scenes. Negative rather than positive virtues are sought in the chief magistrate, and the masterful statesman has but little chance of securing the presidency.

Some think, however, is certain that the man selected will be of irreproachable private life. Ever since President Grey gave so much trouble to the cabinet, the eyes of the French people have been turned to the army as an officer of the Ninth Lancers, and has been twice married. His present wife is the widow of John Curry, of Sprouton Hall, Norwich.

Some folks have tried so long to find relief from indigestion and dyspepsia or an out-of-order stomach with the common sort of medicine, that they have been led to believe that there is something else wrong, or believe that their trouble is the Stomach or Cancer.

WALNUT AND BEAN SALAD Drain a small can of French peas, season with pepper and salt, add one half cup of broken walnut meats moisten with boiled or mayonnaise dressing and serve on a bed of lettuce leaves.

The Evening Chit-Chat By RUTH CAMERON

"No life can be pure in its purpose, and strong in its strife, and all life is not bitter and stronger thereby." —Owen Meredith. In a sermon which I heard the other day, I was much impressed by one thought. The minister said:—I quote from memory, so you may ascribe any roughness of phrasing to me, rather than to him—"We are all anxious to be something or do something big ourselves. Perhaps it is not intended in the scheme of things that we should, but it may be that, instead, the Lord means to let us say or do some little thing that will help or inspire someone else to great things."

Almost every one of us in his early youth confidently expects to "conquer the world in some way. He may have some talent which he secretly rates as great genius, and may expect to accomplish wonders with it. Or he may not have any such definite notion of the exact direction his wonderful career is to take. But of two things almost every youth is conscious: he is going to be great in some way. As he grows older, and begins to deal with the iron of reality, instead of with the phantom stuff of which dreams are made, he begins to have vague, unpleasant suspicions that there is a chance that he may be mistaken in this high rating of himself. These doubts of common clay after all, that he will do what he holds his own and keeps his family in comfort and that there is no likelihood that he will ever attain the world.

After the splendid hopes and beliefs of youth, this is indeed a grey outlook, but it need not be such a depressing one if we will but let in the sunshine of the minister's thought. We cannot be great ourselves, but who knows but we may do something unobtrusively which shall inspire or bring out, or help on, or do some little thing that shall inspire some one to great things."

Charles Spurgeon was a wonderful preacher with a great influence on many lives. He tells us that the desire to be something worth while was aroused in him by a sermon which he heard from a country minister. So a share in Charles Spurgeon's greatness belongs to that obscure country minister, who, by his own inspirations which help to make them what they are. Is not each personality which contributed towards the great end, a silent partner in the importance and value of the successful man or woman's life?

It may be as a mother or sister, as a brother or father or friend, it may be as an example of the honesty and dignity possible in business life, it may be as a friend who is to be a blessing to you, or as a friend who is to be a blessing to you, or as a friend who is to be a blessing to you.

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The Immigration Congress. W. E. Anderson and W. C. Allison returned on the Boston train last night from Fredericton Junction where they represented the St. John board of trade at a conference with delegates from Fredericton at which the final details for the great immigration conference at Fredericton on Friday next were arranged.

BRITISH PORTS. Liverpool, March 4—Ard, str Hesperian, St. John. Liverpool, March 4—Ard, str Hesperian, St. John.

MAINE NOTES. Sch. Lucia, Captain Scott, is loading scrap iron at Boston for this port. She was expected to sail today.

PILES CUR'D IN 6 TO 14 DAYS. Your druggist will refund money if Piles do not cure any case of Itching, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days.

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Danderine Stops Falling Hair and Destroys Dandruff. Makes the Hair Grow Long, Heavy and Luxuriant and We Can Quickly Prove It. If You Wish to Double the Beauty of Your Hair at Once, Just Get a 25 Cent Bottle and Try This.

Surely try a Danderine Hair Cleanse if you wish to immediately double the beauty of your hair with little trouble and at a cost not worth mentioning—just moisten a cloth with a little Danderine and draw it carefully through your hair, taking one small strand at a time, this will cleanse the hair of dust, dirt or any excessive oil—in a few moments you will be amazed. Your hair will be wavy, healthy and abundant and possess an incomparable softness, lustre and luxuriance, the beauty and shimmer of true hair health.

Besides beautifying the hair, one application of Danderine dissolves every particle of Dandruff; cleanses, purifies and invigorates the scalp, forever stopping itching and falling hair.

Danderine is the hair wash fresh showers of rain and sunshine are to vegetation. It goes right to the roots, invigorates and strengthens them. It's exhilarating, stimulating and life-producing properties cause the hair to grow abundantly long, strong and beautiful. It at once imparts a sparkling brilliancy and velvety softness to the hair, and a few weeks' use will cause new hair to sprout all over the scalp. Use it every day for a short time, after which two or three times a week will be sufficient to complete whatever growth you desire.

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THE WESTERN LURE The Times has a copy of 4 letters sent out by a company which is selling lots in western Canada. The gentleman who received this letter was informed that the company had been advised to write to him and "a few other reliable friends" to represent the company among their friends and acquaintances.

After telling of the active demand for shares in the company itself, as rapidly advancing prices, one man making a hundred dollars in one day by getting in early, the letter gives a price on 200 shares of stock and adds that they will be advanced almost immediately.

How people's money was squandered is the heading of a report by the Standard of Hon. J. A. Murray's address in Moncton last evening. In that connection it was quite proper for Mr. Murray to refer to the \$36,000 deficit, but not to defend it.

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ESTABROOK'S RED ROSE COFFEE A Credit to the Name If you already know Red Rose Tea you will expect much of Red Rose Coffee became of its name alone.

KING COLE TEA You'll like the flavor

THE FAR-OFF CALL If out beyond the city's farthest edge There were no roads that led through sleepy towns, No winds to blow through any thorny hedge,

IN LIGHTER VEIN Nell—Mrs. Dash used to say she thought she had a soprano voice, "the sweetest of the sweet."

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Filled Gold Safety Pins Splendid Value: Prices Range From 10 to 30 Cts

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LOCKHART & RITCHIE, General Agents

HALIFAX AMATEUR TRAMP GETS IN FREE AT WALDORF

With only three cents in money, although he had a fulfilled stomach, Frank Hines, a young man from Halifax, Nova Scotia, appeared at the Waldorf-Astoria in New York the other day and asked for two days' board and lodging.

Billiousness is Bad Enough in itself with its headaches, sour stomach, unpleasant breath and nervous depression

BEECHAM'S PILLS act quickly and surely—they regulate the bowels, stimulate the liver and kidneys

Dust Bane A Sanitary Method of Sweeping Sweeps carpets and floor without dust. Contains an antiseptic fluid which kills germs.

W. H. Thorne & Co. Ltd. Market Square and King Street

NEW YORK V. M. DETECTIVE



Mrs. Isabella Goodwin, police matron and New York's smartest woman sleuth, who worked in a restaurant as a dishwasher, in order that she could get evidence against criminals that frequented the place.

JACK LONDON SHIPS AROUND CAPE HORN

He Will Be Mate and His Wife Stewardess of Square Rigged on Long Voyage

To satisfy his ambition to round the Horn in a square rigged Yankee clipper, Jack London, the novelist, with his wife and Japanese man servant, has signed as one of the crew of the Dirigo, which will leave this week from Baltimore for Seattle with a cargo of coal.

Five months hence Capt. Omar E. Chapman expects to have the Dirigo in the Bremerton navy yard, near Seattle, and then she will go into dry dock to be fitted with auxiliary power in anticipation of the opening of the Panama canal.

He came to New York in January from his ranch at Glen Ellen, Calif., in search of a berth aboard a clipper ship looked for a long voyage around the outskirts of the western hemisphere.

NO SUBSTITUTE FOR NEWBRO'S HERPICIIDE

"Something Just As Good"

A discovery can be made but once. After all, it is a simple matter to become convinced, imitation or an attempt at substitution.

DRIVE AND PRESENTATION. The Junior Mission Band of St. Columba's Presbyterian church, Fairville, held an enjoyable drive through the city on Friday afternoon and returned to the home of Mrs. Samuel Galbraith, where refreshments were served and games were played.

TO COLOR CURTAIN. If you will take old net curtains (fishnet will do) and dip them in a tubful of soapy water, then in a tub containing a solution of 10 cents worth of copperas, repeat and hang up to dry, the result will be a beautiful deep burnt orange color, which gives a sunset effect in the darkest room.

WELL, WELL! THIS IS A HOME DYE THAT ANYONE CAN USE. DYOLA

Important Sale of Blouse Waists

Broken Lines and Odd Sizes in Black Silk, Ecrú Net, Fancy Net, Fancy Silks, Marquissettes and Plain Colored Silks

An Opportunity to Secure Stylish Waists at About One-Half Regular Prices

These are offerings which it will be necessary to take immediate advantage of. The waists are in prevailing style effects and will be cleared at prices representing about one-half the regular prices.

COMMENCING WEDNESDAY MORNING

Black Taffeta and Paillette Blouses, tailored and fancy full length, three-quarter and kimono sleeves, original prices \$3.75 to \$6.00. Sale prices \$2.00 to \$3.90.

Colored Striped Silk Blouses, green and white with black silk band trimming; kimono sleeves. Black and White Striped Blouses with royal blue and emerald green trimmings.

Black and Grey Chiffon Blouses Over Silk and handsomely embroidered with beadings; in Dutch and high necks, kimono sleeves.

Spring Novelties in Men's and Boys' Furnishings

Something New Arriving Every Week

NEW NECKWEAR, strictly the latest designs and colorings, selections from the choicest pattern effects produced by the most expert designers for the Canadian, English and American markets.

PURE SILK KNITTED TIES, new creations in designs and color effects. Extraordinary values. Ask to see them. Each 75 cents and \$1.25.

NEW GLOVES, spring weights, Dent's, Perrin's, Reynier and other reliable makes.

MANCHESTER ROBERTSON ALLISON, LTD.



This week we are making a special display of new laces and embroideries. You will find this a very comprehensive showing of the newest things—selected with care and good taste—dainty goods that will supply that individual touch to any dress—beautiful allovers, shadow laces—new embroideries and French trimmings.

LACE BALL PIPINGS are among the newest trimmings for dainty dresses, they are of fine saxony net with tiny lace balls and are most effective as piping for tucks and seams, white, cream and ivory. 15 cents yard.

Our assortment of Lace Allovers includes a variety of the season's novelties as well as the ever popular saxony net and silk embroidered designs.

FINE EMBROIDERY FLOUNCINGS An Array of Dainty Designs For Lingerie Dresses. Two Special Values at 45 cents and 58 cents yard.

THE NEW SPRING DRAPERIES FOR THIS SEASON ARE PRETTIER THAN EVER.

Anderson Gingham 23 CENTS YARD Pretty New Plaids in newest color combinations, pinks, sky, greens, greys, black and white, etc., all positively fast washing colors. 23 cents yard.

MODERNIZED. (Cleveland Plain Dealer.) "That story of the building of the Tower of Babel should be modernized."

F. W. DANIEL & CO. LONDON HOUSE Cor. King and Charlotte St.

AMUSEMENTS IN ST. JOHN; WHAT THE PLAYHOUSES OFFER AT THE OPERA HOUSE. The audience which assembled last evening in the Opera House witnessed a production of Ethel Barrymore's successful play "Sunday," by the Myrtle-Harder Co.

Myrtle played the role with commendable ability. Four characters who lent material strength to the success of the play were those of the men, young and old, who had helped to educate "Sunday" from childhood to womanhood.

White paper should never be used for wrapping articles that are to be put away—chloride of lime is used for bleaching it, and this will destroy the color of the fabrics which it envelops.

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MORNING LOCALS

The entertainment by the St. Stephen's Guild last evening was in charge of the historical committee. W. F. Hatheway, M. P., delivered an address, taking for his subject "Some Famous Women." A very interesting programme included readings by D. B. Doig, Mrs. C. E. Patterson and Mrs. Daley. Vocal solos were rendered by Miss Drake and Harry Dunn. There was a large attendance and Rev. Gordon Dickie presided.

At a meeting in the king's daughters guild last evening, arrangements were made for an elaborate tea about the third week in March, and committees were appointed on the different circles to look after the preparations. Yesterday afternoon the comfort circle elected officers as follows: President, Miss Pearl Clarke; first vice-president, Miss Laura Fowler; second vice-president, Mrs. A. E. Fowler; treasurer, Mrs. T. H. Carter; secretary, Mrs. Barbary; auditor, Miss Dean.

Petitions, said to bear more than 3,000 signatures, protesting against the increase in ferry rates were presented at a meeting of the West Side indignation committee last evening.

CONTRACTED HEAVY COLD Was in Bed Two Months.

DOCTORS DID NOT SEEM TO DO HER ANY GOOD.

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Miss N. McCumber, St. Martin's N. B., writes:—"In January last I contracted a heavy cold which kept me in bed nearly two months, and the doctors didn't seem to be able to do me any good. I tried several proprietary medicines, but all in vain. One day a friend advised me to try Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup, and when I had taken three bottles I was completely cured, and I feel as well to-day as I ever did, and I am sure my lungs are once more sound, thanks to that wonderful remedy."

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News of Fredericton

Fredericton, N. B., March 5.—In the Fredericton elections there are candidates on citizens' and good government tickets.

Hon. Josiah Wood, who is to succeed Hon. L. J. Tweedie as lieutenant-governor, arrived here tonight. He was accompanied by Mrs. F. B. Black, of Sackville.

March 22 is the probable date of the intercollegiate debate between the University of New Brunswick and King's College, Toronto, at Windsor (N. S.), where Canada's Naval Problem will be the subject of the debate. The personnel of the teams follows: University of New Brunswick, J. P. Herbert 1912, A. N. Carter 1913, and H. F. Barnes 1912. King's—F. H. A. Holmes 1914, A. C. Collett 1913, and T. Parker 1912.

Suffragettes Would Run Royal Palace

Mrs. Frederick Lawrence, a suffragette in London, yesterday at a meeting said that the women in their zeal for the cause would not hesitate to set fire to a royal palace if they thought it would help them in any way.

Premier Aquilino is said to be worried over letters reaching his home to the effect that the suffragettes will strive to have his family poisoned if he persists in his present stand. Two hundred medical students in Parliament Square caused havoc in the suffragettes' headquarters while they were trying to hold a meeting elsewhere. The police succeeded in keeping the suffragettes from holding a satisfactory gathering.

REAL ESTATE ACTIVITY CONTINUES

Chief interest in real estate around the city this week seems to centre in the sale of lots in the sub-divisions which have been placed on the market. Local people have been investing heavily and many sales have been made outside of the city.

In Tisdale Place, although the lots have been offered for only two days, eighty-eight have been sold already.

The announcement that surveying parties are at work laying out a route from Little River has aroused increased interest in the plans of the railway which is seeking access to Courtenay Bay by that way. It is expected, terminals will be built in the large cove beyond the dry dock. It will have a tendency to extend the area of real estate operations.

In the city there has been a continued activity in properties of all kinds in anticipation of the steady rise in values. Real estate men figure that every property in the city will share in the general increase in values.

Property bought at present prices should be a good investment.

E. R. Reid, the contractor, has leased the coal shed on British street opposite the Lower Cove slip from Thomas Gorman. Thomas Martin, of Portland street, has purchased a two-story dwelling house on the corner of Douglas and Clarendon streets.

B. B. Macaulay has purchased from the estate of the late O. H. Warwick the fine house and property on Melchior street in which Mr. Warwick resided.

WHAT MAKES YOU TIRED

So Tired That Even Sleep Fails to Restore

There Are Poisons in the Blood That Can be Removed by DR. CHASE'S KIDNEY-LIVER PILLS

You get tired. That is only natural, whether you work with brain or muscle. But when you are not restored by a night's sleep there is something wrong.

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Nothing will so quickly sweep these poisons from the system as Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. The liver is quickened in action, the bowels move regularly and the kidneys take on new vigor and activity.

The blood is purified, the waste matter which has been clogging and retarding the organs of digestion is removed. Headaches and backaches disappear, the appetite is sharpened, digestion improves and you feel fine in every way.

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IMPROVING CANADA'S CATTLE

Pedigree Animals Coming From England —Biggest Shipment Ever Made From the Island of Jersey

London, Feb. 20.—About 120 head of pure bred Jersey Cattle are leaving Jersey this week for the pedigree stock farm of B. H. Bull & Son, Brampton, Ontario. This is the largest individual shipment of high class stock ever made from the Channel Islands to Canada, and the herd contains many animals with honors won in butter and dairy competitions and in the showing.

"His Reverence," the celebrated Jersey bull with the distinction of having been for two years grand champion of the island of Jersey, is one of the animals purchased by the Ontario firm.

Another Canadian breeder who has purchased considerable pedigree stock recently is J. D. McGregor of Brandon, Manitoba, who bought some very high priced Aberdeen-Angus cattle at Perth a few days ago.

From the famous Cullen House herd he bought the best animals. There was considerable competition for the first prize two-year-old heifer, "Queen Rose of Cullen," and Mr. McGregor had to raise his bid to \$1,100 before securing this animal—the highest price of the sale.

RECENT DEATHS

The death of Avis Chesworth, daughter of John and Dorothy Chesworth, occurred yesterday at the home of her parents on the Beaver Lake Road. She was sixteen years of age, and is survived by her parents, one brother, Stanley, and one sister, Dolly.

James Maloney, I. C. R. conductor, died at his home in Moncton yesterday. He was forty-six years old and leaves a wife and two young children. His run was on the northern division.

The sudden death of Mrs. Selrick Murray occurred on Friday at her home at Main River, Kent County. She is survived by her husband and seven children. There are twins, only three weeks old.

New shoes should, if possible, be tried on for the first time in the evening, when the feet are usually a little swollen after the day's fatigue. This prevents much subsequent discomfort, as, of course, foot-wear bought when the feet are at their smallest is extremely uncomfortable whenever the feet become the least swollen.

NERVOUSNESS AND DYSPEPSIA

Cured By "Fruit-a-tives" the Great Fruit Medicine

In Nervous Dyspepsia, the Dyspepsia does not come from the Nervousness—but the latter trouble does come from the Dyspepsia.

The Stomach is a network of nerves. Now if all these nerves are irritated by improper food, hasty eating, or poisoned by gases from the constipated bowels, then they will make one nervous.

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NOVA SCOTIA AMALGAMATION

Clay Works Plants at Shubenacadie, Pugwash and Annapolis Valley

The Nova Scotia Clay Works Limited, with an authorized capital of \$600,000, is soon to appear in the list of large industrial concerns of that province. The organizers are F. B. McCurdy & Co., of Halifax, J. R. McLeod, of that firm, taking the business specially in hand. The promoter is F. S. Coombe, also of Halifax.

The new company, it is stated will purchase the clay works at Pugwash, Shubenacadie, Elmdale, Annapolis Royal, and possibly others. The manager of the new company is to be R. Macdonald of Pugwash, a very successful railway contractor and brick maker, who has an up-to-date clay working plant at Pugwash, fitted with steam-dryers and continuous kilns. L. E. Shaw of Middleton will be the manager for the Valley and the secretary-treasurer will be F. S. Coombe.

The intention is to build one up-to-date plant in place of the three now operating in the valley. This plant will employ an average fifty to sixty hands, for nine months of the year and will have an annual capacity of ten millions of brick, which will cost in the vicinity of \$30,000.

A public meeting for the consideration of making concessions to the Nova Scotia Clay Works, Ltd., is called for the 12th inst.

F. M. A. OFFICERS.

The Father-Meister Association elected officers last evening. The meeting took place in St. Malachy's hall and the following are to guide the association during the next six months: Fred Hazel, president; Leo Holland, senior president; Wilfrid Gallagher, junior president; Joseph Kennedy, financial secretary; James McAnulty, assistant; Sydney Stanton, recording secretary; Joseph O'Brien, corresponding secretary; James McLaugh, treasurer; Louis Monahan, conductor; John O'Brien, librarian; Steven Ryan, assistant librarian; Rev. D. S. O'Keefe, J. J. Mitchell, M. E. Agar, trustees.

It has been remarked that there are three things necessary to temporal salvation—food, sleep and a cheerful disposition.

The Old Folks

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Communications as follows were sent to the various boards: From Hanington & Hanington on behalf of D. J. Seely & Son regarding the lease of warehouses in Britain street to George Dick.

From Hon. J. D. Hazen announcing that an arrangement had been made to allow the street cars to cross the I. C. R. tracks at Haymarket Square.

From joint committee of common council and board of trade with reference to the extension of the breakwater to Partridge Island.

From H. S. Ritchie and others asking that Ritchie and Rook streets be taken over and incorporated.

From the Canadian Federation of Boards of Trade and Municipalities asking for representation from St. John when a deputation waits on the government to urge the construction of the Georgian Bay canal.

MORNING NEWS OVER THE WIRE

In London yesterday an attempt was made on the life of Leopold De Rothschild, a prominent banker, but he was not hit by the bullet. The assailant was arrested. The police say he is Wm. Tibbits, said to be an anarchist.

In the Nova Scotia legislature yesterday Premier Murray introduced a measure to borrow \$4,000,000.

A grim tragedy of the northern wild was revealed yesterday to the north of Lake Nipigon, Ontario, when a searching party seeking trace of a missing mail carrier, found a piece of one hand and a shin, lying in the snow, while nearby lay the carcasses of four wolves showing that the carrier had fought dearly for his life.

Andrew Loggie of Dalhousie, member of the firm of A. & R. Loggie, is dangerously ill at his home there and is not expected to recover. He was operated on yesterday.

Robert Lavigne was sentenced to two years in Dorchester by Judge McLachly in Dalhousie yesterday, for breaking into Millers' drug store in Campbellton; also two years for breaking into the store of L. E. Renault in Campbellton. Nelson LeTourneau was sentenced to two years in Dorchester for receiving stolen goods.

B. Smith of Charlottetown, P. E. I., missing railway engineer has been located at Montreal where he was visiting friends.

TISDALE PLACE

Another Great Rush For Lots Yesterday

Shrewd Business Men and Cautious Investors Buying Quickly --- The Wage Earner Also a Big Factor in the Record of Sales

CHOICE LOTS FOR TODAY'S BUYERS

THOUGH WE HAVE HAD A MOST SPIRITED SALE OF TISDALE PLACE LOTS, there are plenty of excellent purchases awaiting those who are only now realizing the grand opportunity within their grasp. A glance at the plans will show this. Possibly no stretch of land in or about St. John could be selected that offers such uniformly good Locations. Tisdale Place is all dry and slightly. It is singularly free from rock and will prove a saving proposition to the buyer who builds upon it.

\$50 Gives You Possession of a \$250 Lot. \$200 Will Make You a \$1000 Investor. Two Years in Which to Pay Balances. Values Already Increased on Lots Sold. Thousands of Idle Money Now Working. Everybody Optimistic—No Doubters.

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ENORMOUS DEMAND FOR BAY VIEW LOTS

We are compelled to find more office room to accommodate the crowds of prospective purchasers and have arranged with Messrs Lockhart and Ritchie to act as our Sub-Agents, and their large office, cor. Prince William and Princess Sts., will care for the overflow from our head office. Our plans will be displayed in their windows and a competent staff will furnish information to buyers and enquirers.

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This part of the COURTENAY BAY CONTRACT involves an expenditure of \$5,000,000.00, all within a stone throw of our lots. This part of the works will employ a large staff of permanent skilled laborers, drawing steadier and much larger wages than those employed about the shipping docks. Here you will find the merchant locate to supply the wants of these workmen. The first work to be done this summer, namely the building of the Breakwater, will involve an expenditure of \$1,000,000.00 and is situated just beyond our lots at Bay View.

A Direct Continuation of King Street Carries You in Our Sub-Division. Bay View is the Key to the Situation, Destined to be the Business Centre of Courtenay Bay.

We Sold a Site for General Store Yesterday.

Enormous prices will be paid for Bay View lots in very short time. BE ONE OF THOSE WHO WILL ENJOY LARGE PROFITS. From \$12.50 to \$60.00 cash secures a lot, and from \$4.90 to \$24.00 per month pays for it. You have two years to complete the payments, and in the meantime you can sell at 100 per cent and more profit almost as soon as you have made one or more payments.

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THE BOY OF BORNEO

An Adventure of Peter Crewe—The Man with the Camera Eyes.

By Harold Carter

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It was a rough passage, and though we were already half way between New York and Tibury, our destination, few of the passengers had found their sea legs. I sat on the captain's right; upon his left was a pleasant, florid, gray-haired man, rather slow of speech, who was introduced to me as Mr. Peter Crewe.

"Do you find that this Atlantic breeze agrees with you better than the air of Plainfield, N. J., Mr. Langston?" asked Mr. Crewe politely.

"Certainly does," I answered. "But may I ask you how on earth you know that I am a resident of Plainfield, N. J.?"

"To the best of my belief I have told nobody. In fact, as a matter of fact, I am naturally secretive about such matters."

"I only know," replied Crewe, "because on two occasions I have seen you hurrying to the boat from the New Jersey terminal at nine o'clock in the morning. You carried a newspaper and a suitcase, and your shoes were red with Plainfield clay. Is not that reason enough?"

"Quite," I replied. "But how in the name of conscience do you remember me?"

"Why, I saw you," returned Crewe. "Everybody within a twelve mile radius of New York has seen every body else—or at least, ninety per cent. of all other citizens, at some time. Need I remind you that on August 12, 1910, you took a small party to a roof garden on Forty-second street? Or that, the previous February, you rendered first aid to a child who had been knocked down by a street car on Sixth avenue?"

"You saw the accident?" I gasped.

"No. Your photograph was in one of the newspapers. To go further back, you walked fifth in the ninety-fourth rank of the sound money parade of 1900 up Broadway. In 1901, you will tell me the date of my first law suit, the name of my client—"

"There my art falls me," answered Crewe. "I could not recall the name of my father or mother—except that I presume the surname coincided with mine."

Later in the day, discovering Mr. Crewe alone in the smoking room, I showed him the photograph of a young kid in cowboy attire and asked him if he could give me his history. He took the photograph and studied it intently; then closed his eyes in mental concentration.

"I have only seen this young fellow twice," he said. "Seven years ago he strolled up Broadway from the Battery in a suit of English clothes, carrying a Gladstone bag. Three years afterward, while visiting New York from the west, he was arrested at the corner of Twenty-third street and Fifth avenue on a charge of intoxication."

I leaped from my seat. "For the love of heaven, explain your secret to me," I exclaimed. "You may be the man I am most in need of."

Crewe smiled in a self-deprecating manner. "It is very simple," he explained. "You are, no doubt, aware of the discovery of psychology that every mental image remains permanently impressed upon the brain?"

"Yes."

"Unfortunately, when the average man sees a thing he straightway forgets it. Similarly with what he hears—the escape of a wave against the ship, the fall of a twig in the park—the impression is so faint that it is at once lost and never recurs in us throughout life. But when I receive an image through the eyes I never forget it. I have always had this faculty. In my earlier days it caused me much inconvenience. Now, having acquired a modest competence and retired from business, I derive considerable amusement from this power. I travel, I study, I try to turn my advantage to the good of humanity. All I could tell you strange stories in this regard. I know half London and two-thirds of Paris. Not a day passes but I meet a dozen old acquaintances, all of whom are blantly unconscious of having ever encountered me before."

"But why should you not help me?" I exclaimed. "You are just the man I need to help me in unraveling a painful mystery."

"I shall be delighted to be of service to you," said Crewe. "Let us be perfectly frank—that is all I ask. I will confess that, like many persons with some special gift, I have other deficiencies. I am a poor judge of character and motive; if a man deceives me I never give him another opportunity."

"I will be entirely frank," I answered. "I am traveling to England to investigate an affair which threatens the life of a man whom I believe to be innocent. Here is the story: Upon a small estate in Surrey there lived two brothers, retired Anglo-Indian officials. Both were widowers. Sir George Bamwell, the eldest, a baronet, had a daughter. His brother, William Bamwell, to whom the

baronetcy would in due course descend, had a son, a ne'er-do-well, who after a rather profligate career, went off to America, where he became successively a sheep-herder, prospector, and cowboy. The boy was cast off by his father, a martinet of the old English school, and it was understood that the bulk of his money would go to Selim, an Indian servant, whom William Bamwell had brought home with him, and who had served the brother faithfully for twenty years.

"The boy, I take it, is the original of the photograph you showed me," said Crewe.

"Yes, my statements in regard to him were perfectly correct. He did land in New York seven years ago, and he was arrested upon a charge of intoxication at a subsequent date.

"Last year Claude Bamwell, the son, returned home unexpectedly. He had tried of his roving life. He asked his father to give him another chance to redeem himself and to let him remain with him. The cousin, Lydia, the daughter of Sir George Bamwell, who had conceived a romantic attachment for her graceless relative, was instrumental in effecting a reconciliation between the father and son. Claude was given his chance and seemed to make good use of his opportunity. Within six months father and son were on friendly terms. William Bamwell, who was perhaps seventy years of age, had a passion for amateur photography. Claude humored his father and never tired of helping him in his hobby. Father and son began to appreciate each other better than they had ever done before.

"This increasing intimacy was not looked upon favorably by Selim, the Hindoo servant, especially since William Bamwell contemplated altering his will in favor of his son, Claude, and greatly reducing the legacy which Selim had come to look upon as his own reversatory right. However, Selim was inscrutable and kept his own counsel.

"The Bamwell brothers were very set in their ways. One of the characteristics common to both of them was their fondness for a certain East Indian cigar that came from Borneo. These cigars were imported direct from the manufacturer. Claude, however, discovered a similar brand on sale in London, and gave a box to his father for a Christmas present. At Selim's suggestion, as he declares, in fact, according to Claude, Selim discovered the existence of this brand and induced him to purchase the box. Selim, however, denies that he ever heard of these cigars and ascribes the entire scheme of purchasing and presenting to Claude.

"Now we come to the crux of the situation. Three months ago Sir George Bamwell was discovered dead in the library early one morning. He had been sitting up alone the night before, and had taken one of his brother's cigars—the first of the box—before he died. A post-mortem investigation disclosed the presence in the body of a minute portion of a powerful poison allied to prussic acid. The cigar was analyzed, but nothing was found with it. In spite of a rigorous cross-examination of all persons concerned, no motive or clue could be discovered. Sir George was buried in the family vault, and William Bamwell became Sir William.

"Not three weeks afterward the tragedy repeated itself. Sir William Bamwell was found dead in precisely the same manner. Again the presence of the prussic acid variant was disclosed at the post-mortem; again the cigar was analyzed and found to be entirely harmless. Yet Sir William, like his brother, had undoubtedly died after smoking half of the Borneo cigar.

"But in this case several new facts were brought out at the inquest. In the first place, Claude had been with his father until a few moments before his death. The two men had been smoking together. Sir William was a very rapid smoker; Claude preferred cigarettes and barely burned away an inch of his cigars, which he smoked merely to honor his father. Again, it was proved that Claude had recently purchased prussic acid at a drug-show in the village. When interrogated, he acknowledged this fact, but asserted that his father used this deadly compound for intensifying the images upon negatives that had been under-exposed. It is perfectly true that a certain compound of prussic acid is used for this purpose, and Sir William had always compounded his own photographic chemicals.

"To cut the story short, Claude, or Sir Claude, as I must now call him, was arrested upon a charge of murder and is now awaiting trial at the assizes."

"And the motive?" Crewe queried.

"Fear that his father, who was becoming a little stiffle, and was largely under the influence of Selim, would disinherit him."

"But did Claude know the contents of the will?"

"No. It had actually been changed in the son's favor, but so far as is known Sir William had kept his own counsel."

"Then that works either way," said

Crewe made no answer. His eyes were closed; he seemed to be calling up some memory. At this juncture Mr. Clayton returned and seated himself beside me.

"Now, gentlemen," he said briskly—I had already introduced Mr. Crewe to him as my confidential assistant—"I must confess that matters look very black indeed. In our English courts a conviction for murder is practically never reversed and justice flows with appalling swiftness. Let me say, however, that I am assured a hideous wrong has been done, and that the real criminal is the Indian. He for his perjured evidence, a very different verdict would have been returned.

"What most impressed the jury was the fact that a prussic acid compound was found in the bodies of both Sir George and Sir William, while it was proved that Claude had bought prussic acid at the village drug store. There here was the motive—fear that the will would be revoked. But what clinched the jurors in their decision was Selim's evidence that Claude had approached him with the project of destroying his father and sharing the money that might be left, irrespective of the will. Selim had been a faithful servant for many years; Claude was reputed to have been a man of violent character in America. The judge, who is did and testy, refused to remove all evidence from the case until he could put in evidence in rebuttal of it, on the ground that it was immaterial in law. Perhaps it was—but in fact it undoubtedly decided the jury's verdict."

"And where is Selim?" I asked.

"Living at the village hotel," said Mr. Clayton. "Living there brazenly. Says he will remain on the spot until his dear master has been avenged, and is the object of universal solicitude as Sir Claude is of execration."

"And now," I said, "what part did the cigars play in this mystery?"

"None whatever," answered Mr. Clayton. "The cigars which the murdered man had been smoking was carefully analyzed and found to be perfectly innocuous. The fact that in the victims' died smoking was apparently nothing more than a coincidence."

"Have you the rest of the box?"

"The box," Mr. Clayton answered, "is not at my disposal. It disappeared on the day of the murder, together with the bulk of the prussic acid supposed to have been purchased, and with a few other little articles having relation to the crime. But none of these is material. The prosecuting attorney suggested that Claude had hidden these in an effort to destroy all evidence of his crime."

"But even if this should prove true—"

"It is true."

"What evidence can there be in the cigars?"

"That remains to be seen," my companion answered; "and he would not discuss the subject further until we arrived once more at Tibury at eight o'clock that evening.

"At Crewe's suggestion we purchased cloth caps and threw away our felt hats; we turned up the collars of our coats and made ourselves appear as much as possible in our role of ship's crew ashore. To find the junk shop was easy. As Crewe had surmised, it was kept by an East Indian, a swarthy, ill-favored fellow who creaked with no very great appreciation.

"Mate," said Crewe, "we want some spunkies to take aboard with us in the morning."

"Without a word the East Indian produced a handful of vile-looking cheroots. Crewe tossed them roughly aside.

"What d'ye take me for?" he said, "I'll give you a sample of my spunkies, as though slightly under the influence of liquor. Gimme a box. Got any split boxes?"

Leaving over the counter I saw a small package wrapped up in a dirty cloth, which disclosed the end of a cigar.

"Gimme those," I said pointing.

The East Indian looked at me furiously. He took up the box, unwrapped the cloth—and suddenly darted through the back door of his shop. Instantly Crewe leaped upon him.

"Hold him," he cried to me, as the Indian twisted himself adroitly out of Crewe's grasp. I saw his hand go down to his side and, with a fortunate blow, knocked him sprawling. His head came in contact with the edge of the door and the fall stunned him. The box fell from his grasp. Picking it up hastily I saw upon the cover the word "Borneo."

"Come on," cried Crewe, and, holding the box under my coat, I darted after him down the alley. We reached the main road painting, and, finding that we were not pursued, set off at a rapid pace toward the station. On the way we recovered our hats, which had been thrown behind some boarding. It was five o'clock on the following morning when we reached Fairview, after many hours of waiting at junctions for trains which either did not run or did so with exasperating unpunctuality. We went straight to the house and called Mr. Clayton out of bed. Crewe held up the cigars.

"Now, Mr. Clayton, we must act quickly," he said, "or you will find your quarry will have flown. Can you bring Selim to the house as soon as possible?"

"I will do so at once," said Mr. Clayton, much mystified.

"If he refuses to come—"I said.

"He will not refuse. I can procure a warrant from Mr. Tighe, our nearest magistrate. But may I ask—"

"I would rather say nothing," Crewe answered. "It is a desperate hope,

and yet it seems built upon something of a foundation. At any rate it will do no harm. May I be allowed the setting of the little drama?"

"By all means," Mr. Clayton answered.

He set off as soon as he had matched a hasty breakfast of bread and milk, and, after two hours of waiting, Crewe and I saw him reappear with Selim. The latter came in blantly; he was as suave in his demeanor as he had been pictured; nevertheless I could discern an uneasy glance in his eye.

"Sit down, Mr. Selim," said Mr. Clayton. "These gentlemen are friends of Claude Bamwell's and wish to interrogate you."

"I shall be delighted to do everything in my power to assist them," said the Indian, seating himself easily at the table. "If only I could believe that the unhappy young man was not guilty of my dear master's death—"

"Do you smoke, Mr. Selim?" asked Crewe abruptly.

The Indian started violently; then, recovering his composure, replied:

"I am not much of a smoker, sir."

"But you have smoked? Will you oblige me by smoking a cigar with a glassy smile."

And he produced the box of Borneo.

I never saw such a change come over a human countenance as came over the Indian's. For a moment he gaped like a fish out of water. Before he could regain his self-possession Crewe had placed before him a sheet of paper and a pencil. Upon the paper was written:

"I swear that I and I alone am responsible for the death of my master, Sir George Bamwell."

"As an alternative to smoking, perhaps you will sign this," said Crewe.

"You may do both," he added.

The Indian collapsed into his chair with a glassy smile.

"No, I will smoke," he said, pushing the paper away.

Crewe calmly lit a cigar, and then applied a match to the Indian's. And there they sat, smoking in perfect silence, while we others gathered around in strained expectancy.

"But I never saw two men who smoked more slowly."

"Come, throw away your cigar, Selim, and sign that paper," said Crewe, after a pause. The Indian's cigar now had an inch of ash on it; Crewe's was hardly rimmed.

Suddenly, as if inspired by some invincible determination, the Indian began smoking furiously. The smoke came from his mouth in puffs. His cigar was half consumed. The silence deepened. Some dreadful tragedy seemed to depend upon the issue of that smoking match.

"Selim," said Crewe, laying down his cigar, "sign that paper." And he removed the cigar from the Indian's mouth.

I saw the Indian shoot out a trembling claw. He grasped the pencil and wrote his name almost illegibly beneath the paper. Then he glanced into our faces with a pitiful smile. "It is finished," he said, and picked up the cigar again.

Crewe leaped toward him and tried to wrest the cigar from his mouth. But the ash of his cigar had fallen on his waistcoat, or a spark was endangering his tie.

"At length Pinkham exclaimed: 'Why the devil don't you leave me alone? Your coat-liner has been burning for the last five minutes, but I didn't bother you about it!'"



"Will you oblige me by smoking a cigar with me?"

All at once the end came. I saw an ashtray fall overboard. Selim's swarthy face, he choked; he bent the air with his hands; then, without a sound, he toppled over to the ground. Mr. Clayton raised him quickly, but one look into Selim's face was sufficient to tell us all that life was ended.

"You see, gentlemen," said Crewe, "as I had suspected, those cigars were highly charged with a volatile poison, a variant of prussic acid. Selim had given the box to Claude to present to his father, an 'father' had cunningly contrived that Selim should purchase the box at the store in Tibury, where he had it placed on sale. The reason why no poison was found in the cigar butte was that it had already been drawn out of the cigars into the lungs of the victims.

"You know that as one smokes a cigar toward the butt the stump constantly becomes warmer and damper, the fluids being driven back by the flame. There was no danger in the cigars until they were half smoked. After they were half smoked, however, the acid became sufficiently heated to pass into vapor, which was inhaled into the smoker's lungs and caused immediate death. It was a diabolical trick, and could only have originated in the cunning mind of an East Indian, a race notorious for its vendettas and vengeance."

"And if you had not so opportunely seen Selim entering the shop at Tibury?" I suggested. "The coincidence was almost an impossible one, according to the laws of chance—and yet it saved an innocent life."

"There are no laws of chance," Crewe answered. "Believe me, Langton, somewhere or other lies the clue to every crime, if only one has sense to discern it."

(Next week: "The Robbery at the Tower.")

Venice.

"Of the books about Venice there is no end. For the historian the 'Queen of the Adriatic' has always possessed a peculiar charm, and there are any number of histories of the famous city-state. Of course the great reservoir of information concerning the Venetian republic is the 'Archives of Venice,' published at intervals throughout the years and still being regularly added to. In order to become posted on the 'monetary system' of the Venetian Republic' one would have to wade through many works bearing generally upon Venetian history. There is no single exhaustive work along that particular line, but in nearly all of the histories of the republic may be found something illustrative of her wonderful financial system."

Had Some Consideration.

Pinkham had proposed and been refused. Although he appeared in no talkative mood, a man sitting opposite in the smoking car attempted to draw him into conversation. At one moment the stranger would, with an excess of politeness, apologize for calling Pinkham's attention to the fact that the ash of his cigar had fallen on his waistcoat, or a spark was endangering his tie.

"At length Pinkham exclaimed: 'Why the devil don't you leave me alone? Your coat-liner has been burning for the last five minutes, but I didn't bother you about it!'"

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Many people are kept in a state of morbid fear of death, because weak, worn, and miserable, their nerves become unstrung, and they cannot sleep.

NAVAL LAW WILL BE REPEALED BY BORDEN

After Something is Decided on There Will Be a Plebiscite—The Boundaries Bill

Ottawa, March 4.—It looks as though Mr. Bourassa is still the master of the Borden administration. If the Laurier government had been returned at the last general election the contract for the construction of the first instalment of the Canadian navy would have been given to Cammell Laird and they would by this time have made a start with the construction of ten naval vessels at St. John (N.B.).

WAGE WAR FOR MOUTH HYGIENE

First District Dental Society Will Open a Campaign in Detroit This Month

(Detroit News). "Mouth hygiene" henceforth is to be the war cry of the First District Dental Society. Horace Fletcher, author of the "A. A. B. of Nutrition," will open a campaign for the society by delivering a lecture in the Light Guard armory next March while the society's convention is in session, and his subject will be "Hygiene, Nutrition, and Mouth Hygiene."



VAIG OUVRE TO MONTREAL 3600 MILES ON A BICYCLE

Mr. Thompson-Clarke, of Vancouver, Secretary of the British Columbia Football Association, has just reached London, Eng., after riding from Vancouver to Montreal—3,600 miles—on a bicycle.

A SAD CASE

Cape Breton Man Ends Life in Harbor—Family Long in Abject Poverty

(Glace Bay Gazette). Drive home presumably by the passage of hunger and inability to supply the larvae of necessity of life to his family, Finlay Thompson of Quarry Point committed suicide early Friday morning by jumping into the harbor, drowning himself. The body was recovered. He was about 50 years of age and survived by his wife and four grown up daughters and one son about fifteen years of age.

Wretched Mail Service

(P. E. Island Farmer). The mail service this winter emphasizes never before the need of something different, whether turned or car ferry or aeroplane. Making every allowance for the severity of the winter and the difficulties met with by the steamers on the eastern route it is impossible to account for the fragmentary and irregular manner in which the mails were brought via the cape.

Secret of Baking Good Bread

There is probably no accomplishment that a woman glories in more than the ability to bake good bread. White Swan's Baking Soda always contains a light, wholesome and delicious bread. Sold by grocers in 5c. packages of 6 cakes. Send for day for sample. White Swan Baking Soda, Limited, Toronto, Ont.

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Make a plain syrup by mixing two cups of granulated sugar and one cup of warm water and stir for two minutes. Put 2 1/2 ounces of pure Pinex (fifty cents' worth) in a 16-ounce bottle, and fill it up with the sugar syrup. This gives you a family supply of the best cough syrup at a saving of 42. It never spoils. Take a teaspoonful every one, two or three hours.

Coal Rates are High

(Bangor Commercial). Freight rates for the big schooners carrying coal between coast ports and Boston and Portland are unusually high. According to an announcement made in Portland, Feb. 28, chartered rates have already been fixed at \$1.20 a ton for the month of March. Usually when spring approaches the rate drops, but this year there is an increase, or at least the rate is remaining steady.

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BUILDING BOOM IN WOLVILLE

(Kentville Chronicle). The coming summer will see quite a building boom in Wolville. The town is erecting a new central fire station in Central avenue, 100 feet by twenty-eight feet.

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MARRIED YESTERDAY

There was an interesting event in St. Luke's church at 5:15 yesterday afternoon, when Miss M. Lillian Elliott, daughter of Wm. Elliott, 245 Main street, and sister of Ald. Elliott, was united in marriage to Harry S. Day, son of Dr. Day of Westport, N.S., by Rev. J. McNeil, rector of the church, performed the ceremony and there were no attendants. Miss Elliott wore a signed dress of grey with hat to match. Mr. and Mrs. Day left on the C. P. R. train last night for a six weeks' trip in the southern and western states, and will later reside in Edmonton (Alta). The groom has been a resident of the western city for three years and holds a responsible position as domain government land surveyor. Mr. Day's present to his bride was a substantial cheque.

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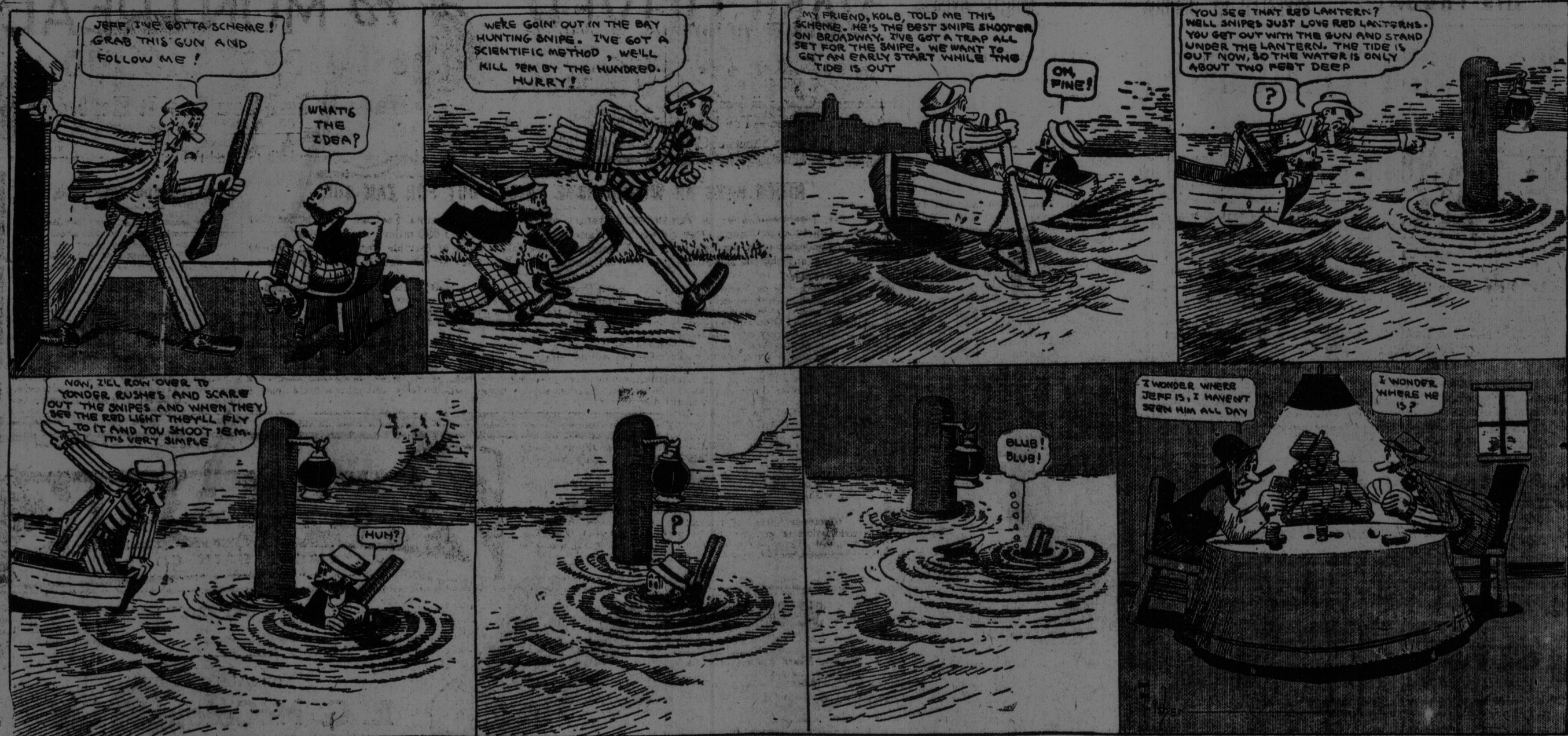
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SPORT NEWS OF A DAY; HOME AND ABROAD

Writing K. G. Win-Four, in the Inter State Bowling League game last night the Knights of Columbus team won four points from the C. M. B. A. 134 team, 1233 to 1197. Griffiths was high man for the winners with an average of 89 and Crogrove for the losers with 72.3.

City League. The five high men in each league are as follows: Commercial League. T. E. Wilson 92.32-33; H. C. Olive 92.11-30; H. McKean 90.28-33; Y. Kelly 90.15-24; A. Eddy 90.

On Moosepath. A meeting of the St. John Matinee Driving Club was held last night. The prizes won at the meet on Saturday last were presented to the winners. The winners in each class received a large fancy woolen blanket, the second, whips. Several new members joined the club.

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City League. Won. Lost. P.C. Nationals 38 10 770; Ramblers 29 15 452; Tigers 33 19 434; Sweeps 29 19 404; W. Ryan 15 17 468; Wanderers 24 28 461; Insurance 17 31 254; Juniors 49 497.

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Moncton Votes 3000. The Moncton city council last night granted \$200 to the Victoria Hockey team to aid them in their fight for the Stanley cup.

Local Men Defeated. The Amherst Ramblers defeated the Company A team by a score of 5 to 4 in the Queen's Rink here last night. Three twenty-minute periods were played and the game was hotly contested all the way through. Parker, M. McAvity and T. McAvity played good hockey for the locals, and the work of Barton in goal was highly commendable. The visitors play well together and are exceptionally fast skaters. The Ramblers will leave for Boston today to play a match there.

The Stanley Cup. The Saskatoon hockey team defeated the Port Arthur team 5 to 1 at Winnipeg last night. The latter team, however, will come next and play the winners of the N. H. A. league for the Stanley Cup.

Baseball "Cy" Young in Luck. Uncle Cy Young, of Paoli, Ohio, has struck it rich again. Here is the good news, fresh from Cy's own pen, as it was received by his old pal Col. Fred Putnam in Boston.

"I've struck coal, all right enough on my farm. The only trouble is to get somebody to mine it. I got out enough to keep my kitchen bin full all winter, I have been a regular coal miner this winter. And there's a lot more there. When I get time, I'll have it dug out. I knew it was there when we struck natural gas. I'm at Hot Springs to stay about three weeks and then the hike for Augusta. I know I'm in better shape than ever. My signed contract is in Boston now, so I'll be on the pay roll for ten days anyway. It's been a long, cold winter out this way, but not so bad as in Boston, and that coal mine came in handy."

Diamond Sparkles. Fitcher William Verkes, who is a brother of the Red Sox utility man, has signed to play with the Brockton (New England league) team.

The St. Louis Browns have signed a pitcher named Brief. Jake Beckley is still in the game, having signed to play with and manage a semi-professional team in Kansas City. Pop Anson has opened his vaudeville season and has taken his act South with the Cubs. Pop does a monologue and

some buck dances and carries his own scenery. Rube Vickers is the king of minor league pitchers. It is believed that he holds two records for minor league baseball winning more games in one season than any other twirler, and total victories being the largest on record.

Harry Wolverton, the new manager of the New York Highlanders is a fighter and a hustler. He is a stickler for discipline, but treats players fairly and demands similar treatment. The one thing that he positively refuses to tolerate is loafing.

Garry Hermann, while in Pittsburgh recently said that the United States league would not even start. In Cleveland they very seldom mention Jake Daubert's name. That is, because the Naps once owned him and sent him back to the minors.

George Robe, whose hitting enabled the Sox to beat the Cubs in the memorable world's series of 1903, is now a photographer in Cincinnati. He plays ball in the Southern league during the summer.

John Dewey, who is to act as scout for the Louisville club, will journey to Hot Springs and look over the youngsters, who are there to train with the big league team.

Good catchers are valuable assets to any team. Next to the pitchers in importance they are worked hardest than any of the other players on the team and they are more liable to injury and more subject to criticism owing to the active and important part they play in all games.

Charlie Ebbetts says that Hob Northen will probably take a regular place in the Brooklyn outfield this season in place of Jud Daley.

The Ring. Ever since Stanley Ketchell met his unlucky boxing fans and promoters have been searching for a boxer to take Ketchell's position at the head of the middleweight class. The visitor who has been in a big mull during the last season, says Jack Conway in the Boston American.

Just now it looks as though Frank Klaus of Pittsburgh, Jack Dillon of Indianapolis, Eddie McGorty of Oakland, and Mike Gibbons of St. Paul have a little something on the rest of the field. These four twirlers have demonstrated time and again that they possess the "stuff" that makes champions.

Of the four Klaus appears to be the best. The Pittsburgh pride is a marvel. Klaus is now 24 years of age. He was born in Pittsburgh and comes from good old German stock.

Klaus is able to make 135 pounds ring-side and still put up a great battle, something a large number of the world-bee champions cannot do. Some of the men who are claiming the middleweight title will never be able to make 125 pounds unless they have both of their legs amputated.

New England boxing enthusiasts are acquainted with Klaus' style of milling as he has performed at the Army A. A. a great many times. The Pittsburgh man fights like Ketchell did when he was in his prime. He is always following his opponent around the ring and is a regular demon at infighting.

Like Ketchell Klaus will let his opponent hit him three or four times in order that he may get in close enough to slip across his right or left to the point of the jaw or to the pit of the stomach. When Klaus connects, his antagonist usually hits the mat with a loud thud.

Dillon is another slam bang fighter. He has made a wonderful record in the square circle during the past year, having bested such well known performers as Leo Houck, Billy Berger and our own Jimmy Gardner.

Houck was a strong contender for the middleweight championship before he met Dillon at Indianapolis on New Year's day. Houck was powerless before Dillon's fierce onslaught and he was forced to throw up the sponge in the eighth round.

Western fight fans are backing Eddie McGorty to beat out both Klaus and Dillon. Besides being a good puncher, McGorty is a wonderful boxer. Eddie has a habit of getting one of his hands injured

in one of the opening rounds of his bouts and then outpacing his opponent with one hand. Mike Gibbons, the St. Paul youth whom New York sporting writers have been boasting as the only legitimate heavyweight champion, is rapidly taking on weight and inside of a year he should be able to give the best middleweights in the country a stiff argument.

He is an sensational boxer and possesses a K. O. wallop. Gibbons appears to get better with every fight.

"Buck" Crouse of Pittsburgh may be heard from in the middleweight class in a short time. Crouse is still a youngster and when he has gained a little more experience he may be able to defeat the best of them.

Ten Past Midnight. New York, March 4.—Eddie O'Keefe, a Philadelphia featherweight, generally out-picked Johnny Dundee of New York in a fast ten round bout last night, although in a mix-up in the fifth round a hard right to the jaw sent O'Keefe to the mat for the count of six.

McFarland and Hogan. New York, March 4.—Patsy McFarland the clever Chicago lightweight, and Freddie "One Round" Hogan of San Francisco completed sparring today for a ten round bout tomorrow night. It is looked upon as something one of the best contests of the season here.

Witch in Winnipeg. Winnipeg, March 4.—Freddie Welch, challenger for Ad Wolgast's lightweight title, is in the city and looking well. He says that the first good strong boxer that meets Wolgast will probably defeat him, figuring that his recent illness will have weakened his constitution. There is a possibility that Wolgast may be matched to box in Saskatoon, his opponent being young Koschak.

Boris Tonight. Patsy McFarland vs. One-Round Hogan in New York; Bob LeFavor vs. Joe Uvanni in Williamsport, Pa.; Sailor Burke vs. Larry English in Brooklyn, N. Y.; Monte Astell vs. Patsy Berganigan in Newcastle, Pa.; Clarence English vs. Clarence Fern in St. Joseph, Mo.

Amusements. The second of a series of indoor athletic meets is to be held this evening by the Boy Scouts of Stone church in the school room.

Cheese and the Digestion. There has been a widespread belief that cheese is not easily digested and that it is the cause of physiological disturbances. Not only the results of an extended series of digestion experiments undertaken by the department of agriculture, but the results of the experiments by the department as to the nutritive value of cheese, many facts have been made in preparing cheese for the table, the purpose being to suggest dishes and combinations of such a character that cheese might "supple" other nutritious material and fats when desired.

Cheese naturally suggests itself as a substitute for meat, since it resembles meat in food value and is a savory food. Experience and experience have shown that it can be thus used, and that the daily fare may meet all demands as regards the nourishment it supplies just at the same time be economical.

To clean looking-glasses or window panes with tissue paper, which gives a lustre brighter than chamois leather, does.

MONCTON IN THE HOCKEY SITUATION

Ottawa, Ont., March 5.—Moncton's dates for the Stanley Cup games are likely to be Saturday and Monday, or Monday and Wednesday next, if the Wanderers beat Ottawa tomorrow night. But if home and home games are necessary between these two teams, to decide the championship of the N. H. A., there may not be any Stanley cup games at all.

It is now practically certain that the challenge of the British Columbia professional hockey association for the Stanley cup will be deferred until the commencement of next season. William Foran, Stanley cup trustee, received yesterday a telegram from Secretary Small of the coast league, as follows:

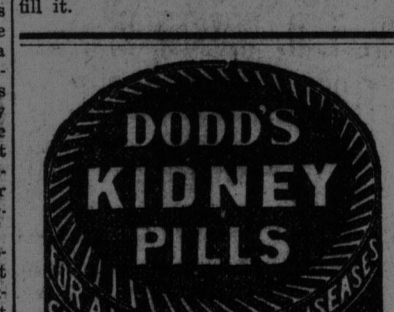
"Our championship may not be decided until March 18. Winners could play in east March 25 and 27. Please advise if possible to play on those dates."

There has never been good ice in Ottawa, Montreal or Quebec on the dates suggested by the western league, and on this account Mr. Foran sent a reply to the effect that ice at that late date would be impossible.

The latest move on the part of the coast league means that there will only be two series for the Stanley cup. Montreal, March 5.—The Canadiens made such a good showing down east last spring, that the Moncton Victorias are anxious to have them pay them another visit this year. Last night George Kennedy received a telegram from Moncton, asking him to make the trip and to set his earliest date. Kennedy says he will not consider the matter until he has referred the offer to the association, whose permission must be first obtained.

Moncton, N. B., March 4.—(Special)—The management of the Victorias today, on being acquainted with this report to the Stanley Cup dates, decided that nothing could be done to bring the Wanderers here as in the event of Quebec winning the dates would clash.

Get ready. Never mind about croaking over your present condition. Save your energies for getting ready for a better one. God has a bigger place in the world for you as soon as you are prepared to fill it.



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MR. J. A. KELLY Another New York Success "Then You'll Remember Me." MISS PEARSON "Then You'll Remember Me."

Suffragette Juror Jails Her Husband AN UP-TO-DATE STORY OF A CALIFORNIA LADY who while serving on a jury condemns her own partner. A first-class and novel comedy drama. Exciting chase of joyriding automobilists by motor-cycle policeman.

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W. J. HUNTER IS WEEK MISSING

I. C. R. Engineer Left Home Apparently on Short Hunting Trip—Fear That Something Has Befallen Him

Relatives and friends of William J. Hunter, a popular locomotive engineer with the I. C. R., are anxiously concerned over his prolonged absence from his home at 183 Waterloo street. He left home on Monday last and has not been seen since. Enquiries have been made to his whereabouts, but today there is doubt that he will be seen again alive.

BUSY DAY IN POLICE COURT

Drunkness Charge is Fought—An I. C. R. Case—Too Many Girls Walking the Streets of City By Night

There was quite a lengthy docket of cases before Magistrate Ritchie in the police court this morning. One prisoner, charged with drunkenness was fined \$8 or two months in jail, while another was remanded on a charge of assault.

LOCAL NEWS

THE BATTLE LINE. S. S. Treble, Captain Blarney for Newport, called from ALEXIA yesterday.

TO SOUTH AFRICA. The S. S. Melville will sail this afternoon for South African ports with a large general cargo.

BURIED TODAY. The funeral of Mrs. W. MacFarlane took place this afternoon from his late home in St. David street. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. A. McClelland and Rev. W. Lawson and interment was in Fernhill.

ARTHUR McINNES SOUGHT. Chief of Police Clark has received a communication from Newport, Hants County, N. S., asking as to the whereabouts of Arthur McInnes, formerly of that place, who has not been heard from for some time. His relatives there are anxious to hear from him.

STILL ALARM. The fire department was called out about half past two o'clock this morning to extinguish a fire in Scovil Smith's house in Peter street. The fire was in one of the bedrooms and it is believed was started accidentally by a boarder who was lying in bed smoking a cigarette. The blaze was extinguished before any great damage was done.

C. P. R. TIME. During a recent visit of Sydney Haughton, chief time inspector of the C. P. R., St. John, to an appointed Pennington & Page as time inspectors for the eastern division of their line, from St. John to Miramichi. In connection with this service they have installed in the firm's store in King street a direct wire giving the daily time signal from McGill observatory.

DR. T. D. WALKER, IN FLORIDA, TELLS ABOUT COMMISSION HERE

St. John Physician Meets Des Moines Enthusiast on This Form of City Government

(Key West, Florida, Journal Feb. 28) "Yes," said Dr. T. D. Walker of St. John, N. B., at the Jefferson last night. "Up in my city we are enthusiastic on the subject of commission form of government. We sent some of our representative men to Des Moines to study it at first hand. They came back with glowing reports. We heard of its success in Galveston, Houston and other cities of the United States. We are determined to try it. Just now a new charter is being prepared."

WINTER PORT STEAMERS ON THE WAY TO ST. JOHN

Anapa, London, Feb. 17. Manchester Inventor, Manchester, Feb. 19. Hampden, Liverpool, Feb. 22. Empress of Britain, Liverpool, Feb. 23. Montezuma, Antwerp, Feb. 23. Waimoa, St. John, Feb. 28. Lake Manitoba, Liverpool, Feb. 29. Hapapanahoe, London, Feb. 29. Sardinian, London, Feb. 29. Virginian, Liverpool, March 1. Montreal, London, March 1. Sefaria, Glasgow, March 2.

FATHER OF GEORGE W. FOWLER, M.P., PASSED AWAY THIS MORNING

Sussex, N. B., March 5.—(Special)—Wesley Fowler, probably the oldest resident of King's county, died this morning at nine o'clock at his residence in Hammond, Mr. Fowler was eighty-eight years of age and he died in the house in which he was born. He was a life-long resident of Hammond. Mr. Fowler was an industrious farmer who operated on a large scale and was a citizen who was well liked and had a host of friends. He is survived by four sons—George W. Fowler, M. P., now in Ottawa; David, Edward and Wesley, in town west, and one daughter, Mrs. Arthur Robinson, of Havelock.

You Are Assured The Best Boys' Clothing Made When You Buy It Here. Our boys' garments are built to stand the extreme hard usage that is sure to come to them and they never disappoint. If you want your boys' clothes to wear better than formerly buy his next ones here. Boys' Two Piece Suits \$2.00 to \$6.50 Boys' Three Piece Suits \$4.50 to \$10.00 SWELL NECKWEAR - An Elegant Assortment of New, Stylish Designs and Patterns 25c, 35c and 50c. H. N. DeMILLE & CO. 199 to 201 Union St. Opera House Block.

A Wet Spell Coming Get Your Waterproof Shoes THE SLATER WATERPROOF BOOTS will really keep your feet dry in wet weather. They are made to do that by people who know their business. SLATER WET PROOF SHOES For Men \$4.00 to \$6.00 For Women \$4.50 FOR SALE ONLY BY E. G. McColough, Ltd. The Slater Shoe Shop, 81 King Street

THE TAILORING SHOP FOR YOU MARCH 5, 1912 The Tailoring shop for the man who's out for the highest value he can get in Clothing-to-measure at \$24, \$25, \$26. We are particularly strong at these popular prices. And just as surely the tailoring shop for the man whose tastes demand the finest the market affords. Such men will recognize in the superb Suits we build to measure a little the exquisite tailoring handwork and all the permanent beauty of fit that they have been paying their tailor to produce. Our workmen stand at the very head of the profession and through volume of business, we are enabled to give you their work at prices much below exclusive tailor's charges. The Spring showing of fine woollens is complete. 'T would be wise to see them at once if you appreciate first choice. Men's Business Suits to Measure \$18.00 to \$30.00 Men's Evening Dress Suits to Measure \$30.00 to \$35.00 Men's Frock Suits to Measure \$25.00 to \$35.00 Men's Top Coats to Measure \$18.00 to \$35.00 Men's Trousers to Measure \$5.00 to \$8.00 KING STREET COR. GERMAIN GREATER OAK HALL SCOVIL BROS. LIMITED, St. John, N. B.

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THE NEW SPRING HATS Are being shown in our windows and show cases, and we invite the inspection of every man, whether he wishes to buy now or later, but we are confident the right hat is here for you no matter what your build. In Derbys we have a splendid range, the low crown, wide brim hat being very prominent in the showing. For the man who prefers a Soft Hat we show a wide range of styles in Greys, Favns and Browns. Come in and look the new ones over. DERBYS \$2.00 to \$6.00 SOFT HATS 1.50 to 5.00 D. MAGEE'S SONS, Ltd. Manufacturing Furriers 63 King St.